

CITY LOCALS

We wish that every subscriber in the city would make a strong effort to pay the collector part if not all of their delinquent subscriptions as we need the money.

When in our city stop at the Des Moines Hotel, 121 W. 4th St., for good rooms, first class meals. Everything new, clean and neat. Don't forget the place, 121 4th St., or phone Walnut 3618.

Mrs. Jennie Couch of 1351 Fremont is visiting her sister in Kansas City.

Mrs. Wade H. McCree, who has been ill, is better.

The city board has called many of our boys to form the quota of Polk county to go to Camp Dodge July 16th.

Miss Harriett Alexander has been appointed head of the Junior R. I. Cross work at Franklin play grounds.

Mrs. Maude Knight of Perry, Iowa, was in the city this week attending to business.

For neatly furnished rooms, strangers and soldiers' wives look me over. Mrs. S. Cooper, 1312 Center St.

It is definitely known that the entire 36th Infantry, stationed at Camp Dodge, have all reached the other side safely.

Mrs. I. N. Daniels of Evingston, Ill., delegate to the Mite Missionary Convention, was the guest of Mrs. R. N. Hyde last week.

The members of the M. C. T. Club with their husbands and friends enjoyed a picnic out on the urbandale line Thursday, July 4th.

Mrs. N. M. Brewer and family left Wednesday a. m. for Kansas City to spend a few weeks with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Peter Bell received a telegram of the death of her daughter, Mrs. N. D. Valentine, in Los Angeles, formerly Miss Laura P. Bell. An obituary will be published later.

Miss Mary Ellen McCree has returned from her vacation and will be pleased to consult with a limited number of people who wish to take piano lessons. Phone Wal. 1724.

Mrs. Audra Alexander left last week for a visit with her relatives in Denver, Colo. While there she will represent the Mary Church Terrell Club at the National Association which convenes in that city, July 8th to 13th.

Mr. Wm. Shackelford left Saturday evening for Nebraska City, Neb., called there by the death of his mother, Mrs. Millie Simmons. He will visit relatives and friends in Omaha before returning home.

Mrs. P. King of Burlington, a delegate to the Missionary Society in our city, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burnaugh, on 16th St. She was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Thompson Sunday.

Mrs. Lowry and daughter, Mrs. Oliver, of St. Joseph, Mo., passed through our city Wednesday en route to Ames, Iowa, to visit with her son, Mr. Mose Lowry of that city.

Mrs. J. L. Neal and Mrs. T. B. Stovall of Minneapolis, Minn., who were here last week attending the Mite Missionary Society of the Chicago district, spent a few days visiting our city. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Griffin.

The Phyllis Wheatley Art Club met Wednesday with Mrs. Emma Todd. Election of officers. Mrs. Hattie Jackson re-elected President; Mrs. Todd, Secretary; Mrs. Lillian Burrell, Treasurer; Mrs. Mary Winslow, re-elected Chaplain. Installation of officers next Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Winslow, 1056 4th St.

Those who will leave next week for Council Bluffs, Iowa, to attend Masonic Grand Lodge are B. J. Hack, B. J. W.; C. C. Johnson, G. Custodian; Past Grand Master E. T. Banks, John L. Thompson, S. Joe Brown, C. B. Woods, W. M., Jas. B. Mitchell, Jas. B. Rush, A. Wilson.

The D. Y. W. Y. K. Art Club will meet during the summer at Union Park. Mrs. Berdie Wells hostess Tuesday, July 16. These dutiful young women you know are doing a great work crocheting and knitting helmets, scarfs and sweaters for the Red Cross. At pres-

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ent they are making burlap curtains for the Colored Y. M. C. A. on Park St. Keep the good work up.

NOTICE. Madam M. Brooks wishes to announce that after July 15, 1918, her course in scientific hair growing will be \$25.00, instead of her former price, \$15.00. All who desire taking her course before July 15th are urged to begin at once. Write her at 1623 Searle St., Des Moines, Iowa. Phone Maple 1805.

Mesdames J. L. Neal and T. B. Stovall of Minneapolis and Mrs. P. King of Burlington enjoyed an auto sight seeing of our city Sunday afternoon to the Ft. Des Moines new base hospital, also our parks, escorted by Mr. and Mrs. John L. Thompson.

DES MOINES HOTEL GUESTS. W. S. Cormin, St. Joe; W. M. Mason Cormin, St. Joe; L. P. Kersko, Kansas City; Wm. Curry, Danville, Ill.; Tancy Lillie, Waterloo, Iowa; Chas. Hall, Cedar Rapids; W. A. Vance, Stewart, Iowa; M. Ousley, St. Louis, Mo.; J. Nelson, St. Louis; Clarence Newder, Kansas City.

Miss Billie Rickmon is visiting Mrs. Crump.

Little Bobby Hyde celebrated his second birthday Wednesday, July 3rd, by entertaining fourteen of his little friends. The children were entertained at the Franklin play grounds by Miss Adale Hyde, supervisor, with games and stories, after which Bobby escorted them back to his home, where delicious refreshments were served. The birthday cake, a gift of his grandmother, Mrs. R. N. Hyde, was decorated with two candles. He received many presents.

The Mary Church Terrell Club Girls met with Miss Talitha Mash, at which time the following officers were elected for the next six months: Mrs. Nellie Esters, President; Mrs. Emerald Mash, Vice President; Mrs. Adah Hyde, Secretary; Miss Tabitha Mash, Treasurer; Mrs. Coleen Jones, Chaplain; Mrs. Johnnie Shaw, Critic; Miss Margaret Roberts, Journalist; Miss Marie I. Bell, Parliamentarian; Miss Gertrude Hyde, Reporter. Mrs. Lula McCree will install the officers at the next meeting, which will be held at the home of Mrs. Anna Perkins on 14th St.

Mrs. Minola Bell and daughter, Miss Dorcis, of Burlington, Iowa, were club guests and gave very interesting talks. Delicious refreshments were served.

ROCK ISLAND NEWS. Sunday, June 23, was St. John Day. Rev. Boyd preached a grand sermon. A large number from Monmouth, Galesburg and Kewanee was present. The Masons served a lovely dinner at 12 o'clock in the dinner room of the Mel Kinley Baptist Church. The Masonic order marched from their hall down to the church, led by the colored band boys, and it certainly was one grand sight.

Louis Winsor has one of his schoolmates visiting him.

Mr. Colbert may stay in the city until he is called into service.

Mrs. Kipper is on the sick list at this writing.

Mr. G. Pearson met with bad luck. He ran a nail in his arm.

Miss B. Edmunds attended the Dav-entport grammar school exercises.

Mrs. S. Overton's baby, who has been very sick, is much improved at present.

Miss Emily Harper called Saturday afternoon on B. Edmunds.

C. White and sisters, E. Harper, B. Edmunds, L. Winsor and Colbert were visitors at the A. M. E. Sunday school Sunday.

Sunday, June 30, was the last day for the George Jazz Band at the Watch Tower.

Monday, July 1, a large number attended the first dance at the Tower this season.

Mrs. Harper called on Mrs. M. Pearson Sunday afternoon and she made a few more calls.

Louis Winsor is working in one of our white drug stores and we are very glad to have one of our color there and we hope he will carry himself so he can remain there until he is called for camp.

Help for Those Who Have Stomach Trouble. After doctoring for about twelve years for a bad stomach trouble, and spending nearly five hundred dollars for medicine and doctors' fees, I purchased my wife one box of Chamberlain's Tablets, which did her so much good that she continued to use them and they have done her more good than all of the medicine I bought before.—Samuel Boyer, Potosi, Iowa.

Twenty-five Cents is the Price of Peace. The terrible itching and smarting, incident to certain skin diseases, is almost instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Salve. Price 25 cents.

A Question. Said the near cynic: "Judging from the time some of the young blood of this town arrive home in the morning, it's hard to tell whether to call them night owls or larks."

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Vive Clemenceau! A Lesson by the Warrior of the Stout Heart. By GUY F. LEE.

"Give me six months to live," Clemenceau, seventy-seven, leader of France, said to his doctor Thursday. "That's all I want."

Six months that he may see the Hun driven from the soil of his fathers.

Six months that he may see a start toward the restoration of those quaint and beautiful towns, now only broken fragments of desolation and despair.

Six months that he may see the husbandry of peace again tilling the shell-torn ground for the return of the flowers and grass and trees.

Six months that he may see the homecoming of "le grande armee"—sound cheers for the millions marching along the Champs Elysee, and weep tears for the millions back there who are not coming home save in the hearts of the world.

It will be a busy six months for Clemenceau; 24 hours a day, his daily program. His words to the doctor: "Tell me frankly if I can carry on for the next six months in that devil of a way I carry on now; six months as all I want."

Stout heart of a nation of stout hearts: may you have sixty times the six months you ask!

Such nobility, such courage, will spur our soldiers on to added fighting zeal. For us at home it is a message that should bring quickly the zero hour when the Liberty loan goes over the top!

TWO KINDS OF PATRIOTISM. Mr. Farmer, you have brought a lot of idle land into tillage this spring. You are going to raise all the grain and forage and live stock your farm can be made to produce. That's one kind of patriotism, and a very necessary kind.

Every farmer who brings a new acre of land into cultivation is a soldier on the firing line for liberty and democracy.

But there is another kind of patriotism that is just as necessary. It is just as necessary that the stuff you produce shall be put at the disposal of the fighting forces, as it is that you should raise it.

That means money. You have money to pay for the labor of farming your land and producing grain and stock. The government must have money to buy your produce for the fighting men in France. Money is absolutely necessary to buy food, munitions, clothing, ships and medical stores.

You are doing your duty in raising the crops, that is very true. But in a war like this one no man does his full duty who does not do all that he possibly can do.

Bring out the grain you have stored away. Sell it at the fair price fixed by the government.

Bring out the money you have stored up in the banks, or hidden away in your iron box behind the barn. Every dollar is urgently needed.

Invest every idle dollar you have in Liberty bonds. The government will repay you in a few years. Meantime you will receive interest at the rate of 4 1/2 per cent, with valuable tax exemptions, to make the investment better. Invest every dollar you can in Liberty bonds.

Every dollar you bring out of concealment means \$10 added to the fighting capacity of the United States in the world war.

WHY WE MUST SAVE MEAT Statement of the Reduction of Supplies Among Our Associates in the War.

Food Administrator Deems is notified that a very great shortage exists in English meat. The situation in view of interest and importance in view of the fact that the withdrawal of meatless days by the food administration, was to continue until May 1. The reports from England are to the effect that the amount of home-grown meat of all kinds coming to the principal markets there has averaged only 55,000,000 pounds per week since January 1, as against 227,000,000 pounds average for the same period in 1916. The number of cattle coming to English markets has decreased 65 per cent, sheep 40 per cent and hogs 68 per cent, compared to the same period for 1916. "These figures," said Mr. Deems, "are a complete answer to anyone who may raise the question as to why it is necessary for the United States to send so much food to our associates in the war."

Send it to Our Boys. Saving wheat is a military necessity! Will you permit appetite or habit to take precedence over patriotism and duty? Eat no wheat! Look for and pay for your paper now when we call. Subscribe for the Bystander.

WITH OUR CHURCHES CHURCH DIRECTORY.

MAPLE ST. BAPTIST CHURCH. East Maple Street. Rev. Samuel Bates, pastor. 11:00 a. m.—Preaching. 1 p. m.—Sunday school. 6 p. m.—B. Y. P. U. 7:30—Preaching. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Corinthian Baptist Church Fifteenth and Linden Sts. G. W. Robinson, Pastor. 11 a. m.—Preaching. 1 p. m.—Sunday school. 6:30 p. m.—B. Y. P. U. 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. Christian Endeavor at 6:15 p. m. Lieut. M. H. Thompson, president. Evening services at 7:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday. Everybody invited at all of these services.

St. Paul's A. M. E. Church Second and Center. Rev. S. L. Birt, D. D., Pastor. 10:45 a. m.—Preaching. 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. J. H. Reynolds, Supply 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. Hodge, Pastor. 511 S. E. Fourth St. 11:30 a. m.—Preaching. 1:00 p. m.—Sunday school. 6:30 p. m.—V. C. E. Society. 8 p. m.—Preaching.

ASBURY M. E. CHURCH. Worshiping temporarily in Masonic hall, 11th and Center Sts. Rev. F. D. Woodford, Pastor. Residence 844 13th St. 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. 12:30 p. m.—Class meeting. 1:00 p. m.—Sunday school. 6:30 p. m.—Christian Endeavor. 7:30 p. m.—Evening worship.

Sore Nipples. Any mother who has had experience with this distressing ailment will be pleased to know that they may be relieved by applying Chamberlain's Salve as soon as the child is done nursing. Wipe it off with a soft cloth before allowing the babe to nurse. Many trained nurses use this salve with best results.

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