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Today schools are being opened to all men between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years in which special training is being given in order that they may be in position to render more efficient service in the event they volunteer or are drafted. Enrolling in these classes does not mean that any man is to be singled out and drafted because of his identification with government work. It does mean, however, that he will in all probability be permitted to remain in school until he has volunteered or been drafted just as he would have been had he had no connection with government work.

The Kansas City Polytechnic Institute has enrolled white men in its various branches of engineering and in all cases they have been able to get preferred classification. Lincoln High School wants to help our Colored men.

What does this special training mean to the recipient? It means this, you have specialized in some line of work that will be of value to the government and will therefore be preferred to those whose talents are not developed in any particular capacity. When a certain degree of efficiency has been reached cards will be issued showing what has been accomplished. If you volunteer or if you are drafted in the service your worth to the government is greater if you are trained than it could be otherwise. All special work begun in school is continued when the camp has been reached.

All men between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years who are interested and would enroll in any of the following branches: RADIO ENGINEERING, AUTO MECHANICS, OPERATING OF MOTOR VEHICLES, DRAFTING AND AIRCRAFT CARPENTRY, will signify their intention to do so by communicating with the Principal of Lincoln High School or W. T. White, Department of Vocational Education, Lincoln High School, 19th Street and Tracy Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri. If it is not convenient to call in person, call Mr. White over Bell telephone, Grand 3469, between the hours of 6 and 9 P. M. Kindly give address and telephone number when communicating. There should be no delay in so important a matter.

J. R. E. LEE, Principal.

AMONG THE CHURCHES

ALLEN CHAPEL.

The Graduate Nurses' Association of Greater Kansas City held their first public service at Allen Chapel Sunday morning. Miss Myrtle B. Anderson of Los Angeles, Cal., delivered an address on "Our Captivity" in an eloquent and masterful manner. Surely the race is proud of the type of young womanhood as represented by Miss Anderson. She is en route to Chicago to take up the study of law. At the open air evening service Dr. William H. Thomas, the pastor, delivered a very helpful and inspiring sermon from the fifth chapter and fourth verse of Luke. Subject, "How the Master Dealt With Discouraged Men." Next Tuesday night is "Go to Class Night." Those who are seldom seen at class are expected to put in their appearance. The Mite Missionary Society held their annual picnic Monday, August 26, on the lawn of Mrs. A. T. Moore, South Park, Kas. The Trustee Helpers held a law; social Tuesday evening, the proceeds of which are to help pay for the church's winter coal. The 2nd Sunday in September is "Old Folks' Day." All the old people who wish to attend send names to America Robinson and transportation both ways will be furnished free of charge. The Masonic Choir will give a concert in this church September 29, under the auspices of four of the Ladies' Auxiliaries. The object of which is to help pay for the winter's coal. The fall opening of the Christian Endeavor Society is Sunday evening in the newly painted lecture room. You are urged to attend. Strangers and visitors are welcome—thrice welcome—to all our services.

ST. JAMES BAPTIST CHURCH.

The Sunday services were well attended all day. Our pastor, Rev. Wilson, has been away for two Sundays and the congregations and members enjoyed his sermons. There have been two additions to the church recently. Rev. Wilson has just returned from the New Era District Association, which met at Joplin, Mo. He reports a splendid session both financially and spiritually. The Mission Circle is doing good work under the leadership of Mrs. Edna Fitzhugh. They have just bought the winter's coal supply for the parsonage. Mrs. Clara Wilson, superintendent of the Sunday School, is accomplishing many good things and the attendance is increasing. Rev. Wilson visited his son, Udell, at Camp Funston last week and reports splendid conditions there. While there he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. J.

QUARTERLY MEETING AT BETHEL.

Twenty-Fourth and Flora. Sunday, September 1, 1918, will be the occasion of our fourth and last quarterly meeting for this conference year, also the last under the leadership of our present Pastor, Rev. F. D. Wells. We invite the generous public to worship with us throughout the day. Rev. J. F. Sage will preach the Sacramental Sermon at 3 P. M. The Pastors of Greater Kansas City and vicinity, with their respective congregations, are especially invited, and expected to be present. The Holy Sacrament will be administered to the Young People of the Church at the Christian Endeavor at 7:30 P. M. This service has proven to be of great interest in the past. We must train the children of the Church in the way they should go. All young Christians are invited.

Weaver, who are in business there and doing well. Mrs. Mary January and Mrs. J. W. Wilson attended the Northeastern Association of Kansas at Leavenworth last week, which convened with the First Baptist Church of which Rev. Hayes is pastor. A profitable session was held.

ST. PETER'S A. M. E. ZION CHURCH

The first corner stone laid in a woman's church in Kansas City is to be laid at St. Peter's Sunday, September 8, 1918, at 3 p. m., by John Turner Lodge No. 106, A. F. and A. M. The public is cordially invited. The pastor, Rev. Mrs. L. Beard, will preach at 11 a. m. Bishop L. W. Kyles, A. M. S. T. D., of the Seventh Episcopal District, will preach at 3 p. m. Don't forget the date, and remember the half has not yet been told. Come and see for yourself.

FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH.

Sunday morning services were conducted by Sister Mary E. Travis, taking for her text Isaiah 6:3, "Whom Shall I Send?" A glorious sermon was delivered. One accepted Christ for baptism. This is the second time Sister Tivis has administered unto us. On last Sunday night, August 18th, she conducted services and five were added to the church. We are always glad to have Sister Tivis with us, as we believe she is a God-sent woman, full of the Holy Ghost. Rev. G. H. Reed preached a noble and able sermon. Three were added to the church. On next Sunday there will be baptizing at 3 o'clock sharp, after which the Lord's Supper will be administered. We urge all members to be present. Sunday School every Sunday at 1 p. m. and B. Y. P. U. at 6:30. A special program next Sunday. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. The Church Cleaning Club met with Sister Sterman, 1741 Virginia. Refreshments will be served. Sister Hopkins' Club meets every Friday night. Who Would Have Thought Club meets every Thursday night. Ask all members to be present. The pastor extends a hearty welcome to all visitors.



REV. F. D. WELLS, D.D., the popular pastor of Bethel A. M. E. Church, this city.

The termination of the pastorate of no minister of the city occasions more sincere regret than that of Rev. F. D. Wells, who is closing up his fifth and last year at Bethel Church and who will hold the final Quarterly meeting of the year tomorrow. All of Kansas City, and especially African Methodists, should be there to testify by their presence their appreciation of the remarkable and inspiring work done by this stalwart young leader of the race and bid him God's speed and the same continued degree of success at his next appointment.

Since coming here Dr. Wells has graduated as Valedictorian from the Theological Department of Western University. He is president of the Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance, Deputy Commissioner of Negro Boy Scouts of Missouri and Kansas and is Vice Chairman of the Negro Commission to Superintend the erection of the Jackson County Home for Aged and Infirm Negroes. Before coming to this city, Dr. Wells built at Moberly, Mo., the most beautiful and modern church in the North Missouri Conference. And when he came to Bethel he found eighteen members, which he has increased to 286, paying off a large part of the cumbersome debt and preparing plans for a new modern and commodious House of Worship. In every public movement he has been a prominent factor. Kansas City can ill afford to lose a strong and popular leader like Rev. Wells and many African Methodists are sincerely hoping that the good Bishop may see his way to give Kansas City the continued use of his splendid ability and leadership.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH.

Dr. Bacote preached a grand sermon last Sunday morning, which was enjoyed by all present. In the evening services Dr. Bacote preached on "Launch Out in the Deep and Let Down Your Nets for a Draught." During the day there were ten additions to the church. The Patriotic Musical and Literary program rendered by the B. Y. P. U. Choral Society under the direction of Mrs. J. L. Reeves last Sunday evening was a grand success. Every number was excellent. The feature of the program was the male quartet composed of Messrs. Reeves, Holberry, Thompson and Beck, who sang beautifully, "Tenting On the Old Camp Ground." This program closed the B. Y. P. U. rally for the carpent fund, in which \$87.50 was the amount raised. Last Wednesday evening a farewell reception was held in honor of Miss Mary White, our organist, who is going away this week to take up her duties in school work. We all regret to see Miss White leave us, but wish her success in her new field of labor. Last Thursday evening the Sunday School teachers held a very interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. Betty Wilson, 1915 Montgall. Last Friday evening the Mission Circle held a very interesting session at the home of Mrs. Edwards, 1917 Euclid. Strangers in the city are especially invited to share our church home.

EBENEZER CHURCH.

On Sunday morning Rev. Osborne occupied the pulpit and preached as usual one of those powerful, instructive sermons to a large congregation. There were six additions to the church and the collection was one hundred and fifty-six dollars. At 8 p. m. Miss Anderson of Los Angeles delivered a strong, forceful address on the race problem. The many impressive truths and her manner of delivery captivated the appreciative audience. Class No. 14, Brother C. C. Rader, leader, carried the banner this week with a large percentage, reporting \$7.05. It seems that Brother

Rather is headed toward the class gold medal this Quarter. Mrs. Anna Roberts, Sunday School superintendent, is at her post again, after a visit to Moberly, Mo., where she attended the grand lodge of the U. B. F.'s & S. M. T.'s. Look out for the date of the big three cents hike to be given by Club No. 72. First stop at the "Grand Canyon," where you will be abundantly served for three cents; then to "The Garden of the Gods"—again a big three cents luncheon; to Pikes Peak, continuing west to Yellowstone Park and back through the East, stopping at Niagara Falls and other points, being refreshed at each for three cents. The Ebenezer Douglas Hospital Club thanks Dr. Frank Lowe for a donation of five dollars; also Dr. Theodore Smith for five dollars more, making fifteen dollars given by Dr. Smith to assist on the payments of the work that was done by the club. These two donations enabled us to make this week's payment. The girls and boys will rehearse at Ebenezer Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock for the play, "Jack and the Bean Stalk," which will be given at Lincoln High School by Mrs. Osborne at an early date. All children who took part before and others are asked to be at the rehearsal. Mrs. Ethel Shores, one of Ebenezer's leading alto singers, will leave soon for an extended trip west. She will visit Denver, Colorado Springs and Omaha. Mesdames Minnie Jackson, Josephine Abenathy, Lulu Wilson and Mrs. Belcher are among those who have been added to the list of captains for the Mid-Summer Rally, and say that their flags will not trail in the dust. The \$400 mark has already been reached and captains and members continue reporting. On Wednesday evening, September 11th, Rev. R. Davis will preach at Ebenezer. He will come with his congregation to assist the pastor in his annual wind-up. Conference is October 2d.

VINE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.

All services were well attended with two additions. Mrs. Lucile Wilson of 1914 East 26th street, sister of Miss C. S. Freemore, was badly injured by a gas explosion the 23rd, but is somewhat better at this writing. Mrs. Lucile Lamb will leave for Chicago in a few days where she will join her husband. Mrs. Lottie Rushing is in Kentucky ill with rheumatism.

ILLINOIS U. B. F.

OFFICERS ELECTED AT CLOSING SESSION OF COLORED CONVENTION.

Peorians Are Honored by Election to Offices in State Gathering of the Colored Order.

Election of officers and the selection of Mound City for the next annual convention consumed the entire day yesterday for the Grand Lodge of United Brothers of Friendship now in session in the court house.

The new officers elected are: Jordan W. Tut, Quincy, grand master; John R. Keller, Chicago, deputy grand master; B. L. Lucas, grand secretary; J. C. Peoples, Monmouth, assistant grand secretary; J. C. Steele, Mound City, grand treasurer; J. W. Smith, Detroit, junior marshal; C. E. Dickerson, Rock Island, senior marshal; Marion Coen, Jacksonville, and J. F. Brown, Davenport, supporters; E. Duncan, Quincy, J. Miles, Springfield, and J. Smith, Quincy, trustees; G. McWilliams, Monmouth, and H. Shaw, Chicago, sentinels; J. E. Bish, Chicago, organizer; H. W. Jameson, Peoria, chaplain; B. G. Clanton, Springfield, attorney; S. A. Ware, Springfield, medical examiner; J. W. Monroe, Quincy, member of endowment board. The grand temple Sisters of the Mysterious Ten did not complete its election last evening and will resume voting this morning. The list as selected: Rhoda M. Johnson, Quincy, state princess; Eliza Jackson, Chicago, vice princess; Georgia Harding, Chicago, secretary; Mary Byrd, Springfield, assistant secretary; Rebecca Hart, Cairo, treasurer; Ellis L. Holmes, Chicago, chaplain; Katie Crosby, Chicago, organizer; Mary Harsh, Chicago, Susie Consins, Peoria, and Anna Mulsion, Des Moines, trustees.

The question of investing all the surplus of the endowment fund will come before the convention today. Election of officers of the Royal House will also be held today. Today is the closing session and most of the delegates will leave for their homes. All delegates and visitors were guests at a banquet held at Ward chapel last evening.

WAVERLY, MO.

The Camp Meeting in Masonic Grove by Rev. F. P. Moten and members is progressing nicely. Master Harold Dixon and sister have returned from a visit to Omaha, Neb. Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson of Salt Lake Springs attended the meeting here Sunday. Miss Etta G. Moten and Mrs. Oliver Wilson were visitors in Marshall, Mo., Monday. Rev. Geo. Baker and family, Mrs. Ida M. Moti and daughter were dinner guests of Mrs. Alia Baker last Sunday.

Mr. W. H. Washington, who is with the Y. M. C. A. at Camp Dodge writes a very interesting letter of the activities and excellent training going on at that Cantonment.

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J. R. E. LEE, Chairman
Admission: Adults 50c. Children 25c. War Tax included

NOTICE!

ALL MEMBERS OF THE LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION AND ALL GRADUATES OF THE LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL WILL PLEASE MEET AT THE Y. M. C. A. THURSDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 5, 8:00 P. M.
HEATRICE PARSONS, Secretary.
WM. E. GRIFFEN, President.

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