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## Lodge Directory

### A. F. & A. M., Missouri Jurisdiction

Officers for 1920.

Grand Master—Crittenden C. Clark, St. Louis.  
 Deputy Grand Master—Charles B. Covington, Louisiana.  
 Senior Grand Warden—J. R. A. Crossland, St. Joseph.  
 Junior Grand Warden—Eugene Lacey, Kansas City.  
 Grand Treasurer—Harry H. Walker, St. Joseph.  
 Grand Secretary—Leon Hill, Booneville.  
 Secretary of Relief—Willis G. Moseley, Kansas City.  
 Grand Lecturer, First District—P. L. Pratt, Cameron.  
 Grand Lecturer, Second District—E. J. Cooper, Mexico.  
 Member Board of Relief—K. D. Smith, De Soto.  
 Member Board of Relief—George Ranfro, Mt. Vernon.  
 Grand Chaplain—W. H. Botts, Omaha.

Next place of meeting, Joplin, Mo.

### OFFICERS OF GRAND CHAPTER, R. A. M.

Missouri and Jurisdiction, 1920.  
 A. L. Thomas, Grand High Priest, Jefferson City, Mo.  
 J. P. Moffett, G. King, Sedalia, Mo.  
 S. A. May, G. Scribe, St. Louis, Mo.  
 E. S. Baker, G. Secretary, Kansas City, Mo.  
 Geo. Broomfield, Grand Treas., St. Louis, Mo.  
 I. H. Bradbury, Grand Lecturer, St. Louis, Mo.

### OFFICERS OF GRAND COMMANDERY, K. T.

Missouri and Jurisdiction, 1918-1919.  
 Jose H. Sherwood, R. E. G. C., St. Paul, Minn.  
 G. Washington Lewis, D.E.G.C., St. Louis, Mo.  
 C. Brasfield, E.G.G., Kansas City, Mo.  
 B. F. Graves, E.G.C., General, St. Joseph, Mo.  
 E. G. S. W.—Sir George C. Coles.  
 E. G. J. W.—Sir J. T. Ferrell, Sedalia.  
 E. G. Prelate—Sir George Brown, St. Louis.  
 E. G. Treasurer—Sir S. Winston, Kansas City.  
 E. G. Recorder—Sir A. G. Butler, St. Joseph.

Rose Lodge No. 25, A. F. & A. M., meets the 1st and 3rd Monday in each month. All Master Masons in good standing welcome. Le D. Carter, W. M.; C. H. Coutlee, Sec'y.

Liberty Lodge No. 37, A. F. & A. M., Liberty, Mo., meets the 2nd and 4th Saturday night in each month. Nelson Waller, W. M.; Robert Doud, Sec'y.

St. Stephens Chapter No. 87, Royal Arch Masons, Liberty, Mo., meets first Tuesday in each month. Nelson Waller, W. M.; Wm. Robinson, Recorder.

St. Matthew Commandery No. 15, Liberty, Mo., meets the third Saturday night. V. T. Starke, E. C.; W. M. Robinson, Rec. Sec'y.

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## ROSEDALE, KANSAS.

Mesdames Louise Mosley, Chas. Kennedy, Hayes Long, A. Sayers and W. G. Pinkard gave a Fourth of July picnic Monday, July 5, on the beautiful lawn of Mrs. Pinkard's. A large number of people were present from the two Kansas Cities. Mesdames A. Powell, L. D. Williams, H. Satchleton, E. Bell, Z. Wolfskill, A. Davis, R. Jones, Misses C. Tucker and N. Powell accompanied a large number of children, who gave a private picnic at Swope Park Tuesday and a very pleasant day was spent. Don't forget to vote for Rev. Lee, Rev. J. R. Williams, Messrs. W. R. Tucker, Orville Dayton, and Mr. E. Johnson in the primary election August 3. A Republican Club composed of ladies will be organized Tuesday evening at the Wesley Chapel M. E. church Tuesday. We hope that everybody will join. Mr. and Mrs. John Ralls, 618 Booth Ave., entertained sixteen guests Tuesday evening, complimentary to Mrs. Ella Ridley Runnels and daughter, Mrs. Ruth Gatewood, both of Chicago, Ill. Mr. C. J. Island, who has been ill at the residence of his cousin, Mrs. Alfred Lewis, 615 Booth Ave., has returned to his home in Muskogee, Okla., accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Emma Banks, and sister-in-law, Mrs. Corda Island.

## ST. JOSEPH, MO.

The pastors and janitors have arranged for a big picnic at Lake Contrary on August 4. They are expecting people from Kansas City, Leavenworth, Atchison, Kansas City, Kas., and many other places. Mr. Jake Buckner, one of St. Joseph's old citizens, died on July 15. He was the husband of Mrs. Hattie Buckner. In her former days she lived in Chillicothe, Mo., and went by the name of Hattie Shirley. The funeral was held at the M. E. church, corner of Ninth and Sylvania streets, Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock. He leaves a wife and several brothers to mourn his loss. Rev. Walker officiated. Many of the officers of the different Tabernacles, Temples and tent will be in Kansas City at the opening of the sessions at 10 a. m. held at the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Silas Wallace, who has been spending a week in St. Joseph, Mo., returned to his home in Kansas City, Kas., July 19. He claimed to have a very pleasant time while in St. Joseph. Mr. Alfred Byram will leave the city for Omaha Saturday the 24th, looking around for a location in which he expects to buy a home. Dr. J. R. A. Crossland will leave Monday for Hannibal, Mo., to attend the sessions of the Grand Chapter O. E. S. From there he will go to St. Louis and then to Boston, Mass., where on July 27 a committee on which he is a member, will officially notify Governor Coolidge of his nomination as vice-president. Women and girls may visit the Y Camp Sunday and Thursday and bring something for the girls. Males not allowed. Mrs. Toomer, who has been ill quite a while, continues quite ill at this writing. Our Mrs. Myrtle Williams has gone to Great Bend, Kas., to visit her mother. Miss Starks, one of our school teachers, left on the 19th for Chicago to attend Summer school, after which she will teach this fall in Kansas City, Mo. We hope for her all the success in the world. Dr. W. S. Carrion, Mrs. Belle McGee and Harrison, Kansas City, are to attend the Grand Lodge of K. P.'s at Kansas City, Mo., July 27. Miss Dorothy Hawkins and Mr. Burton were quietly married two or three weeks ago. Our friend, Mr. Robert Sweeney, is in the city for an indefinite time.

## MACON, MO.

Services were well attended at Bethel A. M. E. church Sunday. There will be a basket dinner in Moberly, Mo., Sunday, August 1. Rev. Ross, D. D., of Macon, will preach at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. All are invited to attend. Mr. J. T. Ancell, Mr. C. Graves, Mrs. Lizzie and Mrs. C. A. Johnson will leave Monday night for Kansas City to attend the K. of P. Grand Lodge. Mrs. Thomas Adams will leave for Kansas City to attend the Daughters of Tabernacle, which will convene there the 27th. Mrs. Ed Dropper and daughter of Daytonport, Ia., are the guests of Mrs. Annie McElroy. Mrs. Victoria Clay Haley of St. Louis, Mo., will speak at the A. M. E. church Monday evening, July 26.

## HOLDEN, MO.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Minor Nelson drove to Warrensburg last Sunday. Mrs. George Harden entertained a few of her Holden friends on Black Water last Sunday. A lovely evening was spent. The entertainment at the M. E. church last Saturday night was a success. Mr. Bird Briscoe of Warrensburg, visited in Holden Sunday. Mr. Chas. Pennington of Kingsville, attended the show in Holden Monday night. Mrs. C. C. Berry returned home last week after a visit out of town. Miss Hallie of Warrensburg, is visiting her sister in Holden this week. Mrs. Forrest Berry and Mr. Matt Cornichel were up from Chilhowee this week. Mr. Harry and Mrs. Flanders were quietly married Sunday. Mr. W. M. Edwards is preparing to start house-keeping in Southeast Holden. The Holden colored ball team lost Sunday, 5 to 1 at Odessa.

## MANHATTAN, KAS.

Mt. Zion is progressing nicely and after finishing up the many improvements is ready now to entertain the Association. The pastor, Rev. S. H. Duncan, preached three wonderful sermons Sunday. Mrs. Mary Duncan came forward and united with the spent the week visiting in the city.

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By W. W. Mosley.  
 Mr. Charles R. Bennett, who underwent a surgical operation at the hospital last Monday, died on Thursday from the effects of it, he being too aged to withstand the shock. The funeral was held in Castle, Roper & Matthews' Undertaking Parlor. Rev. Harmon of the Christian Church and Rev. O. J. Burchardt conducted the services. Mrs. Wilson left last Thursday for her home in Kansas. Rev. Mr. Hall of Des Moines, Ia., was in the city Sunday en route to Colorado Springs. Mrs. E. J. Griffen left for Junction City, Kas., Sunday night, where she will spend her vacation with parents. Revival meetings are in progress at the Newman M. E. Church and Refugees' Mission this week. Bishop W. T. Vernon was in the city last Tuesday and gave a lecture in the McKinley School auditorium, which was well filled. We are glad to see our people beginning to honor great men of the race. Bishop Vernon spoke on vital topics of the day and every word was well listened to by those present. Rev. J. P.

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