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### SOME SOUND ADVICE

THE Topeka Journal recently gave some good advice to parents which we can most heartily commend to our readers. This advice is in line with that frequently given by us concerning co-operation between parents and teachers. Omaha is striving to bring teachers and parents into the closest sympathy and understanding on the problems arising in the important

matter of education. What Omaha is doing along this line, no doubt, other cities in which The Monitor has readers is also striving to do. Here are the questions proposed and the advice given by the Journal. Read them thoughtfully and act upon the suggestions:  
 1. Do you visit the school to inquire about your child's progress and department and to see if you can help

the teacher to help the child?  
 2. Do you encourage your child in respect for teachers and others in authority?  
 3. Do you send your child to bed on time so that he will be rested and fit for study?  
 4. Do you provide plain, nourishing food and see that your child is up in time to eat a good breakfast?  
 5. Do you teach your child to read the papers and find out the best in them, and do you encourage an interest in public affairs?  
 6. Do you avoid gossip and the telling of incidents which may be misinterpreted by your children?  
 7. Do you encourage helpful conversation at table?  
 8. Do you interest yourself in your child's sports and amusements and friendships?  
 9. Do you comply with the rules of public health in your home and do you keep in mind the fact that while the school may do much to instill right principles, your children are handicapped if you do not support it, by instilling obedience and high ideals of patriotism and personal life?

### ENCOURAGING

THE excellent showing made by candidates of our race in various sections of the country in the recent elections is most encouraging. It is demonstrating the fact that our group is developing strength in the political field which must ultimately be recognized. Weary of seeking appointive positions at the hands of successful candidates, who almost invariably forget us as soon as they are elected, our own candidates are filling and taking their chances with the general electorate at the polls. That in Virginia over 25,000 votes were polled for John Mitchell, Jr., for governor and an equally large vote for other candidates on the same ticket is quite significant. Equally significant, although from another angle, is the election of Attorney John W. Smith, as an alderman in New York City on the democratic ticket; and the highly complimentary vote given Harris and Roberts in the same city for similar offices on the Republican ticket. Here

and there throughout the country other candidates were successful. The fact that the showing of so many candidates has been so good is most encouraging.

### MAKING SENTIMENT

WE as a people should never lose an opportunity of making favorable sentiment. We can do this by always being on our good behavior and showing evidence of good breeding. The discriminating public will be quick to recognize the difference between a rowdy and a gentleman. It is not an unwise thing to remember the injunction of Holy Writ, "A soft answer turneth away wrath." Let nothing be wanting upon your part to help create a favorable sentiment on behalf of our people.

### WHAT EDITORS SAY

Armistice Day is here to stay. Every year, this country will lay aside the daily task whatever its character, and celebrate the one day that means so much universally to the nations dedicated to the program of perpetual peace.

The Negroes of this country must not forget the true significance of Armistice Day. The day means something to them, if they are Americans. The Draft Law included them as Americans. The generals of the allied armies looked upon them and used them as American soldiers. They were declared to be fit Americans for the common cause. Their country sent them forth as Americans.

Why, then, since we are Americans, should we not participate in all things American. We ought to see to it that we participate in Armistice Day as long as the day is observed. We should never allow the Day to be celebrated without our presence in the line of march. The tendency is to remain out of line. We shall not discuss the cause of that tendency. But suffice to say that the failure of the Negro to see the fruits of the much preached Democracy has cooled his respect for the preachment. He is naturally dubious of any strange preachments. This is perfectly human. Any other group would do the very same thing.

But this disappointment in Democracy must not lessen our interest in all things national and international. We are citizens, and as such we must keep pace with our country. Whatever Armistice Day means to any other American, it must mean that same thing to us. Whatever any other Americans get out of Armistice Day, we must get that same thing. If we shared the death and destruction that gave birth to the Armistice, we must share whatever benefits that come to the world by a proper celebration of the Day in the coming years. The armistice was our armistice. The day is our day. The celebration is for us and must be by us. Get in line this year; get in line next year; stay in line through all the years until the observing millions know that the Negro had held his place in the fields of battle; and he will have and hold his place in the line of march for international peace.—The Pittsburgh (Pa.) Courier.

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