

# Among the Churches

## GALILEE BAPTIST CHURCH.

Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. At 11 A. M. Rev. Winston preached a great sermon, his text was found Mark 15:38 "Truly This Was the Son of God." Everybody enjoyed the service. At 9:30 P. M. Rev. Norfleet preached for us. His text was found Matt. 22:42 "What Think Ye of Christ. It was very inspiring. We would be glad to have the members visit the Star Light Band, organized by the young members. They meet every Monday at 6 P. M. and are doing a wonderful work. We were very glad to see Sister Lena Wesley and her mother return home from visiting her sister and daughter, in Topeka, Kans.

## WARD CHAPEL A. M. E. CHURCH.

1120 Woodland Ave., Rev. J. F. Sage, Pastor.

Sunday being the Fifth Sunday it was divided between the Stewards and Trustees. The collections were good. Rev. Sage occupied his pulpit both morning and night. There was one addition. The Sunday School was well attended. Class No. 2, Miss Gertrude Atkins, banner class for collection, Class No. 5, Mrs. M. Duncan teacher, banner class for attendance. The What-So-Ever Club was entertained by Mrs. Mary Howard. Mrs. Luther Oliver left Thursday for Durand, Miss., to visit her mother and other relatives. Mrs. P. H. Oliver and son returned home Sunday from a visit to the Sunny Sunday visiting her mother and relatives. Mrs. J. F. Sage returned from Lawrence, Kans. She reports a fine time. We were glad to see Mesdames Marion Reed and Pulllove at church after such a long absence. Little Miss Loraine Faulkner of Omaha, Neb., is in the city the guest of her father, Mrs. L. W. Faulkner. Mrs. Lillian Smith returned Sunday from Omaha, Neb., attending the Grand Lodge. She reports a fine time.

## SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH.

About one thousand persons heard Dr. Baecote's grand sermon last Sunday morning. His subject was "On His Head Was Many Crowns," from Rev. 19:12. The sermon was greatly enjoyed by those present. The Annual sermon of the Uniform Rank of the K. of P. lodge, which was held in this Auditorium at 2 p. m., was a great success in every way. In the B. Y. P. T. Prof. Cox made a fine talk on "The Melting Pot of the World." Mr. Williamson, who is visiting his daughter here, made a fine talk. The evening services were devoted to thanksgiving to God for the work done for and by the church during the day. There were ten additions. The Mission Circle had a fine outing last Friday at 3 o'clock. The Community

Chorus holds interesting and well attended meetings every Wednesday evening. You will be made welcome if you attend this church. Come to this church.

## EBENEZER CHURCH.

By Mrs. Ona B. Wilson.

The services were well attended all day Sunday. So forcibly did Dr. Osborne preach on the subject, "The Anchor of the Soul," that many came forward to join, while sinners came to be prayed for. The choir, under the direction of Miss Buelah Douglass, is very inspiring. Mr. Porter entertained the Usher Board Friday evening. Mrs. Emma Jenkins entertained the Senior Stewardess Board Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Ona B. Wilson entertained the Art Club Thursday afternoon. The U. W. S. Club is doing wonderful work under the direction of Mrs. Ella Thurman. There is something going on at Ebenezer all the time. The Endavor welcomes her president, Madame Dimery back, who has been laboring in other fields and who she has brought many inspiring words. Mrs. Anna Roberts has returned from Grand Lodge at St. Joe, Mo. Ebenezer was favored with a visit Tuesday night, from Prince Hosanna, an African Prince. Mrs. Hobbs and mother, Mrs. Ellen Coleman left Thursday for a visit with Misses Elizabeth and Hortense Dimery are home and expect to enter Western University this Fall.

Twin City Baptist Ministers Alliance met Monday night September 1 at the Friendship Baptist Church, 17th & Tracy. The meeting was called to order by the President, Rev. R. C. Cosby. After the routine of business all present enjoyed for about thirty minutes the religious service: singing, Scripture Reading by Rev. J. C. McMillan, a well delivered sermon by Rev. W. D. Redd, followed by a prayer from Rev. Geo. M. Redd. The President of the Alliance, Rev. H. W. Webb, reports great success in his charge at Butte, Mont., with a prosperous field to work in. See the Musical program Monday night September 15th at 17th & Tracy. Rev. S. C. Doyle, pastor.

## ST. JOHN A. M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. J. C. Bell, Pastor.

Services at St. John were well attended all day. A very inspiring sermon was delivered by Rev. Wm. Williams, who preached Sunday morning from Exodus 3:14-25 which was enjoyed by all. The Sunday School is having good attendance. Reports of the last Quarter were read and commended upon. We are now looking forward to Conference claims. Mrs. Eliza Finley, our Evangelist, occupied the pulpit at the evening service. She preached from Acts 5:9. It was in-

deed a grand sermon. Three persons came forward for prayer. Mrs. Katie Cummings motored to Excelsior Springs this week to see her sick friend, Mrs. M. J. Hanson of Carrollton, Mo. I who is there for the benefit of her health. She reports her improving nicely. Rev. and Mrs. Bell were guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Webb Sunday at their new home, 1127 Clayton, Rosedale, Kans. We invite you to our services. Come and make this your church home.

## ALLEN CHAPEL.

Services were well attended at Allen Chapel Sunday. Dr. Wm. H. Thomas, the minister, occupied the pulpit at both morning and evening services, delivering sermons filled with wisdom and inspiration. "The Tempted Christ" was the subject of his morning sermon: "How We Stand in the Way of Our Own Well Being" the subject of the evening sermon. There were four additions. The Ladies Aid, Strangers Club, and Trustee Helpers held their respective meetings with interesting sessions. The Douglas Hospital Club has its opening meeting Friday night, Sept. 12th, at the residence of Mrs. E. J. Banks, 1907 E. 10th St. The Sunday School Union will give a Musical and Literary entertainment at Bethel Church, 24th & Flora Ave., Sept. 10th. The Educational Committee of Allen Chapel will give a Musical Wednesday night Sept. 10th at the residence of Mrs. Ida C. Lee, 2404 Paseo for the benefit of Western University. Admission 10c. Owing to the threatening weather the Boat Excursion was cancelled. There was great rejoicing in Allen Chapel Tuesday night when it was announced that Allen had gone "Over the Top." The mortgage debt had been wiped out. Friends and strangers we invite you to share our church home and to join with us in worship and in work.

G. Dawson who was called to Hot Springs to the funeral of her brother, returned last Sunday morning. The choir under the management of Mr. William Melford is destined to be one of the greatest in this country, they are rendering very excellent music. Come and hear them. He is a man of rare musical ability and the choir appreciates his worth. The Strangers Club entertained Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Hickman.

## ST. JAMES A. M. E. ZION CHURCH.

St. James is enjoying a gala week. Dr. J. W. Wood, Secretary of Foreign Missions, is giving illustrated sermons and lectures during the week and will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. next Sunday. Dr. Shaw has returned from a trip through Oklahoma, Arkansas and Tennessee.

## THE SPIRIT OF DOUGLASS.

A Drama in Four Acts By Theo. DRURY.

Mr. Drury's new play will be given for the first time at St. James A. M. E. Zion church in October. The plot is based on political intrigue and is entirely a Race play with the usual "Colored low comedy" entirely absent, for the author is a man of culture and advanced thought. This will possibly be Mr. Drury's last appearance in Kansas City and it is hoped that those who appreciate real talent will see this production.

## SALINA, KANSAS.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hawkins entertained in honor of their son, Harry, who returned recently from Overseas with a six o'clock dinner. Those present were: Messrs. Jerry Finch, Stryl Thompson, Luther Jordan, Ernest Stell, George Hawkins, Arthur Hayes, Theodore Banks, Oliver Lee, Guy Knight and Harold Morris. The dining room was beautifully decorated.

**Lake of Sulphate.**  
A lake near Biggar, Saskatchewan, and about three hundred miles northwest of Regina, has been found to be saturated with sodium sulphate, and the deposit under the lake and along the edge to be nearly 97 per cent pure sulphate. The mineral is used extensively in the manufacture of sulphuric acid, in photography and other industrial purposes. The lake occupies an area of about two hundred acres. The edge is muddy, but on boring down a solid bed of mirabilite crystals is found.

**French Port Regains Trade.**  
While Havre was still young the seafaring men of Honfleur conquered Newfoundland, founded Quebec and established numerous trading posts in India. Much of the town's commerce was gradually absorbed by Havre. At the outbreak of the great war, however, Honfleur had a prosperous export trade with England in dairy products, fruits and vegetables, and a considerable quantity of lumber was imported direct from the Scandinavian countries.

**Was Last Polish King.**  
In 1798, on the 11th of April, Stanislaus Poniatowski, the last king of Poland, died. Poniatowski ascended the Polish throne in 1764. The condition of Poland required a strong man on the throne to keep the country from ruin, and Stanislaus lacked the necessary strength and statesmanship. Russia, Prussia and Austria divided this kingdom among them and the deposed king retired to Petrograd on a pension, where he died in 1798.

**Equal to the Occasion.**  
"Speaking of accommodating hotel managers," said a traveler, "the best I ever met was in a provincial town. I reached the hotel late in the evening. Just before I retired I heard a scampering under the bed, and saw a couple of large rats just escaping. I at once complained at the office. The manager was as serene as a summer breeze. 'I'll fix that all right, sir,' he said. 'Boots! Take a cat to room 15 at once!'"

**Stranger to Western World.**  
The Asiatic zoological expedition, sent into the South Chinese mountain province of Yunnan to investigate its range of animal life, succeeded in securing several fine specimens of the serow, which is a stranger to the western world. The serow is a mountain dweller, somewhat like the chamois. It is wary and fleet and takes a dizzy and seemingly impossible course among its native crags.

**Country's Dark Days.**  
The saying, "not worth a continental," came from the fact that the continental currency, issued by the continental congress, was worthless, or nearly so, during the revolution and after. As the continental congress had no power to levy taxes it was unable to redeem its promises to pay. Besides, the country was flooded with counterfeiters which could not be detected.

**Amazed Daddy.**  
June is having some difficulty in settling upon the proper title for her father. The other day she was playing with one of his collars when she tore it. Just then she heard him coming upstairs, and rushing to the top step called in distressed tones: "Oh, daddy, I have tore my hubble's collar!"

**Mind That is Truly Free.**  
I call that mind free which is jealous of its own freedom, which guards itself from being merged in others, which guards its empire over itself as nobler than the empire of the world.—William Ellery Channing.

**Baby's Locomotion.**  
Merrill's father had just been learning to drive his car. The baby was just learning to walk, and she walked sideways. One day Merrill ran into the house and said: "Oh, mamma, come and see the baby skidding!"

**Not Guilty Here.**  
"Of all the left-handed compliments designed to keep mere man in a happy frame of mind," remarked the famous philosopher, "the one about a man being handy about the house is the worst."—Indianapolis News.

**Musings of Martha.**  
If th' weddin' ceremony included, besides "love, honor and obey," "cook his meals, wash his clothes, darn his socks, an' sew on his buttons," there'd be fewer hasty marriages.

**From the Heart.**  
Our favorite books are few; since only what rises from the heart reaches it, being caught and carried on the tongues of men—wherever love and letters journey.—Alcott.



CHARLES T. WATTS who opens a School of Music Monday, September 8, at his studio, 1307 Euclid.

## LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL NOTICE

The Principal's office at the Lincoln High School will be open each day from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. from this date to the opening of school September 9th. Any matters bearing upon the coming school year, outside of the regular registration routine, should have attention before September 1st on which day registration begins.

## BETHEL A. M. E. CHURCH.

Sunday was a red letter day in Bethel, the ladies had charge of the service all day. Mme. Frances E. Motin of St. Louis, Mo., spoke for us at the morning hour to a large and appreciative congregation: one united with the church. Sunday evening long before the Endeavor was over, the people began pouring in the church to witness an excellent program that was to be rendered; it was carried out in full, each one played his part well. The address of Mrs. Professor R. T. Cole on the subject "Woman" was a gem. The men will have charge of the services on the second Sunday and each one is looking forward to a great day. The slogan is, that the women shall not carry off the banner this time as usual. Sunday will be our fourth and last quarterly conference for this conference year and the members are looking forward to a great time. Rev. H. L. Boulden, pastor of the C. M. E. Church, Kansas City, Kansas will preach the sacramental sermon and the choir from the First A. M. E. Church in Kansas City, Kansas, will sing for the occasion. To miss this service is to miss a treat. Come to Bethel Sunday afternoon. It was a spiritual treat to be in class meeting at Bethel Tuesday evening, quite a large crowd was present and service reminded one of the day of Pentecost, one united with the church. Brother Samuel Sutton, the king among the class leaders still wears the gold medal, his class reports more than \$29.00 this quarter. The class that stood No. 6 has won the place of No. 2. This is known as the young people's class and they were all smiles Tuesday evening and declare that they will hold the medal the next quarter. We are glad to see Mrs. Ella Daniels back among us. She was called to Sedalia to the bed side of a sick niece. Miss Virginia Bridgewater who has been ill for some time was able to be out to service Sunday. Mrs. B.

The hostess served hollid ham and cabbage, baked turkey and dressing, fried chicken, snow flake potatoes, Sweet potatoes, corn on cob, sliced tomatoes, celery, apple and lemon pie, ice cream, ice tea, hot bonns and cigars. The evening was concluded by several selections by Mr. Luther Jordan. Then all departed claiming Mrs. Hawkins an ideal hostess. Miss Leona Irvin, Kansas City, Kans., who has been visiting in the city for the past three weeks, returned to her home Sunday where she will teach in one of the schools there this winter. The Topeka District of the M. E. Church of which E. W. Logan is Superintendent is convening in Dunlap, Kans., Sept. 3rd. Four delegates from Salina are attending, Rev. and Mrs. Rowe, Mrs. Howard and Mr. Combs of the M. E. Church here. Mrs. Frances Williams and daughter, Lorraine Cole were called out of the city Monday night to attend the funeral of Mrs. Evelyn Ewing Gullick at her home in Galena, Kans. Mrs. Gullick made her home in Salina for three years with her aunt, Mrs. Williams and was one of the graduating class of 1917. She leaves a mother, father, husband, two brothers, a sister and many other relatives and friends to mourn her loss. Mrs. Nora Williams and daughter, Elizabeth spent a few hours in the city Tuesday with Mrs. Williams' brother and sister. They were enroute to California for a few weeks visit. The Masonic Grand Lodge that convened in Salina, Kans., August 25-29 had a splendid delegation. It was said to be the largest in its history. The meetings were interesting and inspiring. The Salina people entertained to the best of their ability. The public meetings were well attended. On August 27th was the opening of the Blue Lodge, which occasion presented the oratorical ability of those who welcomed the delegation as well as those who responded. May God always lead and guide us.

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**OMAHA, NEBR., NEWS.**  
By Corrine Thomas.  
Unusually large crowds worshipped at all services at St. John on Sunday. Two very instructive sermons, filled with a great deal of religious enthusiasm, were delivered by the pastor, Rev. W. C. Williams. There were several persons added to the church. The collection for the week was \$209.70. Money taken up for charity was \$36.20. There were many strangers whom worshipped in our pews on Sunday morning. They were: Mesdames C. J. Frazier, H. E. Darrall, Dallas, Tex.; Robertson, Kansas City, Mo.; Wrighter, Topeka, Kans.; Rev. and Mrs. Ewing, Denver, Colo.; Mr. Thomas Jefferson, Dallas, Tex.; Mr. Julius Stevenson, St. Louis, Mo., and many others. Mr. Stevenson of St. Louis is in the city the guest of his wife and her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Williams at 2416 Binney streets. Mrs. Georgia Mounts entertained at South and Thompson's Cafe Friday in honor of Mrs. Julius Stevenson, and Miss Margaret Williams, St. Louis. The Crispus Attucks Red Cross entertained at returned soldiers and their friends at a rousing reception Tuesday evening at Dreamland Hall. A most enjoyable evening was spent by all. This Red Cross deserves much credit for their loyal and congenial efforts. Mr. and Mrs. James Jewell entertained Sunday at dinner Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Stevenson. The "Dubois Players" met Wednesday at the residence of Mrs. Pearl Alexander. After the business meeting a most delicious lunch was spread by the hostess who proved a most congenial one. The next meeting will be with Captain Dickey, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith. Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Metcalf entertained Saturday evening at supper, Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Williams, Mrs. Grace Stevenson and Miss Margaret Stewart of St. Louis.

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