



"PATRIOTISM."

Rival to Teddie Roosevelt.

Standing, left to right—Lawrence W. Lieut. James E., Maj. Wm. B., Jr., Lieut. Herbert R., Lieut. Ernest M. and Frederick C. Gould. Seated—Wm. B. Gould, Sr.

Mr. Wm. B. Gould is a Civil War veteran and served on the Cambridge, Ohio, and frigate Niagara. He is adjutant of Charles W. Carroll Post, G. A. R., of his home town, and commander of the Norfolk County, Mass., Association G. A. R.

All these young men, sons of Wm. B. Gould, were born in Dedham, Mass., and graduated from the public schools, including high school. James Edward and

Herbert R. received commission at the renowned Colored Officers' Training Camp at Ft. Des Moines last year. Earnest M. received a commission as 1st Lieut. in the Medical Dental Reserve corps.

Maj. Wm. B. Gould, Jr., of the Massachusetts National Guard Reserve, Lawrence W. and Frederick C., who are members of Co. F, 13th Regiment State Guard of Dedham, are also in the service. Major Wm. B. also served as 1st Sergeant, Co. L, 6th Mass. Infantry during the Spanish war. He later served as captain a number of years and retired with the rank of major in the reserve army.

Can Theodore Roosevelt boast of any more patriotism than this?

home. Miss Carrie Cobbins Bird is still on the sick list. Mr. May Burton still remains very poorly, and Mrs. Hattie Bruner.

Mrs. Ida Ancell entertained Mrs. Neomia Houskins and son James and little Kathryn at 6 o'clock supper Friday evening.

Mrs. Georgie Brown will leave Tuesday for Moberly to attend the U. B. F. Grand Lodge, being sent as a delegate of St. Rose.

Mr. Alongia Burton is able to be up again.

Mrs. Alma Woodson, formerly A. Jackson, has returned to Macon to make her home, her husband being called to training at Camp Funston.

Rev. Taylor Henderson will attend the Baptist Association in La Grange, Mo. Mr. Arthur Bell and Rev. J. W. L. Underwood.

Mrs. Susan Mott will attend the Grand Lodge in Moberly, Mo.

Mr. Edward Harris and Onan Valentine attended the basket meeting at Oak Ridge Sunday.

Mr. Bill Brown in North Macon is a little better.



ACCEPTED FOR OVER SEA DUTY IN RED CROSS.

Miss Garnett McGhee, R. N., formerly of Des Moines, but now of Chicago, Ill., has signed up and been accepted in the Red Cross for over sea duty. She will take a couple of months training in some camp in the U. S. before being sent to France.

Miss McGhee has been attached to the official staff of Provident Hospital, Chicago, since her graduation over a year ago. She also has given the city of Chicago valuable services in the Visiting Nurses Association, and goes to the Red Cross with the very highest recommendations from the hospital and such individual and renowned physicians as Doctors Geo. C. Hall and Wilberforce Williams.

She is the only sister of Mrs. Emerald Mash, stenographer and bookkeeper in the Bystander office.

THE TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL GRAND SESSION OF THE INTERNATIONAL ORDER OF TWELVE.

The twenty-second annual grand session of the Sir Knights and Daughters of Tabor of the Jurisdiction of Iowa and Minnesota convened August 6, 7, 8 and 9 in Mason City, Iowa, at Woodman Hall. Tuesday morning promptly at 10:30 Sir Edward Robertson, C. G. M., of Marshalltown, called the Grand Temple and Tabernacle to order. Sir S. S. Bates, C. G. O., of Des Moines, led in song and prayer, after which Dtr. Mattie Brooks, G. H. P., instructed in signs and tokens. Various committees were appointed and set to work.

Tuesday evening an interesting program was rendered in Woodman Hall with Dtr. Ida Smith mistress of ceremonies.

Wednesday morning, August 6, Grand Temple and Tabernacle opened in usual form. There being a great change in temperature, much progress was made on this day. Various committees reported.

At 11:30 memorial services were held. Rev. Sir S. S. Bates, C. G. O., had charge. In the past year the following Sir Knights and Daughters had passed to the great beyond:

Sir Emanuel Jackson, Regal Temple No. 456, Marshalltown.

Dtr. Mary Dill, M. Brooks Tabernacle No. 584, East Des Moines.

Dtr. Mary Carter, Golden Shield Tabernacle No. 577, Mason City.

Dtr. Arnett, Progressive Tabernacle No. 580, Clarinda.

Dtr. Shepherd, G. A. Hackett Tabernacle No. 64, Buxton.

Sir Langley, Strangers Home Temple No. 452, Centerville.

Father Dulian, Honorary, King David's Temple No. 443, Des Moines.

Wednesday evening session: The grand body assembled at Union Memorial church promptly at eight o'clock to listen to the twenty-second annual grand sermon. The meeting opened with song, "Blest Be the Tie," after which Rev. Sir J. H. Reynolds, C. G. S., of Des Moines, delivered the invocation. Rev. Sir Woolrich led in singing "Come Thou Fount."

Sir Edward Robertson, C. G. M., of Marshalltown, delivered an interesting address, after which he introduced Rev.

S. S. Bates, C. G. O., of Des Moines, who was to deliver the topic of the evening.

Rev. Bates chose as his text the sixth chapter of John, the sixteenth verse, "For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten son." His theme was "Love." Rev. Bates was at his best and delivered an encouraging sermon to each one under the sound of his voice.

Song, "Holy, Holy."

Rev. Sir Woolrich, pastor of Union Memorial church, made an interesting address.

Song, "God Will Take Care of You."

Offering was lifted by Dtr. Imogene Wilson and Sir E. N. Warren.

Benediction.

Thursday morning several amendments to the constitution of the Grand Temple and Tabernacle of Iowa and Minnesota were adopted.

Thursday afternoon promptly at 4:30 Queen Marie Tent of Mason City was introduced to the Grand Temple and Tabernacle. Maid La Vere Carter played the march for the Maids and Pages. Dtr. Imogene Wilson, G. A. M., made an inspiring address to the Maids and Pages, after which she instructed in ritualistic work of the tent. Sir Edward Robertson, C. G. M., made his annual address.

The Grand Temple and Tabernacle next proceeded with election of officers. Summa Road & Summa Road, rendered in Woodman Hall with Dtr. Harris as mistress of ceremonies.

Friday all business of the Grand Temple and Tabernacle was completed. The board of grand trustees made a final report and also the Grand High Priests and Grand Queen Mother made their annual report.

The Grand Temple and Tabernacle through the recommendation of the C. G. M. purchased two hundred dollars worth of war savings stamps and donated twenty-five dollars to the Union Memorial Chapter of the Red Cross.

At four o'clock the annual street parade was carried out. The procession was very spectacular, led by a platoon of police, after which came the high school band, then came the Sir Knights of Silver Spray Temple carrying a large American flag. Following these came the Knights of Uniform Rank, followed by the Palatine Guards, The Maids and Pages, Saba Meroe Daughters, High Priests and Grand Officers came next in automobiles. The procession was in charge of Sir J. B. Roberts, Grand Presiding Prince, of Des Moines.

Friday evening a public installation and drill was given at the Armory. Rev. S. S. Bates of Des Moines was the installing officer. The officers installed were as follows:

Sir Edward Robertson, C. G. M., Marshalltown.

Dtr. Mattie Brooks, G. H. P., Des Moines.

Sir J. W. Martin, V. G. M., Centerville.

Dtr. Maud Wilkinson, V. G. H. P., Des Moines.

Sir Robert Jackson, C. G. S., Marshalltown.

Dtr. Maud Brewton, C. G. R., Mason City.

Sir J. R. Roberts, G. P. P., Des Moines.

Dtr. Imogene Wilson, G. Q. M., Keokuk.

Sir E. N. Warren, C. G. Tr., Des Moines.

Sir S. S. Bates, C. G. O., Des Moines.

Dtr. Emma Martin, G. H. P., Centerville.

Dtr. Ida Smith, G. I. S., Mason City.

Sir Edward Powell, G. O. L., Keokuk.

Sir J. H. Reynolds, G. D. M., Des Moines.

Sir Robert Webb, G. C. B., Des Moines.

MUSCATINE, IOWA.

(Special to Bystander.)

On August 7th the commodious home of Mrs. Charlotte Thompson on West Third St. was the scene of a select number of guests which she entertained at dinner. The guests from out of town were Rev. Nickleson, pastor of the Third Baptist church, Davenport, Iowa, his wife and two children; Mrs. A. Chesterfield and Mrs. Samuels, Rev. and Mrs. R. Thomas from Muscatine were also present. The home was beautifully arranged for the occasion and an up-to-the-minute dinner was served. All the dainties of the season were on the menu. Mrs. Thompson showed herself to be an excellent cook in preparing the food. Her daughter, Miss Bertha Thompson, assisted in serving and making it pleasant for the guests. After dinner Mrs. Nickleson and Mrs. Thomas entertained at the piano. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in conversing on important topics of the day. At 6 p. m. ice cream, cake and cantaloupe were served, after which the guests left for their home, pronouncing Mrs. Thompson and her daughter royal entertainers.

OTTUMWA BRIEFS.

The funeral of Mr. Levi Pollius, who died at his home, 915 Plum St., Sunday morning, Aug. 18, was held in the chapel of Mr. C. T. Sullivan's undertaking establishment on Monday evening, Aug. 19. The services were conducted by Rev. R. H. Cato, pastor of Mt. Zion A. M. E. church, of which Mr. Pollius was a member. His wife, Martha Pollius, and one daughter, Miss Au-



The above cut is that of Sir Knight A. H. Henderson of Chicago, Ill., who was unanimously elected Most Eminent

Grand Commander of Illinois and jurisdiction at the annual conclave recently held in Chicago.

rora Pollius, survive him. The remains were taken Tuesday morning to Hannibal, Mo., for interment.

On last Sunday evening the members of Mt. Zion A. M. E. choir rendered beautiful selections in a creditable manner.

The choir members of the Second Baptist church gave a house social at the residence of Mrs. Roberta Kendrick. A short program was rendered. All enjoyed a pleasant evening.

The chicken pie supper given at the A. M. E. church was a success.

A variety pie social will be given Aug. 24 at Mt. Zion.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Julian Campbell, a baby daughter, Aug. 17.

Those receiving interesting and encouraging news from over seas were Mrs. George Lewis, Sr., from her son, Harry Lewis; Mrs. Fannie Cropp from her son, Deloris Cropp; Mrs. William Beverly from her son, Wm. H. Beverly; Mrs. Ida E. Davis from her cousin, Thomas B. Shropshire, who was a reserve in the 25th Inf. and is a doctor in the 337th Labr. B. N. All these young men report being well and as happy as conditions will permit.

Mr. Author Henderson, Mr. Wallace N. Davis and Mr. Winfred Alexander, all former Ottumwa boys, were sent from Minnesota to Camp Dodge, Iowa, for service in U. S. A.

The new bungalow, to replace the old Owens homestead which burned recently, is almost completed. It is beautiful and modernly equipped.

The Jubilee Singers of Fairfield, Iowa, will appear in concert at the Mt. Zion A. M. E. church Sept. 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Allen were called to the bedside of the mother of Mr. Allen, who resides in Centralia, Mo. They left Saturday.

Mr. Earl Weeks is visiting relatives and friends in Chicago, Ill.

Mr. Earl Wagner and mother, Mrs. Geo. Wagner, and grandmother, Mrs. Anna Robinson, have returned to Ottumwa from a business trip to Omaha, Neb.

The young men who were over-Sunday visitors at home from Camp Dodge, who are serving in the U. S. A., were Charles Johnson, Rice Lintz, Russell Bailey, Fred Preston, John Ross and Charles Scott.

Mr. Frank Lee and Miss Jessie Franklin of Gary, Ind., were married Saturday afternoon, Aug. 17.

Mrs. Elizabeth McMahon, Mrs. Alice Gilbert and Mrs. Carrie Gordon are the sick members of Mt. Zion.

Mrs. Mary Taylor reports her rheumatism much improved.

The Rebecca Sewing Circle will meet Aug. 23 at the residence of Mrs. J. N. Greenup.

Master Richard Milton is visiting in Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Mrs. Robert Harris has received letters from her son, Corporal Kurtis Williams, who is in active service over there.

Misses Bertha Williams and Beulah Williams are visitors in Walton, Mo. Mr. Wallace Hicks is very much better at this writing.

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who was lying at the point of death with a violent attack of dysentery, and had been given up by the family physician. Some of his neighbors advised him to give Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy, which he did, and fully believes that by doing so saved the life of his child. He stated that he had also used this remedy himself with equally gratifying results."

MISS BROWN AND MME. HODGES GIVEN ROYAL RECEPTION.

Miss Hallie Q. Brown of Wilberforce, O., most famous reader of the race and vice president-at-large of the National Association of Colored Women, and Mme. Jean Hodges of New Zealand, dramatic soprano, appeared in our city last Monday evening before a large and appreciative audience. So pleasing were the various selections rendered by these artists that they were compelled repeatedly to respond to encores.

In addition to this recital, these splendid women, who are much interested in this world war, with Mrs. S. Joe Brown and the "Company Mothers" of the 804th Infantry, made a trip to Camp Dodge and delighted the men in the various wards of the base hospital with humorous selections, then to the Red Cross nurses' headquarters and then to the Y. M. C. A., where they were met by Secretary Tucker and several hundred men of their own race. After appearing at the Y. M. C. A. at Fort Des Moines, the Chas. Young Auxiliary at the Army Y, 10th and Park Sts., Miss Brown delivered a wonderful address before a large audience at St. Paul's A. M. E. church on Sunday evening, while Mme. Hodges sang.

After a visit to the Historical Building accompanied by Mrs. S. L. Birt, these ladies left the city for Chicago Tuesday morning.

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EDITORIALS

COLORED SOLDIERS DESTROY HUN SUPPLIES.

With the American troops in France, August 14.—Both the Ninety-second and Ninety-third (Colored) Divisions of troops were given strict orders to slow down last Tuesday night and in conformity with Marshal Foch's settled policy of not wasting the lives of his troops when time is working so powerfully on the side of the allies, the black troops have come to a halt for a brief session. The halt was made near the Aisne, where the "black devils" had repulsed minor attacks, advancing slightly near Bray, where French and Colored American soldiers had penetrated the outskirts of the town.

South of the Villers-Bretonneux-Chaulnes, Colored troops destroyed the railway so that the Germans were unable to move a long trainload of high explosives and were compelled to leave it behind.

On the north side of the Vesle river, where a brigade of Colored troops were holding the line, the enemy made a slight attack, but were turned back repeatedly by the use of the bayonet. So often were these attacks made during the night that nearly all of the Ninety-third division was ordered to that end of the line. Early Tuesday morning it was discovered that there were many farm houses near the line that were well stocked with provisions, and a large amount of poultry and live stock, which places the hungry Huns were desperately fighting for. Before noon America's "black devils" had the starving Germans beaten back several miles from these farm houses and were preparing for a big feast to celebrate their continued victory.

During the afternoon while the order to "slow down" was in vogue the Colored troops of both divisions sang songs of American origin in rag time with now and then a patriotic air or a

jubilee melody of the South, as they "dined" on hot fowl and French wine. It is likely that another attack along the north side of the Vesle river will be renewed by the enemy, but at present it is held secure by the Colored Americans and French.

"If the German line does not fall completely back from the Vesle river front we want to see what's holdin' 'em there when we attack the line," said a Colored trooper as he finished a cigarette he had been smoking.

THE COLORED AMERICAN IN WAR WORK.

A Review of What the Negro People Are Doing to Aid in Winning the World-Wide War for Liberty and Democracy.

Issued from the Office of Emmett J. Scott, Special Assistant to the Secretary of War.

Washington, D. C.—Company A, 301st Stevedore Regiment, "Somewhere in France," has been cited by Rear Admiral Wilson and General McClure for exceptionally efficient work. These colored men unloaded and coaled the immense steamship "Leviathan," formerly the "Vaterland," in fifty-six hours, making a new world's record, in competition with other stevedore detachments on the western front in France, many of which are white. A film, showing this splendid regiment at work and at play, is to be exhibited throughout the country in the leading colored and white theaters.

In Los Angeles, Cal., nine colored "four-minute men" are at work talking up the purchase of liberty bonds, war savings stamps and war organization activities among the colored people, with excellent results.

The army is still in need of chaplains. The ultimate plan is to have one for every 1,200 officers and men. It wants a special kind of chaplain—sturdy, upstanding, brotherly man between the ages of 21 and 45—who cares a good deal more about the welfare of soldiers than about distinctions in creeds. At Camp Zachary Taylor, near Louisville, Ky., the army is conducting a school for chaplains. The course covers five weeks and new classes are formed at about an interval of a week after the current class is graduated. Applicants must pass the physical tests prescribed by the local draft board. While at the school the student-chaplain receives free subsistence, lodging and uniform and the pay of a first-class private, \$33.00 per month, with mileage home at the rate of three and one-half cents per mile upon the completion of his course. If appointed he takes the rank and pay of a first lieutenant of the National Army, \$2,000 a year and \$2,200 abroad. The next class begins August 23. Applicants should apply directly to the Adjutant General of the Army, who will furnish all necessary information. There are now about thirty-one colored chaplains in the several branches of the army.

LARGE DES MOINES FACTORY OPENS DOOR TO COLORED WOMEN.

The Mennig-Slater Pickling Co. of this city, who heretofore employed white girls, are now seeking the services of colored girls and now have twenty-five or thirty in their employ.

This is one of the largest pickling factories in the West and we know, if given a proper chance, the girls are sure to make good and thus encourage others to do likewise.

A BIT OF HISTORY OF THE COLORED TROOPS RECALLED.

Telling of the Origin of the Ninth and Tenth Cavalry and 24th and 25th Regiments.

In 1866 congress passed a law that colored regiments should be a part of the regular army. The 9th and 10th cavalry and the 38th, 39th, 40th and 41st regiments of infantry were organized March 3, 1869, a consolidation act was passed and the 38th and 41st were reorganized as the 24th regiment of infantry; the 39th and 40th were reorganized as the 25th regiment of infantry. The 9th and 10th cavalry won the reputation of being among the best Indian fighters on the frontier. At the outbreak of the Spanish war, in 1898, the four colored regiments were among the first troops ordered to the front, and they won distinction. At the first battle in Cuba, the 10th cavalry played an important part, coming to the support of Col. Roosevelt and the Rough Riders. The 25th infantry took a prominent part in the battle of El Caney. The 9th and 10th cavalry and the 24th infantry rendered heroic service in the battle of San Juan Hill.

INDIANAPOLIS LAWYER NAMED JUDGE ADVOCATE IN FRANCE.

Attorney E. B. Cheatham, a former Resident of Indianapolis, Receives Appointment.

Relatives and friends in a recent letter received were informed that Lieut. E. B. Cheatham of Indianapolis, Ind., who was formerly a well known Colored attorney with offices in the Baldwin block, has been appointed judge advocate of the Three Hundred Seventy-second Infantry. The appointment was made by General Pershing.

COLORED MEN IN TRAINING IN UNITED STATES.

Camp Dix	.....	6,056
Camp Dodge	.....	3,000
Camp Funston	.....	6,000
Camp Gordon	.....	8,000
Camp Grant	.....	3,000
Camp Jackson	.....	6,000
Camp Lee	.....	6,000
Camp Meade	.....	6,000
Camp Pike	.....	4,000
Camp Sherman	.....	6,000
Camp Taylor	.....	6,000
Camp Travis	.....	9,000
Traskree	.....	570
Howard University	.....	453
Atlanta University	.....	125

Florida A. and M.	.....	128
Georgia State Industrial College	.....	206
South Carolina College A. & M.	.....	247
Camp Shelby	.....	2,000
Camp Beauregard	.....	2,000
Wilberforce University	.....	180
Wendell Phillips	.....	175

Recent additions bring the total to 277,541

UNCLE SAM'S MAIL POUCH

Somewhere in France, July 9, 1918.

Mrs. Isabella Galbreath.

Dear Mamma and Pop: How are you all getting along by this time? I am enjoying the very best of health at this writing and I hope when these few lines reach their limit they will find all right. Say, Mamma, I am sending \$100 home to you. I hope you will get it all right, and I want you to use it if you need it. I can't use all of it over here, and if you don't need it, Mamma, put it in the bank and I can use it when I get back. We got paid Sunday. I guess I will get paid every month from now on and if you get this \$100 I will send you some more money every month. On, say, Mamma, did I tell you about my captain? I have got another captain now and he is some captain. I like him fine. He seems to make everything easy as possible. He sure is a prince. Well, I haven't much to say at this writing. I will try and have more next time. Well good-bye. Give my regards to all, sister and the children. Now write straight back, Mamma, as soon as you get this letter. I want to know whether you got it or not. From your son, Otis Galbreath.

On Active Service with the American Expeditionary Force, July 17, 1918.

Mrs. Joseph Harry Manning.

Dear Mother: I drop you a few lines to let you know your son is still on top and ain't afraid of the cause he was sent here to perform, because I trust in Him to let us meet again, if not here, in heaven will be plenty good enough for me. Now may God bless you all and don't forget your loving son don't forget his prayers every night with God, and I don't say much only let us meet again on earth or in heaven. Now I wrote Aunt Sallie a letter the other day so she will call you up I think. Well I can't write much. I should have been in bed, but I had to drop you a few lines and that was all. Give my regards to Osolia and Myrtle and tell them I am well. So I will say good-bye. From your loving little soldier boy to his loving mother. Write.

Joe H. Manning.

On Active Service with the American Expeditionary Force, July 5, 1918.

Mrs. Mary Manning.

Dear Mother: I now drop you a few lines to let you know how I am getting along now. This leaves me well and in good health and I truly hope when these few lines reach you they may and will find you all well and enjoying yourself to the best of your ability. Now don't worry about me, because I am all right and all dressed up and nowhere to go. What do you know about that? Well, tell Mrs. J. H. Manning that her daddy wants to know if she remembers the verse that said the Mississippi river is so deep and wide that she couldn't see her baby on the other side. Well, I ain't going to say anything about the old ocean being 3,600 miles wide. I guess she can see across it and tell her daddy from anybody else. But everything will be her way some day before long. Of course June 5th it had been just one year to that day we parted. But it is all right now. We won't always be that way, so don't worry. I will surprise you all some day and will come marching home for good. Well, tell everybody I said hello and give my best regards to all of my supposed to be friends. You don't have to send me anything because I would not be able to get it, because we are first one place and then another, so the best we can do is to try and write to each other and not get it all the time because it is awful hard to get mail here because we are so far, we are many miles away. So don't worry if you don't get a letter every time the mail comes. Well, I have told you about all. I was in the town with Clide, but did not get to see him. So you tell them he is all right and getting along fine. Did Ollie come home yet? If she didn't, why? You send for her and tell her I said stay home till I come back, and if I don't then she can do what ever she wants to. Well, I have told you all, so I will say kiss her for me and look after her till I get there. May God bless all of you. So I will say good-bye with love and kisses to you all from your loving son. Joe H. Manning.

July 30, 1918.

Somewhere in France.

Rev. G. W. Robinson.

Des Moines, Iowa.

Dear Friend: This comes to say that I am all right at present and trust that you and yours are happy. I think of you and the church and services held there very often and sometimes I long to be in Des Moines again. I think of Des Moines often and wish to be remembered by the good people there. I have met Fritz in the first line trenches, success so far and am now writing you from the trenches.

Today is quiet just a bit so I have some time to think of old friends. We have faith and believe we will be victorious. God still lives and leads, we follow, fight, watch and pray.

Love to the church. Write me soon. Best regards to your family and all inquiring friends. Let Lieut. A. L. Hatchett, Co. B, 372 Inf., A. E. F. France.

The Grand Commandery Knights Templar of Missouri held their annual con-

clave in Marshall, Mo., last week. Maj. Jose H. Sherwood of St. Paul, Minn., was elected Rt. Em. Grand Commander. Maj. Jose H. Sherwood, 16th Br. Minnesota Home Guards, St. Paul, visited Des Moines this week as the personal representative of the governor of Minnesota to see the draftees from that state.

WILL BE BIG GOVERNMENT WAR EXHIBIT AT THE STATE FAIR

Just to demonstrate their interest in the big agricultural fairs and to emphasize the intimate connection between the war and the production of food, the government officials at Washington have prepared an extensive war exhibit for the state fairs, or such of them as have the necessary facilities for accommodating the exhibit and can stand the expense of shipping and other incidentals which, combined, amount to a considerable sum.

This exhibit will be shipped direct from Washington to Sedalia, Mo., for the Missouri state fair, which opens August 10. From there it will be shipped to Des Moines some days before the opening of the Iowa fair and everything made ready by the time the gates are thrown open August 21. The exhibit will be housed in Power hall, which is conveniently located about a block north of the main street car entrance and just inside the new entrance to the grounds on Walnut street.

These exhibits will prove intensely interesting to the citizens of the middle West. The collection from the war department will consist of machine guns of different types for both land fighting and use of aircraft; mountain guns, field guns, rifles of up-to-date make, hand grenades, periscopes, heliograph instruments, wireless outfits, gas masks, trench implements and fighting equipment of every imaginable sort. The navy department is sending rifles, swords, drums, signal flags, semaphore flags, pennants, machine guns, torpedoes, mines, anchors, submarine clothing, etc., etc., etc.

In addition to the war equipment to come from the army and navy departments, the department of agriculture, department of the interior, department of commerce and the U. S. food administration will also be represented by interesting exhibits of high educational value. One of the most interesting and unique will be a mine rescue car sent out from the department of the interior. This car will be fully equipped for actual service and accompanied by a crew of five men, who will explain the working apparatus to visitors.

The department of commerce will deal with various important industries, such as the fisheries, the leather business and others. There will also be moving pictures illustrating numerous activities that have sprung up of late and are being carried on to meet the unusual demands which are the outgrowth of the great war.

It will be a most interesting and instructive exhibit throughout and visitors to the state fair should include it in their sightseeing plans.

CANNING EXHIBITS AT IOWA STATE FAIR

It used to be the fashion to brag about what our grandmothers could do in the way of saving summer fruits and vegetables for winter use. But those very efficient ladies of old didn't have a thing on Mrs. Updote when it comes to canning operations. In fact the housewife of forty or fifty years ago admits her shortcomings when she visits pantry, cave or storeroom of the woman of today. For the modern housekeeper has picked up a lot of new wrinkles since the opening of Uncle Sam's food conservation movement.

Visitors to the Iowa State Fair of 1917 were impressed with the magnificent display of home-canned fruits and vegetables. It was hard to believe they were the product of home talent and labor. Exhibits in this department promise to eclipse everything of the kind in past years. The premium classification has been widened and the prize money materially increased, all of which will tend to swell exhibits. Prizes are offered for foodstuffs, canned, preserved, dried and pickled; for butters, jellies, jams and all the rest of it. Don't overlook the kitchen and pantry department when you visit the fair.

PATRIOTIC FIREWORKS FOR STATE FAIR.

After enjoying the display of fireworks at the Iowa state fair this year the visitor will appreciate the wonderful progress made of late years in the art or science, or whatever we may call it, of pyrotechny. Some of the beautiful and intricate set pieces that will be shown are a far cry from the dinky roman candle and sputtering nigger chaser of our boyhood days.

The regular nightly programs will conclude with a grand display of patriotic fireworks, beautiful beyond imagination and in harmony with war work and ambitions. "Food Conservation," "The Great American Flag," "Statue of Liberty," "Liberty Bell," "Spirit of '76," "Submarine Battle," "Battle of the North Sea," and various other patriotic subjects and sentiments will be pictured in these spectacular set pieces.

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CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES.

For more than three weeks our notes have failed to appear in these columns because the reporter has been very much over-worked.

Our church nevertheless has been advancing along the front, capturing a few prisoners for Christ each week.

We are now ready for the state association that is to convene with us next week, beginning Tuesday and running five days. Every day a good one.

On last Sunday the services were one of the best spiritual meetings we ever had. Dr. Robinson spoke from the subject, "The Gospel Well," and before he closed it appeared to be a Gospel Lake instead and all were taking a spiritual bath. Tomorrow he will speak on the "Gospel Wagon."

ST. PAUL A. M. E. NOTES.

Sunday, Aug. 25, will be the opening day of the new St. Paul. The pastor, Rev. S. L. Birt, will be in charge.

Preaching at 10:45 a. m., Sunday school at the usual hour, platform meeting in the afternoon, services at the evening hour. Church Aid will serve dinner.

All members and friends meet at the old church site Sunday morning at 7:30 prayer and praise service, then march to new Zion on the hill, 12th and Crocker Sts.

Love feast Sunday morning in the new St. Paul. Be on time, enjoy the day. Make a large sacrifice on this memorable day.

Rev. Birt is working overtime to push the long, tedious battle to the gate.

Sunday services were well attended and much information and inspiration gained by those who were present and who are seeking to improve themselves spiritually.

The pastor used the theme, "Working in God's Vineyard." He proved by the scriptures that there is no place in this busy world for slackers, and that a spiritual slacker is more contemptible than one who is a government slacker.

The Sunday school lesson, "Working in the Church," was well discussed.

The C. E. topic, "Using Your Pen for Christ," was thoroughly discussed. The young men who took part showed that they had made preparation on the lesson. A wide field of usefulness and honor awaits the young man or woman who can write. The history of your local church, of your conference and of your connection must be placed upon the indelible pages of history; the part the Negro played in this world's war must be written by a Negro pen. Our past experiences have revealed to us that history is recorded with a prejudiced pen. Let us learn to write.

Miss Hallie Q. Brown, who was an interesting visitor, took part in the discussion. She placed stress on writing and punctuating correctly. Miss Brown is teacher of English, Wilberforce University.

The evening service was inspiring. The choir rendered one of its beautiful anthems. Rev. S. L. Birt introduced Miss Brown, the speaker of the evening. He told of her great efforts in behalf of her Alma Mater, Wilberforce University.

Miss Hallie Q. Brown, elocutionist, lecturer and traveler, beloved and honored by her church, arose and delivered one of the most powerful addresses ever heard from St. Paul's sacred rostrum, from the theme, "What hast thou in thy hand?" Madam Jean Hodges, New Zealand, her life long friend and noted soprano singer, rendered a beautiful selection. Thus ended a well spent Sabbath day.

The Altar Guild's breakfast given at the home of Mrs. Mary Kinney was a great success.

The S. L. B. Club served on the Franklin play ground Saturday evening. The choir served on the 9th St. play ground Saturday. All the church auxiliaries are hard at work.

The dramatic recital given under the auspices of Mrs. Gus Nicols' rally club was a great success. The church auditorium was crowded to hear Miss Hallie Q. Brown and Madam Jean Hodges. Both ladies were in fine voice and received a hearty reception from the Des Moines public. Mrs. S. Joe Brown had charge of ticket sale, which spells success.

Miss Brown and Madam Hodges left the city Tuesday morning for Chicago.

Mrs. S. L. Birt entertained on her birthday anniversary Tuesday afternoon. A number of ladies called. Mrs. Birt was the recipient of many tokens. All the women present recorded their names in her diary book.

A large number of entertainments are planned for the benefit of the new church, to be given in the new church, new church prayer room. St. Paul must

advance upon her knees, if she would. Prayer meeting was well attended. Let the members and friends crowd the have victory.

The Callahan Club, one of the oldest Federated Clubs of the city, will celebrate their 16th anniversary at the new St. Paul with an afternoon reception. Hours 2 to 11. Public invited. Elaborate preparations are being made for the reception, which promises to be one of the grandest affairs of the season. The benefit, new St. Paul.

The Mite Missionary Society will render a program at the C. E. hour. Topic for discussion, "The Power of the Cross on the Frontier." Good music. Let all the Missionary ladies be present. Mrs. Birt in charge.

The dedication will be held when the new pews arrive. Bishop Coppin has been invited to attend.

The public will be notified through the columns of the Bystander.

Loyal and broad minded African Methodists of the state of Iowa are asked to look toward St. Paul, Des Moines, at the dedication. Pray for the prosperity of Zion.

Granulated Sore Eyes Cured.

"For twenty years I suffered from a bad case of granulated sore eyes," says Martin Boyd, of Henrietta, Ky. "In February, 1903, a gentleman asked me to try Chamberlain's Salve. I bought one box and used about two-thirds of it and my eyes have not given me any trouble since."

The Home Makers League will meet next week with Mrs. R. N. Hyde.

Mrs. Thornton Adams entertained Wednesday in honor of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Louise Gray of Chicago.

Step Lively Girls Club will meet next Tuesday evening with Miss Mildred Griffin.

Mrs. J. A. Jefferson, 1322 Day, left Thursday morning for Leavenworth, Kans., to spend a few days with her relatives.

Mrs. Eliza Harper and Miss Althia Kemp of Decatur, Ill., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Moore, 1028 12th St.

Mrs. Laura Winrow left Thursday for several weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Matilda Marshall, at Atchison, Kans.

Dr. J. A. Jefferson contemplates leaving the city Saturday night for Richmond, Va., to attend the 20th annual session of the National Medical Association. He will return Sept. 2nd.

Atty. S. Joe Brown spoke to the young people of Bethel Sunday at 6:30 on the moral law, which was very impressive. Miss Guy, who was sent here by the war department to organize the girls, will speak next Sunday at 6:30.

The Mary Church Terrell Club met last Monday with Miss Adah Hyde as hostess. At this meeting the club voted out the funds with which to purchase two War Savings Stamps. Will meet next Monday with Mrs. Stella Hyde.

Among the many courtesies extended Dr. R. R. Moton, principal of Tuskegee Institute, who delivered several lectures in Des Moines and Camp Dodge, was a lovely auto trip through the principal and important points in the city by Dr. J. Alvin Jefferson in his beautiful Cole 8.

Mr. Harry Shaw, one of our city policemen, has just finished a course in Carpenter and Hohenschub College of Embalming and was awarded a diploma. He took the state board examination for embalmers last month and passed with an excellent average. He is now a licensed embalmer, but will not consider any business proposition until after the second draft is called.

The "Outing Girls Club," who gave a dancing party at Greenwood park last week, donated the proceeds of same toward helping make the Colored Hostess House at Camp Dodge more home like and comfortable. The committee at the head of the club were Miss Margaret Roberts, chairman, Mrs. Emerald Mash, Miss Adah Hyde and Mrs. Jonnie Shaw.

PARK STREET Y. M. C. A. Thursday evening at 8 o'clock the Young Men's Bible Class of the Army Y. M. C. A. will open the tennis court at 8th and Chestnut street and will serve ice cream and watermelon. The public is cordially invited to come and bring a friend. Committee: R. C. Crenshaw, S. Gross, R. B. King, Maurice Kelly, Ovel Carter.

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT.

On last Saturday afternoon at the St. Paul A. M. E. parsonage occurred the marriage of Miss Minnie Mills, formerly of Buxton, Iowa, and Mr. Everett Clay of this city. Rev. S. Birt performed the ceremony in the presence of a few relatives. The bride is well known in this city and is a fine young woman. The groom is the oldest son of Mr. Henry Clay, an old and highly respected citizen of Des Moines. He is at present stationed at Camp Dodge, Iowa. We extend to these young people our hearty congratulations.

MISS FLORENCE E. GREENE WEDS

PVT. ROY E. HOGSETTE.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Greene, 1317 Day St., was the scene Tuesday evening of the wedding of their daughter, Florence E. Greene, to Private Roy E. Hogsette. The Rev. Perry officiated in the presence of immediate relatives and many close friends.

Little Mildred Greene, niece of the bride, H. C. Greene, brother of the

bride, and Miss Ruperta Hogsette, sister of the groom, were the only attendants.

Following the services an informal supper was served. The bride will remain at the home of her parents as Pvt. Hogsette is stationed at Camp Dodge.

Mrs. Louise Gray of Chicago was guest of honor at a whist party Tuesday p. m., given by her sister, Miss Jerada Clay, and cousin, Mrs. Emerald Mash, at the home of Mrs. Mash, 824 12th St. Miss Cora Mix was winner of the first prize, Mrs. Jonnie Shaw received the booby prize and Mrs. Gray received a guest prize. A delicious two course luncheon was served.

Many Des Moines friends were indeed glad to see Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Penny of Mason City, Iowa, in their midst the past week. Indeed it seemed like old times when Rev. Penny was pastor of Union Congregational church. The Rev. and his wife were here visiting their youngest son, E. M. Penny, who is in training at Camp Dodge. After a splendid visit with their son and old acquaintances they left for their home Wednesday the 21st. While in the city they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hughes, who entertained them in a royal manner.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS ENTERTAINED.

As a courtesy to their house guests, Miss Hallie Q. Brown of Wilberforce, O., instructor of English in Wilberforce University, and Mme. Jean Hodges of New Zealand, Atty. and Mrs. S. Joe Brown entertained at luncheon Saturday at one o'clock. Dr. R. R. Moton, president of Tuskegee Institute, of Tuskegee, Ala., and Prof. C. B. Hosmer, northern field agent of Tuskegee. Mrs. Brown was assisted by her sister, Ione Coleman, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Tug Wilson.

DR. MOTON ADDRESSES CHAS.

YOUNG AUXILIARY.

On last Friday evening at their headquarters at 10th and Park Sts., the Chas. Young Auxiliary Red Cross had as their special guest Dr. R. R. Moton, president of Tuskegee Institute, of Tuskegee, Ala. Dr. Moton told of the chapter of the American Red Cross formed in his community, it being the only one conducted by our people in this country. Miss Hallie Q. Brown of Wilberforce, O., was also present and told of work in her state.

WAR CAMP COMMUNITY SERVICE DIRECTOR HERE.

Miss Ursula A. Guy, formerly of Topeka, Kans., but who has until quite recently taught in the high schools at Baltimore, Md., has been sent to Des Moines to work in connection with the War Camp Community Service. She will take the place among our girls the same as Miss Lewis (with whom a great many of us came in contact this spring) has among the white girls. She will direct the activities of the girls.

In her pleasant manner and with the public experience she has had, Miss Guy is well qualified for the tremendous task before her, but we are sure she will be successful if our girls will only cooperate with her. You will hear of her from time to time in the Bystander.

NOTICE.

All members of the Virginia Picnic Association will take notice and govern themselves accordingly. Owing to the high cost of living, we, the Virginia Picnic Association, at a regular meeting held at the home of S. C. Cary, that we will hold a family picnic this year. All members are requested to bring your baskets well filled. Picnic will be held at Union Park Monday, September 2, 1918. Our next meeting will be held at the S. C. Cary home, 2715 Oxford St., August 11 at 4 p. m. All members wishing to join will be at that meeting. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Mr. C. H. Roane, President; W. K. Perry, Vice President; W. W. White, Financial Secretary; Mrs. Bell Drew, Treasurer; C. P. Jones, Recording Secretary.

Japanese Have No Beds.

The Japanese do not sleep on European beds, but on many thick, soft puffs piled one on top of each other upon the floor. For bed covering, they use more of the same kind of puffs. It is said that the Japanese emperor has 20 such puffs. One of those which cover him is made in the shape of a kimono and has a velvet collar. Probably he creeps inside of this, if he feels cold in the night.

Goddess of Justice.

In Greek mythology Astraea, daughter of Zeus and Themis, was the goddess of justice. She is represented with a pair of balances in her hand, and a crown of stars. She was the last of all the goddesses who left the earth when the golden age had passed away and men began to forge weapons and commit acts of violence.

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8 p. m.—Evening worship and preaching.

Union Congregational Church.

Tenth and Park Sts.
Rev. H. E. King, pastor.
11 a. m.—Morning worship.
12:15 p. m.—Sunday school.
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Second and Center
Rev. S. L. Birt, D. D., Pastor.
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12:30 p. m.—Class meeting.
1 p. m.—Sunday school.
6:30 p. m.—Christian Endeavor.
8:00 p. m.—Evening worship.

Union Baptist Church

Sixteenth and McCormick.
Rev. M. Toomey, Pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
11 a. m.—Preaching.
6 p. m.—B. Y. P. U.
8 p. m.—Preaching.

First A. M. E. Zion Church.

Rev. E. S. Hargreave, Pastor.
511 S. E. Fourth St.
11:00 a. m.—Preaching.
1:00 p. m.—Sunday school.
6:30 p. m.—V. C. E. Society.
8 p. m.—Preaching.
Prayer and Class Meeting Friday night at 8 o'clock.

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10:00 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.—Preaching.
12:00 p. m.—Class meeting.
6:30 p. m.—Epworth League.
7:30 p. m.—Preaching.

Bethel A. M. E. Church

Sixteenth and Filmore Sts.
Rev. H. A. Perry, Pastor.
11 a. m.—Morning service.
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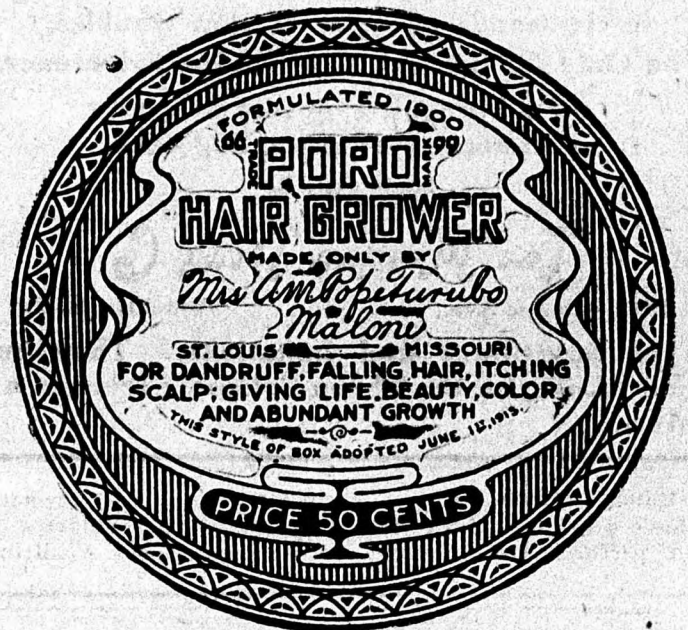
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NOTICE OF AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

Notice is hereby given that at a special meeting of the Abstract & Land Title Company at its Office in Des Moines, Iowa, on the 20th day of May, 1918, pursuant to a call of the president and at which meeting all of the stockholders were present and voting, the following amendments were unanimously adopted:

1st. That Article I be amended changing the name to "Des Moines Title Company."

2nd. That Article IV be amended changing the amount of the authorized capital stock from \$50,000.00 to \$250,000.00.

3rd. That Article VI be amended changing the number of directors authorized from seven to nine.

I. H. TOMLINSON,

President.

O. A. Hammand, Secretary.

MT. PLEASANT, IOWA.

(Special to the Bystander.)

During the Henry County Fair there was on exhibition by the Junior Garden and Canning Club vegetables and canned goods. We noticed among the prizes awarded were two first prizes and one second prize carried off by Harold Burnaugh, also one second prize given to Claude Burnaugh. These boys are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burnaugh. During the demonstration of the "cold packed" method the boys team was awarded first place by the judge. The captain of the winning team was Master Claude Burnaugh, who with the assistance of Philip Weston, Howard Luzadder and Harold Burnaugh made a great hit with the spectators. The boys wore the required uniforms of white aprons and caps ornamented by the club emblem. They did excellent team work and the captain's lecture was worthy of one much older than he. These boys expect to represent Henry county at the State Fair.

Mrs. Sherman Keith still remains very sick.

SIOUX CITY ITEMS.

Mrs. C. Harrison, W. C. of Sunbeam H. H. Ruth No. 4961, and delegate for Sioux City, will depart Monday, Aug. 26, for Cedar Rapids, Iowa, to attend the H. H. Ruth Grand Lodge.

Mrs. J. Boyd is visiting her husband, who is stationed at Camp Dodge.

Mr. M. Askew, District Grand Master of District Grand Lodge No. 30, G. U. O. of O. F., will depart Sunday, Aug. 25, for Cedar Rapids to attend the G. U. O. of O. F. and H. H. of Ruth session. He will spend Sunday in Waterloo.

The Ladies Aid of Malone chapel will give a musical entertainment at the church Sept. 5. Mrs. Noble Green, manager.

Mrs. W. W. Ford has returned from a most pleasant visit with her daughter in St. Louis.

Mr. Horace Green, N. G. of Sioux

City Lodge G. U. O. of O. F. No. 4961, and delegate for said lodge, will depart Monday, Aug. 26, for Cedar Rapids, Iowa, to attend the sessions.

Mrs. D. Jackson has gone to Lexington, Mo., being called there by the illness of her mother.

The Ladies Aid of Malone chapel will meet this week with Mrs. V. Roundtree.

Miss G. Talbot has returned to her work at T. S. Martin Co. after a short vacation.

Mrs. H. Hill, an employee of the T. S. Martin Co. for eight years, has resumed her work after a three weeks vacation.

Mrs. Stewart of Chicago has returned to her home after spending some time visiting in the city with her husband.

Mrs. A. A. Gross is enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. Norris of Chicago.

PORT DODGE, IOWA.

The K. P. banquet was a success last Thursday evening. Plates were laid for 75. While the guests were eating they were entertained by a beautiful harp player, and also a saxophone solo by Mr. Frank Perkins accompanied by Mrs. Frank Perkins, and by special request Mrs. Bernice Davis Ealton played and sang a solo.

Mrs. Clarence Hoffman was in Boone last week.

Mr. William Downey of Mercer, Mo., is visiting his brother, Mr. John Downey.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. George Perkins were entertained at dinner Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. John Downey.

Mrs. Earl Southsoul and Mrs. Ollie Buckner entertained 40 guests Sunday from 7 to 7 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Ollie Buckner. The home was beautifully decorated with flowers. The evening was spent in conversation and music. After a delicious three course luncheon everyone left, reporting a jolly good time.

Mrs. Hall Short has received several letters from her husband, Lieut. Short, 366th Infantry, over there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashual Stepp and Mrs. Fred Coleman are planning to attend the State Fair next week.

Mrs. Bernice Ealton is in the city for an indefinite stay at her uncle's, Scott Davis.

Hello, Buxton. Some news, please.

Miss B. M. Wynn of 404 North Park boulevard leaves today for Cincinnati, Ohio, to attend the Christian Missionary convention of the Christian churches of Ohio. She will also visit Dayton, Ohio. She will be the guest of Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Cowan and Miss Maude Brown.

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As George folded the fair young creature to his heart a dull, cracking sound smote his ear. "Ah! It's goodbye to those cigars in my vest pocket," he said grimly; "but hang the expense at a moment like this."

Military Organization of Jews.
The military organization of the Jews began with their departure from Egypt. Every man above twenty years old was a soldier. Each tribe formed a regiment with its own banner and its own leader. Their positions in the camp or on the march were accurately fixed.

Making Play of Work.
Making play of work is often a good idea when getting children to help. Thus, when seeking the aid of a youngster to pick up the pins from the floor, let him or her use a horse-shoe magnet for the purpose. You can get such a magnet for ten cents.

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