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KANSAS CITY, KANSAS ITEMS.

Commencement at Western University, Thursday, June 8. Rev. E. R. Vaughan has had the sermons in charge for sometime. This is looked forward to as a great commencement. There will be eleven graduates from the different departments this year.

Dr. W. D. Chappelle, secretary of the Sunday School Union, at Nashville, Tenn., delivered an address to the college society of Western University Wednesday night. He reports the work throughout the connection in good condition.

Mrs. Martha Fields of Eighth and Freeman avenue died Saturday, May 27. Her funeral was held at the First A. M. E. church Sunday at 2 o'clock.

The juvenile choir of the First A. M. E. church will render a program at the A. M. E. church of Argentine in the near future.

Mrs. J. A. Ewing of 1966 North 4th street is unable to be out of doors this week.

The Alpha Art club met at Mrs. Buford's this week.

Dr. F. C. Goodwin, D. D. S., the subject of this sketch is a native of Tennessee. After completing the High school of Little Rock he studied at the University of Michigan. He pursued a course in dentistry at Mahary Medical college of Nashville, Tenn., where he graduated. He practiced at Little Rock very successfully, but desiring to enter a larger field came to Kansas City and opened an office in the Wyandotte building. He has a suite of rooms fitted up here that is a credit to the race. In these spacious Dental Parlors are installed some of the most improved Dental Appliances to be



DR. F. C. GOODWIN, D. D. S.
"Our New Dentist."

found in modern dentistry. Dr. Goodwin in fast building up a large practice in Kansas City. He does all kinds of dental work at reasonable prices. If you would have first class work in one of the finest Dental Parlors of the two cities and at a very reasonable price call at room 25, Wyandotte building, Kansas City, Kan., or call up Home, West 42, or Bell 7788. The Doctor is a rising young man and deserving of your patronage. He is a member of the Masonic and K. of P. fraternities.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Jackson of Omaha, Neb., are visiting Mrs. E. E. Braxton of 614 Troupe avenue.

Mr. Charles Bertha returned home from Fort Harrison, Mont., where he had been serving in the Army.

Mrs. Robert Rowland of Topeka is visiting Mrs. Eula Samuels of 815 Freeman avenue.

Bishop A. A. Grant of 530 Washington avenue lectured at the First A. M. E. church Tuesday night. Several of the ministers made some very encouraging remarks concerning the missionary work.

Mrs. Myrtle Tipton of Topeka is visiting Mrs. J. R. Stafford of 555 Washington avenue.

The colored orphan's home of Kansas City, Kan., desires to board any one unable to care for them. They still have two more boys for adoption.

The Kansas City, Kan., High school graduated ninety-six graduates, six being colored and ninety being white. It is expected that all the colored people will oppose the bonds when time comes to vote them which is set for June the 6th.

The two colored schools, Douglas and Lincoln graduated twenty-nine girls and boys last week. Both schools held their exercises at the First Baptist church. Their exercises were very interesting, consisting of recitations, orations and songs. There were 21 from the Douglas and eight from the Lincoln.

Mrs. Samuel Diggs has gone to Colorado Springs to visit her sister whose husband is very ill. Mr. Diggs is fast selling out his property in the West Bottoms.

Mrs. Jos. A. Wilson and children will spend the summer in Alto Vista.

Mrs. Mabel Jackson one of the delegates to the Women's Missionary convention at Western University, Colorado, Kan., sang a very beautiful solo Wednesday afternoon.

The Kansas City, Kan., agent is desirous that all the people pay up as we are in great need of money.

INDEPENDENCE ITEMS.

Young School closing exercises were held at Music hall, May 26, four girls were given certificates. Hattie May Hughes won all honors in the class. She led in studies and deportment, during the entire session, the class did not mind this so much as they did the commencement, when each thought she should be valedictorian, but Mr. Harrison did right, at least once any way, when he said, "Hattie, you have led the class these nine months and you shall have the honors."

Dr. Phenix returned home Friday after spending one week in Hannibal.

Mrs. Irving and Miss Wilkerson of Pleasant Hill attended the closing exercises.

Mr. Wayman Hawkins and quite a number from K. C. attended the closing exercises.

The annual sermon of U. B. F. and S. M. T.'s was preached by Rev. Howard Sunday, May 28.

It makes us feel proud when we see Prof. Chinn on our streets. Independence needs more men like him. We will be sorry when his school opens, because he will not only go, but he will take his wife also. He says it is not good for man to dwell alone.

Mr. Will Bronaugh is wearing glasses, he says his trouble has begun, before the marriage ceremony is announced, madam rumor says it will take place in June.

I would like to have the privilege of answering the deacon from Macedonia, when he asked why his church was not invited to take place in the Union services with the A. M. E., the M. E. and Second Baptist on Decoration day, my answer in part would be thus: These three churches are working for the advancement of the race, and we are using every effort to stamp out immorality. We cannot say this of the Macedonian, take Mrs. Florence Chrisman and daughter from the Macedonian, and nothing but immorality and vice will be left, and as long as this church has such a corrupt preacher as the one they have and as long as he continues to buggy ride with the Pool girl so long it will remain to its self and not be recognized by the other three churches. The Pools could not lead in the Second Baptist church is why they left and organized the Macedonian, being corrupt themselves, of course they could not get any joiners but corrupt ones.

So they took only two moral members, the ones I mentioned. The Second Baptist is marching on to victory.

The Rising Son says some of the teachers in K. C. are corrupt, I say the same about the Macedonian.

THE NEW PYTHIAN HOME.

The well known K. of P. organization has erected a magnificent edifice at 3127 Pine street, St. Louis, Mo. They will move into their new quarters about the first week in June. The property cost \$10,500 and represents the reward of a magnificent effort on the part of the promoters.

Organized August 26, 1879, in Vicksburg, Miss., by Hon. Thos. W. Stringer, now has 75,000 members with grand lodges in New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, District of Columbia, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky, Tennessee, Missouri, Georgia, Alabama, Florida, Kansas, Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas, Ohio, Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota, Colorado, Washington, Indian Territory and lodges in Oklahoma, California, New Mexico, Nevada and West Indies, with property valued at \$10,000,000 and \$150,000 in cash. Each state handles its own endowment. The first lodge organized in Missouri, was Pride of the West No. 1, in St. Louis, during 1881. There are now 54 lodges in the state, 14 of which are in the city of St. Louis, 5 in Kansas City and 1 each in Hannibal, Kirksville, Macon, Moberly, Huntsville, Keoto, Jefferson City, Joplin, Festus, Poplar Bluff, Fredricktown, Commerce, Richmond, Ardmore, Columbia, Carruthersville, Ironton, Farmington, Cape Girardeau, Potosi, Paris, Fayette, Carthage, Cottonwood Point, Carrollton, Louisiana, Warrensburg, St. Joseph, New Madrid, Neelyville, Miami, Charleston and De Soto, with a membership of 4,000.

Endowment Department.

This department was organized in the state, during the year 1893, under the administration of Mr. W. E. Osborne, grand chancellor. The collections for the first year were \$350, death claims paid \$900, the collections to date \$55,750.60; death claims paid, \$45,600; balance in bank \$10,150.60. The property 3127 Pine street, St. Louis, was purchased for \$10,500. The following gentlemen members of the commission negotiated the purchase: W. W. Tice, H. B. Wood, W. M. Johnson, J. M. Denny, A. W. Lloyd, president; Dr. W. P. Curtis, treasurer; W. E. Osborne, secretary.

WAITERS' CATERING ASSOCIATION.

The above is the title of a new organization composed of foremost waiters. The purpose of the association is to train waiters and adapt them to the highest art in the profession and to supply caterers with men well drilled in the dining room art. The headquarters of the association is 1223 Baltimore avenue. It is nicely arranged and supplied with both phones, 3010 Grand. The following comprise the officers of the association: J. D. Strong, president; Wm. McKnight, treasurer and business manager; Jno. T. Moreland, secretary. The leading men of the enterprise are in addition to the officers, Wm. Garrett, Ed. Hudson, J. H. Riley and Chas. Wilson. The association supplies a long felt need.

THE QUEEN OF ALL HAIR TONICS. A PLAIN RECITAL.

Talk is cheap, and actions speak louder than words. In order to prove to the public that Glossine is the greatest and most meritorious of all hair tonics we will give free to every reader of this paper, not a sample; but a full size box. If Glossine was not the best hair tonic in all the whole wide world this offer would bankrupt

us.

Glossine, queen of all hair tonics is the most wonderful remedy for the human hair ever discovered and has astounded the whole world by its miraculous and mysterious power in lengthening, straightening and beautifying the human hair. It is the result of long years of careful study and the earnest researches of Miss Helen Martin, a beautiful and attractive woman who is acknowledged to be the most skillful and famous beauty doctor of the day.

She is a wonderful and most magnificent specimen of womanly grace and beauty, and although now 58 years of age she scarcely looks to be 20. When asked by what mediums she had been able to so successfully preserve the attractiveness and beauty of youth, Miss Martin said, Why it is very simple to me and every woman be she white or colored, young or old or as ugly as sin itself can become pretty, shapely and graceful if she will only do as I advise. As a child I was never considered pretty, in fact I was not even thought to be good looking and for this very reason ever since I was a girl of sixteen I have made a study of such agencies and materials which tend to beautify and adorn the human person.

In the glorious vegetable world which nature has so bounteously bestowed upon us there are hundreds of innocent mediums which after my long life of study and investigation I have been able to successfully blend and formulate into various preparations which enhance and preserve the life and beauty of the hair and skin. I owe my own good looks and youthful appearance to these preparations which are the results of my long work.

As to Glossine I have never known it to fail to cause the hair to grow long, straight, soft and luxuriant. It matters not how harsh or kinky it may be and I care not if it be short broken, splitting at the ends or falling out Glossine will positively make it soft, straight and pliant. It will give to the hair lustre, length, life and beauty and no head of hair can be so harsh and refractory but that Glossine will make it so pliant and wavy that it can be dressed with ease and in any prevailing style desired.

It will restore gray hair to its former color, make the hair grow out on all bald spots, and on the temples where the hair is usually thin and unsightly. Glossine is highly, sweetly and most delicately perfumed, and its color and subsistency is very attractive to all. Seeing our great success and with the desire to trade upon our reputation gained by long years of honest dealing numerous unscrupulous firms are trying to fool the people into buying spurious and harmful compounds for the hair and skin, that cause the hair to fall, thus causing baldness and ruin; mar and deface the delicate texture of the human skin. In their wicked desire to gain money, these people do not hesitate to sell the people many preparations which are dangerous to life itself. In order to discountenance and condemn such dishonest methods, Miss Martin has decided to give a full sized package of Glossine to any reader of this paper male or female who will send their name and address. Do not delay. Write today. A postal card will do. We will also send our catalogue which describes in detail our hair tonics, face bleaches and other toilet requisites.

Address:—Miss Helen Martin, care Continental Chemical Co., No. 9 Governor Street, Richmond, Va.

A knocker is a back-biter with false teeth.
Dr. W. H. Key is reported as being quite ill.



MISS LILLIAN TOOLEY

the gifted entertainer about whom so much has been said. Who will appear in Kansas City some time during this summer. The following furnishes rich commendation as to her worth in her chosen line of work.

Miss Tooley will be assisted by Miss Nora Douglass, the brilliant young pianist of the Prof. N. Clark South Studio of Chicago.

Five years ago Miss Lillian Tooley, of Missouri, came to the Anna Morgan Studios, 825 Fine Arts Building, Chicago, Ill., as attendant. During the first two years of her service in the Studios she recognized the value of the work taught there and the benefits to be derived, and quietly began to acquire, mostly through her keen observation of the teachers, pupils and their work, a knowledge of the art of reciting.

On Wednesday evening, May the 5th, Miss Morgan, the founder and director of the Studios tendered her a testimonial recital which was largely attended by the patrons and friends of the Studios. It was a pleasant surprise to all present to see how much of the truth in the art of expression Miss Lillian has acquired, and her program was a varied and entertaining one.

During the past year she has had a number of engagements in and about Chicago and in Indiana. Last summer Miss Tooley gave thirty-five recitals in Missouri, and has many return dates for the coming season. Her friends all join in wishing her the success she so richly deserves.

Miss Morgan's introduction was full of praise and commendation, not only of her artistic ability as a reader but of her sweet and amiable disposition which has won many friends for her during her five years of association in this Studio.

The closing remarks made by Miss Tooley expressing her gratitude to Miss Morgan and the teachers were deeply felt by all present.

On this occasion Miss Tooley was the recipient of many tokens of appreciation in the form of words of commendation, flowers, checks, etc.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Miss Lilly Tooley is perfectly qualified to give a complete program of recitations, monologues and songs, and does not require the services of any assisting artists aside from her accompanist.

I heartily recommend her to churches and clubs who desire an entertainment. She is sure to please.

ANNA MORGAN,
Founder and Director The Anna Morgan School of Expression.

Fancy Prices for Relics.
For a love letter written by Robert Burns, the Scottish poet, \$50 was paid not long ago. Yet a brass collar which was worn by Boatswain, the dog to whose memory Lord Byron erected a monument at Newstead abbey, fetched 21 guineas, while the collar of Thunderer, another of Lord Byron's dogs, realized 4 guineas only.

HAD TO HAVE EXERCISE.

And He Got It By Bumping Into the Fighting Editor.

Thud, clatter, brump!
The editor looked up from the congenial task of spoiling someone else's story.

"Sometimes," he said, "I feel sorry for spring poets."

He blue-penciled another half-column into silent nothingness, and paused again to hark to the sounds of strife coming from the next room.

"It seems to me," he said, "that these squeaks are in some wise familiar to mine ears."

He telephoned a "stop" message into the fighting editor's den, and the next moment that heated and dusty functionary appeared leading a battered wreck by the ear.

"This is the fourth time he's been up this week," said the man of music. "Can't I finish him?"

The editor held up a merciful hand. Then in a kind and tender voice he spoke to the poet.

"Why have you returned four times?" he asked. "Most of your brethren find once enough."

"My doctor tells me I must get some violent exercise," the poet said, "and this is the only way I can afford to take it."—London Answers.

Duty of a Gentleman.

On one occasion, having returned from playing poker at the club, my grandfather said:

"When a man is hard up he should borrow; but he must devote his energies to paying back and remaining the equal of the man from whom he has borrowed. If he cannot pay back, let him be frank about it; for it is better to steal than to cheat."

And again:

"To ride straight and to shoot straight, to win money cheerfully and to lose it cheerfully, never to be boorishly in debt or swinishly drunk, to enjoy flowers and music, and if possible to be in love with at least one good woman, is half the duty of a gentleman."

"What's the other half, grandpa?" I had asked him.

"Why, to be a gentleman, of course."

—Gouverneur Morris.

The People's Schools.

The schools belong to the people and will be what the people make them. It is a mistake to suppose that school officers and teachers are the only ones that have to do with the making of the schools. The people set the pace for the teachers and school officers. If a school officer does not meet the ideals of the people he is turned out at the first election. If a teacher does not meet the ideals of the people the teacher is quickly reached through the school officers. So it gets back to the people in the end. The man that thinks the schools are not good enough should set himself about having them improved. It is astonishing how much one person can do to improve the schools when he sets himself about it.—Henry F. Thurston.

A Skeptic in the Pew.

Your sermons about the Hereafter,
Full of dim, theological lore,
We greet with irreverent laughter—
Can't you reach the Sweet Hereafter?

The hymns that drone up to the rafters,
While the deacons contentedly snore,
They pall with the praise of Hereafter—
Let us sing of the Sweet Hereafter.

No splot of the walls abanquet
Can we catch through the veil at the door—
Portray the prenatal, O Pastor—
You have been in the Sweet Hereafter.

The foam of the ship gleams aloft her
On a sea with invisible shore—
The sunrise of every Hereafter
Is the sunset of some Hereafter.
New York Sun.

Appointment Recalls Brave Act.

Capt. Harry Leonard of the United States Marine Corps has been ordered by President Roosevelt to the Chinese capital as military attache of the American legation. During the Tientsin campaign he risked his life by going to the rescue of a wounded comrade, carrying him to safety on his back across a fire-swept field, and lost his arm as a penalty for his achievement.