

Lincoln Department

Anita M. Taylor, Call L9810 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.

Funeral services for Mr. Lon B. Thomas, who died at 10:40 Sunday morning at his home, 715 C street, were held at the A. M. E. Church, 2:30 Tuesday afternoon. Burial was in Wyuka cemetery. The services there were in charge of the Masons. The wife and children have the sincere sympathy of many friends and acquaintances.

Gideon Band held its regular meeting Thursday evening at the Baptist Church. A debate, "Resolved That State-wide Prohibition is Detrimental to the Community," was thoroly discussed. Mrs. P. Gratton, Mrs. Ethel Price and Miss Smith, affirmative; Messrs. Moore, Bowdry and Scott, negative.

Miss Estella Conrad is in the city for an indefinite stay.

Mr. Julius Miller, of Omaha, is very critically ill at the home of his brother, 2251 South 8th street.

Rev. B. Hillman preached a grand sermon on "Mother's" Sunday evening at the Baptist Church to a large and appreciative audience. Two new members from New Orleans were added.

The Optimistic Set met Thursday afternoon with the president, Mrs. Vernon Young, 665 South 20th street. The afternoon was enjoyably spent in a lively discussion of "current events." The next meeting will be with Mrs. Monroe Williams.

Mr. Van Bowdry, captain of the Tribe of Ben Hur, assisted by Mrs. Eva Carter, will give a box social at Mt. Zion Baptist Church, May 25.

Mrs. Odie Page left Tuesday for Huntington, Nebr., to spend the summer.

Mrs. Mary MacCurley returned Sunday from Omaha where she spent the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. George Baker Sundayed in Omaha, attending the annual sermon of "The Household of Ruth."

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haynes, 2117 South 10th, entertained at a "Mothers' Day" dinner Sunday evening in honor of Mrs. George Wiley. Covers were laid for eight. After dinner Mr. Haynes sang for his guest several songs apropos to Mother's Day.

Mrs. Alice Perry, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Henry Crews, during the past winter, left Wednesday morning for her home in Salina, Kansas.

Miss Ethel Valuevetti, of Horton, Kas., is in the city stopping at the home of Mrs. E. D. Shipman, 851 University avenue.

WAGES OF WAITERS BOOSTED

The Colored waiters at two places in Omaha have had their wages raised in the last ten days. The first were those at the Commercial Club who are now being paid \$1.00 per luncheon against 75 cents formerly. The second were those at the Paxton, who received a little higher wages after a strong front put up by their head-waiter, George Watson. The latter took the fight to the manager and told him that not only must the wages be increased, but the waiters must get board. He finally won out and the matter was settled Tuesday morning.

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"GOLDEN HAIR AND THE THREE BEARS"

Don't fail to attend the grand cantata, "Golden Hair and the Three Bears," given by the pupils of Mrs. J. Alice Stewart, assisted by a few adults, at the new Mecca hall, Twenty-fourth and Grant streets, Friday June 1.

Mr. William Lacey, the famous tenor singer, will appear as Bard the Forest King; Mrs. Dewey Allen, the lovely, clear soprano, as "the de-throned Forest Queen," and Mrs. Jeanne Ichiki, the wonderful high soprano, as the watchful Faithful.

This promises to be the grandest event of the season. Beautiful costumes, new scenery, grand coronation drill.

The Mozart Mandolin club will play between acts. The Ladies' Taborean band will appear for the first time. All performances and individual instruction are under the direction of the instructor, Mrs. Stewart. Come and see how Omaha has developed in a musical way.—Adv.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE

The G. U. O. of O. F. held their Annual Thanksgiving services at Grove M. E. Church at 3 o'clock p. m. The lodges represented: Omaha Lodge No. 2226, Gate City Lodge No. 6674, South Omaha Lodge No. 9374, Weeping Willow Lodge No. 9576, Queen City Household of Ruth No. 2903, Household of Ruth No. 549, Magic City Household of Ruth No. 5083, and the Past Grand Masters Council.

An excellent sermon was preached by the Rev. M. B. Wilkinson, pastor of Mt. Moriah Baptist Church. Addresses by E. E. Bryant and M. H. Hazard. Solo by Mrs. L. M. Webster. Music furnished by Prof Desdunes' Military Band.

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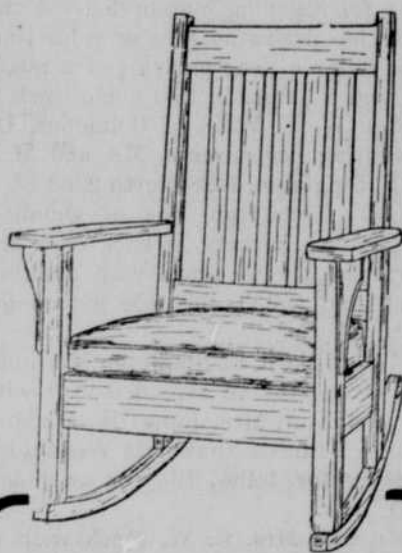
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U. B. F. Hall, 24th and Charles. M. H. Hazzard, N. G.; T. H. Gaskins, P. S.

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