

CITY NEWS.

Mrs. Mattie Taylor, 2507 Summit street, left Thursday for a three weeks stay in Colorado.

Mrs. Ella Richards of East Las Vegas, N. M., is home for a month to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. O. V. Walls and mother, Mrs. M. Hill, have returned from Springfield, Mo., after several weeks absence spent in visiting relatives and friends.

Little Mary Fairley, twenty-second and Flora, after having recovered from an operation, has gone to Excelsior Springs, Mo., to be with her aunt, Miss Sarah Jones, for the next two weeks.

Mr. A. B. Adams, 2916 Norton avenue, Junior Warden of Rone Lodge No. 25, was prevented from attending the Masonic Grand Lodge this week on account of an accident in which he suffered a broken arm. The bruise has grown worse continually, but it is not thought to prove very serious.

Misses Clara L. Holland and Viola J. Robinson, en route to Wilberforce University, to attend the National Federation of Women's Clubs, as representatives of the Ochsya Girls' Club, stopped over in St. Louis for a while, and were the guests of Miss Percy Robinson, 4297 St. Ferdinand avenue.

The Misses Willie Mae, Pretty and Baby Kirkpatrick of Chicago, Ill., are visiting their relatives, Mrs. M. A. Kirkpatrick and family, 1212 Vine street. With their aunt, Miss Anna Kirkpatrick, and several girl friends of this city, they had a fine joy ride seeing Kansas City, Sunday evening. The auto ride was a treat for the children.

Old houses made new; we will point your house, stop all kinds of leaks, patch your porches and fix up your steps for a reasonable sum. Call Bell phone 2089W. James L. Blake.

One of the most brilliant social affairs of the season was the formal reception given by Prof. Joe E. Herriford at his beautiful home, 1217 Woodland avenue, to Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Herriford, Jr., on last Friday evening. The house was elaborately decorated with ferns and palms and over two hundred guests graced the happy occasion. Those in the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Herriford, Jr., Mrs. Sallie C. Rogers, Miss Edna Herndon, Miss Effie Feniston, Miss Josephine Martin and Miss Anabel Montgomery. Mr. Herriford was further assisted by Mrs. A. M. Wilson, Mrs. Zella Porter, Mrs. Anna Gilliam, Miss Naomi E. Twyan and Miss Genevieve Wilson.

Mrs. Walter Lindsay and her mother, Mrs. Christine Twyan, left this week for a short visit with relatives at Sioux City, Ia.

Mayor Rolla Rothwell delivered the welcome address to the Masonic Grand Lodge held at Moberly this week, and Prof. Joe E. Herriford of this city, responded upon behalf of the visitors.

Fortunately none of the Colored teachers of the city were spending their vacation in Europe and unless the war extends to Benton Harbor, all will be back on time for work, September 8.

The vesper songs of the young Baptist College students reverberating through the corridors of the Massie building on Sunday evenings, would be very objectionable to the neighborhood six blocks away, so the christian protestors say.

A writer to the "Public Mind" column of the Star, says that the Baptist school property should be purchased as a new site for Mercy Hospital, which cares for poor afflicted children "regardless of creed or color. Since when, may we ask?"

The enemies of France learn with relief that Jack Johnson may not join the French army after all, owing to a lack of finality in his naturalization. The champion is reported to be greatly disappointed, but his disgust will not prompt him to return to America.

Allen Chapel and Ebenezer each realized big financial returns from the three weeks' open-air carnival and religious services. The former is now back at the old stand and the latter is pushing to completion its fine stone edifice at Sixteenth and Lydia.

It is always the friend from the unexpected source that comes to you in adversity. Those who have been swearing by you and enjoying your bounty all the years are usually far away in the hour of real need. Therefore, do all you can for every one and expect few returns from any one. That's the right dope.

The open letter from Dr. J. H. Garnett on the school removal question is forcible and manly. Its sober consideration ought to appeal even to the most confirmed christian Negro later. There is no real reason for objection to locating this religious institution in its new quarters unless jealousy, prejudice and hate have become christian virtues.

Mrs. G. R. Baldwin, M. E. S., Golden State Council No. 123 X. U. K., of A. Los Angeles, Cal., and Mr. George Walker of this city, were pleasant callers at the Sun office. Mrs. Baldwin is en route to Chicago, where the Grand Session convenes.

Dancing every Wednesday night and Thursday afternoon. Class every Saturday night, Armory Hall, Cottage and Vine streets. Professor Roscoe White, dancing master; Mrs. Janie White, teacher; Walter Clark, assistant. Bell phone, East 308-R.

THREE MEN WANTED—Can you fill any of these places: If you can your service is wanted at once. This is your chance to make success. The men wanted are a shoe and harness repair man; a blacksmith and wheelwright; an upholsterer and cabinet maker. Wanted in one of the largest Negro furniture and repair shops in Kansas City, Mo.

We repair most anything. This shop will give you a chance to add many things to your trade.

For further information call Bell Grand 1772, or write L. & M. Furniture and Repair Company, 1720 Lydia avenue.

Sr. A. Cantu, of Monterey, Mexico, who is the professor of Spanish at the William Jewell College, Liberty, Mo., will give lessons in Spanish weekly at the office of Dr. S. H. Thompson, 1512 North Fifth street, Kansas City, Kas. All those desiring to join the class will please communicate immediately with Dr. Thompson, Bell telephone West 380.

A HUNDRED MEN WANTED. Wanted, 100 intelligent, wide-awake Negro professional and business men to locate in Kansas City. It is one of the best cities in the United States for wide-awake Negro business. For further information write THEODORE SMITH, 1301 East 18th Street.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hodge and their charming little daughter, Mary, of Bartlettville, Okla., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morrison, 913 Vine street. Mr. Hodge is one of the wealthiest business men in that section of the country.



HON. W. CLARENCE HUESTON,

the brilliant young Attorney of Kansas City who is Worshipful Master of Mt. Oread Lodge, U. D., which boasts of ninety members.

There is a reason why the larger per cent of Cabinet Stationery used by Kansas City's "409" is turned from the Arthur W. Harris Printing Establishment. First their workmanship in this class of printing is unexcelled by any of the larger and best equipped printing establishments in this city, since they all but make a specialty of this class of work. Second, while their prices are not always the lowest, they are always the fairest. They have "delivered" with accuracy and dispatch to over 90 per cent of the classy weddings and receptions during the past year and now when a function of class is announced its ten-ton shot that Harris will handle the job.

Mr. W. B. Young, wife and daughter are in the city visiting his cousin and family at 1714 East 24th street. Mr. Young is a messenger in the Fifth-third National Bank, in Cincinnati, O., but may move to the city a little later. We were very much charmed by the reciting of several Dunbar selections by their little daughter, Naeler.

Mr. Edward Dennis has returned to the city after completing a concert tour of the Pacific coast under the direction of Messrs. Ellison & White.

Mrs. B. F. Adams and daughter Mary, of Springfield, Mo., are visiting Mrs. D. Burns, at 1704 East 18th street. Miss Adams graduated from Lincoln Institute in June, and has been appointed to a position in the public schools of Coffeyville, Kas.

The Social Pathfinders met at Garrison Square, Wednesday evening, and elected the following officers: President, Mr. Thaddeus Williams; vice president, Mrs. F. M. Harris; secretary, Miss Claudia Quarrels; assistant secretary, Mrs. Erma Johnson; treasurer, Mr. F. A. Harris; critic, Mrs. Theodore Clay. The club meets next Wednesday evening with Mrs. Louis Cave, 1611 East 10th street.

Mr. Tyler Jackson, one of Ebenezer's faithful trustees, returned home Monday afternoon, his wife accompanying him. Mrs. Jackson had been seriously ill in Fayette the past three weeks and he had gone there to be with her. She is much improved at this time. They wish their friends to know that they are located in the Long Bros' building near 5th and Main streets.

Mr. Charles Wilson received the sad news of his mother's illness at Lawrence, Kas.

WORDS OF APPRECIATION. More Mothers Testify to Merits of XXth Century Hair Preparations.

Nelson, Mo., April 13, 1913. Dear Madam Dabney: I am writing you for a small order. I want you to please send by mail 3 bottles of shampoo, 3 boxes of hair grower and 2 boxes of pressing oil. I like the remedy just fine; I would not be without it for anything. I am using it on my little girl's hair; it seems to be helping it greatly.

MRS. ANNA BRUNER. Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 29, 1913. Dear Madam Dabney: I am a mother of four girls. In trying to improve their hair I had tried several preparations, but none gave me good results until I used Madam Dabney's XXth Century Preparations. Their hair was thin, harsh and would fall out so that I dreaded to use a comb. Now their hair is growing nicely—does not fall out—has no dandruff—is soft and pretty. Three of these girls are attending Wendell Phillips School, Howard and Vine streets. Investigation will bear out my testimony. I would not be without the XXth Century Preparation in my house.

MRS. DORA HAWKINS, 2455 Woodland Ave. A six week's treatment of Madam P. M. Dabney's XXth Century Hair Preparations sent on receipt of P. O. money order of \$1.25, or a single package of XXth Century Hair Grower.

THE LEAGUE ENTERPRISE. A Real Business Run in a Business Manner. Best Appointed Shoe Shining Parlor in the City, Barring None.

The Most Noted Negro Newspapers on Sale.

Clean uniformed porter to come after your shoes and hats to be cleaned or shined and returned immediately. Here is quick and efficient service. We carry it right into your home. We put on buttons, buckles, and furnish you with laces of all kinds—5, 10 and 25 cents. This department appeals to the ladies. We can do your work before shopping hours or during the day while you are at work. A phone call will bring our porter at once to get your order. Can you beat it for service? Our parlor is open to all. Ladies are especially invited. Shine here is always 5 cents, morning, noon and night. Polite, clean and efficient boys to wait on you. An eager and efficient management to prevent any possible embarrassment to ladies. We are always glad to get your patronage and show it by doing good work and attending to business.

Our Free List. Bell phone to transact your business. Good music for your amusement. Ice water—to refresh yourselves. We have books by Negro authors, pictures of our great men and women as soon as we can get returns from eastern houses.

Just received a consignment of books, masterpieces of Negro eloquence and others. We are also selling now a wonderful Negro picture called, "A Joyful Welcome Into Heaven." A Negro subject by a Negro artist.

REMEMBER THE PHONE NUMBER IS EAST 7387. OUR STREET NUMBER IS THE SAME, 1521 EAST 18TH STREET.

ROY FARLEY, Manager. CHAS. A. STARKS, Proprietor.

Pressing Oil or Shampoo sent for 50c. Write today to Madam P. M. Dabney's XXth Century Hair Preparations Co., 1806 E. 24th St., Kansas City, Mo., Dept. 40.

Persons living in Kansas City who cannot be supplied by their druggist will be called upon by an agent on dropping a postal card to the above address or calling Bell phone, East 2475.

A Slight Difference. "I hear your husband has been presented, too. Mine was presented by the American ambassador. Who presented yours?" "The grand jury."

Wasted Effort. "What ails mother?" "She has just heard that despite her efforts one-half the world doesn't know the other half lives."



PROG. GEO. W. STEVENS.

Dr. G. W. Stevens, the well known and famous spiritualist, can be consulted at his residence, 618 State St., Kansas City, Kan., any day from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m.

LYDIA COURTS, 1422-32 E. 3rd St., STRICTLY MODERN FLATS

A STATEMENT OF FACTS. The League Enterprise Growing. We have been open for business one month and every indication shows that our enterprise is what the people need and want. Our best feature is our shoe cleaning department. A visit to our parlor will convince you that we are better prepared to take care of you in this line than any other place in town whether for white or colored. Remember a shine is always 5 cents here.

We believe our place to be a model of cleanliness, neatness and general efficiency. Honest advertising, strict business methods, daily improvement, and delivering the goods all are having the desired effect on the people.

Ladies who do their shopping during the day find it convenient to have their shoes shined before going down town. Also to use our Bell telephone, East 1521.

Considering the central location of our place, the important transfer point of street cars and the busy traffic of Eighteenth street, you can readily see just what a great part we are to play in the economic life of the race.

We have things to sell here of great interest and usefulness to the people. We are not ashamed of these truthful facts, such as selling sixty copies of the Indianapolis Freeman, fifteen copies of the New York Age, the same amount of the Dallas Express, Richmond Planet, Boston Guardian, Chicago Defender and twenty copies of The Kansas City Sun. We are sorry that we only ordered twenty copies of the "Crisis" magazine. They went like hot cakes on a frosty morning. However, we have ordered 100 copies of this very-much-in-demand periodical for September.

"A Joyful Welcome Into Heaven," a Negro picture is going fast, it sells for 50 cents and we frame it for \$1.50 complete. "Masterpieces of Negro Eloquence," Dr. Booker T. Washington's Complete Works, "Uncle Nat's Philosophy," by Junius N. Gray, "Who's Who, Among the Negro Baptists," are some of the good things we are offering at low prices. Watch our windows for books, papers and magazines.

1521 East 18th St., Bell Phone, East 1521, CHAS. A. STARKS, Prop.

THE LEAGUE ENTERPRISE. A Real Business Run in a Business Manner.

Best Appointed Shoe Shining Parlor in the City, Barring None.

The Most Noted Negro Newspapers on Sale.

Clean uniformed porter to come after your shoes and hats to be cleaned or shined and returned immediately. Here is quick and efficient service. We carry it right into your home. We put on buttons, buckles, and furnish you with laces of all kinds—5, 10 and 25 cents. This department appeals to the ladies. We can do your work before shopping hours or during the day while you are at work. A phone call will bring our porter at once to get your order. Can you beat it for service? Our parlor is open to all. Ladies are especially invited. Shine here is always 5 cents, morning, noon and night. Polite, clean and efficient boys to wait on you. An eager and efficient management to prevent any possible embarrassment to ladies. We are always glad to get your patronage and show it by doing good work and attending to business.

Our Free List. Bell phone to transact your business. Good music for your amusement. Ice water—to refresh yourselves. We have books by Negro authors, pictures of our great men and women as soon as we can get returns from eastern houses.

Just received a consignment of books, masterpieces of Negro eloquence and others. We are also selling now a wonderful Negro picture called, "A Joyful Welcome Into Heaven." A Negro subject by a Negro artist.

REMEMBER THE PHONE NUMBER IS EAST 7387. OUR STREET NUMBER IS THE SAME, 1521 EAST 18TH STREET.

ROY FARLEY, Manager. CHAS. A. STARKS, Proprietor.

Pressing Oil or Shampoo sent for 50c. Write today to Madam P. M. Dabney's XXth Century Hair Preparations Co., 1806 E. 24th St., Kansas City, Mo., Dept. 40.

Persons living in Kansas City who cannot be supplied by their druggist will be called upon by an agent on dropping a postal card to the above address or calling Bell phone, East 2475.

A Slight Difference. "I hear your husband has been presented, too. Mine was presented by the American ambassador. Who presented yours?" "The grand jury."

Wasted Effort. "What ails mother?" "She has just heard that despite her efforts one-half the world doesn't know the other half lives."



PROG. GEO. W. STEVENS.

Dr. G. W. Stevens, the well known and famous spiritualist, can be consulted at his residence, 618 State St., Kansas City, Kan., any day from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m.

LYDIA COURTS, 1422-32 E. 3rd St., STRICTLY MODERN FLATS



A LITTLE BIT HUMOROUS

Eraseur Feared. "S-s-s-s-s-say, ma," stammered Bobby, through the suds, as his mother scrubbed and scrubbed him. "I guess you want to get rid of me, don't you?" "Why, no, Bobby, dear," replied his mother. "Whatever put such an idea into your mind?" "Oh, nuthin'," said Bobby, "only it seems to me you're trying to rub me out."—Onward.

Envy. "I hear that the Allens are separated," said Mrs. Arnold to her husband. "Yes," replied Mr. Arnold, "and after the separation he sent her a legal document giving her control of their child."

"Oh, James," said the wife, with a sigh, "I wish we could get a document that would give us control of our children!"—Lippincott's.

Another View. "Muh po, 'breaaved brudder," consolingly said good old Parson Bagster, addressing the newly-made widower. "It is a solemn thing when a man loses de wife o' his buzom." "Yessah," replied skippy Brother Meeks. "But sometimes it's a heap sght solemner when he don't."—Judge.

AFTER THE DINNER.



The Hostess—He's all right, but he lacks aplomb. The Host—Not on your life, I thought he'd never stop eating those hot-house plums.

Limited Greatness. Napoleon was a mighty man. And yet, we must admit He never did—ask any fan—Biam out a three-base hit.

Appearances. "So you are a Chicago policeman?" "Yes." "Plain clothes?" "Well, they may be plainer than I am used to, but they are very becoming."

Nail Sets. Bacon—I see in a new hammer handle is a secret recess for carrying a nail set. Egbert—I'll get one for my wife, then she'll always have her hammer and her manicure set conveniently near.

In the Honeymoon. "It's your wife," said the office boy. "Take the message," said the busy man impatiently. "You'd better come, sir, I think" stammered the embarrassed boy. "She wants to give you a kiss over the phone."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Its Moral Advantage. "Aviation is unusually conducive to the control of one's temper." "How so?" "It would never do when several hundred feet up in the air for one to get put out, would it?"

Slow. Church—I once saw a procession which took eight hours to pass a given point. Gotham—Where was it? "In Philadelphia."

Those Neighbors. Bacon—This paper says there are now more than 2,000,000 farmers in the United States using the telephone. Egbert—But it doesn't say whose telephones they are using.

Sure Enough. Church—I see residents of certain sections of St. Louis, Mo., are trying to force improved street-car service. Gotham—What's the matter? Haven't they got enough straps?

See the Point? Speaking of bitter ends (we were) Say, did you ever see A little kid grab at a fly And get a bumble bee?

Too Fat for That. Bacon—You say you and your wife are both taking a treatment to reduce your flesh? Egbert—We certainly are. "But neither of you need to be any slimmer." "Go away! You've never seen our fat!"



The Star Cleaners and Dyers, Mr. R. L. Hopkins, proprietor, five years at this location, 2326 Vine street, wish to take your measure for summer and winter suits. Steam and French dry cleaning a specialty. Ladies' and gentlemen's clothes called for and delivered. We make a specialty of altering Ladies' and Gentlemen's clothes. Our work speaks for itself as well as hundreds of satisfied customers. If you want good work at moderate prices, give us a call. Bell phone, East 1207-J. R. L. HOPKINS, 2326 Vine street.

The Arcade Barber Shop
Corner 16th and Vine Streets
BLUFORD & DUDLEY, Proprs.
Up to the Very Moment—Sanitary in Every Detail.
The Highest Class Service Guaranteed
Elegant Appointed Bath Rooms.
IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC CIGARS
Four Skilled Workmen Constantly in attendance.

A Splendid Opportunity For Investment!
STOCK FOR SALE IN THE
Kaw Valley Truck Farm Co.
(INCORPORATED.)
GROWERS AND SHIPPERS OF EARLY GARDEN VEGETABLES, SWEET POTATO PLANTS, TOMATO, PEPPER AND CABBAGE PLANTS, POTATOES AND WATERMELONS.
References: Commercial National Bank, Independence, Kansas. Commercial National Bank, Kansas City, Kansas.
Rev. J. R. Richardson, President, Rev. W. A. Bowren, Vice-President, Rev. D. B. Jackson, Treasurer, H. P. Ewing, Secretary and Manager, George McNeal, Assistant Secretary, J. C. Branch, Assistant Manager, Nick Chiles, Auditor, J. F. Bradley, Attorney.
General Offices: 117 West Sixth Street—H. P. EWING, Manager.
Agents: J. P. MAYNARD, 2330 Vine Street, Bell Phone, East 2330. REV. G. T. MOSSBY, 2404 Highland Avenue.

Poro hair dressing, hair waving and facial massaging. Scalp treatment a specialty. Mrs. E. Norles, 1737 Paseo, upstairs.
E. EUGENE VAUGHAN. MEMBER K. C. BUSINESS LEAGUE.
ANNOUNCEMENT. I have plenty of capital to build houses. Telephone me to-day. Eventually you will. Estimates cheerfully given.
TO THE NEWLYWEDS. While now your hearts are so joyful, Take heed lest you forget, That buying a home today, for tomorrow, Is a step you'll never regret.
GOING! GOING! What? First class 7 per cent mortgages for sale. 4 rooms, 25 ft. \$850.00. 150.00 down.
EUGENE EDWARD VAUGHAN. Twenty-sixth and Parkway, KANSAS CITY, KANSAS. Bell phone, West 1737.

Ladies' Tailoring Dressmaking AND Drafting...
Fancy Gowns a Specialty
I am prepared to offer the public the best dressmaking, tailoring, drafting and fitting.
Graduate of one of the best white downtown colleges.
Will also teach Drafting.
Bell phone East 4189W
Mrs. Lillie Williams
2914 Woodland Avenue
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

A League Enterprise!
On Eighteenth in the Fifteen Hundred Block
A News Bureau
Every Negro Periodical, Negro Pictures, Negro Books, Novelties Stationery
A FIRST-CLASS Shoe Shining Parlor
5c. Every Day in the Year
1521 East 18th Street.
CHAS. A. STARKS, Prop.
Our Motto: "Nothing but The Best!"

CHEAP JOHN'S PLACE
New and Second Hand Goods Bought, Sold and Exchanged
Bell Phone East 3418 M
2122 Vine Street
WM. HOPKINS, Prop.

The Crothwait Floral Company
Everything in Flowers and Flower Designs
"WE DELIVER THE GOODS"
The People say we have made some of the most beautiful and original designs in flowers ever seen in Kansas City.
Our Specialty—
"Quick Delivery—Satisfactory Service"
Bell Phone East 3815
1611 E. 18th St., Kansas City, Mo.