

ALL THE NEWS OF KANSAS CITY, KANSAS, THAT'S NEWS

Mrs. Eliza Gardner of 713 Everett, who underwent a very serious operation, is doing nicely.

Rev. J. F. Griffin will leave Sunday night for St. Louis, Mo., to attend the general conference.

J. L. Braggs passed through the city en route to his home in Arkansas from Tulsa, Okla. While here he visited his brother, F. M. Braggs.

Mr. H. G. Ewing of 1109 North 10th, has gone to Galesburg, Ill., for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. F. M. Braggs, the new supervisor of the American Woodmen, left Friday for Hutchinson and Newton on business.

Mr. Sidney Moss of 1422 North 4th Street, who has been confined to his bed for eight weeks, is doing nicely at this time.

Capt. Theo Jones of the fire department No. 5 has as his guest Mr. James W. Washington of the Topeka fire department.

Judge I. F. Bradley gave a very interesting report of his trip to the Southland. Being very gripping and interesting his report was genuinely enjoyed by all.

Mrs. A. W. Bankston of Los Angeles, Cal., is visiting her sisters, Miss Hanna Murphy, of 1814 Locust, and Mrs. Margaret Watson, of 716 Everett.

The trustees of the First A. M. E. Church entertained for Dean Pickens with an elaborate dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Dwiggins, 852 Oakland avenue.

Mrs. E. Bruce of 822 Everett was compelled to undergo a serious operation on her eyes last Monday and Mrs. Chas. Minor on Everett is also very sick.

Mrs. Beatrice Monroe of 425 Nebraska, who has been very sick, is recovering. Ralph Davis, her brother, of the same address, is confined to bed.

Judge Willis O. Tyler was entertained Monday night with a stag at the A. M. E. parsonage. Many men were present.

The Glee Club from the white high school at 9th and Minnesota gave a very interesting program at Summer High last week.

Judge Willis O. Tyler gave a very interesting address to the teachers and student body of Summer High Thursday at 11:30 a. m.

Claudia Roe, the 9-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Roe of 611 New Jersey, died Tuesday, April 20, after a lingering illness. The funeral was held Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Roe have the sympathy of all.

Mrs. C. H. Payne of Kansas City, Mo., will appear on the program and accompany the Citizens' Forum to Lawrence Sunday. The interurban leaves 10th and Minnesota at 1:55. Expensive preparations have been made for the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McBride of Giddings, Texas, who have come to Kansas City for a future home, are at home at present with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Booze, 2815 North 7th.

Mrs. Josephine Harris and Miss Ivy Ray of Dunlap, Kas., were guests of Mrs. W. T. Ewing and her daughter, Miss Lucile Ewing, of 1109 North 10th St. Mrs. Harris was en route to Omaha, where she expects to reside permanently.

Judge Willis O. Tyler, who has been the guest of Rev. J. F. Griffin, addressed the A. M. E. Church Sunday morning; his subject was "The A. M. E. Church and Democracy." He proved to be a magnetic speaker with a wonderful message for his people. He is en route to the conference in St. Louis to represent California.

Dr. Chas. F. Meserve, who has recently resigned the presidency of Shaw University, Raleigh, N. C., after twenty-six years of service and who before that time was principal of Haskell Institute, Lawrence, Kas., was the guest of Professor and Mrs. G. A. Curry last week. Dr. Meserve was accompanied by his wife. They both were returning from California, where they spent the major part of the winter. The visit brought up many pleasant recollections as Mrs. Curry is an alumnae of Shaw University and Professor Curry was head of the Greek and Latin departments before coming to Summer High School. The distinguished guests visited all departments in Summer High School and were very favorably impressed. The student body and teachers enjoyed the addresses given by them.

Dean Vaughn leaves Friday for General Conference, which convenes at St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Cecil Linley and Mrs. Lulu Moray of San Francisco, Cal., stopped over in this city as guests of Mrs. Fitzgerald en route to Joplin, Mo., to visit their mother and will return for a two weeks' stay in June.

Kansas City, Kas., Apr. 8, 1920. To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that Dr. J. R. Ransom, formerly pastor of our church (First A. M. E. Kansas City, Kansas), and for sixteen years our presiding elder, is a most excellent man as prelate, organizer, church builder, debt payer and evangelist. Unselfishly and most successfully, he has given the best years of his very energetic life to the church.

The First A. M. E. Church of Kansas City, Kansas, with its big hearted pastor and eleven hundred loyal members, whole heartedly and enthusiastically indorse Dr. J. R. Ransom for Episcopal honors before the general church, and especially do we recommend him to the general conference at St. Louis as worthy of being elected to the office of a bishop in the great A. M. E. Church.

J. F. GRIFFIN, Pastor. SHELTON FRENCH, Sec.

WILSON'S MISSILES.

By Ona B. Wilson.

A glorious time was spent in the seminary of Western University, Quindaro, Kansas, Monday afternoon, April 26, 1920. The Ministers' Alliance of the two Kansas Cities met in a splendid service. They were welcomed with sincerity and pathos by Dean Edw. B. Vaughn; many interesting and valuable things were said. Among the speakers of the afternoon was the distinguished Judge Tyler of Los Angeles, California, and President Peck of W. U.; Dr. Griffin of the First A. M. E. Church, Kansas City, Kansas, gave a brief synopsis of the tour in the South by Judge Bradley and others. Interesting reports from the following pastors: Dr. W. T. Osborne of Ebenezer, Dr. Johnson of the M. E. Church, Rev. Johnson of a Mission Church in Kansas, Rev. Everett of Argentine, Rev. George Holler of St. Paul Mission, Kansas City, Mo.; Rev. N. C. Knight of Quindaro, Kas.; Rev. A. Murphy of St. Luke and Rev. Judkins of the City Mission. No one left empty, for those that failed to receive a portion of knowledge and information received an appetizing lunch arranged by the members of the seminary and served by the young ladies of the Sunday School training class. Many ladies were present as visitors, and all voted that a pleasant time was spent.



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A kindly Shepherd there to guide,
"Mid pastures green, what're betide.

The Shepherd of this peaceful hill,
Will gladly receive you,—you pay no bill;
Then brighten the corner where you are,
That you may dwell on the hill afar.

To the old-fashion church your mother went,
While you was out, mere pleasure bent;
She heard the worthy pastor say
Come unto the Shepherd, "Go not astray."

Why wander from the Shepherd's fold?
He will protect you, so we are told;
On the beautiful isles and hills they say,
"Sweet peace" is yours in every way.

There'll be shining stars in your crown,
When at evening the sun goeth down;
The Master quite pleas'd,—your duty fulfilled,
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