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### OMAHA LOCALS.

Rev. M. H. Wilkinson, state missionary left Saturday morning for South Sioux City, Neb., where he expects to spend some time in a financial way for the benefit of the church in that locality.

Frank Douglas, proprietor of the shine parlor and news stand at Twenty-fourth and Erskine streets, has returned from a pleasant and beneficial visit to Excelsior Springs, Mo.

Miss M. England left Wednesday of last week for Rock Island, Ill., to be with a sick sister, Mrs. Mable Chovers.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Adams of Davenport, Ia., are recent arrivals in the city, which they expect to make their home. Mr. Anthony, who is a graduate pharmacist is in charge of the People's Drug Store.

Mrs. Jeanne Lattimore, who has been seriously ill for several weeks at her home, 2215 North Twenty-fifth street, is slowly improving.

Mrs. C. W. Woodson of 2516 Maple street is very much improved after the careful attention of Dr. A. A. Foster.

Mrs. E. Hackley Lawson has returned from Kansas City, Mo., where she was called by the illness and death of her brother, Arthur E. Hackley, who for seventeen years was owner and proprietor of the Kansas City Athletic Club. Miss Bertha Lawson accompanied her mother.

Arthur A. Ware returned last Wednesday from Keokuk, Ia., where he took the body of his mother for burial. His sister, Mrs. Dora Ware Cameron, of Detroit, Mich., returned with him and will remain here for a short while.

The Midget Wedding and Style show given last Friday night at Bethel Methodist church, under the direction of Mrs. A. C. Wilkinson, was a decided success, artistically and financially. The audience taxed the capacity of the building.

Mr. and Mrs. Othello Rountree, Jr., have gone for an extensive southern trip. They will spend several weeks at Hot Springs, Ark.

A party of relatives and friends gave a surprise party in honor of Mr. Ira B. Rhodes' birthday at their beautiful home, 2804 North Twenty-eighth avenue, April 5. Music and games were among the diversions. A dainty luncheon was served.

The Men's Club of the Church of St. Philip the Deacon held their regular monthly meeting at the rectory, Monday night. A pleasant time was spent by the members present. The next meeting will be held Monday, May 14, at the residence of Sergeant Bailey.

Mrs. H. R. Roberts of 2610 North Twenty-eighth avenue, who spent the week end in Lincoln returned home Tuesday evening.

Madame A. C. Whitley, agent for the Madam South and Johnson hair system, wishes to announce to her many friends and patrons that she has moved to 2724 Miami street. Tel. Webster 3067.—Adv.

Mrs. George H. Robinson, nee Beatrice Dunn, of Chicago, Ill., is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dunn, 2631 Patrick avenue.

Be sure to hear Walter F. White, assistant secretary of the N. A. A. C. P., who will speak at the Grove M. E. church next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The Girls Friendly Society of the Church of St. Philip the Deacon held an enthusiastic meeting at the rectory Monday afternoon. Miss Marsh, national secretary, was present and addressed them.

Mrs. George Warren of Danville, Ky., aunt of Mr. Otis Shipman, is visiting his family this week.

Mr. Otis Shipman left Monday for Wyoming to look after a grading contract. He will be gone several days.

### NEW ERA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION HOLDS MEETING.

The New Era Baptist Association of Nebraska is five years old this month. Since its birth no year, no quarter has passed without some quarterly and annual gathering. There seems to be an increased interest and inspiration at each session, and this is what we should look for and work for. Last week the quarterly session was held in the Springhill church, 33rd and Emmett streets, of which Rev. J. H. Bruce is the pastor. Too much praise cannot be given to this young progressive pastor and people for the splendid way that they have entertained the Association. This is the first time that we have held a three-day session during the quarterly meetings; and yet, there has been on slackening up of attendance and interest. There is every indication to the effect that the Baptists of our state are taking on a new vision of their great commission. Nearly every church was represented in some form, officially or otherwise. We are looking forward to our annual gathering, which comes off in June, and will be held in Mt. Moriah Baptist church. Let every minister, every one who claims that God gives him his call, be on the job; let every deacon, every member, demonstrate his activity for kingdom extension in state and foreign work. The officers and ministers covered themselves with glory at last week's session, and there is no question, but that the Springhill church and pastor have received some impetus for greater accomplishments.

### PILGRIM BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. William Franklin, Pastor. The services were well attended throughout the day. At the morning service the pastor spoke on "The Lifting Up of the Son of Man." At the close of the service he had a talk with the men on the business affairs of the church. More than 200 were present at this meeting. The B. Y. P. U. held a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting at 5:30. The topic next Sunday afternoon at the B. Y. P. U. will be "Stewardship of Self." The pastor has a Sunday school class of young men numbering twenty.

### ST. PAUL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Interesting services will be held at St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Twenty-sixth and Seward streets at the appointed hours Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Russel Taylor is pastor.

### BETHEL A. M. E. CHURCH OF COUNCIL BLUFFS

Easter was a great day at Bethel. The pastor preached morning and night on the text: "He is not here but is risen." The Easter program was given Sunday night by the choir at 8 o'clock.

Bethel is doing great work under its pastor.

Rev. W. M. Majors and Mrs. Dr. Stewart are delegates to the electoral college and left for Des Moines Wednesday.

### ALLEN CHAPEL A. M. E. CHURCH

Twenty-fifth and R Streets—Phone Market 3475—O. J. Burckhardt, Pastor.

Sunday was a record breaker for us. We had a fine crowd at the Sunday school and also at the 11 A. M. service. The pastor's subject was the "Second Coming of Christ." This subject will be continued at 11 A. M. Sunday. At 7:30 we had our Easter program which was well arranged by Mrs. Malissa Carter, assisted by Mrs. Frankie Redd. The house was crowded to the door and the people paid high tribute to the program and the committee.

At 7:30 Sunday P. R. Warner, who has recently returned from Africa, will give a lecture on his thrilling experiences while there and how near he came to being executed while sailing home by Spanish sailors. Here is a chance to hear about Africa by one of our own citizens.

We have organized a Thursday afternoon Bible class free to all. Mrs. Blackwell is president. The stewardship board is making progress under its new manager, Mrs. Laura Jefferson.

Our Trustee Rally will close May 1st, by which time we trust all members will have paid their assessments.

Mr. J. B. Showers is getting along nicely at St. Joseph hospital.

Mrs. Sarah Jones is still suffering from rheumatism.

Mrs. Burckhardt was among the many visitors, we were all glad to her.

Strangers will always find a hearty welcome at Allen Chapel.

### THE NEGRO WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

The Negro Women's Christian Association held their monthly meeting April 4th at 10:30 a. m. There was a good attendance and a very interesting meeting.

A few of the Easter envelopes were turned in. Those giving 50c and over were the following: Mr. John Broomfield, \$7; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robinson, \$5; Mr. Raglan, \$1; Mrs. Ella Jenkins, 50c; Mrs. H. Fox, \$1.25; Mrs. R. W. Freeman, \$1.25; Mr. W. J. Caston, \$2; Miss Marie Johnson, \$1; Mrs. Hannah Burnam, 50c; friends, \$1.91; Mrs. M. A. Shelton, \$1; Mrs. Lena Turner, \$1; Mrs. Hicks, \$1; Mrs. J. L. Lewis, \$1; Mr. Thomas, 50c; Mr. Charles, \$1; Mrs. John McCorkle, \$1; Mr. P. Terrell, \$1; Mrs. C. Hale, \$1. Mrs. Botts collected \$2.91, making a total of the Easter money collected, \$33.81.

We hope all who are holding Easter envelopes will turn them over to the parties off whom they received them.

The board of trustees and advisory board met at the residence of Mrs. Charles Solomon Tuesday night, April 3. Quite an enthusiastic meeting was held and considerable amount of business was transacted. Dr. J. H. Hutten, chairman of the board came late and Mr. M. F. Singleton held the meeting. The next meeting will be held the first Tuesday in May at the residence of Mrs. M. A. Shelton. All members are urged to be present to hear the report of the committee on the community chest.

MRS. LENA TURNER, Corresponding Sec'y, pro tem.

### APPOINTED GRAND STATE DEPUTY.

The Grand Exalted Ruler of the Colored Elks, J. Finley Wilson of Washington, D. C., has commissioned Andrew T. Reed grand deputy of the order for Nebraska.

### THE COLORED COMMERCIAL CLUB

How the work of the Free Labor Bureau of the Colored Commercial Club is appreciated in bringing employers and the person who needs employment together is clearly indicated in the following letters of endorsement from the Directors of the Omaha Manufacturers' Association and the Omaha Wholesalers' Association:

To Members of the Omaha Manufacturers' Association:

The work of the Colored Commercial Club in Omaha, your Directors believe, has been very beneficial and is worthy of support.

Its free employment bureau during the first quarter of this year has placed over one thousand colored people in positions, and at the present time are called upon to fill more positions than they have applicants for. In order to carry on this excellent work the Colored Commercial Club must have funds to continue the operation of its free employment bureau and other commercial club work. Your Directors, therefore, recommend that you give it your consideration and if so inclined, subscribe to the continuance of this worthwhile work. Directors Omaha Manufacturers' Association. Per W. A. ELLIS, Secretary.

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Very truly yours, J. CLARKE COIT, Pres.

### GETS DIPLOMA IN GARMENT DESIGNING

Mr. J. H. Holmes, the well-known and progressive North Twenty-fourth street tailor, has returned from Chicago where he took a course in the Illinois Master School of Designing, of which Joseph S. Kasnicka is the principal. Mr. Holmes is justly proud of the diploma which he received from the school, which is issued to all who meet the test in Gentlemen's Garment Designing.

### COOPER-LUCAS INVESTMENT COMPANY GIVES PRIZES

A very large crowd was present at the weekly demonstration in the show room of the Cooper-Lucas Investment Company at 2302 North Twenty-fourth street last Saturday night. The following prizes were awarded in the drawing contest: Mrs. F. E. Jefferson, first prize, piano roll; Mr. T. Gamble, second prize, Victor record; Mrs. Mamie Spriggs, third prize, box of stationery; Mrs. A. P. Scruggs, fourth prize, roll of wall paper; Mr. N. Mercer, fifth prize, roll of wall paper; Mr. J. Parker, sixth prize, three copies of sheet music.

Tickets for "The Price," the thrilling drama to be given at Brandeis theatre on May 3rd by the Dubois Players, are out. They will be on sale at Killingsworth and Price, The Ross Drug Co., and The Peoples Drug Store. They may also be obtained from the members of the Old Folks' Home, the Dubois Players and other friends. This play will positively be the best ever given in this city by our group. It will be handled by a selected all-star cast, elaborately costumed and staged. There are only 56 box seats and 562 ground floor seats. Better buy your tickets early.

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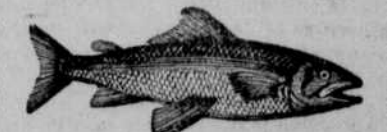
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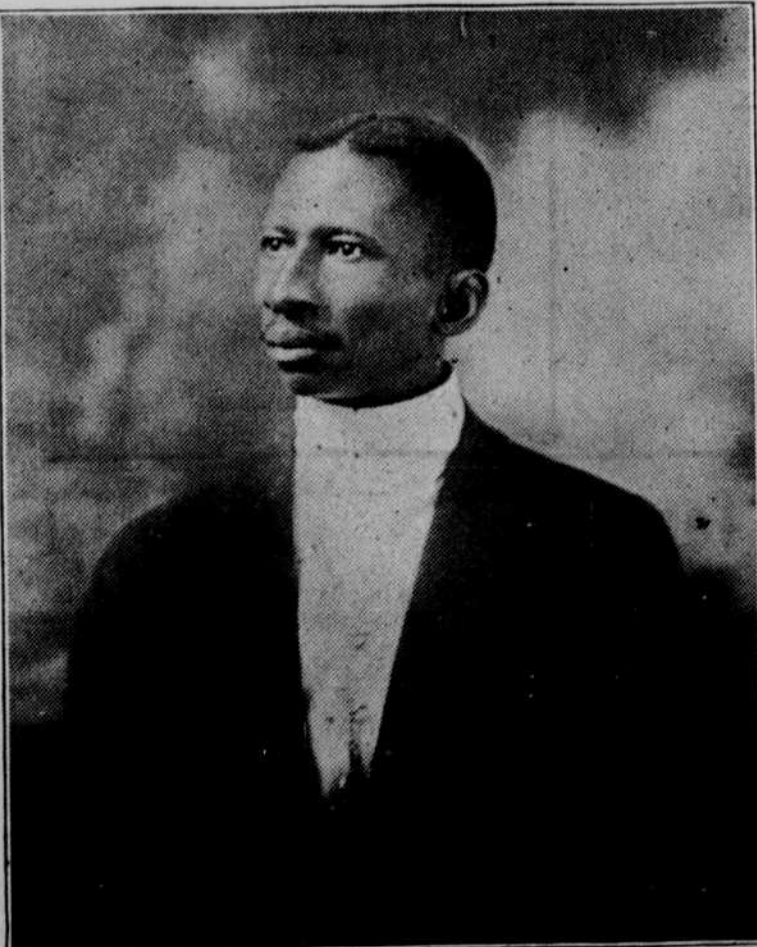


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