

Events and Persons

In Which You Will Be More or Less Interested.
News for This Department Must Be Received by Wednesday Night.

The Florence P. Leavitt Club of the Grove M. E. Church, gave a leap year social Tuesday eve., February 29th, at the residence of Mrs. W. A. Watts, 2205 Seward street. The house was decorated with the club colors. An interesting program was rendered. The subject of discussion was "Man."

Mr. F. J. McCullough left Monday of last week for St. Louis, where he went to attend the Pullman Porters' convention which convened last Tuesday. Mr. McCullough is the district agent.

Mrs. Della Lyons, the mother of Mrs. D. T. Rumson, left Sunday morning of last week for her home in Kansas City, Kansas, after a two weeks' visit with her daughter.

For County Treasurer
EMMET G. SOLOMON —adv.

Mr. H. W. Williams of 2708 Erskine street, left last Saturday night for an extended trip south. He will visit the following places: Larimore and Muskogee, Oklahoma, Texacania, Texas, and Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Prof. J. W. Bundrant is one of the "twenty-niners" and in honor of his "seventh birthday" he was given a party by the New Era Dramatic club, of which he is a director. The party was held Tuesday evening, February 29th, in Peterson hall, Mrs. W. C. Ricks was chaperon and thirty invited guests were present, besides the sixteen active members of the club. All wished many more such birthdays to Prof. Bundrant.

The Ash Wednesday services at the Church of St. Philip the Deacon were largely attended. During Lent or until further notice the evening services on Sundays will be held at 5 o'clock instead of 7:30.

A nine-event athletic carnival, the first of its kind among our people, was held at the Mecca Skating Rink last Friday night and was well attended. The events were a 20-yard dash, won by Thomas Roulette, LeRoy Kelly, second; 110-yard dash, Thomas Roulette first, Andrew Jackson, second; 440-yard run, Roulette first; Jackson second; broad jump, Vernon Roulette first, 9, 5; Andrew Jackson second, 8, 11; high jump, John Martin, 5, 3; Thomas Roulette 5, 2; relay race won by the Z. A. C. team, composed of Kelley, T. Roulette, V. Roulette and Miller; a wrestling match between Jackson and Miller, won by Jackson, first fall three minutes; second, seven minutes.

For County Treasurer
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The North Omaha Colored Republican Club met at the Mecca Skating Rink Tuesday night, organized and elected the following officers: President, James G. Jewell; first vice-president, D. G. Russell; second vice president, William H. Ransom; secretary, Dr. W. W. Peebles; treasurer, Price Terrill.

The merchants and firms who advertise with us show that they want your trade. When patronizing them tell them that you saw their advertisement in The Monitor.

G. Wade Obee has filed for the republican nomination for a member of the water board.

Will N. Johnson, Lawyer, Southwest Corner of Fourteenth and Douglas Sts. Douglas 4956.

Mrs. Anna Singleton, who two weeks ago underwent an operation at the Lord Lister hospital, is rapidly recovering at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Goff, 910 Forest avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Gregory entertained at a pre-lenten party Tuesday night at their residence in honor of the Elite Whist club and other guests. The ladies' prize was won by Mrs. F. J. Smith, and the men's prize by Mr. Henry W. Black.

The New Era Dramatic club held its regular meeting last Friday evening. They are preparing to produce a new play.

For County Treasurer
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The first rehearsal for the dramatization of the cantata Queen Esther will be held Tuesday night. Madame Grundler, dramatic instructor.

The Z. A. C. relay team, composed of Tom Roulette, Othello Rountell, LeRoy Kelly, Vernon Roulette and Edward Miller will represent the Colored people of Omaha in the invitational meet at the auditorium March 31st.

Mr. Harland Harold and company have purchased the grocery store formerly conducted by Mr. Arthur Rice at 26th and Patrick avenue. Miss Alberta Harold is in charge. This is the only colored grocery store in the city and should be liberally patronized by our people.

Mrs. F. S. Gant entertained for her sister, Miss Alberta Ford, of Kansas City, Mo., Wednesday night at the residence of Mrs. William Jones, 2211 North Twenty-seventh street. Mrs. Roy Botts, Miss Hazel Perry and Mr. Roscoe Miller delightfully entertained the company with music. Those present were the Misses Freola Claybrom, Musa Tann, Hazel Perry, Bill Newman and Tabman, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bates, Mr. and Mrs. Grindy, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberts, Mrs. James Kirby, Mrs. Lorraine Herrington, Messrs. Roy Pettiford, Leroy Broomfield, Roscoe Miller, Clarence Gordon, Sherman Jefferson and Paul Moore.

The advisory board of the Negro Woman's Christian Association will give a charity ball soon after Easter.—Adv.

There will be a Japanese leap year social given by the Mt. Moriah Sewing Circle Friday, March 17, at the residence of Mrs. Walker, 2810 Miami street. All ladies are requested to bring a gentleman. President Mrs. M. Gaines, Secretary Mrs. M. Barnett.

The Negro Woman's Christian Association will give a trip to Denver, Chicago or St. Louis to the young woman receiving the largest number of votes. Full particulars as to contest will be published later.—Adv.

The Douglas Colored Republican League of Nebraska met Thursday night of last week and took preliminary steps looking towards the launching of a well planned and effective organization, political, industrial and economic in its character. The following officers were chosen: M. F. Singleton, president; Robert Severe, first vice-president; Dr. J. H. Hutten, second vice-president; the Rev. W. T. Osborne, third vice-president; Dr. Craig Morris, secretary; Sergt. Isaac Bailey, treasurer.

John N. Baldwin announces his candidacy for the republican nomination or police magistrate of Omaha, and respectfully solicits the support of all colored voters.—Adv.

Rev. M. H. Wilkinson of Salt Lake City, Utah, who has just closed a successful revival at Mt. Moriah Baptist church, before taking his leave on Tuesday evening was given a pleasant surprise at the residence of Mrs. W. D. Taylor, 2817 Miami, at which forty-seven were present, and quite a number of tokens of gratitude were presented him.

An audience of over one thousand people listened last Monday to the fine rendition of the cantata of Esther, which was given at Boyd's theatre under the management of Mrs. W. T. Osborne and the direction of Mr. Ben Stanley, organist and choir-master of Trinity Cathedral, for the benefit of St. John's A. M. E. church. It would be difficult to conceive of more perfect choral work than that achieved by this chorus after seven weeks' training. It reflects credit upon the director and the singers. All who attended were fully repaid for their patronage of this most worthy entertainment. It was a musical event of which Omaha may well be proud. Mrs. Osborne's graceful and well-chosen speech, in which she thanked all concerned in this musical triumph, was a most pleasing interpolation in the program. Elsewhere, will be found Mr. Dan Desdunes professional comment on this delightful musical treat.

William Nolan of 2128 No. 27th street had an operation performed on his arm at the St. Joseph hospital Wednesday.

The Owl club entertained at an informal dancing party Wednesday evening at the residence of Mrs. U. G. Bell. Nine couples were present.

Mrs. E. Harold, who has been ill for the past week with lagrippe, is much better.

Mr. John H. Broomfield has been unanimously elected a member of the Municipal Protective League.

The surprise party tendered to Mr. C. H. Hicks last week in honor of his birthday was planned and given by Mrs. Hicks and not by the Big Twelve Whist club, as it appeared in our last issue. The members of the Big Twelve Whist club and others attended.

Mr. Roy Kellogg is quite ill with lagrippe.

The Zion Baptist Sunday school turned in \$53 last Sunday towards the new building.

On last Friday afternoon, March 2nd, Friendship Temple No. 347 gave a reception in honor of Mr. Henry Chiles, the newly appointed deputy. The temple presented the new deputy with a box of cigars, Princess Ella Johnson making the presentation speech. Appropriate remarks by Mrs. Pegg and Mrs. Gooden were also made. Both officers and members are highly pleased with the selection of the grandmaster and a prosperous year is predicted. Mrs. Ella Johnson, Princess; Mrs. M. A. Walker, Secretary.

FATHER'S PRAYER; YES, IT WAS ANSWERED.

"He asked for strength that he might achieve; he was made weak that he might obey.

"He asked for riches that he might be happy; he was given poverty, that he might be wise.

"He asked for power that he might have the praise of men; he was given weakness that he might feel the need of God.

"He asked for health that he might do greater things; he was given infirmity that he might do better things.

"He has received nothing that he asked for, all that he hoped for. His prayer was answered."

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