

Women's Clubs.

**WANTED**—A reporter for Kansas City, Kansas. Inquire at The Sun Office.  
**OAK LEAF ART CLUB.**  
The Oak Leaf Art club had a very nice meeting last week and will meet at 2406 Flora avenue, December 3. All members are asked by the president to meet with the federation December 10 at the Garrison Field house. Mrs. Toney, president.

**LADIES' COTERIE.**  
The Ladies' Coterie club will meet with the president next Wednesday, December 8 at the usual time. All members are requested to be present. Business of importance.  
Mrs. America Compton, president  
1425 Michigan Ave.,  
Mrs. Cassie Bowman, secy.

**THE CLIPPERS.**  
Mrs. F. C. Trent entertained the Clippers and friends at her residence on the morning of Friday, November 26, her daughter Gladys being home for the holidays. Whist was played. The prizes were awarded to Miss E. Naomi White and to Miss Pendleton. A delicious four-course luncheon was served after the games.

**LYCEUM ART CLUB.**  
The Lyceum Art Club met at the residence of Misses Etta and Mable Smith, 2307 Highland avenue, Friday November 26. The ladies worked steadily for two hours after which business was transacted. The business for the evening completed we were served with a dainty luncheon, and adjourned to meet with Mrs. Bettie Smith, Friday, December 3rd.  
Mrs. Addie Allen, Pres.  
Mable C. Smith, Secy.

**L. S. P. CLUB.**  
Thanksgiving is a time when one's thoughts naturally turn to home and feasting. For any one to think of the homeless at such a time is highly commendable; but for a body of young girls banded together simply for pleasure turn their thoughts to making the homeless happy by providing them a feast, it is indeed most noteworthy. The L. S. P. Club, (who has never appealed to the public in any way) is to be congratulated for their most excellent three course dinner served the Orphan children at 2446 Michigan ave. On Thanksgiving evening at the sacrifice of their own pleasure. A great deal of sunshine was added by the young ladies spending the entire evening with the children. The following menu was served.  
Turkey, giblet dressing, cranberries, mashed potatoes, peas, salad, ice-cream and cake.  
The president is Mrs. Bertha Holland and the secretary is Miss Rosa Lee Busch and there are fourteen members.

**Betty & Sam's Little Corner**



THEY SAY

—That three in a bed may "make it warm," but it's awfully unhealthy.  
—That when an unmarried woman takes a young man roomer it's bound to cause talk. Yes indeed, honey.  
—That there are more policy writers in old Kansas City than there are insurance collectors.  
—That an old colored brother was heard praying the other night, "Lawd, lead me to a Turkey." (Lock up your birds and call the police.)  
—That a certain porter returned home unexpectedly and found his house slippers gone and an almost new pair of shoes under his bed. His spouse was unable to explain the peculiar affair, but Betty says, "it must have been Santa Claus."  
—That at a certain church the congregation was singing with much gusto, "Let us cheer the weary traveler," when the preacher arose, stopped the singing and said, "while you're cheering the weary traveler you had better arrange to pay what you owe me or you won't have no church to cheer in," and a sudden dampness came over the meeting that hasn't been dispelled yet.  
—That a little Methodist girl and a little Baptist girl were quarreling the other day and the little Baptist girl said to the other, "Hub, my mamma says there ain't nothin' to your pa's religion; he ain't never been baptized; he's only been dry cleaned." And the little Methodist girl said with contempt on her lips said, "Hub, my mamma said your pa could not be anything but a Baptist 'cause he ain't only been souped once, but he gets souped every time he gets the price of a can." Now ain't that awful!

**ST. JOSEPH, MO.**  
George Andrews Graves, 5 years of age the son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Graves, 925 N. 9 St. died at the family residence at 1:40 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Besides his parents he is survived by one brother and three sisters. They are Mrs. Dan Wilson of Kansas City, Mo., and John, Anna and Madge Graves of this city. The funeral arrangements had not been made at the time of going to press... Mr. Sherman has returned to his home in Oregon. Mrs. Phyllis Myers was called to Gravity, Ia., to the bedside of her sick brother who is very low... Mr. Coleman Sherrill and Mrs. Ellen Cadger will be married Thursday evening at 8:00 o'clock at her residence, 1322 Holman street... There will be a Union meeting at the C. M. E. Church... Mrs. Mamie Sanders is on the sick list... The Knights Templars Conclave held in this city was a grand affair... Mrs. Addie Rollinson is very ill at this writing. It is to be hoped that she will soon recover... The Rally at the A. M. E. Church last Sunday was a splendid success...

**LEXINGTON, MO.**  
The recital given by Madam Lucas Thanksgiving night at the A. M. E. Church was quite a success... Dr. Jones of Nowata, Okla., spent Thanksgiving with Miss Glover R. Hawkins... Mrs. Lilla Henderson Smiley of Chicago, Ill., spent a few days this week visiting relatives and friends... Mr. Walter Henderson of St. Louis, Mo., spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents... Miss Pauline Ball entertained at her residence on Franklin avenue, Saturday evening complimentary to Messrs. Walter Henderson and Austin Hancock attended a party in Higginsville, Friday night complimentary to Dr. L. Britt of Omaha, Neb., and Mrs. Lilla Henderson Smiley of Chicago, Ill... Miss Mattie Hawkins left for Kansas City, Sunday evening after spending a week with Mrs. J. D. Ball... Miss Smiley of Sedalia, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson on North 17 st... Mrs. Lucinda Johnson Douglass passed away Friday morning after an illness of several months. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon from Zion A. E. Church of which she was a faithful member. Rev. W. B. Brooks officiated. She leaves a husband, three sons, five daughters and a host of relatives and friends to mourn her loss... Memorial services were held at the 2nd Baptist Church Sunday evening for the late Booker T. Washington... Mr. Robt. Henderson went to Kansas City this morning on business.

**CHILLICOTHE, MO.**  
Mrs. A. Gilbert of Kansas City, Mo., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Montgomery last week... Miss Julia Woods and Dr. H. A. London of Moberly, Mo., Mr. Levi Anderson of Ottumwa, Ia., and Miss Carrie Crain of Milan, Mo., spent Thanksgiving in this city... Professor Hutchinson of Detroit, Mich., is attending the bedside of his aged mother, who has been very ill for several weeks... Mrs. Agee of Salisbury, Mo., was the guest of Mr. Thomas Banks and his daughters last week... Miss Hattie Cabell and Miss Mayme Cabell visited relatives in Kansas City, Kas., last Thursday... Mr. and Mrs. Fred Slaughter and Master Earnest returned last Monday from a visit with relatives in Atchison and Kansas City, Kas... Mr. Chauncey Curry is seriously ill at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Curry... Matthew Denny, formerly of this city was instantly killed by a freight train at Five Creek, W. Va., November 5. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Denny, four sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Marshall and Mrs. Rollins of Boone, Ia.; Mrs. Woodson of Kansas City, Kas.; Mr. John Denny of Omaha, Neb.; Mr. William Denny of St. Joseph, Mo.; and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gilbert of this city. We extend sincere sympathy to the bereaved family... Quarterly meeting was held at the A. M. E. church last Sunday with Rev. M. S. Bryant presiding... Booker Washington memorial services were held at the Mt. Zion church last Sunday afternoon and Mrs. Fannie Almut acting as master of ceremonies... Mr. Herbert Beach is Chancellor Commander of the K. P... The women of the Baptist church merit and should receive praise for the splendid work they have done through the medium of the Mission Circle in contributing to the unfortunate members and friends of the church. The Sewing Circle of the A. M. E. church is doing excellent work toward raising means for improvement and incidental expenses. We conclude that it is highly creditable to the men in some churches that they are so eager to lay upon the women of the church, work which should be done by themselves.

**ROSELDALE, KANSAS.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Williams, 2918 Lloyd avenue, announce the birth of their son Saturday November 27... Messrs. T. T. Morton, Sam Smith of this city, John Harris and Harry Anderson of Kansas City, Mo., enjoy a very pleasant hunting trip in Belton, Mo., Thanksgiving day and brought back plenty of game... Mr. William Davis of 710 College who has been quite ill is convalescing at his residence... The services at the Pleasant Valley Baptist Church Sunday were very in the afternoon Communion was administered to a large number of visitors... Mrs. Ida May Brown is seriously ill at her residence, 4907 Adams street... Mrs. James Pitts has been ill and is improving at her home in Bryn Mawr... The Pleasant Valley Mission Circle met at the residence of the President Mrs. Lillian Scholer 118 Lafayette, Monday afternoon. At this meeting it was decided that the Bazar be held Tuesday Dec. 7 and Wednesday, Dec. 8 at the Pleasant Valley Baptist Church. Tea will be served Tuesday afternoon December 7 free from 2:30 until 5:00. On Wednesday dinner will be served at noon. Mr. and Mrs. Tuppence, 410 Adams street and neices, Miss Alberta Jones and Mrs. Mattie Beckwith spent Sunday in Leavenworth, Kas... Mr. Herman Pinkard of Topeka spent Thanksgiving with his parents... Mrs. W. G. Pinkard entertained a number of young people in honor of Mrs. Tuppence's visiting neices.

**TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS**  
The Sun is making arrangements to inaugurate January 1st its annual special subscription rate for the benefit of both old and new subscribers, but only those old subscribers can take advantage of the rate who are SQUARE on our books.  
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**HOME COOKING SHOP.**  
Mrs. B. T. Lewis has opened a neat, appetizing home cooking shop at 1507 1/2 East 12 st, near the Plaza where she will be pleased to meet her friends and the public. Lunches of all kinds nicely served. Customers given strict attention.  
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If you want something nice to send to a friend stop at Bessie M. Weaver's fruit and flower shop. Deliveries made to any part of the city. 1510 East Eighteenth. Bell phone East 4788.

Alfred H. Lockhart, who is said to be one of the wealthiest colored men in the Danish West Indies, has been visiting in this country. He is the representative of the Standard Oil Company at St. Thomas.

**OFFICIAL CALL.**  
Western Negro Press Association to Meet in Kansas City During the Holidays.  
Officers and Members of the Western Negro Press Association, Greeting:  
By authority of the power vested in me as president of your association, I hereby request you to assemble in the 15th annual convention of the association on the 28th day of December, 1915, in the assembly room of the Kansas City Sun, in the Masonic Temple building, 1802 East Eighteenth street, Kansas City, Mo., for the purpose of transacting business of the organization, and discussing and taking action upon important questions concerning the welfare and peace of our people. We expect a good attendance and much good to result from the meeting. All newspaper or magazine publishers, editors, agents and correspondents are invited to attend.  
Further information concerning the W. N. P. A. and the meeting at Kansas City next month may be had by addressing:  
J. D. COOKE, Milwaukee, Wis., Sec., or H. R. GRAHAM, Kingston, Mo., statistician, or NELSON C. CREWS, Editor The Kansas City Sun, Kansas City, Mo.  
Very truly yours,  
A. J. SMITHERMAN, President.  
Editor The Tulsa Star, Tulsa, Okla.



RICHARD FULLBRIGHT, D. D. G. M. Who is organizing a new Golden Jubilee Masonic Lodge in this city.

**NOTICE.**  
The Inter-State Literary Association of Kansas and the West, will hold its twenty-fifth annual session in Hutchinson, Kansas, December 28, 29, and 30, 1915. The Executive Committee will meet in Topeka, December 8, at which time the literary program will be arranged. Program numbers, and membership fees, must be in the hands of the Corresponding Secretary on or before December 1. New Societies are admitted in the payment of \$1.50. All societies enrolled at the last session, will retain membership on the payment of \$1.00, only. The oratorical, original music, original poetry, and declamation contests, will be held on the night of December 30. It being a QUARTER OF A CENTURY since the organization of the Association an effort is being made to make the event worthy of the occasion; and to this end the earnest co-operation of all citizens and all literary societies within the jurisdiction of the Association are requested to do more than usual in the way of contributions to the program, and to the occasion generally.  
All persons wishing accommodations for the session can obtain the same by writing to the Committee on Homes, Mrs. Kate Wickliff, 325 E. West Street or Mrs. R. B. Perkinson, 405 Thirteenth Street, West Hutchinson, Kansas.  
For any further information address the undersigned,  
MRS. ELLA M. GUY,  
Corresponding Secretary.

**THE PROPER AMOUNT OF LIFE INSURANCE YOU SHOULD HAVE.**  
Nearly every colored man in America carries a weekly policy. Fully two-thirds of the men over 21 are members of some secret order whose death benefits are from \$50 to \$300. There are a very few hundred colored men who have over \$5,000 life insurance in legal reserve life insurance companies.  
In fact, one insurance publication said: "The amount of life insurance carried by Negroes is so negligible that it is left out of all consideration in this book."  
This, too, despite the fact that the total amount of insurance carried in America amounts to billions of dollars, and every year the life insurance companies of America pay to the heirs of deceased Americans millions of dollars in good current United States money.  
Even the average white man who dies leaves his family in better condition. Whatever else he has neglected he has been thoughtful of his life insurance. On the other hand, many well-to-do colored men die and leave their families poorer than when they lived. The average white man's life insurance is \$2,500. The average colored man's is \$350. The white man begins to buy a home for \$3,000; he protects that obligation by taking out the amount of life so that if he dies before he finishes payment his family will not lose the place, nor will they be forced to sacrifice everything to complete payment on that home. The usual colored man begins to buy a home and immediately declares he is unable to carry any life insurance. Then when the interest has accumulated on his notes and it is really a burden for him to pay these notes with all his efforts while he lives, he dies and leaves his family to pay them as best they can, with no means left behind with which to pay.  
Somebody remarked, "there are very few dead Negroes." You know estates crumble. You know how surprised you have been when So-and-so died and left nothing but a lot of debts. Everybody thought he was rich while he lived. His family lived and dressed well. Apparently he had lots of money and property. When he died it took all his money and property to pay his debts. He failed to PROTECT HIS ESTATE WITH LIFE INSURANCE. He might have kept on being prosperous if he had lived, but he failed to leave anything in his place at death. A few thousand dollars in immediate cash, such as a life insurance policy provides, would have saved to his wife and family the estate of many a man who was rated as rich while he lived.  
You know of such a case in your own community. Have you ever stopped and seriously thought of YOUR own affairs? Are you as well protected as you should be? Today you are sound and well. Tomorrow—accidents are frequent and deadly. How would your affairs look if you under the microscope of the administrator or receiver? George W. Vanderbilt insured his life for \$1,000,000 when he first began building his famous Baltimore estate. He was a rich man, but he wanted it. He died that there should be no lack of funds to complete the project. The Great Boston store of Chicago is the result of the half million Charles Netcher left in life insurance.  
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If so desired bring along your Bible. The following subjects will be discussed, beginning Sunday:  
Sunday, Dec. 5, 8 a. m.—Twilight Prayer Meeting, led by the Deacons.  
11:00 a. m.—Subject, "The Great Commission."  
2:30 p. m.—Sunday School.  
6:30 p. m.—B. Y. P. U.  
8:00 p. m.—Subject, "The Eagle Stirreth Up Her Nest."  
Monday, Dec. 6, 8 p. m.—Subject, "The Pale Horse and His Rider."  
Wednesday, Dec. 7, 8 p. m.—Subject, "A Trip to a Better Land."  
Tuesday, Dec. 7, 8 p. m.—Subject, "Go Home Another Way."  
Thursday, Dec. 9, 8 p. m.—Subject, "The Family Reunion."  
Friday, Dec. 10, 8 p. m.—Subject, "A Dead Child Sneezed Seven Times."  
Saturday, Dec. 11, 8 p. m.—Choir Practice.  
Sunday, Dec. 12, 6 p. m.—Twilight Prayer Meeting, led by the Mothers.  
11:00 a. m.—Subject, "Take a Low Seat."  
2:30 p. m.—Sunday School.  
6:30 p. m.—B. Y. P. U.  
8:00 p. m.—Subject, "The True Plan of Salvation."  
Monday, Dec. 13, 8 p. m.—Subject, "Dry Bones in the Church."  
Tuesday, Dec. 14, 8 p. m.—Subject, "Ty Faith has Made Thee Whole."  
Wednesday, Dec. 15, 8 p. m.—Subject, "Go and Wash."  
Thursday, Dec. 16, 8 p. m.—Subject, "The Unworthiness of My House."  
Friday, Dec. 17, 8 p. m.—Subject, "My God Answers by Fire."  
Saturday, Dec. 18, 8 p. m.—Choir Practice.  
Sunday, Dec. 19, 6 a. m.—Twilight Prayer Meeting, led by the Trustees.  
10:45 a. m.—Song Service by Choir.  
11:00 a. m.—Subject, "Benefits Derived from Religion."  
2:30 p. m.—Sunday School.  
6:30 p. m.—B. Y. P. U.  
8:00 p. m.—Subject, "True Religion and the Lord's Supper."  
Monday, Dec. 20, 8 p. m.—Subject, "Satan at Church."  
Tuesday, Dec. 21, 8 p. m.—Subject, "Unity of Faith and Work."  
Wednesday, Dec. 22, 8 p. m.—Subject, "The Year of Jubilee."  
Thursday, Dec. 23, 8 p. m.—Subject, "The Dead Standing Before God."  
Friday, Dec. 24, 9 p. m.—Service will be held all night.

**CHRISTMAS SERVICES.**  
Musical program under the auspices of New Hope Club. Sister Lizzie Logan, President. Admission, 10 cents.  
Christmas Tree under the auspices of Sunday School. Brother Jess Harris, Superintendent.  
Remainder of night will be devoted to prayer service.  
At 5 a. m., December 25, the Pastor will preach. Subject, "The Birth of Christ."  
Sunday, Dec. 26, 6:30 a. m.—Twilight Prayer Meeting, led by four Clubs of church.  
11:00 a. m.—Subject, "The Christian Sabbath."  
2:30 p. m.—Sunday School.  
6:30 p. m.—B. Y. P. U.  
8:00 p. m.—Subject, "Judgment."  
Monday, Dec. 27, 8 p. m.—Subject, "The State of the Soul After Death."  
Tuesday, Dec. 28, 8 p. m.—Subject, "The Harvest Truly is Great."  
Wednesday, Dec. 29, 8 p. m.—Subject, "Christ is Our Sun."  
Thursday, Dec. 30, 8 p. m.—Subject, "The Meeting of Jehovah."  
Friday, Dec. 31, 8:30 to 11 p. m.—Watch Meeting. Praise Meeting.  
11:00 to 12:00—Sermon by Pastor. Subject, "The Goodness of God Toward Us."  
Sunday, Jan. 2, 1916, 6 a. m.—Twilight Prayer Meeting, led by Rev. Jesse Harris, Rev. J. G. Glover and Rev. C. S. Nicken.  
11:00 a. m.—Subject, "Sanctification in Its True Sense."  
2:30 p. m.—Sunday School.  
6:30 p. m.—B. Y. P. U.  
8:30 p. m.—Subject, "Perseverance of Saints."  
Say, were you ever a member of the church? If so, what are you doing out? No one has the right to call himself a Christian when living out of God's Church for our blessed Lord only promised to come back after His Church.  
The Scripture says in order to be saved all men must be born again. The same blessed Book teaches that all men ought to pray. Not man, but men.  
And our beloved Pastor, whom we believe to be a God-sent man, will do the preaching. And he is a firm believer in the old-time religion. And he declares that no one can get forgiveness of his sins without faith and prayer.  
After January 2 the state of the meeting will determine whether we continue in our usual way of work.  
The finance committee will consist of the Deacon Board as follows: Deacons Charles Collins, J. H. Lyons, J. H. Williams, John Acy, Edward Jones, Lewis Nickens, Chester Sims, Tallie Brown, W. H. Briscoe, G. W. Moore, Charles Lewis, John Bryant, Tom Tullins, Levi Pierce, Eddie Young.  
The peace committee will consist of the Usher Board: Paul Tillman, Bert Harding and Carey Jones.  
The Mother Board will act as an entertaining committee. Will see after all strangers and mourners. Namely: Ophelia Jones, Lottie Jones, Lizzie Logan, Mary Jackson, Irene Hale, Lucy Murphy, Josephine Walker, Emma Pierce, Georganna Adams, Lizzie King, Stella Harvey, Nancy Vess, Callie Briscoe, Lucinda Alexander, Josephine Young, Lillie Gains, Martie Jordan, Sophia Lyons, Helen Glover, Clara Hale, Sallie Glover, Ella Hamilton.  
Arrangement committee will consist of Trustees Board: Dr. G. W. Brown, Alex Cole, Austin Lay, R. A. Morten, S. S. Smallwood, James Jacobs, H. B. Moore.

**SPECIAL CALL—TO THE MASONS FROM BLUE HOUSE TO 33D DEGREE. ODD FELLOWS ALL. K. OF P. FROM CASTLE HALL TO SUPREME. U. B. F. FROM SUBORDINATE TO NATIONAL AND OTHERS.**  
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**HOLDEN, MO.**  
The Ladies' Mission Circle met at the residence of Mrs. Clara Smith last Friday and several members were added to the club. Mrs. Fannie Miller of Kansas City was the guest of Mrs. Nannie Simons, Thanksgiving day... Mr. Al Warnick spent Thanksgiving in Holden... Mr. Bert Thurston of Excelsior Springs is visiting Mr. Norman Little... Mrs. Jennie Brown and daughter of Harrisonville was the guest of Mrs. Lewis Clay... Mrs. Tommie Edwards of Sedalia is visiting here... The concert given by Prof. Perkins at the M. Church, Thanksgiving was fine... We hope they will give another soon... Mr. Sherman Brown and Mr. Henry Jacobs, spent Thanksgiving with Brown's Minstrel and enjoyed themselves immensely... Mrs. Iva Parfies and Mrs. Effie Akers of Winward were in Holden Monday... Chas. Pratt spent Thanksgiving in Centerville and had a nice time with old friends... Mrs. Buelah Perkins is doing good work as a leader of the Ladies Circle.

**MOBERLY, MO.**  
The Chariton County Ministers Union that convened at Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church closed Sunday evening. Everyone departed being spiritually revived. Next meeting will be held at Dalton, Mo., January 23, 1916. Out of town visitors were: Mrs. Martha Adams and Mrs. Fannie Golden of Glasgow, the former a guest of her daughter Mrs. Mary Smith and the latter a guest of Mrs. Belle Cropp. Mrs. Mary Levels of Louisiana, Mo., and daughter Mrs. Ethel Beveler of Des Moines, Ia., were in the city the guests of Mrs. L. B. Quinn... Mrs. Jackson of Dalton; Mo., is also visiting in the city the guest of her granddaughter Mrs. J. S. Swancy... Again the wedding bells are ringing... Mr. H. S. Teeters of Huntville, Mo., and Mrs. Bridgewater of Moberly, Mo., were united in wedlock, Thursday, November 25, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Evans, Rev. J. K. Ponder officiating. We join the Sun inn wishing them a bon voyage upon their sea of matrimony.

**NOTES ON RACIAL PROGRESS.**  
Thomas Hudson of Valdosta, Georgia, has just opened the third of a string of grocery stores which he owns in that city.

**Lodge Directory**  
LODGE DIRECTORY.  
Pritchard Lodge No. 42, A. F. and A. M., meets the 2nd and 4th Monday in each month. All Master Masons in good standing welcome. Cecil Thompson, W. M.; J. H. Spigener, Secretary.  
Rene Lodge No. 25, A. F. and A. M., meets the 1st and 3rd Monday in each month. All Master Masons in good standing welcome. J. C. Granger, W. M.; T. J. McCampbell, Secy.  
Mt. Olive Lodge No. 53, A. F. and A. M., Liberty, Mo., meets the 1st and 3rd Monday in each month. All Master Masons in good standing welcome. Frank Lowe, Secretary, 141 Baltimore Ave.

**U. B. F.**  
King of the West Lodge No. 218 meets first and third Mondays in each month at 223 Grand avenue. C. F. Hill, W. M.; D. M. West, 1718 Euclid Ave., Secretary.

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