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Mrs. Leonard E. Britt, 2519 Maple street, who has been on the sick list, is able to be out again.

Nathalie Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Brown, 1514 Burdette street, a student in Central high school, was detained home last week by illness.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of St. Philip the Deacon entertained at a delightful pre-Lenten party Tuesday night at the beautiful and commodious residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Hicks, 2530 Maple St.

Mrs. W. B. Smith, who recently returned to her home, 2409 Blondo street from University hospital, where she underwent an operation, is slowly but steadily improving.

Mrs. William N. Johnson of Chicago is in the city visiting her father, Mr. Lee Councillor.

A delightful Valentine party was given Wednesday night by Miss Robbie Turner at her home, 2514 Corby St.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Singleton moved into their attractive new home, 2865 Corby street, last Saturday.

Mrs. Dewey Allen will leave Saturday for Louisville, Ky., to visit her father, whom she hopes to have return to Omaha with her.

Worthington Williams, violinist, and Lovejoy Crawford, trap drummer, went to Lincoln Tuesday night to play for the Delta Sigma Theta Mardi Gras masquerade.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Massey were called to Isabel, Okla., Tuesday by the death of Mrs. Massey's mother, Mrs. Edith Murdock, who had been in poor health for some time.

Mrs. W. L. Myers and two children, Florence and Hazel, who have been on the sick list, are improving. The children are able to be up, but Mrs. Myers is still confined to bed.

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The N. A. A. C. P. will meet next Sunday afternoon at St. Paul's Presbyterian church. An interesting program of music and addresses on Frederick Douglas will be given. Public is cordially invited to attend.

The Misses Alma Webster and Wattereta Seals and Messrs James and John Pegg and Sabert Hnager went to Lincoln Tuesday to attend the Mardi Gras masquerade given by the Delta Sigma Theta fraternity.

Mrs. Belle Gillum died Monday at her home, 2308 North Twenty-sixth, with acute indigestion. The body was shipped to Paris, Texas, Thursday by W. L. Myers of the Western Funeral Home. Deceased is survived by her husband, who accompanied the remains to their former home.

Mr. H. K. Perry, who has been ill, has recovered and leaves Friday for a two weeks' trip to Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago. He expects to return to Omaha by the last of this month.

Mr. James H. Wood, an old resident of Omaha, died at the University hospital Monday morning, after a long siege of sickness and an operation. The funeral was held from the Western Funeral Home Thursday afternoon. The Rev. E. H. McDonald, pastor of Mt. Moriah Baptist church, officiating. Interment was in Forest Lawn.

The Rev. John Albert Williams returned Wednesday night from a two weeks' visit to Arkansas where he went to hold a mission at St. Andrew's Church, Pine Bluff. En route to Pine Bluff he preached at St. Philip's, Little Rock, and St. Mary's, Hot Springs. He also gave addresses at the Merrill High School and the A. M. & N. Institute at Little Rock.

Simon Levinson died suddenly at his home, 2616 Burdette street, Monday night, from an attack of cerebral apoplexy, leaving a wife and four children, all confined to their beds with a gripe. The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon from the chapel of the Western Funeral Home.

LINCOLN COMMENT

Mrs. Ella Griffin returned from Topeka, Kansas, last week after spending about three weeks with her mother who was ill.

P. S. Williams left for Tulsa, Okla., last week where he will work with Mr. Campbell, formerly of Lincoln.

Mrs. H. M. Williams, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Adair entertained the Utopian Art Club at their home, 736 North Thirtieth, last Thursday night. Quite a number were in attendance. A paper by Mr. Nimrod Ross evoked quite a discussion. The meeting was a profitable one.

The A. C. E. society conducted services at the A. M. E. church last Sunday in the way of rendering programs. The Sunday School was held as usual at the morning hour.

Father Evans Corneal is growing quite feeble. His children are obliged to keep watch after him.

Mrs. Lottie Corneal is confined in doors on account of soreness in her limbs.

Services at Mt. Zion Baptist church were well attended last Sunday. The Sunday school at 10 a. m., devotionals and preaching by the pastor at 11:30 and 8:00. The B. Y. P. U. had a splendid lesson at 7 p. m. The State President, Mrs. Odessa Harris, will be present next Sunday. The Saturday night suppers at the parsonage continue with financial and social success. Teachers meeting at Parsonage, 920 South Twelfth, each Monday night. Prayer meeting Wednesday nights at the Church, 23rd and P streets.

Mrs. J. L. Wright was reported ill the past week.

Attend the George Washington Carnival at Wiley Hall, 1122 O street, on Thursday night, Feb. 22, given by the Utopian Art Club.

The Relief Board of the Nebraska Jurisdiction of A. F. & A. M. met in the city Sunday, and transacted business. The M. G. M., R. H. Young, and officers here were joined by GG Treas., J. H. Wakefield of Omaha.

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BOY SCOUTS RECEIVE MERIT BADGES

Among the fifty boy scouts who received special merit badges at the hands of James E. West of New York, Chief Scout Executive of the Boy Scouts of America, at the Court House Tuesday afternoon, were Joseph Dorsey for craftsmanship in wood carving and Jesse Hutten for first aid. Joseph Dorsey also received the star badge for having earned ten merit badges.

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COMMUTATION SAVES MAN FROM GALLOWS

Montgomery, Ala., Feb. 1—Edward Phillips, convicted of a statutory offense against an eight-year-old girl, will not go to the gallows. This was made known last Friday afternoon when a telegram from Governor Wm. W. Brundage commuted the sentence to life imprisonment.

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EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ST. PHILIP THE DEACON

The services Sunday will be Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; church school at 10; Holy Eucharist and sermon at 11; vespers and confirmation address and instruction at 5 o'clock. Special Lenten services Wednesday and Friday night at 8 o'clock, and Holy Eucharist Thursday mornings at 9.

The Woman's Auxiliary held a successful meeting Thursday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. John W. Gatus, 9731 Caldwell street. The meeting next week will be with Mrs. H. R. Roberts, 2610 North Twenty-eighth Avenue. The Lenten study is "Wanted, Leaders" by Bishop Bratton, an interesting book on the Race Question which the Episcopal Church throughout the country is studying during Lent.

FAITHFUL TEMPLE WINS \$100 PRIZE

Faithful Temple No. 1533 of this city of the Mosaic Templars of America in the membership campaign closing December 24, 1922, has been awarded a prize of \$100 by the National Headquarters at Little Rock, Arkansas, for the largest ratio of increase in membership in this state. This little lodge of five members added sixteen new members. Attorney General Scipio A. Jones in speaking of this to the writer last Monday at Little Rock expressed himself as delighted with the splendid showing by the little Omaha lodge.

NOONDAY SERVICES AT TRINITY CATHEDRAL

Dean McGinley of Trinity Cathedral extends a cordial invitation to the public to attend the noonday Lenten services at Trinity Cathedral, Eighteenth and Capitol Avenue. Services begin at 12:10 and close at 12:30. The speaker next week will be The Rev. Lloyd B. Molsapple, rector of St. Barnabas church. The speaker this week is The Rev. Thomas Cassidy, rector of All Saints.

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