

## Events and Persons

The Mother's Club will meet at the Y. W. C. A. Friday, May 6 at 1:30 p. m. Mrs. J. F. Smith, president; Mrs. M. L. Johnson, secretary.

A Maytime drill will be given by the Mothers Club at the Y. W. C. A. in the near future. The date will be announced later.

**FOR SALE**—All kinds of garden and sweet potato plants, 2517 Franklin St., Telephone Webster 3128. 2t

Mrs. U. G. Bell, of North Twenty-seventh avenue, who has been ill for several months is slowly improving. The Helpers' club held its monthly meeting at the Y. W. C. A. Monday afternoon and planned for a Kensington to be given next Tuesday afternoon at the same place from 2 to 6. Silver offering.

**FOR RENT**—Two rooms near Country Club. Good location. Gentlemen preferred. Will rent from May first to September first to right persons. Call Harney 2098. 2t

Miss Sarah M. Graves left Tuesday for Chicago, Ill., where she will study dramatic art and voice culture.

Mrs. Lida Foster and Myra Barnett of Chicago have been called to the city by the illness of their mother, Mrs. E. Phinney of 1115 North 24th street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith have paid in full for their home, 2210 Seward street, and have received their deed to the property. They are quite proud of the fact that they were able to pay for their home in two years.

Mrs. James E. White, nee Madree Penn, after a visit with her mother and relatives, left for her home in St. Louis, Mo., Sunday.

Mrs. E. Phinney of 1115 North 21st street who was taken to St. Joseph's hospital last week has returned home where she is slowly improving.

**Holst Pharmacy for drugs, 2702 Cumming street. Harney 681.—Adv.**

George A. Love was called to Leavenworth, Kansas, last Saturday by the serious illness of his brother.

Henry W. Black who underwent an operation at University hospital two weeks ago, is rapidly recovering and hopes to be able to leave the hospital next week. It will be some time, however, before he will be able to resume his duties.

When you need Real Manicuring, see Miss Ethel Bos, Jenkins' Barber Shop, 2122 North 24th Street.

Mrs. William Stockton of Rochester, N. Y., who arrived in the city last week to be the guest of Mrs. R. T. Walker, of 2421 Maple street, will leave for her home Friday after a pleasant visit.

**A. P. Scruggs, Lawyer, 220 S. 15th St. D. 7812. Col. 3881.—Adv.**

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Jefferson enroute east from Cheyenne, Wyo., spent Saturday and Sunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown of Miami street.

Mrs. Violet Lynch, mother of Mrs. Frank J. Liverpool, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lucy Thompson, in Victorville, Calif., Friday, May 22 at 2:15 o'clock p. m. She leaves to mourn her loss, three daughters, Mrs. Dora White, Mrs. Lucy Thompson and Mrs. Frank J. Liverpool.

The "Sorosis" volleyball team met at the residence of Miss Mildred Turner, 4228 Ohio St., Sunday, p. m., May 1 at 5 o'clock. The afternoon was spent in planning a social meeting to be held in a park in the near future. One new member was initiated, Miss Blanche Smith. After the regular business was transacted a luncheon was served.

**Jenkins' Barber Shop**—All work strictly first-class. 2122 No. 24th St. Webster 2095.

Dr. Craig Morris, dentist of Lake St., has completed the Scout Master's training course given by Creighton University, having received his diploma Tuesday p. m.

Miss Maryetta Dudley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. S. Dudley passed away Wednesday evening, April 20, 1921, at the home of her parents, 2524 N. 25th St.

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Mr. John H. Dudley of Davenport, Iowa, arrived in the city Wednesday, April 20 to be at the bedside of his sick niece, Miss Maryetta Dudley.

Queen Esther Court No. 345 I. O. I. gave a surprise party on Mrs. M. E. Reeves, W. D., last week at the residence of Mrs. Lena Ervin, 1702 North Twenty-sixth street. Mrs. Reeves was presented with a purse of \$10. Twenty-five persons were present. Mrs. Reeves much to the regret of many friends is leaving for Los Angeles, Calif.

Rev. John Costello, pastor of Pleasant Green Baptist church, since his return from Memphis, Tenn., where he underwent an operation, continues steadily to improve.

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A nice dinner party in honor of Mrs. M. E. Reeves, was given by Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Turner at their beautiful residence, 2817 Miami St., Sunday afternoon, May 1. Decorations consisted of pink roses and carnations. Covers were laid for six. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Allen and Mrs. Dora Davis. Mrs. Reeves leaves very shortly for the West.

## HAS ENTERED THE BEE'S HELP YOURSELF CONTEST

Save your Bee coupons and your subscriptions for Mr. Augustus Hicks, 2716 Miami street, who is the only one of our people who has entered The Bee's prize contest. Let's all get behind him and boost and help him over. His phone number is Webster 6426. Boost him.

### NOTICE

All Craftsmen and Masters and Courts of Heroines of Jericho will meet in their 45th Annual Grand Communication, Sept. 13, 1921, at Sioux City, Iowa, with Cedar Hill Lodge No. 80, and Olive Court No. 80. Brother Wm. Midgett, W. M.; Mrs. Marjorie Dickerson, M. A. M. You will govern yourselves accordingly.

J. A. BROADNAX, W. M.  
CLYDE L. BRIGGS, G. Sec'y.  
DR. N. S. JENKINS, N. D. D. D. M.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their kind sympathy and beautiful floral offerings during the illness and death of our beloved daughter, Maryetta Dudley, who departed this life April 20, 1921.

MRS. ESSIE DUDLEY, Mother,  
JAS. S. DUDLEY, Father,  
JOHN H. DUDLEY, Uncle.

### NOTICE

The K. of P's. Annual Sermon will be preached at Pilgrim Baptist church 25th and Hamilton Sts., Sunday, May 15, at 3 p. m., the Rev. Dr. W. F. Botts, Pastor of Zion Baptist church will deliver the sermon.

All members are requested to meet at 24th and Charles Sts., at 12:30 sharp. Members take notice and govern yourselves accordingly.

A. MARSHALL, Chairman,  
W. WILEY, Secretary.

### WILL PREACH AN

#### EIGHT DAY MISSION

The Rev. John Albert, Williams leaves Saturday to preach an Eight-Day Mission in the church of the Ascension Kansas City, Kans. Father Williams receives frequent invitations to hold missions, but seldom accepts because of his many duties here. Among the cities in which he has conducted missions in the past few years are Kansas City, Mo.; Topeka, Kans.; Boston, Mass.; and Memphis, Tenn. The regular services will be held at St. Philip's, with the exception of the celebration of the Holy Communion, during his absence.

### ACTIVE PARTISANS

#### BUT ALL GOOD NATURED

It was interesting to notice the earnest and good-natured rivalry manifested by many of the men and women of our race at the polls on election day. There were earnest workers for both slates. Some of the best men and women of the city were active partisans of the two respective tickets. There were boosters for the Dahlgren ticket that one would naturally have expected to have seen on the other side and vice versa. Each one had a right to his own opinion and should not be condemned for it.

### PRISCILLA NEEDLE CRAFT

Mrs. Joseph Taylor was hostess for the Priscilla Needle Craft Club at their last meeting held at the Y. W. C. A. On the following Tuesday the ladies surprised Mrs. Wade Green with a shower for her infant daughter Alice Amelia.

### ST. BENEDICT, THE MOOR

The card party given last week was a great success.

There will be evening services Sunday at 7:45.

Instruction classes are held on Tuesdays and Thursdays after school. Sewing class on Saturday from 2 to 4 p. m.

The picture shown by Father Rigge of Creighton university at St. Benedict's Sunday was well attended and appreciated.

Sunday afternoon all children of the parish are requested to be present at 1 o'clock to go to Creighton auditorium for the annual instruction league entertainment.

The ladies who sold flowers Saturday for the Christ Child society wish to thank the public for their generous support.

Barbeque meat for sale at the home of Mrs. Whiteside, 2427 Erskine street, Webster 2219.—adv.

Miss Elizabeth Usher has been detained at home by illness this week.

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### SIoux CITY, IOWA

New Prosperity Lodge No. 17 and the Court of Calanthe held their annual sermon Sunday, May 1st at Malone A. M. E. church. Rev. P. M. Lewis preached the sermon.

Clayborne Mitchell of Chicago was a visitor here Sunday.

The concert given under the direction of Miss Beulah Wilkinson at the Malone A. M. E. church Friday night for the trustees was a decided success.

The Willing Workers met with Mrs. John Duncan Tuesday at her home in Greenville.

The Oddfellows and Household of Ruth will have their annual sermon at Malone A. M. E. church Sunday, May 8th at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Brock Yancey of Dallas, Tex., has joined her husband here and they will make Sioux City their home.

More English surnames begin with "W" than with any other letter.

## LINCOLN, NEB.

By W. W. MOSELY

Paul L. Moore, who was injured from a fall down stairs while at his work at the Western Union Telegraph office several days ago is on the mend.

Blind Boone Concert company appeared at Mt. Zion Baptist church last Tuesday night playing to a crowded house. Boone was ably assisted by Mrs. Day, soprano and elocutionist.

Rev. S. E. Gregg of Memphis, Tennessee, lectured to a fair sized crowd at Mt. Moriah Baptist church last Wednesday night. His lecture stressed "Co-operation" and was most interesting.

Mrs. E. Bush entertained the Utopian Art club at her home last Thursday night. The meeting was well attended and a successful one.

Mrs. W. L. Todd entertained the Mission circle at their home last Tuesday night.

All persons expecting to attend the State Sunday School convention here May 17-23 are requested to send their names immediately to Rev. W. H. Botts, 920 South Twelfth street.

Roy Stokes left Monday for an extended trip in the east.

A message was received at the church Sunday which told of the death of Rev. B. Holman at his home in Terre Haute, Ind. He was formerly pastor of Zion Baptist church here and the news of death brings sadness to those who knew him while here. The Baptist cause has lost a great man. Mrs. J. R. Patrick left for Terre Haute to attend to funeral.

Henry Nelson spent a few days here last week with his wife and relatives.

Dr. J. R. Lemma and L. H. Payne of Omaha held a meeting in Mt. Zion Baptist church Sunday afternoon in the interest of the M. T. & A. The gentlemen seem very much interested in the lodge and we wish them success.

Thomas Mason of Nehawka, Neb., spent Tuesday in the city.

The two days' old infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Walker died Wednesday.

Joe Hemphill, after spending a month here with his children to regain his health, left Thursday night for Denton, Mont., where he runs a cafeteria.

Mrs. Ada Holmes and Mrs. Marion Duncan entertained friends at a party last Thursday night in honor of their father, Joseph Hemphill.

Miss Edna Wilford who had an attack of heart trouble is slowly improving.

The young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gaskin of Cheyenne, Wyo., died from a fractured skull received in a fall from an auto.

A jolly crowd of young people motored to Beatrice and Fairbury Sunday. They were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Washington, Mrs. Marie Patrick, the Misses Beatrice Jefferies, Bernice Hawkins and Mabel Scott; and Messrs. C. S. Shipman, John Davis, Raymond Holcomb and Leroy Richardson. Messrs. Clarence Anderson and Clarence Gordon were guests from Omaha. The party was joined by Miss Nondus Scott and Mr. O. P. Washington at Beatrice. The party had luncheon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neely at Fairbury.

Covenant and communion services were enjoyed by the members of Mt. Zion Baptist church last Sunday. The pastor preached at night. A rally for the building fund was held bringing in \$154.00.

The Misses Alice Green and Sirda Belva Spicer entertained a group of friends at a five-course dinner Sunday afternoon. A program with solos and duets as features was rendered. Mr. Smith played the violin with Miss Spicer at the piano and Miss Greene was soloist for the afternoon. The Messrs. R. C. Smith and Robert H. Steele were guests of honor. Mr. Steele is well known in the athletic world. He left Tuesday for the east to resume his league duties. Mr. Smith is from Denver, Colo., and will receive his A. B. from Union college, May 22, and will continue his studies at Detroit, Mich.

### SOUTH SIDE LOCALS

A party was given in honor of Master Orville Johnson, on his twelfth birthday last week. Some of the Junior guests that were present were: Emilie Agee, Ruth Franklin, Willie and Johnnie Jenkins. All of the children enjoyed the evening in games. Delightful refreshments were served.

The South Omaha Giants ball team gave a dance last Saturday in the Odd Fellows Hall, 25th and O Sts.

The Rev. Mr. P. D. Skinner, pastor of the First Baptist church in Coffeyville, Kansas is here assisting the Rev. Mr. Taggart in carrying on a two-weeks' revival which began last Monday.

The Twin City Band, directed by Prof. Wattle, created quite a bit of interest last Thursday evening when they furnished music for a political gathering on 24th and M Sts.

Mrs. Blanch Greer left Wednesday for Sioux City, Iowa, where she will join her husband who left a month ago.

The South Omaha ball team who so skillfully defeated the Omaha ball team a few Sundays ago by a score of 7 to 5 were to play in Creston, Iowa, last Sunday. The game was postponed to Sunday, May 8th on account of the rain.

Mrs. C. Hill, 2519 M St. was quite influential during the past political campaign in increasing the number of Negro women registrars for voting.

## CLARK TELLS STORY OF COURT HOUSE RIOT

Police "Tendered" to Their Homes, Not to Him, He Says in Interview

### CLAIM RINGER WAS EXCITED

In response to attacks which have been made on him by speakers for the "Committee of 5000" and in literature circulated by the Sutton candidates, Sheriff Mike Clark yesterday made a statement concerning the courthouse riot.

Dean Ringer's police force, he charges, are the men really at fault, for failure to disperse the rioters. Ringer and Eberstein, on the night of riot, he is informed by his deputies, were panic stricken.

The prisoner, he asserts, for whose possession the mob wrecked the court house, was not his prisoner at all, but the prisoner of the police. He had been placed in the county jail purely as a matter of courtesy for safe keeping.

"I have no interest in the election," Sheriff Clark prefaced his statement.

Says Patrick Not Truthful

"Certain statements made during the campaign, however, are so ridiculous as to force me to give the facts, in self defense.

"In the first place, I understand W. R. Patrick, in his speeches, has said that the negro prisoner the mob wanted was dressed in clothing different from that worn by the other prisoners so that he might be known.

"I want to say to Mr. Patrick that he is a liar in his heart, and a liar in his mouth."

"That prisoner was brought to the jail by the police, whose prisoner he was, for safekeeping. Such prisoners are never garbed in prison clothes. They belong to the police and are permitted to wear the clothes they have on when they are brought into the jail. So much for that.

### Surrounded by 20,000

"It is claimed that I refused to have the prisoner taken away although I was urged to do so by Eberstein and Ringer.

"That is absolutely false. "These are the facts: I was out of town when the prisoner was admitted to the jail. I did not return until about 5 p. m. the day of the riot.

"Until my return, I did not even know the crime had been committed. I did not know the man was in jail. At the time I was urged to 'take the man to a place of safety,' the courthouse was surrounded by 20,000 people. To have taken him out of the building would have been to take him to his death."

Referring to a paragraph in a political pamphlet distributed by the "Committee of 5,000," in an article headed "The Riot," which charges that the sheriff refused to take the prisoner to a place of safety, and that he was never criticized, although he had custody of the prisoner and was in command of the courthouse, and although Ringer tendered him to the police force, he branded it as an "absolute lie."

"The grand jury report brought out the fact that Ringer and Eberstein tendered the police force to their homes instead of to me at that time," he said.

"At least, that's where they went, after they turned in their guns and their stars."

Concerning the actions of Ringer and Eberstein on the night of the riot, the sheriff called in two of his deputies, Harry McDonald and N. V. Halter, who were on the roof with the prisoners, and asked them to tell their story in their own words.

"When the riot was at its worst," McDonald said, "I was standing on the north side of the roof. Eberstein was standing near.

"Chief, what do you think we ought to do with this man?" I asked him.

"He waved his arms over his head.

"Do as you please with him, I don't care," was all he had to offer.

"Just then Ringer came running up the back stairs to the roof.

"Come on chief," he called, "we can get down the back stairs and get out. I've just been down.

"The chief followed him down. "They got part way down, but the way was blocked by the sheriff, who was holding back the mob.

"Later, when the mob came up, I think Eberstein eased by and got out. That was the last I saw of him."

### After Police Went Home

McDonald corroborated the sheriff's statement the prisoner was dressed in the clothing he wore when he entered the jail.

"The only suggestion I heard Mayor Smith make," he continued, "was, 'well, the only thing you can do is to get your men together, draw your guns and fight your way out.'

"That suggestion was made to the sixteen men in the sheriff's office, after nearly 200 policemen had given up the fight and gone home.

"It was given in the face of an ultimatum delivered by the mob that the first man who showed himself at the door would be killed." World-Herald, Friday, April 29, 1921.

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## GREAT GRANDSON OF INDIAN CHIEFTAIN

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sons and daughters of Ham to establish a righteous kingdom upon the dark continent, Africa, which will be an everlasting memorial to God. Europe must vacate her ill-gotten possessions in Africa and atone for her many sins of greed, plunder and butchery. Then right and not might will triumph and the rulers of the earth will live for righteousness, peace and the salvation of mankind.

## DAHLMAN SLATE SWEEPS THE CITY

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and count on me to keep on the job." Roy E. Towl, defeated candidate, "Thank you for all you did for me. I appreciate the plucky fight put up by my friends, but we were not quite strong enough."

John T. Murphy, "Defeated, but still smiling."

### Not Vocal Sound.

The grasshopper does not use the throat in producing its shrill note. It is produced by the wings. One of the ribs of each wing resembles a file, while another part of the wing is drawn tight like a drum. When the grasshopper draws one file over the other it causes the drum to vibrate.

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