Among the Churches

ZION BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. W. F. Botts, Pastor.

A large crowd attended the services last Sunday morning and enjoyed the most excellent discourse by the pastor.

On account of the fuel situation no services were held in the evening.

Mrs. Sarah Steward of Blair, Neb., was a visitor at the morning service.

The "Wide Awake 24" is meeting Friday, December 5th, with Mrs. Fletcher at 2724 Miami street.

Three hour services next Lord's day including Sunday School and B. Y. P. U.

CHURCH OF ST. PHILIP THE DEACON

Rev. John Albert Williams, Priest.

Owing to the ruling of the fuel commissioners in the face of the scarcity of coal, the special Advent services have been abandoned. The Sunday services until further notice will be confined to the morning and will be at 8 a. m. Holy Communion; 10 a. m. Sunday school and Bible classes; 11 a. m. Holy Communion and sermon.

Last Sunday at 5:30 p. m. Dean Tancock of Trinity cathedral preached on "Spiritual Preparedness."

The Woman's Auxiliary met Thursday with Mrs. Philip Letcher.

The pastor and family were generously remembered on Thanksgiinvg day by the Woman's Auxiliary.

The contract for wiring and electric lights for the church is to be let soon.

Mrs. M. F. Singleton, who has been ill for several days, is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Mahammitt entertained last Thursday night at progressive whist at their residence complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Buford. The women's prize was won by Mrs. B. K. Armstrong and the man's by Mr. W. G. Haynes.

All members and friends of St. Philip's church are requested to attend the 11 o'clock service Sunday.

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH.

Splendid services were held all day Sunday. The pastor preached from the text, "Why should I send my soul to Hell."

In the afternoon funeral services were held over the remains of Bro. William Vaughn, whose loss the church regrets and offers their condolence to the bereaved family.

The stick of the church who are Mrs. Frank Nelson, Mrs. Maud Downs, Mrs. Moore, Mr. Stewart and Mrs. Crow, are improving.

N. W. C. A. REPORTS.

The N. W. C. A. wishes to thank the ministers of the various churches, members and friends who helped them in the Thanksgiving offering for the Old Folks' Home.

For the last three years we have asked the ministers for an offering in their churches, but never in the history of the home have we received so much money, and such a liberal supply of groceries as we did this year. We would like to be able to publish the name of every one who contributed, but space will not allow. Money given by the churches was as follows:

St. John's A. M. E.	$51.70
Zion Baptist	32.40
Bethel Baptist	13.12
Pilgrim Rest Church	11.50
Mt. Moriah Baptist	10.02
Pleasant Green Baptist	9.40
St. Philip's	5.56
Grove M. E.	4.16
Rev. Johnson's Church	2.00

Mrs. J. H. Smith, chairman of the committees at the churches, wishes to thank every one of the ladies who so willingly responded at each church.

COUNCIL BLUFFS NOTES.

Rev. M. R. Rhonenee, pastor of Bethel A. M. E., reports that the church is progressing nicely, each Sunday sees an increase in interest.

Mrs. M. R. Rhonenee and her sister, Mrs. Marie Pierce, were very pleasantly surprised Thanksgiving by a visit from their mother, Mrs. E. Welch and sister-in-law, Mrs. Walter Welch, both of Kansas City, also their sister, Mrs. Hazel Brisco, from Des Moines.

Mr. Andrew Carter is still confined to the hospital.

Mrs. R. V. Robinson and Miss Hazel Steward are both confined to their homes on account of sickness.

On account of the shortage of fuel, next Sunday, Sunday school will be held at 5 p. m.. Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m., and preaching at 8. In the morning everybody is urged to attend services at the Omaha churches.

Rev. M. D. Johnson, pastor of Beulah Baptist church, reports good services all day Sunday. The church is doing nicely under his efficient leadership.

Miss Gertrude Osborne will give a recital on December 25th at Beulah Baptist church. Miss Osborne is one of the leading women of the Nebraska convention.

Rev. M. D. Johnson will leave very soon to resume his studies at Western College, Macon, Mo. While he is away his pulpit will be filled by Rev. Fant.

Rev. J. P. Jackson of Tabernacle Baptist announces that on account of the fuel shortage next Sunday he will only hold one service, that in the evening.

Men are never so ridiculous from the qualities which really belong to them as from those they pretend to possess.

FIGHTING THE H. C. OF E.

Economy Is a Point of View Just as Extravagance Is.

The national bugaboo, the "H. C. of L." has become the "H. C. or E.", the "E" representing "Everything," and numerous authorities have laid down tactics for fighting it. Among the best are those from the pen of Thomas L. Masson, appearing in the Country Gentleman, as follows:

"Economy in a household consists in minimizing the nonessentials. That is, economize in the things you don't need, and the things you do need will take care of themselves. Remember this: that if you are on the right road what you don't need today is often what you thought you must have yesterday. Economy is a point of view just as extravagance is. No matter who you are or what you do, you can get along on what you have and be happy. Those people who are always worrying about money are the ones who are always wanting things they don't need. Here are a few rules that members of every household should keep in mind:

"The more you want a particular thing the more you should wait until the day after tomorrow before getting it.

"Making an impression on others is often robbing the future; beside, in some mysterious manner everybody knows when you are doing things that you cannot afford.

"Pay the highest for the best, not the lowest for the worst.

"When you shrink from knowing where you stand you need a guardian.

"The things that money buys are incidental when you cannot afford to buy them.

"When you find it necessary to economize on having the right kind of good time, then there is something wrong with your system.

"Buy what you can't afford only when you can afford it."

Plenty of Questions.

"My wife is mourning the loss of a $10,000 necklace."

"Why don't you advertise a thousand reward and no questions asked?"

"Well, I could make good on the thousand, but I doubt about my wife's ability to fulfill the rest of the contract."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

LA GRANGE, TEXAS.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss I. Victoria Sutton of La Grange, to Mr. Will Nunn of Giddings, Sunday evening, November 30, 1919, at Ebenezer Baptist church.

Emmett, son of Prof. G. A. Randolph, was operated on for appendicitis last Wednesday. He is doing nicely.

Rev. J. H. Napier, P. C. of St. James M E. church here, last year, was sent to work on San Antonio circuit by Annual Conference at Yoakum last week, and Rev. A. M. Mason will work here next year.

Rev. I. D. Coffee spent last week at Brenham attending the session of the Annual Conference of A. M. E. Church.

The first sessions of the executive board of La Grange district B. Y. P. W. and Sunday School conventions were held here last week with Ebenezer Baptist church.

Arrivals: Revs. Davis and S. J. Vick, Wallis; J. S. Campbell and G. A. Drisdale, Weimar; W. M. Anderson, San Antonio; G. T. Burley, Cameron; R. H. Littleton, Bryan; R. M. Mason; Messrs. A. L White. Bastrop; A. Howze, Giddings, and Prof. W. J. Mann, Eagle Lake, and Mesdames Cassie Edwards, Julia Sutton and Mabel Schermack.

Departures: Miss Irene Brown to Austin, and Fannie Lee Perry to Houston.

Our sick: Mesdames Mattie E. Phearse, Mabel Schermack, Pollie Smith, Sallie Scott, Emmett Randolph and Pauline Zachary.

Regular monthly services were held at 11 o'clock a. m. and 8 o'clock p. m. last Sunday at Ebenezer Baptist church, Rev. S. A. Tillman conducting. At 3:30 p. m. the memorial of the late Mrs. Harriet Weekly, Giddings, president of La Grange District Woman's Convention, was held here, under direction of the Home Mission Society, Mrs. E. P. Williams, president.

PALESTINE, TEXAS, NOTES.

We are having splendid wealther in this locality, considering the time of year.

Appropriate services were held at all the churches Sunday.

Rev. S. M. Bolden was reappointed as pastor of St. Paul M. E. for another year.

Rev. B. R. Booker has been appointed district superintendent of the Palestine district of the M. E. church.

Mr. Floyd Wright and Mrs. Emma Hewey, and Mr. Tom Wade and Miss Green were married last week. Their many friends wish them a long and happy life.

Mrs. H. L. Price, Mr. E. T. Williams and Rev. C. C. Smith were visiting in Palestine last week

Mr. Albert Massey of Omaha, Neb., very pleasantly surprised his mother recently with a check for $50.00. Mrs. Massey is all smiles over this remembrance. We wish all sons were as kind and thoughtful as this one.

The many friends of Mrs. B. J. Anderson will be very sorry to hear of her death, which occurred last week.

Mr. C. L. Word and Mr. Mathew Austin are both confined to their homes on account of illness.

Oakwood, one of our neighboring cities, was visited by a cyclone a few days ago, which did considerable damage. About forty houses were destroyed. but fortunately no lives were lost.

Rev. Julia Haynes was visiting in the city last week.

Mrs. M. L. Garland, who attended the conference in Houston, has returned home. She reports a very pleasant time.

SIOUX CITY NOTES.

The concert given at Malone A. M. E. church Wednesday evening by the young people was a grand success. The duet by Miss Adams and Mr. Gordon, and the music furnished by Prof. Green were two numbers especially worthy of mention. Proceeds, $25. Much praise is due Miss Nettie L. Adams, who so efficiently arranged the entertainment.

Rev. and Mrs. P. M. Lewis entertained at dinner Thanksgiving for Mr. and Mrs. George Hicks and daughter, Mrs. Ella Flinn, Mrs. M. Wright and granddaughter Hortense.

Mr. and Mrs. Rasburn Curtis were the dinner guests Thanksgiving day of Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Payne at 1225 South Ninth street, Lincoln, Neb.

Mr. W. W. Gross of Keokuk, G. M. of the Masonic Lodge of olwa, was in the city last week. While here he was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Norris, 819 Main street.

Miss Birdie Dowdy of St. Louis is visiting her sister, Mrs. Howard Hill, on Fourteenth street.

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Mrs. Jessie Boyd and Mrs. Vernon Roundtree and children ar evisiting in Clarinda, Iowa. this week, the guests of Sergt. and Mrs. Roberts.

The reception tendered Rev. and Mrs. Lewis last Friday evening was a grand success. Those present spent an evening that will be long remembered.

LINCOLN, NEB., NOTES.

Mrs. M. J. McHenry of Pine Bluff, Ark., is in the city visiting her husband. They are staying at the home of Mrs. Ida Johnson, 907 S street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Curtis of Sioux City, Ia., formerly of this city, spent Thanksgiving here visiting their many old friends and relatives. While here they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson.

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A WORD TO THE WISE

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