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## LINCOLN NEWS IN BRIEF

### Shriners' Banquet Great Social Function

In what will probably prove to be the greatest social event of the present season, Shriners from all over the state assembled at Walsh hall last Friday evening to assist Islam Temple No. 65 with their great fall festival, given at that time and place. We particularly noted the noble brethren who journeyed from Grand Island, Hastings and Fairbury, but the greater representation came from Temple of Zaha at Omaha, who sent fifteen noble representatives, including Noble Nathaniel Hunter, 33, M. W. Grand Master of Nebraska Masons.

The autumn colors of old gold and black were the principal decorations, brightened with a few touches of the last roses of summer. And coupled with the formal costumes worn by the nobles and their wives, with the red and white fez of their respective orders, and the members of the representation of the patrol team in uniform, a picture was presented that will live vividly in the minds of all who attended as long as their brains continue to function.

The illustrious Potentate of Islam Temple, Noble Trago T. McWilliams wishes to take this opportunity to thank all nobles who helped in this affair, and to particularly thank the members of the Court of Isis for their active interest in every way to help to make this a festival of no regrets.

The following are the committees: General arrangements, A. C. Stanley, chairman; Charles E. Haynes, C. R. Johnson, C. F. Shipman, Lloyd Carter, C. W. Malone, James R. Thomas, secretary.

In charge of cuisine: Charles E. Haynes; printing and advertising, C. R. Johnson; entertainment, Cecil T. Denton; decorations, T. T. McWilliams.

Toastmaster, Richard H. Young. Patrol representation: E. I. McWilliams, captain; C. W. Malone, William Robinson, H. M. Hill, Lloyd Carter, M. E. Williams.

After prayer by Noble Smith, the guests, about two hundred, seated themselves and enjoyed the elaborate viands. The orchestra played at intervals. Toastmaster R. H. Young introduced and after making a few remarks said, "Let us eat." Noble W. S. Wilkinson of Fairbury favored the party with a saxophone solo, with Mrs. I. Malone accompanying on piano.

Mr. Nate Hunter of Omaha made a few encouraging remarks, saying: "We are glad to be here." Out of town guests were Nobles John Huff, C. E. Brisco, D. A. Horton of Hastings; Noble Wilkinson and wife of Fairbury; Dr. Robert Taylor of Davenport, Ia., and fifteen nobles from Omaha representing Zaha Temple No. 52, among them being G. M. Noble Nat Hunter, W. L. Seals, P. Warner, J. Dudley, Hill, Saunders and others. The committee on arrangements are certainly worthy of commendation for their hard work in fathoming this affair to make it such a glowing success. The daughters of Isis looked very charming in white fezes.

## SOCIETY

Misses Lottie and Gertrude Brown entertained at an attractive linen shower Thursday evening at the home of their mother, Mrs. Lula Brown, in honor of Miss Viola Lyons, whose marriage to Mr. Everett Huff of Kansas City took place November 22. A dainty color scheme of pink and white was used throughout the house in decorations. Late in the evening refreshments were served. Pink and white

roses were used. Fourteen guests were served. Ices in form of roses were served with cakes and candies in the prevailing colors. Gifts were showered upon the bride-to-be from a huge wedding bell.

### Wedding Bells Ring

In a very simple but impressive ceremony, the marriage of Miss Viola Lyons to Mr. Everett Huff took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Lyons, 1624 South Eleventh street, Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Only a few of the most intimate friends of the family were present. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. S. Payne.

The wedding reception, which lasted from 8 until 11 o'clock in the evening, was a very pleasing affair, at which the young people were the recipients of many beautiful and useful presents. The color scheme was pink and white. The evening was spent in music and song.

The out-of-town guests were Miss Vina Jones of Omaha and Miss G. Huff of Warrensburg, Mo.

The bride and groom left on a late train for Kansas City, Mo., where they will make their future home.

### Woman's Club Holds Meeting

The Davis Woman's club met at the new home of Mrs. O. W. Ferguson. The day being fine, many of the members were present. The Rev. H. W. Botts addressed the club. A letter of much concern was read to the members from Mrs. Mary B. Talbot of New York, also a letter from Mrs. Marty May, a charter member of the club. A dainty luncheon was served by Mrs. Ferguson. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. M. Williams, December 7.

## NEWSLETTES

The funeral of Miss Susie Gatewood was held from Hodgeman undertaking parlor last Friday afternoon, Rev. H. W. Botts of Mt. Zion Baptist church officiating.

Mr. Robert Scott of Beatrice was in the city last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wilkinson of Fairbury attended the Shrine party here last Friday.

Messrs. John Huff, C. E. Brisco and D. A. Horton of Hastings attended the Shrine party last Friday night.

Dr. Robert Taylor of Davenport, Ia., was in the city last week to attend the football game and Shrine party. While here he received a message announcing the death of his sister at York, Neb., whereupon he left for home. Dr. Taylor formerly attended the university here, finishing at Omaha and is now practicing medicine at Davenport.

At the Mt. Zion Baptist church Sunday the pastor H. W. Botts preached a fine sermon. The Sabbath school is being well attended, as is also the B. Y. P. U. Rev. J. D. Collins, superintendent of Young Peoples' meeting and S. S. department, delivered an excellent sermon Sunday night. Attendance during the day was fair.

Services at Mt. Zion Baptist church, corner Twelfth and F streets, Sunday are: Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor; S. S. at 12:30; B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Visitors are accorded welcome. Thanksgiving service at 11 a. m. Thursday; dinner served in abundance in the afternoon and an entertainment at night.

Mrs. Lizzie Reid underwent a surgical operation Monday morning at Dr. Lynhoff's office. Her tonsils were removed. She is now confined to her bed doing fairly well.

Islam Temple No. 65, A. E. A. O. N. M. S. and Court of Isis No. 43 entertained at Walsh hall November 19.

A delightful affair which was a mark of social activities in celebration of their fall festival was given by Islam Temple No. 65 and Court of Isis No. 43 last Friday night was the most unique party ever given in the city. The hall was beautifully decorated with flags, bunting, flowers and shrubbery. The tables were neatly arranged and adorned with lighted candles and silver. The menu which consisted of fruit, cocktail, fried chicken, ices, sifted peas, sweet potatoes, Neapolitan ice cream, Devil's Food cake and A. D. coffee, was served in excellent manner by experienced waiters. Williams' orchestra furnished the music. One of the novel features of the evening was the patrol team in full uniform, consisting of Buss Robinson, M. E. Williams, E. I. McWilliams, H. M. Hill and C. W. Malone. These noble noblemen took the house by storm by their pranks.

The L. L. Kensington club met at the home of Mrs. Lee James Monday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in needlework, after which light refreshments were served.

### DANGER SIGNAL

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### DAY NURSERY OPENS IN NEW QUARTERS

The A. F. Herndon Barber Shop Purchased and Equipped Building at Cost of \$10,000.

(By The Associated Negro Press) ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 18.—The Herndon Social Center and Day Nursery has been opened in the new quarters at 44½ Dover street, purchased and equipped at a cost of about \$10,000 by A. F. Herndon Barber Shop.

Mr. Herndon has for a long time been exceedingly interested in the establishment of a nursery for mothers who work out in service and has only waited to secure a proper location. He bought the property and fitted it up at his own expense and donated the entire parcel over to the Gate City Free Kindergarten association. He has also assumed the salary of a worker who will be in charge.

At present there are forty children in the kindergarten. The building is fitted with warm and cold shower baths, kitchen and class room, with special arrangements for boys and girls.

Clarence Brooks, the Lincoln motion picture star, will appear in person at the Franklin Theatre, Tuesday evening, November 30. Regular admission.—Adv.

### GEORGIA TOWN HAS JAIL DELIVERY

(By The Associated Negro Press) FITZGERALD, Ga., Nov. 18.—Eleven awaiting trial in Ben Hill county jail celebrated Halloween in the only general jail delivery the county has ever experienced. They escaped and one has been recaptured.

According to Tom Turner, recaptured, the plot to escape was engineered by Tom Horne, charged with assault with intent to murder, and Daniel Davis, charged with intent to rape. One or both of them filed out a key to fit the individual cell doors. Horne, who was a trusty, released Daniels from his cage during the day and Daniels concealed himself by climbing on top of his cage. He then turned out his fellow prisoners. They made their escape by breaking a small padlock on the door leading to the coal bin and crawling out of the coal chute.

So quietly was the escape effected

that Sheriff E. P. Dorminey had no inkling of it until he went into the cell corridor at breakfast time.

### SCHOOL ENROLLMENT RAPIDLY INCREASING

(By The Associated Negro Press) COLUMBIA, S. C., Nov. 25.—The state superintendent of education, J. E. Swearingen, gives out enlightening figures in regard to the enrollment of schools in each county of the state for the sessions of Negro schools.

The total figures for these sessions show that there were 198,645 Negroes enrolled in schools of the state during 1918-19 and 251,980 enrolled during 1919-20, which is a gain of 53,335 or 26.85 per cent.

### REFUSE TO MARCH WITH KU KLUX KLAN

(By The Associated Negro Press) LYNCHBURG, Va., Nov. 25.—Negro service men in Lynchburg, Va., had their ardor chilled when they were assigned a place in the Armistice Day parade in the division a portion of which represented the Ku Klux Klan. These men had seen foreign service and were placed in the Pythian division. They declined a place in the parade.

### RACE QUESTION WORLD WIDE AND GROWING ACUTE

(By The Associated Negro Press) NEW YORK, N. Y., Nov. 25.—The Negro question is growing more acute all over the world, according to Dr. F. Peter Mueller-Carlson, ore engineer and world traveler, of Basel, Switzerland. The little South American island of Trinidad is a typical example of this, he says. There Negroes obtained a great many more privileges during the war and more money. They are now challenging the supremacy of their numerically inferior white rulers, he says.

Our business is not to see what lies dimly at a distance, but to do what lies clearly at our hand.

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