

DALLAS LOCAL AND PERSONAL MENTION

NEWS OF THE WEEK, GATHERED HERE AND THERE; BOILED DOWN AND SERVED YOU LIKE 'EM

The Fair and the Carnival are over. Now let us turn to the next big event—Negro Trade Week.

The American Realty and Construction Company met last Friday night at Crawford's Chapel. More than \$400.00 was raised and a number of new members joined the organization. The Company is contemplating making a number of deals this winter.

Mrs. Elsie Johnson, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. Maggie Waggoner of 2117 Thompson street has returned to her home at Jefferson.

Mrs. Cleo Thompson has returned to her home at Lufkin, after a brief visit to her sister, Mrs. Elvira Johnson of 2508 Flora street.

Mr. Andrew Bush of 1825 Hughes street, is suffering with an infection of the left arm.

An aged white man was run over Monday by a heavy truck and his head was crushed. He was rushed to the city hospital where his condition was diagnosed and considered dangerous. He succumbed Tuesday morning. He was 80 years old.

You can get tickets to Sgt. Needom Roberts' lecture at Little Gem and Hooper's Drug stores.

Mrs. Hattie Miles and husband of Houston is in the city and will permanently reside. They are at present guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Riddle, 901 Allen street.

Your subscription is due, look for the collector soon.

Sam Jackson, who has been here since the death of his sister, Mrs. Rosetta Jackson Adams will remain in the city indefinitely. He is now living at Philadelphia.

Do it now, lift your side walk with cinders they are cheap and will save you of a doctor's bill and perhaps a worse one, (undertaker's bill.)

Mr. R. Scott of Calvert (was a business caller of the Dallas Express this week.

Mrs. M. E. Carr, 3003 State St., after an illness of some two or more weeks is able to be up and out again.

Mrs. Clara Craig who has been more than two weeks a guest of her sister at Jacksonville, Texas, has returned to her home at 2210 Allen.

Prof. J. N. Ervin of Jarvis Christian Institute at Hawkins, Texas, is in the city and will take full charge of the Cochran street Christian church and will preach his initial sermon, Sunday, Nov. 2.

Mrs. Mattie Porter, 3715 State St., has recovered from a very serious attack of illness.

Hear Sgt. Needom Roberts, "Hell Fighting Hero" Auditorium Pythian Temple, Thursday night, Nov. 6.

Mrs. Lillie Holman wishes to announce the marriage of her daughter, Miss Nona Belle Holman to Albert Hays, Sunday, Oct. 19, 1919, at the home of Rev. A. B. Abington, Good street, at home, 2516 Flora street.

HIGHWAYMAN CAPTURED.

A young white man said to be wanted at Fort Worth for highway robbery was arrested here Monday afternoon. He is reported to have robbed a messenger of \$25.00.

Srta. Roberts and Johnson killed 18 Germans in Argonne Forest. Come out Thursday night, Nov. 6th and find out how it was done.

ROBERSON-NOLAN NUPTIALS.

Mr. A. I. Roberson and Miss Kerleta Nolan were married in Dallas Saturday evening.

A reception was given at the home of the groom's mother, Mrs. M. Foster, 2432 Eakins street, in honor of them. Covers were laid for twenty-five and among the twenty-five persons present was a cousin who was out a family of 52 children. Many presents were given.

AN EXPLANATION.

Mrs. Sarah Bennett, 2122 Paris street authorities the Dallas Express over her signature to announce that she was married to E. R. Bennett in the county of Dallas on the 30th day of January, 1913, they were separated about a year ago and since that time (he) married again without a divorce being wanted. His death recently revealed the facts and do hereby make known that she is the legal wife of E. R. Bennett.

Signed:
MRS. SARAH BENNETT,
2122 Paris Street.

An interesting program will be rendered at Needom Roberts' lecture—don't fail to attend.

DEATH OF MRS. J. R. PERKINS.

Mrs. Jane Perkins, 3504 Spring Ave., died Sunday night, Oct. 19, 1919, after an illness of three years. She is survived by a husband, J. R. Perkins, three step-daughters, Mrs. Mary Tolbert, Dallas; Mrs. Emma Jones, Tarrant, Texas; Mrs. Beatrice Cooksie, Philadelphia, Pa., two step-sons, Mr. Ste Perkins, Dallas; Mr. Will Perkins, Tulsa, Okla. A sister, Mrs. Mag-

gie Earle, Texarkana, Texas; two brothers, Mr. Jno. Henry, Dallas; Mr. George Henry of Tyler, Texas; a nephew, Mr. Johnnie Hubert Ector of Dallas. The funeral was held at Bethel A. M. E. church, Tuesday evening at 3 o'clock. Rev. Abington assisted by Rev. Carr, officiated.

WILL DON HER FULL DRESS NEXT WEEK, NO MORE ENGLISH.

The great Dallas Express, the south's greatest race weekly has for the past two weeks been reduced to a five column weekly. Its diminutiveness nevertheless did not mar its lusty columns which was presented to public view constantly each week consisting of choice bits of home state and national news aside from this great weekly flashed fresh hunks of associated Negro Press news.

Referring to the size of the paper we have suffered from a paper famine due to a shortage in the mills and could not prevent such until relief by the mills was forthcoming with a shipment.

But next week the great weekly will again come into its own unless some unforeseen incident interferes. We thank you very kindly for your patients and endurance while donned in our "English togs."

Buy your tickets in advance because the Pythian Temple auditorium will not seat the great crowd which will come late to see Sgt. Needom Roberts.

BAPTIST MINISTERS ASSOCIATION MEETS.

Members of the Baptist ministers association assembled at the usual hour 11:30 Monday morning at Macedonia Baptist church. The meeting was called to order by Dr. B. Moore of El Bethel Baptist church, Oak Cliff upon the absence of the president and vice president both of whom were out of the city.

Song and scripture reading after which prayer was invoked by the Rev. L. M. Caddell, in conclusion of the prayer the meeting was formerly opened for business. Several churches represented in the ass'n in their reports showed an excellent spiritual and financial success.

The Rev. R. H. Williams of Shawnee, Oklahoma, was introduced and in a manner befittingly praised the excellent work of the association.

CARD OF THANKS.

We take this method of thanking our score of friends for their kindness and generosity shown to us in our hours of sorrow and grief during the illness and death of our wife and mother, Mrs. Janie Perkins whose life because extinct Sunday, October 19th on Spring avenue.

Again we are desirous of thanking those of our friends who contributed so largely such beautiful floral offerings and grant that they may enjoy the rich blessings of the Deity. May God bless each and every one of them.

Submissively yours
J. R. PERKINS, Husband.
MRS. MARY TALBERT,
MRS. EMMA JONES, Dtrs.
MR. SIE O. PERKINS, Son.

See the first American hero at Pythian Temple, Thursday night, Nov. 6th.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH

Oak Cliff.

Rev. S. G. Guster, Pastor. Sunday school was largely attended. At 11:30 pastor preached an interesting sermon from 1st Sam. 20:41 subject, "A True Friend." At 5 p. m. the the B. Y. P. U. met and had a good lesson taught by the teachers. At 8 o'clock, Rev. F. P. Thornton of Abilene, Texas, preached a string sermon from 11 Cor. 5:10, the great sermon was enjoyed by all that heard him. One of our good members, Mrs. Rena Jackson is leaving for California. Proceeds \$35.39.

Whereas, it has pleased the Almighty God to take from our neighborhood another earthly flower, Mrs. Janie Perkins, our neighborhood, mourns the lost of a true neighbor and Christian friend and a loving and devoted wife. We bow in humble submission to our Heavenly Father.

We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family for we feel sure that their lost is Heavens' gain and when former things have passed away and we have reached the city fair illumined by the eternal day no pains nor sorrow shall be there. God's tender hands will dry our tears and banish weariness and care, through all the glad celestial years. No pain nor sorrow shall be there.

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family as a token of our memory of Sister Perkins and a copy be sent the Colored press for publication, Humbly submitted,

Sister Bina George.
Sister Lee Woods.
W. Thompsons.
Jno. McDaniel.

CITY BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

According to records in the office of the Bureau of Vital Statistics in the month of October there were fourteen babies of Negro extraction born out of which four were boys and the remaining ten were girls. The day and date of birth will be found below:

To Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Goss, 2105 Gibson, Wednesday, Oct. 15, a girl.
To Mr. and Mrs. Jake Norway, 1112 Alma street, Wednesday, Oct. 15th a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, 2216 Dale Alley, Saturday, Oct. 18, a girl.
To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hearnard, 2125 Santa Fe Avenue, Friday, Oct. 17th, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Joshua Smith, 3201 Harmon, Tuesday, Oct. 21, a girl.
To Mr. and Mrs. Maxhan Buchanan, 208 South Hill, Sunday, Oct. 19th, a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers Mills, 1110 Pacific Avenue, Monday, Oct. 20th, a girl.
To Mr. and Mrs. C. Ford, 2107 Gibson street, Saturday, Oct. 25th, a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cooksie, 205 Walton, Tuesday, Oct. 21st, a girl.
To Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Glasco, 2816 Williams street, Friday, Oct. 24th a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Silas Douglass, 2927 Williams street, Saturday, Oct. 25th a girl.
To Mr. and Mrs. James Bell, 2400 Flora street, Friday, Oct. 24th, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Jones, 3410 New street, Saturday, Oct. 18th, a girl.
To Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Smith, route 2 Palestine, Texas, Monday, Oct. 13th, a boy.

DEATHS.

Date and place of death as they appear on record:
Robert Brown, Friday, Oct. 17th at 3529 Meadow street.

Andrew J. Doesty, Wednesday, Oct. 18th at 2820 State street.
Edward Bennett, Saturday, Oct. 18th at 1023 Sabine street.

Lillie Burnice Sweet, Monday, Oct. 20th th 1914 Boll street.
Mrs. Janie Perkins, Sunday, Oct. 19th, 2547 Spring avenue.

Fletcher Howard, Monday, Oct. 20, 926 St. Louis.
Mrs. Rosetta Adams, Tuesday, Oct. 20th, 1908 Hall street.

Mrs. Ella Evans, Thursday, Oct. 23rd, 2003 Taylor street.

CINDERS MAY BE PUT ON ALLEN STREET.

A movement has been inaugurated by Father J. J. Ferdinand to place cinders on all side walks on Allen street. The movement was given much precedence as Allen street is practically out of commission for passing when it rains. It is likely to be a rainy winter and passage on Allen will be impossible if the citizens of this street fail to do their duty in this respect. Do it now.

Cinders are cheap. Everybody put your mite down for this improvement so that you may be able to get out of your yard to the store or to town without getting wet and muddy up to the knees.

DALLAS EXPRESS NEWS BOX IS TO BE ESTABLISHED.

The Dallas Express representatives will establish in North Dallas, at convenient places, news boxes and all persons possessing items of news such as arrivals and departure of friends, parties, receptions, weddings and other items of news may write as plainly as possible on one side of the paper and drop same in the box on Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays of each weeks to get in time for the following week's publication. The first box will be established at Gooden's grocery store on State and Thompson streets, and other boxes will be placed as locations are arranged.

J. ALBA AUSTIN, City Editor.

WILL ENTERTAIN WITH BOX RECEPTION.

The ladies of the Evening Chapel C. M. E. church will entertain with a box entertainment, Monday night, Nov. 3rd.

With the presentation of this affair Dallas citizens will be presented with something new and entirely different.

It promises to be featured with wholesome amusements and each will profit by lending their presence. Committees who will conduct arranging of the affair: Mesdames C. Tinsley, president; A. Daugherty, L. Johns, E. Wyatt, M. Barrett, Jessie Mae Fields, L. A. Carpenter, A. Lacy, and Miss Rolin.

REV. JORDAN UNDERGOES AN OPERATION.

Rev. J. A. Jordan was operated on in a local sanitarium recently. It is said it was a major operation. He is doing very well at this writing.

J. B. McCULLOCH DIES IN MUSKOGEE. ACTIVE IN TEXAS AND OKLAHOMA FOR MANY YEARS IN EDUCATIONAL WORK AND REAL-ESTATE BUSINESS.

J. B. McCulloch died at his home in Muskogee, Okla., Wednesday afternoon, October 15th. He had felt the approach of a nervous breakdown since early summer, but did not give up his work until four weeks before his death. He was sixty-eight years old.

With him during his last illness were his wife, a brother, Henry Bowers of Clarksville, Texas, and six of his children, Mrs. Mattie J. Bostick of Nashville, Mrs. Lula B. Carrington of Chicago, Wynn D. McCulloch of Omaha, Stewart S., of New York, David and Mildred. He was buried Sunday from Ward's Chapel A. M. E. church.

J. B. McCulloch was prominent in school and church work in Texas, for many years before moving to Oklahoma. He was born in Clarksville, Texas, June 12, 1851, and after the close of the war got his early education under the most trying conditions. When the first Reconstruction school opened its doors in Clarksville for Negro boys and girls he was there to make his start. But the instruction given in this school was meagre, and he would not limit himself to what was offered there. Although only a boy of fourteen and compelled to earn his own living, he studied every book he could obtain and thus, at the age of eighteen, was able to begin teaching a district school, one of the first of his race to teach school in the county. He was afterwards graduated from the State Normal at Prairie View, taught in Wiley University, and then went back to Clarksville to become principal of the Colored schools. He was the principal there eighteen years and during that time he was the leader in educational work among his people in the county, was for a number of years a trustee of Wiley and on many occasions was appointed to conduct summer state normals. In 1897 he established a school for Colored children, largely at his own expense, in a community adjacent to Clarksville. This school became the center of a thickly settled community which afterwards was made a part of the town.

To church work he gave a large part of his time, thought and means from the days of his early manhood. He joined the Methodist Episcopal church in 1881 and was a leader in getting the church established in Clarksville. For more than fifteen years he was chairman of the Board of Trustees and Superintendent of the Sunday School and was frequently chosen to represent his church at the annual and general conferences.

He moved to Muskogee in 1901, and engaged in the real estate and insurance business. Muskogee was then in the first stages of its growth and J. B. McCulloch was among the men of his race who took the lead in acquiring city property, providing for Negro business enterprises by erecting substantial brick buildings, and opening up new residential sections. For a number of years he was the largest holder of city property of any member of his race in Muskogee. The present Canard addition to Muskogee is due principally to his efforts in those early days. He was one of the organizers and a director and officer of the first bank established in Muskogee by Colored men, the People's Bank & Trust Company.

At the time of his death he was a member of the African Methodist church and of the Knights of Pythian Lodge.

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT, AN ARRAY OF TALENT.

Winona, Texas, Oct. 30.—The Musical Entertainment given by the music department of Lynn Spring school, Friday night, Oct. 3rd, under direction of Mrs. S. S. Burton-Demry was quite a success. The pianist of the evening was Mrs. Demry and two of her pupils, Misses Cleo M. King and Mahalla Travis. The vocal music was rendered by a chorus of young Misses from Lynn Spring and Mt. Olive schools and the Lynn Spring Choral club under direction of Prof. M. D. Davis. Then was introduced as the speaker of the evening Prof. C. W. Smith of Jarvis Christian Institute, who delivered one of his "master-pieces" in the form of a lecture on the importance of a music education. Those who did not hear him certainly missed a treat, for it was logical and inspiring from beginning to end. Then followed a series of interesting remarks by Mrs. F. J. Hankins, Prof. A. C. Demry, Dr. Wm. Battee and Prof. M. D. Davis, master of ceremonies. The sum of many dollars was realized from the sale of refreshments. The piano music department of Lynn Spring school opened Monday, Oct. 6th, 1919, at 10 o'clock a. m. to continue a term of seven months after a short program followed quite a creditable enrolment for the term with tuition paid in advance. Several visitors witnessed the opening.

MRS. S. S. (BURTON) DEMRY,
Music Instructor.

MRS. F. J. HANKINS, Reporter.

Come early and secure a good seat to see the "Hell Fighting Hero" Thursday night, Nov. 6th.

OAK CLIFF.

Oak Cliff, Texas, Oct. 30.—Mrs. Grace Edwards spent the week-end with her mother, whom she will take back with her to Denton county. Mr. Jack Loyd spent Saturday, Sunday with his wife.

Mrs. W. H. White of North Cliff street, is on the sick list also Mr. W. Moore of 324 N. Cliff street.

Elizabeth Chapel.

Sunday school at 9 o'clock was well attended. Excellent sermon by the pastor at 11 a. m. Night service was given over to the Epworth League which rendered a grand program. Collections for the day \$20.00.

Rev. G. H. Harlike, Pastor
El Bethel Baptist Church.

Rev. B. Moore, Pastor. Sunday, an ideal worship and church day. The weather wishing to change the scene from cloud and rain to that of sunny pleantry and the church goers took advantage and were seen winding their way to the house of worship.

Sunday school was well attended and much interest is being manifested. Sisters Gertrude Wallace, teacher of the Young Men's class is cheerful over winning the banner.

The morning sermon is the ideal services of the church. Rev. Moore took for his text, "The Old Path," Jeremiah 6:16. It was full of inspirations and wholesome thoughts.

At 3 o'clock p. m., Rev. Moore and congregation attended Salem Baptist church. The choir furnishing music. 'Tis a foregone conclusion that El Bethel choir is equal to any in the city, ask those who know and have heard our choir. Donation to Salem church \$15.00. The visit was highly delightful. The night services at El Bethel was the climax of the day's worship. Rev. Moore taking for his text, Mark 5:30, "The Touch that Tells." To say, that the sermon was excellent is a slight expression of its greatness. We gladly and truthfully boast of having one of the best pastors of the state. He is a profound, logical, intellectual and inspired Christian minister.

El Bethel keeps a standing invitation to strangers and visitors. We will make it home-like for visitors. Come to the "Home for Strangers."

Reception of new members, four; who eagerly cast their lot with us.

Look for announcements of Thanksgiving day program later.

Rev. Hill, "The Old Rough and Ready" is still the constant attendant and helper, speaks praises of Pastor Moore.

See Mr. G. A. Turner, the reporter of Oak Cliff, for the Dallas Express and News.

R. E. Jones, Church Reporter.

FORMER DALLAS MAN DIES IN CALIFORNIA.

Mrs. J. V. A. Burch of 3404 Roseland street received a message announcing the death of her cousin, Charlie Thomas, formerly of Dallas and Fort Worth which occurred at Long Beach, Calif., recently.

Mr. Thomas was born in Dallas and attended public school here years ago, and also at Fort Worth. He with his mother moved many years ago to California to live, there they purchased a beautiful home on the beach and remained there until his death. His mother having died some years ago.

He leaves an aunt, Mrs. Donnie B. Brooks of Long Beach, Cal., and a cousin, Mrs. J. V. A. Burch of Dallas to mourn their loss.

FERRIS.

Ferris, Texas, Oct. 30.—Rev. Strait was here Sunday getting things ready for the annual conference. Rev. J. S. A. Trower, accompanied by his new wife were with his people Sunday at True Vine Baptist church. Rev. Scott of Ennis, the preaching, hero, preached for him at 3 p. m. We regret that we have not enough preachers as Rev. Scott to "go around." Mrs. Cassie Collins Watsons of Dallas while here Sunday visiting relatives called on her old pal, Mrs. F. A. Littles. Mr. Jno. Wilkins, has moved to Van Alstyne. Miss Addie Huitt spent the week-end in Fort Worth with her sister. Mrs. Dollie Sanders visited her daughter, there also last week. The Express is on cash basis strictly—please don't ask for credit.

At Jacksonville, every Saturday, McGee's Barber Shop at Cuney every Friday, J. Z. Thomas Store; at Poyner, Jim Warrens, once every month. At Mound Prairie, W. H. Porters, once every month.

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