

Among the Churches

ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

Services were well attended at all services last Sunday. The pastor delivered two excellent sermons. Two new members were added to the roll and several states were represented by the visitors who worshipped with us.

The Sunday School had an attendance of 105 last Sunday. Let us reach the 200 mark ere the year closes.

On the 30th inst. a missionary mass meeting will be held, at which time Rev. H. W. Botts of Booneville, Mo., who has been elected state missionary by the executive board of the Negro Baptist Association of Nebraska, will preach his initiatory sermon, prior to taking up the state work.

We were glad to see Bro. Bruce out again Sunday after his recent illness. The other sick members are improving at their various homes.

Regular services next Lord's day, with the exception of the B. Y. P. U. A joint meeting of all the unions of

the city will be held at 5:30 p. m. at Mt. Moriah Baptist church, Sunday, October 26. The topic to be discussed is "A Missionary Wanted." Aside from this, a most excellent program is to be rendered. The public is invited.

ALLEN CHAPEL, A. M. E. CHURCH

Services were interesting and well attended Sunday. Rev. Parker preached at the morning services with good results. The Sunday School is doing splendid work. Collection for the day, \$28.00.

Bros. J. Phillips, Mr. Homer Zachery and Mr. Sadoll Phillips of Glenville, Ark., also Mr. Hayes of Kansas City, Kans., worshipped with us Sunday.

Next Sunday is the election of trustees.

The choir is doing splendidly well. Everyone should come out and hear them.

Class meeting on Friday nights.

MT. MORIAH BAPTIST CHURCH

The pastor delivered two soul-stirring sermons Sunday. There was an addition to the church.

The entertainment given by the Silver Leaf club was a financial success. Sunday, October 26th, the B. Y. P. U. of the various churches will meet in joint session at Mt. Moriah. A program will be rendered.

ST. JOHN'S A. M. E. CHURCH

Sunday services were unusually well attended. The pastor delivered two excellent sermons. There were eight persons added to the church.

The funeral of Mr. W. H. Porter was held Sunday afternoon from the church, the pastor officiating.

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH

The work of the Bethel Baptist church is progressing along spiritual lines. Owing to inclemency of weather Sunday night's attendance was unusually small.

The sick of the church is improving nicely.

The Mission Circle, under the management of Mrs. Lula Whidby, Mrs. Burton and others, has put on a mock convention beginning on Monday, the 20th, throughout the week, which is expected to be a success.

COUNCIL BLUFFS NOTES.

Rev. Mathew R. Rhonenee has returned to Bethel A. M. E. church for his second year. He preached his first sermon Sunday. It was taken from the fifth chapter of Matthew, and a part of the 11th verse. It was a soul stirring sermon and well appreciated. There were two joiners and one convert.

Sunday School and other branches of the church were well attended.

Friday evening the members and friends of the church a surprise party on Rev. and Mrs. Rhonenee. A pleasant time was had by all.

Rev. and Mrs. Rhonenee and little son, Charles, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guss Hupp, 2122 Paul street, Omaha, at six o'clock dinner Thursday.

Sunday evening Rev. Rhonenee related the story of his boyhood days spent in his native land of Abyssinia. He told some interesting facts concerning the religious customs of the old African country. Among other things said was: The Koptic church ancient and pure, sometimes called Monophysites or Eutychians, are under the direct supervision of a bishop, called Abuna.

Rev. T. B. Stovall, D. D., the new presiding elder of the Des Moines district, will hold his first quarterly meeting at Bethel A. M. E. church November 16th.

Bethel church will give a dinner Thanksgiving at the Masonic hall, Eighteenth and Pearl streets. Ladies' band of Omaha will furnish musical program.

Mrs. R. V. Robinson, Mrs. Gunn, Mrs. D. M. Nixon and Mrs. W. C. Lyons, who have undergone operations recently are slowly improving.

Rev. J. P. Jackson, pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist church, reports a successful week financially. At the Boys' club entertainment they cleared \$51.45. The tribe of Joseph reports \$65.25 from their rally Sunday.

Mr. Robert Long, a trustee of Tabernacle Baptist, died Friday morning at the Jennie Edmondson hospital. The funeral will be held Tuesday morning at 10:30 a. m., conducted by Rev. J. P. Jackson from the Cutler undertaking parlors. Mr. Long leaves to mourn his loss one brother, and a host of relatives and friends.

SIoux CITY NOTES

Rev. E. C. Cheatham of Chicago has organized the Holy Church of God in Christ. This organization will hold their services each Sunday at 5509 W. Seventh street. Services at 11 a. m., 3 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. E. J. Curtis entertained a few friends at dinner Thursday, October 16, in honor of her husband's forty-sixth birthday. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. George Hicks of 1301 Hill street who suffered a stroke last week is slowly improving.

The church conference held on Wednesday evening, October 15, was well attended.

Mr. Mansfield Askew is now treasurer of the trustee board. Mr. C. F. Williams of the steward board and Mr. Rasburn Curtis is church clerk.

We were glad to hear that Rev. J. T. Payne had been returned to the A. M. E. church at Lincoln, Neb., for a fifth year. Rev. Payne is one of strong men in Methodism. Lincoln to be congratulated.

Mrs. Phalbia Boyd, chorister of the Malone A. M. E. choir, is reorganizing the same and hopes to have one of the best choirs in the Chicago conference.

Mr. George Hicks is contemplating buying property in South Sioux City, Neb.

On Tuesday evening, October 28, Sioux City Lodge No. 4655 will give a reception at Mt. Zion Baptist church to the following Grand Lodge officers: Mr. Mansfield Askew, G. M. G. U. O. of O. F.; Mr. Horace Green, D. G. D.,

and Mrs. Annie May Askew, district grand stewardess H. of R. Mrs. Mattie Williams, inmate of Sunbeam Chapter 4691, is chairman of committees. Mr. Rasburn Curtis will act as master of ceremonies.

Dr. J. Wilbur Norris is soliciting funds for Sioux City and Woodbury county for the Roosevelt monument. Mr. S. Joe Brown is the state chairman.

LA GRANGE, TEXAS, NOTES

The Fayette county institute for colored teachers closed a very profitable session of five days here last Friday, October 10, at the colored high school, Prof. G. A. Randolph presiding. Lectures were delivered by several persons. Songs rendered by Miss Mary L. Price and Miss Scott, were highly complimented. The agent thanks the institute for a donation of \$32.25.

Last Thursday night at the home of the bride's parents occurred the wedding of Miss Alice Pye and M. Ben Fields.

The body of Mr. Eugene Burley, who died at Fort Bayard, N. M., last week of tuberculosis, was shipped here by the war department last Friday, October 10, and buried Saturday, October 11, Rev. J. H. Napier officiating. Relatives present: Mrs. Mary (Dotsy) Williams, Parsons, Kan.; Mr. Wade Dotsy, Dallas; Mr. Jimmie Thompson and Mrs. Florence Williams, and friends.

Arrivals since last issue: Mr. D. J. Berry and wife, from Kansas City; Mr. J. G. Schermack, from Houston; Mr. Jonathan Zachary Bartlett, and Mrs. Mattie Phearsefrow Terrell.

Our sick: Mesdames Pollie Smith and Julia King.

Rev. S. A. Tillman was on hand and conducted regular religious services at Ebenezer Baptist church Sunday.

Rev. I. D. Coffee preached at St. John A. M. E. church Sunday. The almost incessant and heavy rains figured largely in keeping people from the services.

BUTTE, MONT., NOTES

Rev. and Mrs. C. N. Elliott of M. E. church were given a delightful surprise in the form of a shower last Friday evening. A bountiful collection of groceries and a generous purse were presented by his congregation and well wishers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Cole have sold their beautiful home on Dakota street and will leave October 25th for Salt Lake City, their future home. Mr. Cole has been employed at the post office for the past ten years, and Mrs. Cole is a cateress and one of Butte's prominent society ladies. We regret much to lose them.

Mrs. H. R. Cole entertained the Mite Mission last Friday evening. Mrs. Cora Johnson of Helena, Mont., was visiting guest.

Mrs. Cora Johnson of Helena, Mont., is spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Foreman.

Mr. W. J. Duncan left Thursday morning for Boston, Mass., to take a course in chiropody.

Mrs. Thomas Roberts and Miss Mattie Tolbert of Omaha, Neb., left for their home Wednesday night after having had a very delightful visit in Butte and other western cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chappell entertained Saturday evening at dinner in honor of Mrs. Cora Johnson of Helena.

One of the most elaborate social functions of the season was the reception for the Woman's club, given last Tuesday evening by Mrs. Mack Arnold and Mrs. L. C. Forman, at the home of the latter. The beautiful home of Mrs. Forman was artistically decorated with flowers and ferns. The club colors, orange and brown, were admirably chosen for the floral decorations in the reception hall and dining room and was also carried through the menu. One of the features of the evening was a demonstration of fruit salad and mayonnaise dressing by Mrs. H. R. Cole. The salad was later served and formed a part of a pretty four course luncheon. The out-of-town guests were: Mrs. Cora Johnson, Helena, Mont.; Mrs. Thomas Roberts, Little Mattie Tolbert, Omaha; Mrs. L. Grant of Spokane, Wash., and Mrs. Parsons. Honorary guests were Messrs. J. W. Duncan, Mack Arnold and J. C. Foreman.

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