

CITY LOCALS

Mrs. Harrison Gould is sick at her home on Sixteenth street.

Mr. Ben Lewis of Fayette, Iowa, was visiting his sisters, Miss Maud Lewis and Mrs. J. S. Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Erickson left last week for Chicago to make that their future home.

Mrs. Amanda Weathly and her niece, Miss Mabel Brown, will leave for Omaha to spend Easter.

Dr. A. J. Booker was invited to the platform last Wednesday at the citizens' patriotic mass meeting.

The Progressive Art club met at the home of Edward Cooley. After business the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Allie Divers on April 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Nichols entertained Mrs. Beatrice Cleveland of St. Joe and Mrs. Geo. Redmond to a two-course dinner last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Patton's little boy, who has been very sick with pneumonia the past fortnight, is improving now.

Mrs. Frank P. Johnson left last week for Chicago to consult some specialist in regard to her health. Her many friends hope that she may soon regain her former health.

Atty. S. Joe Brown has been attending the district court of Dallas county at Adel every day this week.

Mrs. Susie Dealy of Iowa City is visiting this week with her daughter, Mrs. L. A. Bradford, who is now in charge of the Thompson hotel.

The Kloster Art and Embroidery club met at Mrs. L. Brown's, West Eleventh street. Needle work was the order, after which the hostess served refreshments. Adjourned to meet with Mrs. L. Franklin on Wednesday, April 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Erickson, who formerly run the Palace Sweet Restaurant, has bought themselves a nice home at 750 W. Tenth street, where they will be delighted to receive their friends.

The Negro Civic League, 759 West Ninth street, had an overflow meeting Sunday. The subject was "Patriotism," and was discussed by the entire assemblage and business of forming a sanitary committee for the city of Des Moines among the Negroes was organized. There will be no meeting Easter Sunday, but the following Sunday, April 15, the league will be addressed by H. H. Polk.

The Mary Church Terrill club was entertained Monday evening by Miss Tabitha Mash. After the lesson on the "Holy Grail," given by Mrs. Pearl Thompson, the following program will be given: Lesson on "Holy Grail," led by Mrs.

PERSONAL—Wanted to correspond with respectable, intelligent, unincumbered middle aged, light complexioned maiden lady with brains and money for a wife and business partner. Address Mizpah, care editor of The Bystander, 201 7th St., Des Moines, Ia.

The revival that has been running for the past four weeks in the A. M. E. Zion church at Fourth and Allen streets has closed with a grand success, with seventeen accessions to the church. The presiding elder, O. G. Moss, was present and held the quarterly meeting and we were able to pay him his quarterly fund. We are toiling hard and hope for great and grand success in the future. Baptizing the last Sunday in this month. Also a grand rally. Rev. D. Donald, pastor.

HOTEL GUESTS.
Pennie Jones of Fort Dodge, B. R. Mosby of Lincoln, Neb., A. Ramies of Fort Worth, Neb., Geo. E. Jackson of Marshalltown, Iowa, Mrs. Susie Dealy of Iowa City, Iowa.

King Solomon Commandery, No. 6, will observe Easter Sunday afternoon at Maple Street Baptist church, Ninth and Maple, at 2:30 o'clock. All sir knights are requested to meet at their hall on Tenth and Center streets at 1:30. By order of E. C.

The superintendent and teachers of St. Paul's A. M. E. Sunday school have arranged a special program for Easter Sunday at 2 p. m. sharp. Opening song by school, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name." Invocation by pastor. Easter lesson read by Mrs. Dr. Wilson. Recitation, Develma Hall. Exercise by class No. 1, Mrs. Glass, teacher. Selection by chorus of thirty voices, under the leadership of Mrs. Chas. C. Johnson. Oration, Mr. Wm. Oney. Exercise by class No. 3, Miss Mash, teacher. Soprano solo, Miss Elizabeth Henry, Hiawatha, Kn. Recitation by Jewel Russell. Special selection by class No. 14, Mrs. Gus Nichols, teacher. Recitation, Zenalia Dozier. Soprano solo, "Perfect Day," Miss Lucile Morrison. Duet, Mary Morrison and Hortense Woods. Public invited. Selection by class No. 4, Bro. Edwards, teacher.

LECTURE AT BETHEL A. M. E. CHURCH BY DR. A. J. BOOKER.
Dr. A. J. Booker will lecture at Bethel A. M. E. church Friday, April 13, on "Causes and Prevention of Tuberculosis." Dr. Booker has awakened decided interest among Rev. Perry and his members by his very instructive and illustrative lectures. These lectures are free to the public and to miss one you greatly rob yourself.

TO OUR FRIENDS.
For the expressions of sympathy, the beautiful floral tributes given, and the kindly assistance of our friends at the time of the death and burial of my husband, Jefferson H. Davis, I tender my sincere thanks.
Mrs. Jefferson H. Davis.

N. A. A. C. P.
At the meeting of the executive committee of the Des Moines branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People last Monday evening resolutions were adopted approving of the efforts of Dr. J. E. Spingarn, chairman of the national executive committee, to induce the war department of the national government to make provisions for the training of colored men for officers of such colored troops as shall be raised if war is declared. Atty. S. Joe Brown, president, and Dr. A. J. Booker, chairman of the educational committee, reported that they were having much success in their efforts to secure the names of 100 colored men in this vicinity who are willing to serve the country in any capacity they should be needed for. Messrs. I. M. Jones and Harry Walters and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cousins were re-elected to membership in the branch.

ST. PAUL'S A. M. E. CHURCH ITEMS.
Easter Sunday will mark a grand religious feast at St. Paul's. Morning service sermon by the pastor. Theme, "A Risen Savior." Special music. Baptism of infants and adults and reception of full members.

Sunday school will render a beautiful program at 2 p. m. Dinner will be served in the dining room from 12 m. to 2 p. m.

Evening service: Easter cantata by the white-robed choir. Director, Miss Ethel Bomar.

Bring birds, flowers and good cheer and spend the day at St. Paul's.

The Mite Missionary society gave a luncheon Monday night. Their next entertainment will be given in May, to be known as a May festival. Watch for dates.

Sewing Circle observed Good Friday with a union prayer service.

All members are requested to wear an American flag on their breast. This is our country. Be patriotic.

ORIGINAL NOTICE.
In the district court of the state of Iowa, in and for Polk county, May term, A. D. 1917.
Nellie Legin, plaintiff,
vs.
Mannie Legin, defendant.

You are hereby notified that on or before the 20th day of March, A. D. 1917, the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause will be filed in the office of the clerk of the district court of the state of Iowa, in and for Polk county, Iowa, claiming of you an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony now and heretofore existing between you, on the ground of willful desertion without a just cause.

For further information see petition on file in the office of the clerk of the district court of the state of Iowa in and for Polk county.

And unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the next term, being the May term of said court, which will commence at Des Moines on the 7th day of May, 1917, default will be entered against you and judgment and decree rendered thereon.

Dated this 28th day of March, 1917.
J. B. Rush,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

ORIGINAL NOTICE.
In the district court of the state of Iowa, in and for Polk county, May term, A. D. 1917.
H. L. Wright, plaintiff,
vs.
Glaydis Wright, defendant.

To You are hereby notified that on or before the 20th day of April, A. D. 1917, the petition of plaintiff in the above entitled cause will be filed in the office of the clerk of the district court of the state of Iowa, in and for Polk county, Iowa, claiming of you an absolute divorce from the bond of matrimony now existing between you, on the ground of desertion. For further information see petition on file in the office of the clerk of district court of the state of Iowa in and for Polk county, Iowa.

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Dated this 16th day of March, 1917.
John L. Thompson,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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More Washington Portraits.
A rare and curious mosaic portrait of George Washington in the library of the late Lafayette S. Richardson of Lowell, Mass., was auctioned off last year in Boston. It is entitled "George Washington, late president of the United States of America, etc." and was published March 14, 1801, by J. Hinton Lindon. It is a small folio and is colored by hand. It looks as much like George III. as it does the Father of His Country. Baker, who wrote the "Engraved Portraits of Washington," says that only one impression of this mosaic has come under the notice of the writer. It was neither the Clarkson nor the Carson sale of Washington portraits.

Insist on Yellow Flour.
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In business houses telephone receivers are frequently left off the hook when the party wanted forgets to talk after he has been summoned by the person who answered the telephone.

The Receiver is Forgotten

Many times telephone calls in residences are answered on the main telephone downstairs and the receiver left off the hook while the person wanted is summoned. Then if the party talks over the extension telephone upstairs, the receiver on the main telephone is often forgotten and left resting on the stand or table.

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Notes from the lark I'll borrow:
Bird, prune thy wing, nightingale, sing,
To give my love good-morrow;
To give my love good-morrow
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Wake from thy nest, Robin-red-breast,
Sing, birds, in every furrow;
And from each hill, let music shrill
Give my fair love good-morrow!
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