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DR. ISAIAH M. HORTON SHOT

COLORED MEN, VOTE THE REGULAR REPUBLICAN DELEGATION IN EVERY WARD NEGRO BUSINESS MEN MUST ORGANIZE AND ADVERTISE

EBENEZER STARS SCORE. More Than 1,700 People Witness This Well Rendered Drama at Auditorium Theater Last Friday Evening.

ter of Robert Belknap, the star charmed her audience by her demure, refined and well poised manner, as well as her perfect enunciation.

FORMER DALLAS TEACHER SHOOT HIS WIFE AND ONE DR. I. M. HORTON.

Dallas, Texas, Feb. 19, 1920. When interviewed at the city jail Thursday morning by a Dallas Express reporter, relative to the shooting of Dr. I. M. Horton, prominent eye specialist of this city and his wife about midnight Wednesday, Prof. J. W. Ray declined to make a statement other than saying that he desired as little publicity of the affair as possible.



LIEUT. HOMER ROBERTS

President of the Roberts Automobile Brokers, the only firm of its kind in Kansas City. Mr. Roberts has recently delivered to Dr. J. Edward Perry his elegant new Coupe and to Dr. William Hayden of Howard and Vine Streets a new Maynes Chummy roadster.

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH AND THE NEGRO.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 24.—It would take volumes to relate all that the Catholic Church is doing for the Negroes in this country. The work of the Church radiates through many a varied channel to minister to the welfare of the Colored people.

The whole number of Negro Catholics at the present time is estimated at about 100,000. According to recent figures some 187 priests are engaged in work among them in various parts of the United States.

THE BEAU BRUMMEL BANQUET.

Thursday evening February 19 the members of the Beau Brummel Club entertained at the Community Center with a dinner dance in honor of their first anniversary.

REPUBLICANS—CLOSE UP!

If the real, red-blooded, fighting the last ditch, unafraid, honest-to-God, will lineup, close ranks, drive out the dissension and stand together, we can win in the city campaign.

IF YOU WANT A JOB buy a home, or borrow money, see Rev. C. C. Callaway, 1603 E. 12th street. He'll fix you up.

The Santa Fe Railway Company appoints a Negro as a member of its Surgical Staff, an honor of which the entire race is justly proud.



DR. J. EDWARD PERRY

Kansas City's most eminent physician and Surgeon, founder of the famous Perry Sanitarium, superintendent of the Wheatley-Provident Hospital who has had the honor of being selected as one of the surgical staff of the Santa Fe Railway Co. The Sun is proud of Dr. J. Edward Perry and congratulates the great Santa Fe system upon the wisdom of its selection.



MRS. W. T. OSBORNE

who has fairly won the title of the "dramatic impressario of the West" by reason of the unflinching success both financially and dramatically of the various plays she stages from time to time in this city.

Dr. Horton is lying at Parkland Hospital, where he was removed for treatment dangerously wounded from a gun shot wound in his left side, while the injuries of Mrs. Ray are not fatal, she having received a flesh wound in the right leg.

The Rays are among Dallas' oldest and most highly respected citizens. J. W. Ray, himself having taught in the public schools of Dallas about thirty years. For the past two years he has been employed by the firm of Titche-Goettinger Co.—Dallas Express.

A SUCCESSFUL FLORIST.

Among the Colored men who have left the beaten path and won success along new lines, is Mr. Herbert Johnson, one of our own home boys who among the florists of this city has taken high rank.

LESSONS CONVEYED BY POEM "EVANGELINE."

Prof. Noah Porter, the eminent historian, paid a remarkable tribute to "Evangeline," Henry Wadsworth Longfellow's vitally dramatic poem, which William Fox will present in elaborate motion picture form at Love's Theatre on February 28-March 12.

THE PORO CLUB.

The Poro Club was glad to have Mrs. Alphon with them on their last literary day. She told the agents what good work they could do, as they were in a position to beautify the lives and souls, as well as the hair and many timely thoughts were brought out.

BE NOT DECEIVED.

A little coterie of hard-headed, self-willed, silk-stocking "Republicans" whose evident purpose is to destroy the Republican party and its chances for success in this campaign, most of whom are residents of the Fourth Ward, are urging the Colored men to vote their so-called Anti-Boss delegation.

CRIME STAGED BY CAST SELECTED FROM THE MEMBERSHIP OF EBENEZER CHURCH.

Seventeen hundred patrons were in attendance, many were turned away, and compliment after compliment has been ringing throughout the city from those who attended this affair. It seemed almost miraculous that the director, Mrs. W. T. Osborne, had taken raw material and converted them into high class dramatic artists.

PROF. J. R. E. LEO, PRINCIPAL OF THE HIGH SCHOOL APPEARED BEFORE THE CURTAIN AND AFTER COMPLETING THE CAST UPON THEIR SPLENDID PERFORMANCE ANNOUNCED THAT ARRANGEMENTS WERE MADE TO HAVE THEM REPEAT THE PLAY FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE COMMUNITY CENTER, ANNOUNCEMENT OF WHICH WILL BE MADE AS SOON AS ALL PLANS FOR SAME HAD BEEN PERFECTED.

Excellent music was furnished by N. Clark Smith's High School Orchestra while Mrs. Louise Stewart was the accompanist of the soloists. The Sun and its entire staff occupied a box at this performance and all agreed that it was—HATS OFF to this admirable and well balanced company.

COMMUNITY SERVICE.

The social given by the Beau Brummels on Thursday evening, February 19, was a complete success. One hundred and twenty-six persons were present. A splendid program was rendered and refreshments served.

RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, It has pleased the Almighty God to take from our great link of woodcraft three neighbors, viz., Jennie Fields, 3900 Manheim Road, January 30, 1920; Wm. Burkes, 1610 Charlotte, January 30, 1920; Lillie Kinlaw, 1608 Euclid, February 13, 1920. And

Resolved, That we bow in humble submission to the will of the Omnipotent God, believing that our loss is Heaven's gain; be it further

Resolved, That we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved families and commend them to God and the word of His grace; be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the families of the deceased; a copy be recorded in the minutes of the Camp and a copy be printed in the Kansas City Sun.

R. W. THOMPSON DEAD.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 20.—Richard W. Thompson, one of the best known newspaper correspondents in the country, died here Friday night, February 12, following an operation at Freedman's hospital. Mr. Thompson had been confined to his home for some time, suffering from a nervous breakdown. He leaves his wife and daughter. Mr. Thompson began his newspaper career with the Indianapolis Freeman, and for a number of years conducted Thompson's News Bureau. He had been connected with the United States government for a number of years and was one of the chief assistants to Dr. Emmett J. Scott, Special Assistant to the Secretary of War, during the world's war.

AMONG THE SICK.

Those reported sick are: Mrs. D. M. Miller, 2642 Highland; Mrs. T. A. Jones, 28th and Highland; Mrs. A. S. Fulcher who is gradually improving at 2638 Highland; Mrs. Millie Jett, 2305 E. 19th street; C. L. Davis, 1320 Kensington; S. H. P. Edwards, 824 E. 24th street, and Willis Brown, 1815 Vine Street.

ST. MONICA'S GIFT.

St. Monica's Altar Society feeling that Judge Miles Bulger had been a great benefactor to St. Monica's church, furnished the County Home for aged and indigent Negroes with a Victrola. Those who compose the Altar Society are: Mrs. Brook Williams, chairman who is a tireless worker and deserves much credit for this splendid effort, Mrs. Thermane, Mrs. Jennie Davis, Mrs. Eugenia Washington, Mrs. E. Elliston, Mrs. T. C. Brown, Mr. E. Waller, Mr. E. Jones, Mr. Philip Waller, Mr. Joseph Harris, Mr. Bastine Powell and Mrs. Ruth Lange.

WHY?

Why all this hue and cry about BOSS and ANTI-BOSS rule in the Republican party? What sinister motive is behind it? And when did the Star become the mouthpiece of the Republicans in Kansas City?

AUSTIN LEWIS, 79 YEARS OF AGE DIED AT THE FAMILY RESIDENCE, 1215 HIGHLAND AVENUE LAST FRIDAY AND WAS BURIED MONDAY AT ALLEN CHAPEL OF WHICH HE HAS BEEN A MEMBER FOR MANY YEARS UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE MASONIC FRATERNITY.

Mr. Lewis was an old soldier having served during the Civil War in the 83 Regiment of the U. S. Volunteers and was married 53 years ago to Miss Martha Jenkins. They lived for many years in Platte City where they raised a family of eight children, two of whom died. Their living children are Mrs. Tillie Rummans, Mrs. Minnie Robinson, Mr. Edw. S. Lewis, one of our veteran mail carriers and Grand Secretary of Odd Fellows and far many years District Grand Master; W. T. a mail carrier in Kansas City, Kansas; Charles A. and George who live at the home address. Mr. Lewis was a Charter member of Wil-

HAM HENRY LODGE A. F. & A. M. AT PLATTE CITY AND JOINED ALLEN CHAPEL UNDER THE PASTORATE OF REV. F. JESSE PECK IN 1900.

The funeral sermon preached by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Isaacs assisted by Presiding Elder Prince and Rev. John Goins. Music was furnished by the Masonic Choir and an unusually large number of beautiful floral offerings were sent by friends. Masonic services were conducted by Past Master W. C. Houston representing William Henry Lodge and interment was in Highland cemetery. The family is among the most prominent in this city and for many years has been identified with the activities of Allen Chapel, Mrs. Lewis having been for many years president of the Senior Stewards Board. The Sun extends its deepest sympathy.

FILL EVERY PEW SUNDAY FEBRUARY 29TH AT SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH Pastor's subject, "Friend of the Laboring Man" "MEET ME THERE!" The Church where everybody is welcome.

ATTENTION! Don't forget the ANNUAL FASHION SHOW TUESDAY, APRIL 6. by the Wheatley-Provident Hospital Auxiliary. Mrs. Effie Watkins, Pres. Mrs. Clara E. Miller, Sec'y.