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CITY NEWS.

Mrs. J. R. Drew has been sick for a few days, but is some better.

Mrs. Mattie Brooks of 1623 Searle street is very sick this week.

Little Enola Thompson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thompson, is sick this week.

Mr. A. C. Payton has been sick at his home, 952 Fourteenth Street place, this week.

Mrs. J. A. Jefferson is slowly recovering at the Methodist hospital from a severe attack of la grippe and spasmodic asthma.

Mr. Granvall Henry left this week for his home at Hiawatha, Kansas. Mr. Henry has been visiting in the city at the home of Miss Helen Brown.

Mrs. J. L. Clark of Chillicothe, Mo., arrived in our city this week to visit with her niece, Mrs. E. Winn, 912 Pleasant street.

Miss Lillian Neal left Thursday for Decatur, Iowa, to visit her sick parents there.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Griffin left for their home Saturday morning, after a very pleasant visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. H. R. Graves left Monday evening for Danville, Va., for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. E. T. Banks has returned from a visit in South Dakota and reports a good time. She said that they had no snow up there when she left this week.

Mrs. Major Barber and grandson returned home, after spending a very pleasant visit with her daughter, Mrs. O. S. Cary, and Mrs. Lottie Williams.

The sad death of Mrs. Harry Henderson was a great shock to the club of which she was a member. The paper that Mrs. O. S. Cary was to read at the funeral as a token of respect was not announced, hence not read.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Turner entertained twenty-five of their friends last Friday at a card party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Griffin and Mrs. Mitchell of Evanston, Ill. Dainty refreshments were served and a very enjoyable time by all.

The Mary Church Terrill club will be entertained Monday evening by Mrs. H. R. Graves at the home of Mrs. J. B. Rush. The report of the inter-late will be given and the following program rendered: Vocal solo, Mrs. H. R. Graves; instrumental selection, Miss Marie Bell. All members are urged to meet early.

The Misses Julia and Mamie Bailey of Marble Rock, Iowa, returned home last week. They are both young school teachers in a white school in that vicinity. While here they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rush.

Mrs. Fennie and daughter, Ora, of Macon, Mo., and the Misses Luella and Aurous Ercoks were the invited guests at a luncheon last Tuesday at Mrs. Catherine Mease's, 1040 Fourth Street place.

WOMAN'S POLITICAL STUDY CLUB.

The Woman's Political Study club met Thursday evening, December 17, at the residence of Mrs. W. H. Warricks. The evening was devoted to the study of equal rights for woman. The next meeting will be Thursday, January 23, with Mrs. Gus Watkins. The topics for discussion will be: Civil Rights, by Mrs. Watkins, and Class Legislation, by Mrs. Rush.

DRAMATIC ART CLUB.

The Dramatic Art club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. N. H. Marshall and reviewed the first four cantos of Dante's Inferno. Meet next Tuesday with Mrs. C. C. Johnson at 1006 Thirteenth street. Study cantos V-VII.

The Iowa state legislature will open next week and there are many candidates gathering in our city for the various offices. Among the colored aspirants are: In the senate, Jeff Logan of Des Moines, Chas. Comley of Webster City, Scott Johnson of Centerville, P. Irvin of Des Moines. In the house are R. N. Hyde of Des Moines, Henry McCravan of Des Moines and W. H. Jones of Keokuk, and we are in formed that there are about fifteen in the field for governor's messenger under the new governor. Those that now seem to be in the lead are John Wilkinson, Douglass Miller, J. Theodore Bell, Richard Windsor and W. H. Jones, Jr., of Keokuk.

On Monday last in the afternoon the interior of the Corinthian Baptist church was almost entirely destroyed by fire. The fire originated in the basement, from what cause is entirely unknown. On Sunday preceding the church had held a celebration in

honor of the pastor's completion of eleven years of service. The officers and workers were arranging for a harmonious and arduous year's work. The fire has put the church out of doors for several weeks to come. The frame of the building and the roof seemed to be saved. And much credit is due the firemen for their heroic work. But for this loss would have been entire. The church carried some insurance. In the last twelve months improvements to the extent of \$1,200 had been made on the property, to say nothing of new carpets that had been laid by the Aid society at a cost of \$400.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

For Sunday, January 12, 1913. Morning service at 10:45. Sermon by pastor Subject, "Tarrying For Power."

Sunday school at 12 m. Evening service at 7:30. Sermon by pastor. Subject, "The Faithful Few."

On Wednesday evening the church elected its officers for the present year. The officers are as follows: Clerk—Mrs. J. W. Jackson. Financial Secretary—Mr. H. E. Jacobs.

Treasurer—Mr. John L. Thompson. Chorister—Mr. L. J. Shelton. Organist—Mrs. H. W. Hughes.

Sunday School Supt.—Mr. F. P. Johnson.

Deacon Board—Mr. John L. Thompson, Mr. H. E. Jacobs and Mr. C. S. Stewart.

Deacons Board—Mrs. C. S. Stewart, Mrs. J. W. Jackson.

Much praise is due the outgoing officers for their devoted, Christian service during the past administration. With their continued assistance and co-operation the present administration, under a corps of enthusiastic officers, is expected to accomplish much good for the church and community.

A hearty welcome is extended to all to share and aid in making the year profitable, not simply for the church, but mostly for the Kingdom of righteousness and Christ.

The chorister requests all those who desire to become members of the choir to meet at the church Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

T. M. Brumfield, Pastor.

THE LYCEUM.

At the meeting of the Negro Lyceum Association at the residence of Atty. S. Joe Brown last week reports of the recent Inter-State Literary meeting at Topeka were made by Atty. and Mrs. Brown, Mr. Jesse Graves, Misses Nellie Lettger, Susie Lee and Gertrude Hyde, all of whom attended the Topeka meeting. Mrs. Mary Hatcher of St. Paul and Miss Georgia Blagburn of Buxton were also present and addressed the meeting. At the conclusion of which Mrs. Brown served a dainty repast in honor of her tenth wedding anniversary, which happened to fall on that same date. On next Tuesday, January 14, the semi-annual installation of officers will be held at the residence of W. H. Warricks, 1006 W. Thirteenth street.

Corinthian Baptist Church

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Services Sunday morning and Sunday night in the Capital City Commercial College building at Tenth and Walnut streets. Enter from Walnut street and take the elevator. A large auditorium with all conveniences has been secured.

We hope to see all members at their posts on Sunday. Let every one be loyal in this crisis.

Morning subject, "The Call of the Deep." Sunday school at the usual time. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30.

Evening subject, "The Bright Side of the Cloud." T. L. Griffith, Minister.

MASONIC GRAND LODGE NOTES.

M. of Iowa and jurisdiction. The Iowa State Bystander is the official organ of the Most Worshipful United Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. grand officers are:

Grand Master—John L. Thompson, Des Moines.

D. G. M.—A. A. Bland, Keokuk. S. G. W.—H. E. Williams, Ottumwa.

J. G. W.—M. O. Culbertson, Clinton.

G. Treasurer—W. H. Milligan, Cedar Rapids.

G. Secretary—W. W. Gross, Keokuk.

G. Custodian—A. G. Clark, Oskaloosa.

Chairman of Committee of F. C.—Geo. L. Sutor, Marshalltown.

The Grand Custodian, A. G. Clark, has divided the jurisdiction into the following district: First district, consisting of Keokuk, Burlington, Ottumwa, Buxton, Oskaloosa and East Des Moines. Second district, West Des Moines, Marshalltown, Cedar Rapids, Dubuque, Clinton and Davenport. Third district, Sioux City, Council Bluffs and Omaha, Neb. The schools of the First district will be held in Ottumwa, the Second in Cedar Rapids and the Third in Omaha, Neb. The Grand Master's official visits will be as follows:

Tuesday, January 14, at Sioux City; Wednesday evening, January 15, at Council Bluffs; Thursday, January 16, at Omaha, Neb.; Tuesday, January 21, at Cedar Rapids; Wednesday, January 22, at Clinton; Thursday, January 23, at Dubuque; Friday, January 24, at Davenport; Monday, January 27, at Keokuk; Tuesday, January 28, at Burlington; Wednesday, January 29, at Ottumwa; Thursday, January 30, at Buxton.

NOTICE.

In answer to several queries as to the connection of the J. F. Baker Printing Co. with the Buxton Leader, we take this method of informing the public that there is none whatever. James F. Baker, Mgr.

KEOKUK NEWS.

The stork is being kept quite busy these days, his latest visit being at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Fields, leaving a baby daughter.

Mrs. Enoch Hawkins is quite seriously ill at St. Joseph's hospital.

A repetition of the play, "Among the Breakers," that was given by several of our talented characters a few months ago at Association hall, is scheduled for January 7th. It is hoped that a good number will be out to enjoy this classical home talent production. The proceeds are for the benefit of Bethel church.

The eight-course dinner that was given by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Snoddy on Xmas day at their home was greatly enjoyed by twenty-five invited guests. It was one of the most elaborate social functions of the Yuletide season.

There is much sickness prevalent at this writing, among them being Mrs. Sallie Thomas, Mr. Wm. Weldon, Mrs. Belle South, Mr. Arthur Weldon and Mrs. Jane Jones.

Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Burton entertained a company of friends at their home on Xmas day in honor of their daughter, Miss Eldora Burton, who is at home from Des Moines, where she is attending school.

Miss Gertrude Alexander, nee Hawkins, is at home for a visit with her parents.

Mr. Austin Freeman left last Tuesday for Galesburg, Ill., for an indefinite stay with his daughter, Mrs. Sadie Waagener.

Revival meetings are still in progress at the First African Baptist church. Much interest is being manifested.

Mr. Thomas Brown was in the country last week plastering the eight-room residence of Mr. Arnold Bone.

The Xmas tree entertainment that was given at Pilgrim's Rest church was a financial success. The sum of \$37.20 was realized.

Mr. Wm. Phillips of Hannibal, Mo., visited with his father, Rev. Dr. T. H. Phillips, a few days last week.

Mr. Fielding Johnson, who has been employed as a substitute mail carrier, has now entered upon his duties as a regular carrier. This is a well deserved promotion.

Miss Madah Lewis spent a few days during the holidays with friends in Fort Madison.

Mr. Ralph Tebeau expects to leave next Friday for Macon, Mo., to resume his studies.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tebeau entertained in honor of their son, Ralph, last Sunday at dinner several friends of the latter.

Cupid is now enjoying a few days' rest, but latest information says that active duty is liable to be resumed at any time.

It is with a source of deep regret that friends of Mr. Chas. Eubank of Fort Madison learn of his demise.

Mrs. Catherine Strothers, 626 Mechanic street, entertained in honor of Mrs. Tina Abner at a 4 o'clock dinner Sunday, December 22. Covers were laid for twelve and they did justice to the sumptuous dinner prepared by the hostess.

Mrs. Tina Abner left Monday morning for Oklahoma City to join Dr. Abner. She will spend several days in Oklahoma City and thence to Wenoka, where Dr. Abner is engaged in educational work and the real estate business.

The eleventh anniversary celebrated by the Benevolent club last Thursday was a great success, both financially and socially.

The members of the Second Baptist church are preparing to burn the mortgage Wednesday, January 1, in connection with the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the Emancipation.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA.

(Special to Bystander.) Mrs. A. Williams of Macomb, Ill., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. P. Harrison.

Rev. R. Holley, W. H. Milligan and Mrs. H. Raspberry are suffering with la grippe.

Mr. Wm. Martin is reported better since being removed to the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. Warren.

French Perkins is confined to his bed. Mrs. Della Marshall of Davenport passed through our city on her way to Mason City to attend her sister, Mrs. Smith, who is seriously ill. If Mrs. Smith can be moved she expects to take her to Davenport with her.

Mrs. H. Flowers is enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. Thorp, of Macomb. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Milligan en-

tertained at dinner Monday Mr. D. Sherman and on Friday Mrs. F. F. Lowery. Mrs. H. Raspberry, Mrs. A. G. Jackson and Mrs. H. Perkins spent the day and report a pleasant time.

Little Marshall Caulder is convalescent. Mrs. H. Raspberry spent Xmas day visiting in Iowa City.

Mrs. J. Robinson also made a flying trip to Iowa City one day last week.

Rev. F. J. Peterson is having quite a success with his church. The congregation is improving and much interest is being manifested.

We are sorry to learn Marshall's restaurant will be moved to 212 Third avenue East, his lease having expired, the ground being sold, and in the near future a four-story building will be erected on the ground. Marshall intends to purchase his new location; says he has let too many good chances slip.

CLARINDA, IOWA.

Mrs. Luella Banks, who had for many years lived in this city, but recently moved to Omaha, Neb., died at that place Tuesday, December 31, after a short illness of pneumonia fever at the age of 41 years.

She had been a faithful member of the A. M. E. church of this city, at which place the funeral was held Thursday, January 2, 1913, at 2 p. m., conducted by Rev. Morgan. She leaves to mourn her loss a devoted husband, seven children, father and a host of other relatives and friends. The remains were laid to rest in Rosedale cemetery. The bereaved family has the sympathy of the entire community.

Mesdames Etta Jones, Phalbia Pemberton and Mr. Perry Leneer of Red Oak attended the funeral of Mrs. Banks in this city Thursday afternoon.

Messrs. G. N. Nowlins and Galard Nash are on the sick list this week.

Miss Mabel Nash and daughter, Iola, are visiting friends in Kansas City.

Mr. Ewell Montgomery and Miss Callie Arnett spent New Year's in Red Oak.

Mrs. Jessie Carlson and Miss Winnie Johnson were visitors in Omaha on New Year's day.

Messrs. Wm. Stevens and Glen King left Tuesday for Centerville for an indefinite stay.

Miss Susie Lee has returned from Topeka, Kans.

Instead of Mrs. G. W. Williams being ill, as stated last week, it was Mrs. L. W. Williams.

On December 20 in their hall, Silver Leaf Chapter, No. 5, O. E. S., installed the following officers: Sister A. G. Jackson, W. M.; Bro. Callie Johnson, W. P.; Sister Jennie Robinson, W. A. M.; Bro. W. H. Milligan, secretary; Sister C. E. Milligan, conductor; Sister J. E. Robinson, warden; Bro. L. D. Lowery, sentinel; Sister A. Marshall, Adah; Sister H. Raspberry, Ruth; Sister M. F. Lowery, Esther. After the installation the members repaired to the parlors below, where all enjoyed the banquet which awaited them. An enjoyable time was had.

The Golden Jubilee celebration at the A. M. E. church Wednesday evening promises to be one of the big events of the season.

The Church Decoration Club No. 1 will call on each person to help in their new enterprise, so don't refuse to give 6 cents a week to help in beautifying the church.

Clyde Washington of Burlington was visiting parents and friends last week.

Mr. John Nelson is suffering with lumbago.

BURLINGTON, IOWA.

Mrs. T. A. Mead of Chicago was called to Keokuk last week to the death bed of her father, Mr. George Rideout. On her return trip she spent several hours in our city at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Henry Moore.

Mrs. M. Ross entertained on New Year's day at 6 o'clock dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. William Ashly. Covers were laid for ten.

Mrs. Claude Bland of Hamilton, Ill., Miss Kitty Owens of Keokuk and Mr. J. W. Holmes of Colfax were among the guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter King during the holidays.

Rev. Lewis H. Owens, Jr., of Fairfield was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Powell on New Year's day.

Mr. Charlie McGinnis of Aledo, Ill., has been slightly indisposed the past week and has been trying to recuperate at the cheerful little home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Palmer, 310 S. Plane street.

Mrs. C. Lewis is very ill at the home of Mrs. Lyda Bender, 823 Washington street.

Mrs. Squire Henderson entertained on last Saturday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Burdette of Monmouth, Ill.

A week of prayer which lasted from December 31 until January 9th was well attended and enjoyed by all.

The Art Industrial club will meet at the home of Mrs. Agnes Lamb on Thursday evening. All members are kindly requested to be present.

After a business meeting on Tuesday afternoon the Willing Workers served refreshments and spent a so-

cial hour that was highly appreciated by all.

At the annual election on Tuesday evening the following officers were elected in the choir: Master George King, organist; Miss Lola Brooks, chorister; Mrs. Cora Palmer, leader; Mrs. Cyrene Trent, secretary; Mrs. B. R. Penn, treasurer.

ITEMS FROM QUINCY, ILL.

Miss Adelaide Price has returned to Wilberforce to resume her studies. Mrs. Cora Harris and Mrs. Mary Mitchell are about up and around the room at this writing.

Miss Iola Allen left Saturday night for Kansas City, Mo., to visit with her sister, Mrs. Sarah Brown.

Rev. Smith of Canton, Mo., was in the city Sunday.

Mrs. Lucy Moore is on the sick list.

The Quincy colored band gave another one of their fine concerts on New Year's night at Bethel A. M. E. church to an appreciative audience.

On January 2nd, Thursday evening, the Culture club of Eighth and Elm Street Baptist church celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of the signing of the Emancipation Proclamation and the following program was rendered: Chorus, Culture choir; prayer, chaplain; chorus, Culture choir; the Emancipation Proclamation, Mrs. J. Douglas; instrumental duet, Messrs. Ewing and Bynum; Boyhood of Lincoln, Miss M. C. Warrick; piano and drum duet, Messrs. Berry and Noll; trio, Messrs. Fields, Harris and Morgan; vocal solo, Master Orville Watts; The Policies of Lincoln, Mr. Wm. Schlagenhauf; instrumental solo, Mrs. O. Wilson; vocal solo, Mr. James Wilson; vocal solo, Mr. Robert Cook; How To Celebrate Emancipation, Prof. R. A. Roberts; selection, Peerless Quartet.

Miss Oneta Gordon returned Sunday a. m. to Jerseyville, Ill., to resume the duties of her school there.

Mr. Wm. Lillye is still on the sick list.

MT. PLEASANT, IOWA.

Mr. and Mrs. Wicks and two daughters of Eldon spent a few days with relatives. She was accompanied back by her mother-in-law, Mrs. James Wicks.

The executive board, composed of Revs. Bates, Burton and Palmer, met here to officiate at the ordination of Rev. Eaves. Rev. Bates preached a very interesting sermon. After this an entertainment was given at Mrs. Sarah Barry's, which proved a success.

Rev. Palmer preached a very good sermon on Sunday following the ordination.

A social was given at the A. M. E. church on last Friday night. It was a success.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown and Bernice and Mr. M. Kelly of Burlington spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burnaugh.

Harry Johnson of Keosauqua spent Xmas here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Reed.

Mrs. Irene Neal left last Friday night for Peoria, Ill.

Mrs. M. McNeal returned from Peoria, after a three weeks' visit with her children.

Mrs. Ralph Burnaugh and Miss Myrtle were in Burlington shopping. Mrs. M. Jackson spent Sunday in Albia.

Among those who attended the dance in Burlington on Xmas were Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Carter, Miss Leona Palmer, Messrs. M. Wicks, H. Brooks, C. Logan and W. A. Burnaugh.

Mrs. Alice Colston of Keokuk spent Xmas here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Wicks.

Mr. M. Wicks of Eldon spent Xmas at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wicks.

On Tuesday evening an interesting program was given at each of the churches, which were enjoyed by all and were well attended. The programs were good and the children deserve much credit.

Mrs. George Colston spent a few days in the city visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. Richmond.

With all our Xmas pleasure we found some sadness, for on Monday evening Mrs. Addie Greene passed away suddenly while visiting a neighbor. Her demise was a terrible shock and cast much gloom over the community. During the day she had been in good health and about her daily tasks as usual. She was about 53 years of age. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, two daughters, five sons and two brothers and a host of relatives and friends. The funeral was held Friday afternoon from the A. M. E. church, of which the deceased was a member. Rev. Lowery officiated. All of the family were present except one brother.

Mr. Levi Washington of Sioux City was in the city to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Greene.

Mr. Miles Greene of Des Moines was called here on account of the death of his mother, Mrs. Greene.

Mrs. Mathews of Burlington attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Greene.

Mrs. M. Carter of Callaway county, Missouri, is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. N. Palmer.

Mr. Pearl McGill of Fairfield was M. Pleasant visitor.

Misses Ulla Gay and Leona Palmer attended the banquet in Centerville on Friday, December 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Watters and daughters, Genevieve and Hazel, have returned from Centerville.

Mrs. P. Larley and Miss H. Hunt are visiting in Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gaiters and daughters are visiting at the parental home of the latter Mr. and Mrs. S. H. McCracken.

Miss Janie Pickett and Mr. Preston of Monroe City, Mo., are visitors at the Carter home on West Henry street.

Miss Jessie Prentice of Fairfield and Mr. Armstrong of Wyoming spent Xmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Page.

One of the greatest social events of the holiday season was a four-course dinner given by the King's Daughters last Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mesdames Amanda Bartlett and Ralph Burnaugh. The parlor and dining room were artistically decorated in holly wreaths and Xmas bells and other red and green draperies.

The guests found their seats by dainty hand-made place cards. Covers were laid for twelve, the especially invited guest being Mrs. S. N. McCracken and Mrs. E. H. Gaiter of Ames.

The afternoon was pleasantly passed with music and conversation. Sachet bags were given as souvenirs, that the ladies might have sweeter thoughts of the last meeting of the year. The following menu was served: Grape fruit, roast turkey, dressing, jelly, cream gravy, mashed potatoes, creamed French peas, celery, hot rolls, butter, novelty salad, chocolate and vanilla ice cream, assorted cake, cocee, mints.

AN OBSERVER, FORMER JOURNALIST AND EXTENSIVE TRAVELER.

Comments Upon Our Recent Jubilee and Race Possibilities.

Apropos: The recent jubilee festivities, celebrated in this city under auspices of the most representative and active citizens of my race extraction, I cannot help but, where possible, express self.

It has been my God-given privilege and promise to, in some manner or another, attend every function of import somewhere and at time that has ever taken place in this or other countries concerning the welfare of my own race of people during the past twenty-six years. Yet, with and despite all, never have I witnessed such a uniform, able, clock-like and euphonious program as was that rendered by the citizens and talent of Des Moines at the Congregational churches on last New Year's day.

Very true the writer may have been fortunate in meeting and mingling with this citizenship upon a gala and holiday, but it remains to be said that his witness is such that where like precepts are carried out and adhered to success and emolument are to crown our every effort.

The philosophy which affects to teach that we are to continue the unmanly, baby-like, harping and nagging at one another is to be and must be done away with if we ever expect to rise above the mediocre in life and into its gracious work. The tendencies to develop along only singleness of line are to be nullified; the disposition to worship along the emotionalism—the ostentatious and showy—is to cease and the material and real is to be substituted therefor.

The pulpit orator, the scholar, the farmer, laborer and mechanic all are to come into their own and the desired through this recent example set channel of unanimity of action by our citizenship and people.

Very true, the millennium has not come, nor has the mirage of the promised land fully dawned. Yet both seem near at hand where like festivities are felicitated.

Our cloth as yet has not fully ceased (in denominations) to hearken and tacitly yield to the superstitious and selfish thoughts of that they are the only ones sacrificing, yet they are happily showing toward that end.

Too much credit cannot be given the committee and the directing spirit and hand which guided it (coupled with the handiwork of God) for their intellectual treat and revelations.

The writer's comments are but mild and limited to what his feelings are.

"Honi soit qui mal'y pense." Evil is he who evil does. In Latin translated we cry out: "Let justice be had though the Heavens may fall."

T. H. Jones.

ANNOUNCEMENT EXTRAORDINARY

Nothing is so soothing and pleasant to our race of people than is the meeting of class amongst them.

This surely is to be found and met at

Mickel's Rooming House 507 Grand Avenue Transients and strangers always welcome.

GALESBURG, ILL.

(Last Week.)

Wednesday evening, December 18, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Sady Clark, occurred the marriage of Mr. O. J. Smith and Miss Ora Little. Rev. S. L. Birt performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Smitin received many handsome and useful presents. They will reside in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Present from out of the city were Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Cooper, Mrs. Anna Pitts and Miss Ella Neil of Monmouth.

Mrs. Belle Carter has returned from a visit