

MILWAUKEE.

THE CREAM CITY OF THE LAKES
AND ITS FOLK.

Items of all sorts gathered together by our ubiquitous reporter and served up in Dainty Style for the Delectation of Our Readers.

Mrs. Gilbert Hamilton is on the sick list.

Mr. Frank Bowman is lying very ill at his home down in Young's alley.

The literary society meets every Thursday evening at St. Mark's Church.

Mr. Wm Miller played the part of coal oil John at the Bazaar. He had pennies to burn.

Miss Lydia Hughes is confined to her bed by nervous prostration brought on by over work.

Mr. Walter Reve's posed as the Black Patti during the fair, and Mrs. L. Relford, as Jennie Lind.

Mrs. J. Jones writes to her husband that her father is still in a precarious condition with pneumonia.

Mr. Will Dargenfield has returned from the Woolly West and says the Cream City is good enough for him.

Mrs. Wm Hughes has gone to Indiana where she will join her husband. We are very sorry to lose our respectable citizen.

Miss Marion Berry writes from Roger Williams University that she has been indisposed, but that she has now resumed her studies.

Oom Paul will give the first chicken supper and cake walk of the season on the 25th inst. at Harvey Smith's. All the demomonds are invited.

Mrs. W. Kinney came up from Chicago to this city to join her husband. They will reside at 184-8th street, where they will be pleased to meet the good citizens of the Cream City.

Mr. D. Rogers took the part of a cheap sport, as he did not turn loose that which he did not possess. Hereafter the ladies of the Cream City will consider him as such.

Mrs. S. A. Robinson, in behalf of the ladies and members of St. Mark Church, wishes to return her thanks to the generous friends who assisted in the Bazaar which proved to be a financial success.

Mr. Robt Johnson who has been connected with the St. Paul road for a number of years, has accepted a position in Marquette Mich., where he will take charge of a private car. Mr. Johnson will move his family to that city, where they will reside in the future.

Mr. S. Emanuel and Mrs. Walter Emanuel of Chicago, brother and wife of Mr. Walter Emanuel who met his death at the hands of Willie Crawford last July are in the city attending the latter's trial for murder. They are stopping at Mr. and Mrs. Wm D. Hargrow's, 194-4th St.

The Bazaar committee for St. Mark's church wishes to thank all who in any way assisted it in its labors and also all who took part in the program especially Mrs. E. Burnette who gave faithful efforts the concert was such a great success, also Mrs. M. M. Relford and Mr. Walter Reve who were so zealous in their work under such trying circumstances. The committee also desires to thank the loyal people for their presence.

The program at St. Mark's Tuesday was as follows: Overture, Prof. Lawrence's Orchestra; Remarks, Dr. Knight; Piano Solo, Miss Lydia Hughes; Paper, Mrs. Annie Blackwell; Vocal Solo, Mrs. Robt. Anderson; Guitar Solo, Mr. Chas. L. Munton; Parlor Maggie, Prof. E. Williams; Vocal Duet, Mrs. Relford and Mr. Reve; Reading "Mrs. Maloney on the Chinese Question," Mrs. Wm Hughes; Vocal Solo, Violin obligate and piano accompaniment, Mr. Walter Reve; address, "The Afro-American as a Soldier and citizen" Lawyer Marsh; Vocal Solo, Mrs. Robt. Johnson; Essay, "Robert Ingersoll" William Davis; Mrs. Elizabeth Burnette, manager.

The members of the ex Coterie club were out in numbers, but it has been so long since they have seen a dollar. There is an excuse for one of them, as he was touched for his role while in the city of sin. As for the railroad men; one could not expect anything from them; as it is hard for a man to keep up a family on both ends of the road. And then too, there is our popular dentist Dr. Johnson, whom the ladies think is so light he could walk across Lake Michigan without wetting his feet. To return to the members of the defunct Coterie Club there was one of them who even had the cheek to come in the Bazaar without paying the admission fee, and to say to the lady door-tender, if she did not like it, to put him out. But for all of this the fair was a success; the wheel of progress cannot be stopped by one person. There is one fault with our race, and that is that we all want too much honor. When we lose sight of so much "Big I" and "Little You," our undertakings will be a success.

Attorney W. T. Green has served papers on Pleis and Heck, proprietors of the Schlitz Hotel, notifying them to appear in the Superior court and show cause why they refused Mr. J. J. Miles and a party of friends in their saloon for no other reason than prejudice to color. As this suit will create a great sensation owing to the fact that all parties concerned are hotel men, it is hoped that all Afro-American citizens of the Cream City and throughout the state will come forward and assist us, as this will be the hottest case of the year in the history of the courts here in the half of the Afro-American, since the L. J. case. Any Afro-American who has any respect for his fire-side, himself and family, who will remain passive, and not have the man-hood to come forward and lend his assistance in defense of his civil and equal rights as a citizen of the United States, is unworthy of his race. We must remember that every Afro-

American Council in the United States will watch this suit, and stand ready to come to our assistance if required. While the plain will carry this suit from the lowest to the highest court in the state, it must be remembered that these parties belong to the Hotel men's Association, which we must believe in justice to all mankind.

MUST PAY.

Subscriber Who Failed to Notify the Publisher to Stop His Paper.

Justice Johnson, of St. Paul, has decided in the case of the Old Fellows' Review against John Gaffey, that if a subscriber desires to have a paper discontinued to his address, he must first pay the publisher the amount he owes for subscription, and make a request that the paper be discontinued to his address. The evidence in the case brought forth the facts that Gaffey subscribed and paid for the Review for one year, and that he continued to accept it after his subscription had expired. Later he changed his address without notifying the publisher, and claimed not to have received the paper. This the court held, was through no fault of the publishers, who received a judgment for the amount due and costs.

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WHAT A BLACK MAN

Saw in a White Man's Country.

The above is the title of a book which has just been published by Rev. William S. Brooks, pastor of St. Peter's A. M. E. church, Minneapolis. It is a description of a visit of the author to Europe and especially to Sweden and Norway, and the "land of the Midnight Sun." It is quite interesting in every particular, and abounds with quiet wit and humor, together with much valuable information. It is dedicated to his wife, of whom he says: "Who has been not only encouragement but inspiration." There is a peculiar charm about the style of the author's writing which makes one feel he was listening to an oral presentation of the subject matter. And, as Rev. Noah Lathrop says of the book, in a prefatory note, "It reads to me as though it had been prepared for oral delivery, and I think he might do well to deliver it in that manner."

THE APPEAL takes great pleasure in commending the work as very pleasing and instructive.

Metropolitan Restaurant.

The Metropolitan Restaurant, 375 Minnesota street, has opened under new management, Messrs. Crum and Dillingham, proprietors. The Metropolitan will furnish special luncheon or dinner for private parties. The dining room can be reserved any evening, and will cook special meals if desired by parties.

Since the public library of Boston was removed to its new fireproof building it has received many valuable gifts, especially of manuscript collections. The sons of William Lloyd Garrison have presented to the library a large number of manuscripts left by the famous anti-slavery leader. They are chiefly autograph letters covering thirty-five years, but also include several historical relics connected with the slavery agitation.

THE SORROWFUL TREE.

It Blooms Only at Night, and is Blighted When the Sun Rises.

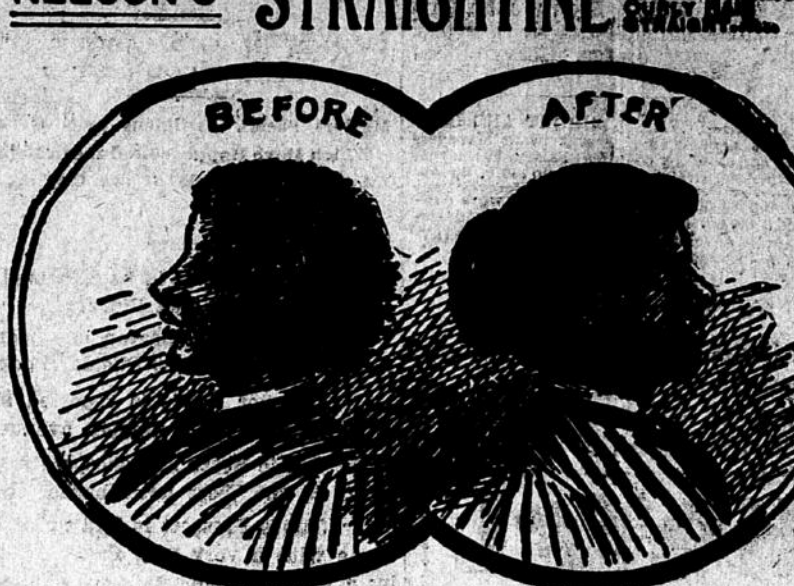
There is a tree in Persia to which the name of "the sorrowful tree" is given. Perhaps because it blooms only in the evening. When the first star appears in the heavens the first bud of the sorrowful tree opens, and as the shades of night advance and the stars thickly stud the sky, the buds continue gradually opening until the whole tree looks like one immense white flower. On the approach of dawn, when the brilliancy of the stars gradually fades in the light of day, the sorrowful tree closes its flowers, and ere the sun is fully risen, not a single blossom is visible. A sheet of flower dust, as white as snow, covers the ground around the tree, which seems blighted and withered during the day, while, however, it is actually preparing for the next nocturnal festival. The fragrance of the blossoms is like that of the evening primrose. If the tree is cut down close to the roots a new plant shoots up and attains maturity in an incredibly short time. In the vicinity of this peculiar tree there usually grows another, which is almost an exact counterpart of the sorrowful tree, but less beautiful, and, strange to say, it blooms only in the daytime.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN LAKE

One of the Worst Places for Sickness in the World.

Lake Titicaca is unique among the waters of the world, says Harper's Magazine. Its extent is fourteen times that of the Lake of Geneva, and the level of its surface is 12,545 feet above the sea. Along its eastern shore runs the main Cordillera, rising aloft at its southern end into the mighty Mount Sorata, whose broad expanding glaciers seem to lift themselves like sails from the waves. The shores and islands of the lake were—who knows how long ago?—the cradle of a remarkable civilization, or even series of civilizations. Perhaps latest among them was that of the Inca tribe, which, rising in this place, spread northward over the hills and down a valley to Cuzco and thence stretched forth its conquering arm over a vast area whose exact limit can no longer be defined. The Incas looked back to Titicaca island as the sacred spot whence emerged their legendary founders, Manco Capac and his consort, Mama Occlo Huaco. The traveler on the waters or round the shores of the lake beholds many a monument of departed greatness and industrial prosperity. He feels that he is looking upon historic ground and the dim glamour of a well-nigh forgotten past sheds lustre upon peaks and ranges doubtless untrod by human foot, but often traveled by human eyes, and in whose names yet linger the fossilized faith and poetry of departed men. The waters of Titicaca lake reflect no longer the splendor of Inca religious pageants; they are plowed instead by three bustling steamers, on one of which we voyage 111 miles to the Bolivian port of Chichilaya. Fortune favored us with a day brilliant and calm, when the waves lay asleep and all the hills were clear. Generally a storm rages, and the voyager suffers from such an irresistible combination of mountain and sea sickness that even the hardy stokers of the engine do not become habituated to it, but suffer like so many newcomers.

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The I. I. B. C. Society.

The I. I. B. C. society will give a pound party at the residence of one of its members, 5473 Kimbark avenue, Monday, Nov. 20. Everybody invited.

The committee of the I. I. B. C. will again visit the Chicago city railway company this week, hoping for a more favorable reply.

The organizer, Mrs. L. Henderson, reported at last meeting that Mrs. Leom of president of N. Y. is doing great work in increasing its membership.

Mr. O. F. Palmer has recently been appointed as local president of Oakland and organizer of California. He promises good work in the field as he feels sure of much success.

Olivet Baptist Church.

Olivet school, corner of 27th and Dearborn sts., was well attended, there being present 339, collection, \$3.78.

At the morning service Rev. P. Thomas, the pastor, preached a sermon on "Watch, Work and Pray." Ref.: Nehemiah, 4th Chap., 15th verse. "And it came to pass, when our enemies heard that it was known to us and God had brought their counsel to nought, that we returned all of us to the wall, every one to his work." "Watch and pray." Matt. 26th Chap., 41st verse.

In the evening he selected for the theme of his discourse "The King of Glory." Ref.: 24th Psalm, 8th verse: "Who is this king of glory? The Lord, mighty in battle." Five united with the church.

Mr. Fowler, ex-superintendent of Grace church, led the B. Y. P. Union which was well attended. Our next leader, Mr. Crudup, the president, Juniors meet every Sabbath at 3.30 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

Sunday, Nov. 19th, at 11.30 a. m. Memorial service for the dead. All are cordially invited to attend.

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