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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Spencer left Sunday for Casper, Wyo., where they were called by the death of their daughter Grace.

Mr. Joseph Carr is still confined to his bed at the Paxton Memorial hospital.

Mr. Geo. Kyles was taken to the University hospital last week, seriously ill.

The Fraternity Frats presented the Adams orchestra in concert at the Diamond theatre Monday, February 19th. The large audience that heard this concert was well pleased at hearing these master musicians render the program which they had so well arranged. The program was as follows: March, Cyrus the Great. Overture, Golden Scepter; a) Chicago Toodle, Selection, Legend of a Rose, b) Lovin' Sam—the Sheik. Overture, Sunshine and Showers; c) Texakana—Novelty selection. Overture, Poet and Peasant; d) Toot, Toot! Tootsie Goo-Bye! Drum solo, H. Harrold.

Mr. Finis Collins and his daughter Lucy May are confined to their home with an attack of the grippe.

Mr. Leonard C. Russell, who has been quite ill at the family residence, 2022 Burt street, is much better.

The Colored Commercial Club held its regular monthly meeting at the club rooms, 2414 Maple street, Thursday night. President Nate Hunter presided.

Mrs. Delia Ward left Wednesday night for St. Joseph, Mo., where she will spend several weeks visiting her friends.

Mrs. Geo. Braxton, sister of Mr. James White, left the city for California, where she will make her future home.

The Birthday Club was entertained by Mrs. Alfred Jones at Hilcrest on Wednesday. Two of the ladies admit that they still observe their birthday anniversaries. Mrs. Jones' date is February 6th and Mrs. H. R. Roberts' February 5th. They leave their friends to guess the year. A delightful time was spent.

Mrs. A. F. Hawkins, 2218 North Twenty-second street, is quite ill at her home.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of St. Philip the Deacon held their regular weekly meeting with Mrs. H. R. Roberts, 2610 North 28th avenue, Thursday afternoon. There was a large attendance.

Mrs. Clarence Gordon entertained the Coue (No, not "Coutie") Club at cards Thursday afternoon. The first prize was won by Mrs. B. Lee, the booby by Mrs. Robert Washington.

George W. Watson has been taken to St. Joseph's hospital where he may have to undergo an operation.

Mrs. Benjamin Slaughter entertained at luncheon Friday, February 16th, for five mothers and their babies. The guests present were: Mrs. Thaddeus Rountree and Thaddeus, Jr., ten months; Mrs. Jas. Armstrong and daughter, three months; Mrs. Andrew Murdock and Andrew, Jr., seven weeks; Mrs. Foster and daughter, thirteen months; Mrs. H. L. Preston and Audrey May, five weeks.

Mrs. J. Orlando Mitchell left Thursday night for Los Angeles, Cal., where she expects to spend the summer.

Mr. D. G. Russell has been confined to his bed at the Dee Gee apartments of which he is proprietor for the past two weeks. He is reported improving.

Mr. Geo. Watson, an old employee of the O. C. A. and active in social uplift, was taken to the University hospital last week suffering with spinal trouble.

Mrs. Hattie Kitchen was seriously burned a few days ago at her home, when an accidental explosion was caused by powder. She is being cared for at her home at 2623 North Seventeenth street.

The Rev. John Albert Williams goes to Plattsmouth Tuesday as one of the special Lenten preachers at St. Luke's church, of which the Rev. Wilbur S. Leete is rector.

Mr. Richard Seay, one of Omaha's oldest and most highly respected citizens, is quite ill at his home on North Thirty-fifth street.

Mrs. John V. Greene of 2113 North Twenty-sixth street, now a patient at the Paxton Memorial hospital suffering with nervous convulsions, is slowly improving.

Wm. Costen has been detained at home for several days by illness. He is able to be out again.

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BACHELOR-BENEDICTS' WIVES ENTERTAIN

The wives of the members of the Bachelor-Benedict Club entertained them at a Valentine dancing party on Thursday evening, February 15th, at South and Thompson's Blue Room.

The room was beautifully decorated for the occasion. A delicious luncheon was served at 11 o'clock. The following out of town guests were present: Mrs. Bryan and Mrs. Burch of Sioux City and Miss Young of St. Paul, Minn. All retired at an early hour (A. M.) declaring that they had been wonderfully entertained.

ENTERTAINS WIDE-AWAKE TWENTY-FOUR

The Wide-awake Twenty-four of Zion Baptist church were entertained Friday afternoon, February 16th, at the beautiful home of Mrs. Haywood Vawter, 1716 North Twenty-eighth street, president of the L. E. W. board of St. John's A. M. E. church. A large number was present. After routine business a very elaborate four-course luncheon was served. There was one visitor present in the person of Mrs. Martha Bell. The members all expressed their appreciation to the hostess for her hospitality and broadmindedness in entertaining an auxiliary of her sister church. A bunch of sweet peas was given to each guest. All departed voting a charming hostess. May others catch the spirit.

The next place of meeting will be with Mrs. W. C. Craig, 2320 North Twenty-eighth street, on Friday afternoon, March 2.

N. W. C. A. HOLDS ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The Negro Woman's Christian Association, better known as the Old Folks Home, held the annual election Wednesday, February 7. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Martha Taylor Smith, president; Mrs. Mamie Shelton, vice-president; Mrs. Edith Scott, secretary; Mrs. Elizabeth M. Reed, assistant corresponding secretary; Mrs. James Jewell, treasurer; Mrs. Rosa Miller, chaplain.

Members of Board
Mrs. W. H. Botts, Mrs. Laura Hicks, Mrs. Alfonso Wilson, Mrs. Edith Scott, Mrs. J. S. Turner, Mrs. M. A. Shelton, Mrs. Chas. Solmon, Mrs. Elizabeth M. Reed.

Other Committees
House—Mrs. John Bailey, Mrs. Lena Turner, Mrs. Rosa Miller, Mrs. M. A. Shelton, chairman.

Investigating—Mrs. Laura Hicks, chairman; Mrs. Tillia Simpson, Mrs. John McCorkle.

Purchasing—Mrs. Elizabeth M. Reed, chairman; Mrs. Elise Turner, Mrs. Ella Hunter.

Auditing—Mrs. Alfonso Wilson, Mrs. Nettie Fredricks, Mrs. Lena Moore.

We feel proud of our new president, Mrs. Martha Taylor Smith, and wish to thank her for her faithful and untiring services rendered the Home from the foundation of it to the present time. We feel quite sure that this year will be a banner year for the Home. And under her administration with the help of the other officers and friends we MEAN to go over the top.

Mr. Jack Broomfield will also be long remembered by the Home for the benefit entertainment he gave, netting over \$200, which was turned over to the building and loan association with \$300 from the home treasurer making a total of \$500 building funds to start our new Home.

Others who gave to the Home during last month were: Mrs. Dock Stewart, 2862 Chicago street, a beautiful quilt, eight pounds of sugar, canned fruit and eggs. Mrs. W. H. Botts, chickens. Mrs. W. A. Scott, five window shades and the price of hanging same. Mrs. M. A. Shelton, draperies, curtains. Round Corner Club, one ham and eggs.

Mr. W. M. Galloway, one of the inmates of the Home, shows what he thinks of the Home by writing a letter, thanking them for what they have done for him during his short stay in the Home. He has nothing but praise for the Home and the kind housekeeper who so earnestly endeavors to do all she can to "brighten the corner for some less fortunate one." He feels that he has been treated better since he came into the Home than he has since he left the home of his mother when but a boy. He has gotten rid of several habits since he came into the Home and hopes to stay until the Master calls him home. Thanking one and all for their kindness,

ELIZABETH M. REED,
Corresponding Secretary,
2635 Franklin Street.

P. S.—Easter envelopes will be out first Wednesday in March and it is hoped that everyone will give something.

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The Phi Delta girls met at the residence of Miss Frances Gordon, 2416 Binney street, Wednesday night.

The services at the Church of St. Philip the Deacon Sunday are at 7:30, 10 and 11 a. m. and 5:00 p. m. Week-day Lenten services: Wednesday and Friday nights at 8 o'clock and Holy communion Thursday mornings at 9.

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