

9th and "C" Streets
Rev. J. B. Brooks, Pastor.
6:00 p. m. Young Peoples Fellowship
7:30 p. m. Evening service
9:45 a. m. Sunday School
10:45 a. m. Morning Worship
Tuesday, 8:00 p. m., Prayer meeting

23rd and T Street.
Robert 4. Moody, Pastor.
10:00 a. m. Church School.
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.
7:30 p. m. Evening Worship.
7:30 p. m. Midweek Prayer Meeting.
7:30 p. m. Friday Bible Study.
For place of meeting call 2-4673.

(Seventh-day Adventist). Urban League—2030 'T' Street.
LeCount Butler, Associate Pastor.
9:45 a.m. Sabbath School.
10:45 a.m. Missionary Meeting.
11:90 a.m. Morning Worship.
4:90 p.m. Young People's Society.

Christ Temple Church of Christ (Holiness

2149 U Street
Rev. T. O. McWilliams, jr., Pastor.
7:00 a. m. Early Morning Prayer
10:00 a. m. Sunday School.
11:00 a. m. Mowing Worship
5:00 p. m. Service at Carver nome
6:00 p. m. H.Y.P.U., Richard McWilliams, president.
7:45 p. m. Evening Service

Bams, president.

7:45 p. m. Evening Service
1st & 3rd Mondays, C.W.W.W. meets at
8:00 p. m., Mrs. Margie Turner, president.
Tuesday, Bible Study, 8:00.
Wednesday, Prayer and Praise, 8:00.
1st & 3rd Friday, Jr. Choir rehearsal at
parsonage, 8:00.
2nd & 4th Friday, Young People's
Prayer Band, 8:00. Kathryn King, president.
YOU 2rd You are always welcome to Christ

Church of God in Christ, 20th & U. Rev. B. T. McDuniels, Pastor, 10:39 a. m. Suuday School, 12:00 Noon Morning Worship, 7:90 p. m. Y.P.W.W. 8:00 p. m. Evening Worship, 8:00 p. m. Tuesday and Friday, regula. fhursday, 1 to 3 p. m., Sewing Circle. Wednesday, 5 p. m., Prayer Band.

Mt. Zion Saptist -hurch Rev. W. L. Monroe, Pastor. Corner 12th and F Streets 10:00 Sunday School 11:00 Morning Worship 6:30 Baptist Training Union 8:00 Evening Worship

Newman Methodist, 23rd & 8. ev. William A. Greene, pastor. 9:45 a.m. Church School. 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship. 6:30 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship.

CME Methodist Church. 2030 T Street,
First and Third Sundays.
Rev. G. E. Sibens, Pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.
10:30 a. m.—Methodist Training Unior.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.

# Alliance News

By Theresa Motley

Mr. Bert Harris, jr., has returned to Tacoma, Wash., after a three day visit with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Snoddy of Sioux Falls, S. D. Bert Harris, jr., made the complete tour by car.

Mrs. Grace Harris entertained the members of St. James A. M. E. missionary Society at her home Wednesday afternoon, with Mrs. Verdy Murphy, president, presiding.

The St. James A. M. E. church sponsored an entertainment for the purpose of raising funds to buy chorus books for the Sunday school chrous.

The Rev. C. Coleman Scottsbluff, Neb., was the Sun- Some day Methodist preacher for the St. James A. M. E. church. Rev. Mr. Coleman is to continue preaching every other Sunday until lodging arrangements can be made.

Visiting at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Jackson Sunday afternoon were Mrs. Dorothy McGettan and daughter Marie of Scottsbluff, Neb., Mrs. F. Fisher, a sololist, of Council Bluffs, Ia., and the Rev. and Mrs. L. Lee of Des Moines, Ia.

Robert Fulton and Samuel F. B. Morse, two American inventors born within 10 years of 1800, helped finance themselves as young men through successful portrait painting.

## Sunday School Lesson

ENEMY OF THE BEST.

The commonplace expression, "The good is the enemy of the best," is a challenging, thoughtprovoking statement, which is made all the more effective by its terse directness. It evidently means that in the reaching of a certain degree of excellence or accomplishment there is the temptation to "rest on the oars," to take things more easily instead of using present attainments as steppingstones to higher and better stages of progress.

Thus, a certain amount of education may give satisfaction with what has been acquired to the neglect of further efforts to increase its scope, resulting in a limited capacity for progress and efficiency in one's field of action. Or, the accumulation of a certain amount of "this world's goods" may lead to selfishness or to miserliness rather than to the desire to use them for the betterment of others and the fuller experiences which generous, unselfish impulses and motives always bring, as exemplified by Jesus' challenging and compelling statement, "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

In the realm of the ethical and spiritual there is the danger of becoming self-satisfied with moral attainment-a "holier than thou" attitude-instead of seeking to "grow in grace and in the knowledge of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ" to the end that life may be enriched thereby and that the testimony of such life may be used by Him to incite others to long for and seek after those higher and more effective attainments which will be honoring to God and to His Kingdom, as well as a blessing to others.

In Paul's letter to the Philippians, he presents the thought of "being at one's best" in these words: "Not as though I had already attained . . . but forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before, I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus." A most worthy ambition to be no more children but to "grow up unto Him in all things, which is the head, even Christ."

Thus, having a continuing and growing desire to make life count for the most, we will continually strive to "make our good better and our better best."

-Fred Scott Shepard.

#### News From Elwood, Kansas By Wilberta Brady

Bethel and her neighboring friends had a real spiritual feast in song Sunday afternoon. The Grant Chapel Junior Choir brought us a splendid service.

Friends from Wathena, Kas., Highland, Kas., and St. Joseph. even from Omaha, Neb., to witness the service. Everyone enjoyed themselves I am

sure.



Miss Brady.

The Elwood Cubs played the Wathena Cubs Tuesday evening. The Elwood Cubs won.

Mr. Howard Stillman of Hiawatha, Kas., spent Sunday afternoon with Darlene Watson and friends.

Miss Thelma Johnson from Kansas City, Kas., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Veto Watson.

Rabbits can run faster up hill than down because the hind legs are longer than the forelegs.

Plans Convention



Horace Sudduth of Cincinnati, O., is president of the Negro Business league, which is instituting a revitalized program as it celebrates its 50th anniversary this The league will hold its annual convention in Detroit Aug. 24-26.—(ANP).

#### St. Louis Police Promises Action In Race Relations

ST. LOUIS. (ANP). More action to improve race relations in St. Louis was promised last week by the St. Louis Board of Police Commissioners in reply to a report by George Schermer for the St. Louis Council on Human Relations in connection with the recent trouble at the Fairgrounds park swimming pool July 21.

In this report the police department was accused of being caught "off guard" in the attack by whites upon a group of Negroes who went swimming in the Fairgrounds park pool. The police department's answer reads:

"The Board of Police Commissioners will give careful study and review to the entire report in detail of the St. Louis Council of Human Relations. 'As soon as the members of the board and the chief of police have had an opportunity to study them, constructive action will be taken on the recommendations of the report."

Another outgrowth of the Fairgrounds came to light last week when the Board of Education announced that Dr. Thomas Fortune Fletcher, head of the L'Ecole Madhane-Alem in Ethiopia, had refused a job paying \$4,200 a year to become an assistant professor at Stowe Teachers college because of the flare-up.

Dr. Fletcher commented in his letter of rejection:

"I should certainly hate to exchange the complete freedom and high honors I enjoy here in a monarchy for the second class citizenship of democratic (?) St.

Make washable shoulder pads out of rubber sponge cut to the desired shape and thickness. These pads dry quickly and don't become lumpy. Cover and sew in place.

#### Notice to Contractors

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the Department of Roads and Irrigation in the State Capitol at Lincoln, Nebraska, on September 8, 1949, until 10:00 o'clock A. M., and at the time publicly opened and read for SAND GRAVEL SURFACING and incidental work on the CERESCO-ASHLAND Patrol No. 21035 State Road.

The approximate quantity is: 1,963 Cu. Yds. Sand Gravel Surface Material.

Compliance by the contractor with the standards as to hours of labor prescribed by the "Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938," approved June 25, 1938 (Public No. 718, 75th Congress), will be required in the performance of the work under this contract.

The minimum wage paid to all skilled labor employed on this contract shall be one dollar and five cents (\$1.05) per hour, except that a minimum wage of one dollar and twenty-five cents (\$1.25) per hour shall be paid to:

Crane Operators Dragline Operators

Power Shovel Operators

The minimum wage paid to all intermediate labor employed on this contract shall be ninety-five (95) cents per hour.

Plans and specifications for the work may be seen and information secured at the office of the County Clerk at Wahoo, Nebraska, at the office of the County Clerk at Lincoln, Nebraska.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish bond in an amount equal to 100% of his con-

As an evidence of good faith in submitting a proposal for this work, the bidder must file, with his proposal, a certified check made payable to the Department of Roads and Irrigation and in an amount not less than one hundred fifty (150) dollars.

The right is reserved to waive all technicalities and reject any or all bids.

DEPARTMENT OF ROADS AND IRRIGATION F. H. Klietsch, State Engineer Earl A. Morin, County Clerk

Saunders County J. B. Morgan, County Clerk Lancaster County.

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