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ELKS WILL BE HERE IN 1920
The Hod Carriers and Band Make Finest Showing Labor Day
ALLEN CHAPEL TO BURN MORTGAGE

NEGRO PRESIDENT IN AMERICA

New York, N. Y.—C. D. B. King, president-elect of Liberia, arrived here yesterday, on the steamship Carmania, on his first visit to the United States. After a short stay in New York he will go to Washington to pay his respects to President Wilson. He was met down the bay by H. F. Worley, United States government receiver of customs and fiscal agent of Liberia, who represented the State Department in receiving the president-elect.



REV. WILLIAM H. THOMAS, D.D., the brilliant and beloved Pastor of Allen Chapel who has freed that historic edifice from its mortgage debt of twenty-five years' standing.

GREAT MUSICAL EVENT AND CHOIR CONTEST.

Several weeks ago we announced the Grand Musical Entertainment by the Invincible Concert Company at Labor Temple, 14th & Woodland, Sept. 19th. Since this first announcement our committee of Management has visited many of the church choirs of Greater Kansas City and is pleased to report that many of these choirs have thrown their hats into the ring and are in the race to win. More than 2,000 tickets have been issued to the competing choirs and some of the choirs have sold all of the first consignment and are asking for more tickets.

The following is a list of some of the choirs that have been visited or have been asked to enter the contest. Morning Star Baptist Church, Rev. G. H. Daniels, pastor; Friendship Baptist Church, Rev. S. C. Doyle, pastor; Second Baptist Church, Rev. S. W. Baccote, pastor; St. Stephens Baptist church, Rev. J. W. Hurns, pastor; Metropolitan Baptist Church, Dr. D. A. Holmes, pastor; Rev. McNeal's church, Ebenezer A. M. E. Church, Rev. W. T. Osborne, pastor; Bethel A. M. E. Church, Rev. B. G. Dawson, pastor; Second Christian church, Rev. Wm. Alphin, pastor; C. M. E. Church, 18th & Paseo; Vine St. Baptist church Dr. Ewing, pastor; Rev. Lane's Church; and Centennial M. E. Church. Members of our committee have had telephone communication from several other churches and we are glad to say that from the number of calls for tickets most of them have entered or will enter the contest. The race is open to all competitors and we shall be glad to have any one wishing to enter or anyone desiring to secure more tickets to call East 4349 over either phone and consult the chairman of the general committee, Mr. C. H. Adkins.

Be sure and read our ads carefully this week.

Fraternities Meet

On last Tuesday night, in response to a circular letter sent out from the office of Grand Chancellor, A. W. Lloyd of St. Louis, three representatives from each of the different subordinate lodges and Courts of Calanthe assembled at Castle Hall, 14th and Michigan Ave., to form a building committee the purpose of which is to erect a Pythian Temple for the Kansas City fraternity.

The circular sent out by the Grand Chancellor was based upon a resolution which was introduced in the Grand Lodge session in July by past Grand Chancellor, James P. Maynard of Kansas City. The resolution emanated from the local lodges and sought the endorsement of the Grand Lodge in their effort to erect a Pythian Temple. The Grand Lodge unanimously endorsed the project and offered to furnish all or any part of the funds required. It was upon the action therefore, of the Grand Lodge and the authority which it gave authorizing the enterprise that Grand Chancellor Lloyd, on the 30th of July, sent out a communication that each of the lodges of Kansas City and the Courts of Calanthe, the auxiliary of ladies to the Pythian family, to select three representatives from each body to meet him on Tuesday, September 2.

BUILDING LABORERS WIN MUCH PRAISE.

In the Labor Day parade last Monday, no single division won more praise for their splendid bearing and excellent showing than did the International Building Laborers' Union No. 1, and their famous band, formerly the Second Regiment K. of P. Band. They were considered the crack division of the parade and were applauded along the entire route; under the leadership of Mr. Charles Harris and the officers of the organization they gave a monster outing and celebration at Heim's Park which was attended by thousands of our people afternoon and evening. After an enjoyable hand concert, speeches were made by Senator William White, one of the veteran members of the organization and by Hon. W. C. Hueston and Nelson C. Crews which were apparently enjoyed by the large crowd, after which a sheep-skinning contest was held between Lister, a white butcher from Cudaby's, and Reed, a Colored butcher from Morris, for \$100.00 cash prize which was won by the Colored man in two minutes and ten seconds, while the white butcher's time was three minutes and two seconds. It was one of the greatest celebrations ever held by the Union and they are justly proud over their success.

Mrs. Della Nicholson of 1408 Wyandotte Street (returned from a visit at the home of Mrs. Betts in Denver, Colo. She spent the month-end in Colorado Springs, Colo., and Manitou.

RECEPTION SUPERS.

One of the most enjoyable affairs last week was the informal reception Friday evening August 29 from 4:00 to 6:00 P. M. given in honor of the Supreme Officers of the Court of Calanthe of the Eastern and Western Hemisphere (K. of P.) by Mrs. J. H. Oliver W. C. Queen of the West Court No. 1 and Mrs. A. R. Merritt at the beautiful home of the latter, 912 Washington Boulevard, Kansas City, Kansas. The honored guests were: Mrs. Jennie H. Ross, S. W. C. of Courts of Calanthe of Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Florence Owens, Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. I. B. Joseph of New York, N. Y.; Mrs. Eugenia B. Heathman, Providence, R. I.; Mrs. Josephine Riley, Newport, R. I.; Mrs. Louisa D. Anderson, Crewe, Va.; Mrs. V. Fingers, Santiago, Calif.; Mrs. L. S. Wonton, Chi-

ago, Ill.; Mrs. H. L. Pleasant, Tex.; Mrs. Tennis Johnson of New York City, N. Y. The callers were: Mesdames Richd. Allen P. G. D.—O. E. S. Mrs. J. B. Wilson, P. G. E.—O. E. S.; Mark W. Johnson; Thillie Rammoms; James A. Lee; Laurine Holbert, Mable Dixon, Daisy Marshall and J. W. Taylor of Kansas City, Mo.; Mesdames Marie Wilson M. A. G. M.—H. of J. Edw. Brown, J. A. Thomas, Edward Smith, W. E. Green, W. M. Hulsey, Cordelia Bibbs, C. Lake, Mary Dilbert, Bessie Robinson, Lu Lu Jones, Washington, M. Fulcher and many others of Kansas City, Kansas.

WAR CAMP COMMUNITY SERVICE

Miss Hattie Q. Brown of Wilberforce, Ohio, well known elocutionist and lecturer, will address the Women's Clubs of the City at 8:30 P. M. Friday, Sept. 5th., at the Soldiers and

VINE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.

All services were well attended. Mr. Irvin Johnson is very sick. Mrs. McKinney also is quite ill. We hope they will improve rapidly. Mrs. Georgia Graham and Mrs. Meggie Reynolds have been very sick, but are improving. Mr. Richard Coby was married last week. We hope for him a long and prosperous life. Mrs. A. E. Johnson spent last week in Excelsior Springs, Mo., and was the guest of Mrs. Gertie Tibbs. She reported a grand time. Mrs. Nannie Reed visited Marshall, Mo., and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Proctor. She reports a fine time. A linen shower was given Mrs. Reed upon her departure for home. Mrs. Bloomer Gillham was visiting last Sunday and reports a grand time.



SIR W. S. GREEN re-elected for his sixth time as Supreme Chancellor of the Knights of Pythias of Europe, Asia, Africa, Australia and America known as the five grand divisions. Sir Green is one of the ripest scholars and ablest presiding officers in the race and the Sun is proud of his continued success.

Sailors Club, 18th and Vine Sts.

A detachment of thirty men of the 24th Infantry spent Monday at the Soldiers and Sailors Community Club at 18th and Vine streets. The men were enroute to the border to join their company at Columbus, New Mexico. A free bus ride was given the men on their arrival and the remainder of the day was spent in reading, writing, pool and other games. Mr. Sage came in during the afternoon and entertained the men with music.

We have been able, through the Quartermaster's Department, Scarritt Arcade, to place forty men, largely ex-service in work at Camp Funston, paying \$90.00 per month—transportation and quarters furnished. The Colored Division of War Camp Community Service is more than willing to assist all ex-service men in securing work.

Patronize the McDuffie Department Store, 18th and Michigan Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Richardson, 1821 Paseo, entertained Mrs. Clarence Jenkins of Chicago on the afternoon and evening of August 27 with an elaborate three course reception. The home was beautifully decorated with potted ferns. The table had a pyramid of white roses and ferns mingled with cut glass—the color scheme being white and green. The guests were: Father Harry Rahming, Mesdames Sarah Richardson, Ellen Blue, Mary Stewart, R. V. Adkins, Amy Willis, Edmondia Brown, Bracey Graves, M. Milligan, Mazelle Washington, Nannie Fields, Susie Cotton, Cornelia Dalley, Ragner Cox, N. Jackson of Topeka, Kans.; Misses Penn, Rosa Canfax, Messrs. Harry King of St. Louis, Clarence Markham, Walter Porter, St. Louis, Galveston Miller, O'Neill Mitchell; Dr. and Mrs. Sidney Johnson, Dr. T. C. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stewart.

Get the children ready for school Monday and keep them going right along.

A Real Hair Culturist Here

Madame Lyda Slaughter-Wilson Establishes the Wonderful Slaughter Hair Growing System Here

LARGE CLASS BEING FORMED

Hundreds of our readers who are interested in beauty culture and especially in hair and scalp treatment will be pleased to know that the wonderful Slaughter system, of which they have often read but have not had the opportunity of using, has been established here. Knowing the great need of our women in this line and knowing too, the great good which has been done for others in other cities, Madame Lyda Slaughter-Wilson, originator of the Slaughter System of St. Louis, Mo., decided to establish this system in Kansas City. Before giving any notice of her arrival, six ladies at once enrolled in a class for three weeks' treatment and are completing this course this week. The ladies completing this course are: Miss Augustine Duncan, Mrs. Lovey L. Laden, Mrs. Minnie Moore, Mrs. Cordelia Burris, Mrs. Estelle Loden and Mrs. Kathryn Level all of whom are prepared to do good work and give the best of service. Mrs. Minnie Moore is now prepared to do manicuring at 1713 E. 12th St.

Madame Lyda Slaughter-Wilson has hundreds of testimonials as well as many photographs of persons who have taken this treatment showing the wonderful result obtained; and she says that there is no question whatever about the growing of hair under this system and she backs up all she says by guaranteeing to grow your hair or refund your money. Any ladies who are interested in learning the art of growing hair would do well to get in touch at once with Madame Slaughter-Wilson. She is enrolling pupils now for a class to begin in a few days for the study of scalp work, facial massage and manicuring. All former customers and friends and new customers interested in the wonderful system will call Madame Lyda Slaughter-Wilson at 1513 Park Avenue or Bell Phone East 5448.

BLUE TRIANGLE LEAGUE.

The Blue Triangle League is glad to welcome Miss Lovett, Girls Work Secretary, who has returned from the Girls Conference and is brimming full of new ideas, concerning Association work. Miss Syms, a delegate sent by the local organization, also reports a very delightful and profitable trip. The following places sent secretaries and delegates to the Conference: Chattanooga, Tenn.—Girls' Secretary and two delegates. Louisville, Ky.—Girls' Secretary and three delegates. Little Rock, Ark.—Two Secretaries and six delegates. St. Joseph, Mo.—One Secretary and one delegate. St. Louis, Mo., was represented by two secretaries and thirty three girls as delegates.

The following Girl Reserves met at the Paseo Y. M. C. A. The Fourth Grade Girls of Donlass; Sophomore Girls, 7th Grade W. W. Yates; 5th Grade W. W. Yates; The Girl Reserves of the Booker T. Washington School held their meeting on the ground of the school. There were quite a number of the members present. The Garrison School Corps of Girl Reserves met Wednesday night.

Mrs. Lula M. Bates while attending the U. B. F. & S. M. T. Grand Session last week in St. Joseph, Mo., was presented a silver pickle fork by the Kansas City delegation.

GRAND LODGE OF U. B. F. AND S. M. T. HOLD ANNUAL CONVENTION

The Grand Lodge U. B. F. and S. M. T. concluded their sessions by the election of officers for another year which resulted as follows: Grand Master...Dr. Gideon W. Brown Deputy Grand Master...C. W. Black Grand Secretary...Duke Diggs Asst. Grand Sec'y...John Goins Grand Treasurer...Dr. J. H. Williams Grand Chaplain...O. T. Reed Grand Medical Registrar...Dr. J. E. Smith Senior Marshal...Wm. Taylor Junior Marshal...R. A. Davis Grand Rt. Supporter...I. C. Reynolds Grand Left Supporter...Frank Marshall First Trustee...D. E. Samuels Second Trustee...Robt' Renfro Third Trustee...S. H. Lamplins Inside Sentinel...W. W. Turk Outside Sentinel...W. S. Green Grand Sword Bearer...Wm Hagwood Board of management: J. T. Caston...First Member The Sisters of the Mysterious Ten elected the following: L. Leota Caston...Grand Princess Bettie F. Johnson...Vice Princess



DR. GIDEON W. BROWN the new Grand Master of the U. B. F., one of Kansas City's most prominent young surgeons and physicians and who will undoubtedly make good in his new position.

Mary E. Bruce...Grand Secretary M. E. Abington, Asst. Grand Secretary A. B. Viley...Grand Treasurer Jessie E. Jones...Grand Chaplain Alice Canon...Senior Grand Marshal O. L. Neal...Junior Grand Marshal Dora Black...Grand Joshua Willa Mae Brown...First Grand Trustee Lizzie Bolton...Second Grand Trustee Mary E. Monroe...Third Grand Trustee O. F. Nelson...Grand Pilot Luck E. Paey...Grand Zilla The next place of meeting will be Hannibal, Mo.

THE FELLOW THAT'S DOWN.

By Chas. P. Wilson, Jefferson City, Mo. No matter how he came there, It is enough to know; He needs a hand in kindness, Extended in his woe; To stand him on his feet again, Strong in the confidence of men.

He may have made a blunder Through kindly meant advice, That led to his disaster, And now must pay the price Of self-denial, struggle, pain, His fame and fortune to regain.

Then lift the man that's fallen, No matter what the cause; You may yourself make failures, No one is free from flaws; The kindness you may show today With interest he may repay.

BIG MOONLIGHT EXCURSION on the STEAM BOAT MAJESTIC Under the Auspices of RELIABLE MEN'S CLUB SUNDAY NIGHT, SEPT. 7, AT 8 P. M. Don't forget the date and time of leaving B. B. FRANCIS, Chairman.