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15,000 ELKS MAKING PREPARATIONS TO COME TO KANSAS CITY NEXT AUGUST.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 9.—Special trains will bring from Birmingham, Atlanta, Minneapolis, St. Louis, two from Chicago, two from Washington, New York, Boston, Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Hampton, Va., Norfolk, Va., Richmond, Va., Tulsa, Muskogee, Oklahoma City and special pullmans are coming from every important city in the country.

The Elks convention will bring more Negro visitors to our city than we have ever witnessed before at any other convention. Every band in the two Kansas Cities has been engaged for that week. Melford's Second Regiment band has been secured as the official band for the local Elks. Visiting bands will come from Chicago, St. Louis, Tulsa, Topeka, Baltimore and Washington; others will be heard from later. The Eighth Regiment band of Chicago will furnish music for the grand ball. The Elks grand ball will be held on Tuesday night, August 24 at convention hall and more than ten thousand will attend. You had better secure your reservations for boxes now. Several parties from New York, Washington, Chicago, Boston and Cleveland have sent in reservations for boxes for the grand ball. Yes it is strictly a dress affair.

The old town is going to be decorated as never before. Start now to get out the old flags and show the visitors from the east what a real city we have.

The new Lincoln theatre has been secured for the business sessions of the Elks convention; Lyric hall has been secured for the week work as the general headquarters for the Kansas City Elks. Lincoln High school has been secured for the business sessions of the grand temple; two hundred and fifty temples will be represented; five hundred Elks lodges will send delegates; five hundred Elks and their friends will leave Chicago on a special train arriving here Sunday, August 22. The Grand Exalted Ruler, Hon. Geo. W. F. McMechen of Baltimore, accompanied by his family will arrive here Sunday morning, August 22 and will be met at the station by every member of Mid West lodge in uniform headed by the Second Regiment band and will be escorted to the general headquarters. Every citizen of this city should turn out and take up their position on Eighteenth street and give the big man of the Elks a hearty welcome.

The Elks grand lodge sermon will be held at Allen chapel on Sunday night, August 22.

LIBERTY PARTY STARTS CAMPAIGN

New York City, July 9.—With the aim of polling a million votes for a colored man as president of the United States, the New Liberty party has been put on foot here. The leaflet sent out by the Challenge Magazine, official organ of the new party revolt, as announced against the old parties and all they stand for.

"We mean to abolish Jim Crowism and lynching. We swear to Almighty God," says the leaflet, continuing:

"Jim Crowism and lynching are the two blackest evils on earth today. Protest! You have done that for 500 years. Ask help from the republican party. You have done that for fifty years. Turn to the democrats? You're foolish. The only difference between these two parties is the name and the emblem. They both represent the same thing, the same multitude of evils.

"If you want to be a man, a full fledged citizen, with all the rights of manhood, come into the Liberty party.

"We don't want any of the numerous half-hearted candidates now aspiring for the presidency.

"Speaking of lynching, the leaflet says: "The Hun who shot down priests and Red Cross nurses in war times is a ministering angel compared to those cowards of America who, in droves, afraid to attempt it alone, burn a black man, woman or child. Put one in a roped square with a single black man. He will have hysterics. Put him with his clansmen and he is the bravest dog that ever trod forth under the stars to avenge a woman's honor with a sword or knife.

"Jim Crowism and lynching are the two blackest evils since the assassination of Christ."

SIXTEEN NOMINATED IN WEST VIRGINIA

Charleston, W. Va., July 9.—Sixteen colored men were nominated in the recent primaries.

Three are nominated for the house of delegates, six for justices of the peace, and seven elected as members of the county executive committee in McDowell county. W. W. Saunders of Charleston, is state superintendent of schools.

T. G. Nutter of Charleston and Henry J. Capeheart of McDowell county, both at present members of the house of delegates are renominated to succeed themselves. H. H. Man nominated for Fayette county is another member of Fayette county is another member nominated for the house of delegates.

MUSCATINE NEWS NOTES.

(Mildred Lamb.)

Miss Sylvia Mason left early Sunday morning for Washington, Iowa, to spend the day with Miss Elizabeth Redd. She will leave Washington Sunday night for

BURN WRONG MEN IN DULUTH AFFAIR

Doctor Discredits Girl's Statement That She Was Assaulted by Circus Roustabouts.

Duluth, Minn., July 9.—An investigation conducted into the alleged assault committed on Irene Tusken, 18-year-old white girl, who resides at 4838 West Sixth street, by three men employed by the John Robinson circus, has revealed many discrepancies in the girl's statement. Three men were lynched in the public square following the girl's outcry that she had been a victim of their attack.

Girl Not Assaulted.

A report from Dr. David Graham (white), who examined the girl at the request of her parents and the police department, made the following statement: "I am unable to say what occurred from what the examination disclosed," he said. "I think she suffered most from nervous shock. The examination, however, did not indicate that she had been the victim of an assault."

The fact has been established that the white girl was in company with her sweetheart, William Sullivan, and that they were embracing each other behind one of the circus tents at about 10 o'clock on the night of the alleged assault. Sullivan, whose moral character will not bear inspection, declared the girl was seized and that he was forced to witness the outrage.

Sweetheart Accused.

He did not, however, report the affair until the following day, and that was to his father. He declared that he took the girl home on the night of the assault and that they were afraid to tell her parents, because as Sullivan stated, "they might accuse him." Sullivan has not been able to explain satisfactorily to the authorities and the girl's parents why he lured Miss Tusken to such a lonely spot at such a late hour in the night in order to show her how "circuses pack up."

The fact that the girl made no immediate outcry, and Sullivan failed to report the matter to several white men who were on the ground at the time, served to further defeat the theory that the girl had been attacked. The men lynched on the girl's statement declared to the mob that they were innocent.

NOTED RACE TENOR WINS POPULARITY IN ENGLAND RECITAL

Pleases London Post Critic—Sings in French and Italian.

(By Associated Negro Press.)

London, England, July 9.—The Morning Post, speaking of a recital recently given here by Mr. Roland Hayes, a noted Negro tenor, declares:

"An interested audience listened at Aolian hall to Mr. Roland Hayes, colored singer, and quickly found him deserving of respected attention. He has a tenor voice capable of sweet or ringing quality throughout a useful range, and he has been at pains to acquire all the elements of highly-cultured 'vocalism.' He delivered Puccini's 'Changelia mania'—in Italian—and Beethoven's 'Adelaide'—with extreme refinement, set an example which many English tenors would do well to copy by combining clear diction with unobtrusive phrasing. He needs, however, to guard against over-cultivation of style at the expense of naturalness and open tone production. His programme included songs in French and Negro 'spirituals.' Accompaniments were played by Mr. Lawrence D. Brown.

KANSAS CITY, MO., WHERE SHE WILL SPEND THE NEXT TWO WEEKS VISITING FRIENDS AND RELATIVES AT KANSAS CITY AND GILLIAM, MO.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Lanier and little son, Cardinal of Moline and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clark of Davenport spent the Fourth and Fifth at the home of Mr. Lanier and Mr. Clark's mother, Mrs. Harry Hall.

Mr. K. Moore of Rock Island spent Sunday with his daughter, Miss Genevieve Moore.

Mrs. L. Gardner of Rock Island spent the Fourth and Fifth with her father, Mr. A. Seabrook.

Mrs. Mary Butler of Rock Island, Mrs. L. Morris and Mrs. B. Williams of Cedar Rapids were Sunday visitors at the William Robinson home.

Other Fourth of July visitors included Mr. Henry and son, Alonzo, Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Henry of Davenport and Mr. A. Clark of Rock Island, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Robinson of near Fruitland, Mrs. F. A. Grooms and the Misses Henriette and Mildred Lamb attended the Edmunds-Henry wedding at Rock Island last Wednesday.

Mrs. Louis J. Henry, nee, Miss Bertha Edmunds of Rock Island were the honorees at a post-nuptial miscellaneous shower given at the home of her aunt, Mrs. F. A. Grooms, Friday evening. Twenty-five were in attendance at the affair. Mrs. Henry was the recipient of many beautiful and useful gifts.

The T. B. Stovall club met at the parsonage Tuesday evening. Plans were outlined for an entertainment to be given July 16.

RETIRED CHAPLAINS.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 9.—Chaplain George W. Piolet, recently retired as George W. Piolet, recently retired as chaplain in the United States army, has taken up his permanent residence in this city. There are now four living retired colored army chaplains—Stewart, Gladden, Anderson and Piolet.

PROGRAM OF 43D ANNUAL SESSION OF THE IOWA, MINNESOTA AND SOUTH DAKOTA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION HELD WITH THE MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. S. Bates Pastor, Des Moines, Iowa. August 24-29, 1920.

First Day Morning Session.

9:30-10:30—Devotionals conducted by Rev. L. G. Garrett, Audsenville, and Rev. R. P. Palmer, Oskaloosa.

9:30-9:45—Association called to order by the moderator, Rev. S. Bates. Appointment of committees on finance, enrollment and permanent organization.

9:45-10:30—Welcome on behalf of the city, Hon. H. H. Barton, mayor of Des Moines; on behalf city churches, Rev. H. C. Claybrook; on behalf of Maple Street Baptist church, Mr. Cedric Gross.

10:30-10:45—Response, Rev. Jas. A. Meyers, Minneapolis, Minn.

10:45-11:45—Introductory sermon, Rev. O. B. Smith, Marshalltown.

11:45-12:00—Introduction of visitors.

Adjournment.

First Day—Afternoon Session.

1:30-2:00 p. m.—Devotionals conducted by Rev. J. H. Reynolds of Clarinda; Rev. J. L. Lucas of Ft. Dodge.

2:00-2:10—Reading of the morning journal and adoption.

2:10-3:00—Moderator's annual address. Report of corresponding secretary, treasurer and missionary chart.

3:00-3:30—Bible lecture by Rev. J. C. Bothie, Des Moines.

3:30-3:40—Report of committee on permanent organization.

3:40-4:10—Echoes from Western Baptist convention by Prof. C. W. Rodgers. Appointment of committees.

4:10-5:00—Sermon by Rev. M. Carrington of Ottumwa.

Adjournment.

First Day—Evening Session.

7:30-8:00 p. m.—Devotionals conducted by Bro. Geo. Smith and Rev. J. M. Eaves.

8:15—Song service led by Rev. G. W. Robinson.

8:15—Annual sermon by Rev. F. K. Nickolson of Davenport.

Offering and adjournment.

Second Day—Morning Session.

8:30-9:00—Devotionals conducted by Rev. W. W. Ewing, Waterloo, and Bro. Cecel Taylor of Colfax.

9:00-10:10—Reading of the journal.

9:10-11:00—Reports from churches.

11:00-12:00—Doctrinal sermon, Rev. Wm. Alford, D. D., Centerville.

Adjournment.

Second Day—Afternoon Session.

1:30-2:00—Devotionals conducted by delegates from Hiteman and Hocking.

2:00-2:30—Report of committees.

2:30-3:00—Bible lecture by G. W. Robinson.

3:00-3:30—Paper by Bro. E. Ross.

3:30-4:30—Educational sermon by Rev. T. L. Griffith, D. C., Cedar Rapids.

4:30-5:00—General business.

Adjournment.

Second Day—Evening Session.

7:30-8:00—Devotionals conducted by delegates from Mt. Zion, Minneapolis and Mt. Zion Des Moines.

8:00-8:15—Song service conducted by Rev. G. W. Robinson.

8:15—Missionary sermon by Rev. F. C. Bolling, Buxton.

Third Day—Morning Session.

8:30-9:00—Devotionals conducted by delegates from Union, Des Moines and Mt. Zion, Carney.

9:00-9:10—Reading of journal.

9:10-9:30—Report of committees.

9:30-10:00—Bible study by Elder J. W. Crushon.

10:00-11:00—Sermon by Rev. W. H. Clark, Keokuk.

11:00-12:00—Miscellaneous business.

Adjournment.

Sunday—Morning Session.

9:30-10:30—Sunday school conducted by Superintendent Hicks, Maple St. Baptist church.

10:30-11:00—Devotionals conducted by delegates from Mt. Olive, Des Moines and third Davenport.

11:00—Associational sermon by Rev. S. Bates, alternate Rev. G. O. Terrell.

3:00 p. m.—Missionary mass meeting conducted by the missionary and others.

Evening Session.

6:30-8:00 p. m.—V. P. U. conducted by Mrs. S. Bates, Des Moines and Bro. T. G. Goggin.

8:00 p. m.—Closing sermon, Rev. Jas. A. Meyers, Minneapolis.

Final adjournment.

Program of the Woman's Convention to be held with Maple Street Baptist Church, August, 1920.

Des Moines, Iowa.

First Day—Morning.

9:30 to 10:00—Devotionals—Centerville and Marshalltown.

10 to 10:15—Formal opening. Appointment of committee. Enrollment.

10:15 to 10:30—Welcome address, Mrs. C. H. Douglass.

10:30—Response, Mrs. K. D. Black.

11 to 12—Missionary study, conducted by Rev. G. W. Robinson.

Offering. Adjournment.

First Day—Afternoon.

1:30 to 2—Devotionals, Carney and Perry.

2 to 2:30—President's annual address.

2:30 to 3—Reports of corresponding secretary, treasurer, education and state organizer.

3 to 3:15—Conventional singing lead by Rev. S. Bates.

3:15 to 3:45—Sermon, Rev. G. C. Green, Shiloh.

3:45 to 4:15—Echoes from delegates to corresponding bodies.

4:15 to 4:45—Report of nominating committee.

4:45 to 5—Introduction of visitors.

Miscellaneous. Offering. Adjournment.

First Day—Evening.

7:30 to 8—Devotionals, third, Davenport tabernacle, Buxton Tabernacle, Council Bluffs.

Offering. Benediction.

Second Day—Morning.

9 to 9:30—Devotionals—Sioux City, Waterloo, Mt. Vion, Buxton.

9:30 to 10:30—Three minutes talk on

letters.

10:30 to 11:30—Hour of instruction on missions, Mrs. Wilbur Clapp.

11:30 to 12—Sermon, Rev. James Eaves. Offering. Adjournment.

Second Day—Afternoon.

1:30 to 2—Devotionals, Colfax, Ft. Madison, Mt. Pleasant.

2 to 2:30—Young ladies hour.

2:30 to 3:30—Paper—The Relation of the Young Women to the Missionary Society, Zion, Minneapolis.

3:30 to 4—Paper—The Need of a Starlight Band in Every Circle, Corinthian, Des Moines.

4 to 5—Sermon, Rev. F. J. Nott. Offering. Adjournment.

Second Day—Evening.

7:30 to 8—Devotionals, Oskaloosa, Union, Ft. Dodge.

Sermon—Rev. T. L. Griffith. Offering. Benediction.

DES MOINES DISTRICT SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION NOTES

The Des Moines district Sunday school convention convened in its annual session in East Des Moines, Thursday, June 24 for a two day's session closing June 25.

The convention was one of the best ever held in the history of the district. The delegation was large and full of enthusiasm. The convention opened on the morning of June 24 with a get together meeting, after which the district superintendent was introduced. She at once set about organizing the body by appointing committees and seating delegates. After the introduction of the managers (of which there were many), the district superintendent delivered her annual address; which was widely discussed.

The reports of schools were then called for never before did such splendid reports come pouring forth from all schools as did that morning.

The reporting lasted till the noon hour, at which time the body adjourned for dinner.

In the afternoon after the roll call was read and the minutes of the previous session were read the reporting of schools continued, after which the reports of sub-superintendents were heard.

At 4 o'clock the convention adjourned to fall in line for a convention parade; at which time a photograph of the assembly was taken.

At 6 p. m. a banquet was served at the church. At 8 o'clock a very large audience witnessed a very unique program, conducted by the local church. Friday morning shall never be forgotten. The devotional exercises were led by young delegates from Waterloo, Ft. Dodge and Sioux City; very seldom do young people take hold of spiritual matters as did those young people that morning. The Holy Ghost came upon the assembly and two young men were converted.

The roll was then called and minutes read; after which the normal institute was opened and conducted by the president of that department. The normal department is of much interest. Every Sunday school in the A. M. E. connection is now required by law to have a teacher's training class.

After the close of the normal institute the district superintendent re-entered the chair and called for the reading of the different papers from the different schools. All of the papers showed depth of thought, earnestness of ambition and sincerity of purpose; great enthusiasm was shown in the discussion of the papers.

Friday afternoon was largely taken up by the election of officers.

The evening session was greeted by a large audience. The program consisted of well prepared papers, instrumental selections, readings and the installation of officers.

The resolutions committee read their report, giving many thanks to all those who helped to make the convention such a success.

After singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," the convention adjourned to meet next year at Sioux City.

THE LYNCHING RECORD FOR THE FIRST SIX MONTHS 1920

Dear Sir: I send you the following information concerning lynchings for the first six months of this year. I find according to the records kept by the department of records and research of the Tuskegee institute, Monroe N. Work, in charge, that there have been in the first six months of 1920, twelve lynchings. This is seventeen less than the number twenty-nine for the first six months of 1919, and thirty-three less than the number forty-five for the first six months of 1918.

All of those lynched were Negroes. Eight of those put to death were charged with the crime of rape.

The state in which lynchings occurred and the number in each state are as follows: Alabama, 2; Florida, 1; Georgia, 2; Kentucky, 1; Kansas, 1; Minnesota, 3; South Carolina, 1; Texas, 1.

Yours very truly,

R. R. Moton, Principal.

GOLDIER IS EXPERT IN LIP READING

Richmond, Va., July 8.—Frank Solomon, during the war a private in Company C, 534th engineers, is now studying tailoring under the supervision of the federal board of vocational education. He is stone deaf, but is such a remarkable lip reader that he can understand Mark Twain's "Huckleberry Finn," read aloud.

When he came back from France he could neither speak, hear, read nor write. At the army hospital at Cape May, N. J., a proficient teacher succeeded in making him recognize three words, "thimble," "box" and "watch."

One day when shown a letter he indicated that he wanted to write. He wrote one sentence:

"Dear mother, I don com back fum France."

When he could tell about himself he

CLAIM SOUTH WAS OVER REPRESENTED IN G. O. P. MEETING

Chicago Tribune Says Southern Negro Vote Ineffective.

Chicago, July 9.—Under a caption "Rotten Boroughs are More Rotten than they Seem," the Chicago Tribune has the following to say about southern representation in the republican national convention held here last week:

"The delegates from the south in republican conventions seem to represent something, no matter how small a vote it is, but that vote is really no vote. It is a vote only because it is ineffective. So long as it amounts to nothing it may be cast. If it were to amount to anything it would be topped by a little decrease in the republican vote."

"So far as Negro voting is permitted in the south it is upon the condition that it shall be ineffective. The south cannot take chances with effective Negro voting. Neither would the north take chances. When there are enough Chicago Negroes to elect Negro mayors, judges and legislators, even William Hale Thompson will be with the dominant white minority."

"The southern republican vote is so manipulated and controlled by the democrats that it cannot count for president. Occasionally a southern congressional district, in some fringe state, elects a republican congressman. It is so rarely done that it is a piece of news of national interest. The south is solid and the north is solid bone."

Because republican administrations want to capture this block of southern carpet baggers the northern republicans permit their organizations to preserve a system of representation which diminishes the legitimate power of representation which diminishes the legitimate power of northern votes by giving inequitable power to southern delegates.

"If the south voted in republican conventions as it votes in national elections no one would care whom the southern delegates were for. There would not be enough of them. In the system of representation now governing, northern republicans have one delegate for about every 10,000 votes; southern carpet baggers have one for about 3,000 votes; and the southern votes are not really votes. They are fictions."

"The next republican president will not oppose the system. He will use it. The time to make a change is when there is no republican president."

MASONS ORGANIZE CONSISTORY AND SHRINE.

The largest class of Negro Masons ever initiated at one time in Iowa was Saturday, July 3, when Francis O. Ricketts, 330, a member of the united supreme council No. 330 of ancient and accepted Scottish Rite Free Masonry of the northern jurisdiction U. S. A. established the several bodies of Scottish rite Masonry, including the consistory and shrine at Des Moines, Iowa. The class composed Negro master Masons from Des Moines, Buxton, Cedar Rapids and Marshalltown, Iowa.

Brother Ricketts began the work Saturday afternoon July 3 and finished the morning of the Fourth. With the naming of the several bodies and the election of the officers which are as follows:

Consistory.

Name—William Frank Powell. Officers: Commandant in chief, B. J. Hack; first lieutenant, W. H. Bailey; second lieutenant, J. W. Harrison; minister of state and oratory, E. Tracy Blagburn; prior, C. C. Johnson; chancellor, C. P. Howard; secretary, Branham N. Hyde; treasurer, William Walker; hospitalier, Albert Gater; grand master of ceremonies, W. T. Jones; grand captain of guards, Harry Burnaugh; grand standard bearer, D. N. Crosswaite, Jr.; grand engineer and architect, Rufus Smith; grand sentinel, W. C. Rhodes.

Rose Croix Chapter.

Name: Joseph H. Shepard. Officers: Most wise and perfect master, Fred Graham; senior warden, W. H. Beshears; junior warden, W. W. Hubbard; orator, H. C. Green; secretary, Branham N. Hyde; treasurer, William Walker; hospitalier, Albert Gater; master of ceremonies, Emmett Bell; captain of guards, William Oney; sentinel, J. H. Johnson.

Lodge of Perfection.

Name, Frederick Douglas. Officers: Thrice potent grand master, Bert A. Harris; Hiram of Tyre, Deputy Grand master, William Wilkinson; senior warden, R. T. Deans; junior warden, Judge Yancy; secretary, Branham N. Hyde; treasurer, William Walker; orator, H. C. Green; master of ceremonies, Ralph Burnaugh; captain of guards, T. R. Ringo; sentinel, John Roach.

Shrine.

Name, Zeid Temple. Officers: Illustrious grand potentate, Luke Raglan; illustrious chief rabban, Frank P. Johnson; illustrious assistant rabban, D. N. Crosswaite, Jr.; illustrious most high priest and prophet, E. S. Mayberry; illustrious oriental guide, Judge Yancy; illustrious recorder, Branham N. Hyde; illustrious treasurer, William Walker; illustrious first ceremonial master, W. B. Brooks; illustrious second ceremonial master, Samuel R. Rhoan; illustrious captain of guards, James McGuire; illustrious outside guard, Claude Carr.

The following master Masons composed the class: Ralph Burnaugh, Harry Burnaugh, Festus Stone, Charles Carl; Albert Gater, John Roach; Rufus Smith, Bert A. Harris, Claude Carr, Fred Graham, B. J. Hack, Emmett Bell, H. C. Green, W. B. Brooks, Branham N. Hyde; William Walker; E. Tracy Blagburn; H. E. Graves, R. N. Hyde; J. W. Harrison; E. S. Mayberry; E. G. Ford, R. T. Deans, John Holland, Harry Seymour; C. P. Howard, W. H. Beshears, Harry Taylor, Jessie Anderson, Henry West, T. R. Ringo, W. H. Bailey, James A. Bailey, Frank P. Johnson, W. B.

Honor Roll

Mrs. Fred Stewart of Des Moines, Iowa. And Mr. John Coleman of Des Moines, Iowa, came in and paid a year subscription.

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DES MOINES, IOWA

From August 1st 1919 To May 16th, 1920

RECEIPTS		DISBURSEMENTS	
Paid up Capital Stock	\$1195 50	Groceries etc. in Store	\$7196 01
Sales in Store	7339 07	Salaries	1256 50
Loans	821 65	Truck and repairs (returned)	109 06
Total receipts	\$9356 22	Miscellaneous	68 18
		Fuel	54 00
		Adv.	23 40
		Paid on Loans	116 50
		Lights	27 04
		Phone	47 10
		Delivery	177 13
		Legal fees, Insurance, License	26 30
		Paid on Equipment	255 00
		Total disbursements	\$9356 22
ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Equipment	\$1040 00	Including Loans and Bills	\$663 50
Stock in Store	600 00		
Outstanding Credits	100 00		
Unpaid on Subscribed Stock	89 50		
Total Assets	\$1829 50		
Balance	\$1166 00		

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