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610 9th nw, store & dwg, 5r	30 50
128 M nw, mi, 8r	30 50
1109 9th st nw, m i, 9r	30 50
920 R. I. ave. nw, m i, 10r	30 50
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1510 Columbia st nw, m i, 8r	25 30
180 P nw, m i, 7r	23 50
1625 4th st nw, mi, 7r	22 50
123 4½ st sw, st & dwl, 5r	22 50
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1740 6th nw, mi, 7r	20 50
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601 4½ st sw, str & dwl, 5r	20 00
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1025 4th ne, mi, 8r	16 00
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229 Oak st, mi, 7r	13 50
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REFUGE IN THE BEAR'S CAGE.

Circus Man Who Was Pursued by Negroes He Had Deceived.

New York Sun.

"I was out with the red wagons from 1870 until 1890," said an old circus man, "and during that time I traveled over all the different circuits in the South and West. There was one trip we made that I will never forget, and somewhere in the South there must be a few hundred negroes still alive who will never forget it either.

"It was back in '76, and we were running what is known as a steamboat circus. That is, we loaded all our paraphernalia on a steamboat and steamed down the Mississippi River, stopping at small towns, villages, hamlets, and even little settlements of four and five houses. In fact, we would make a landing at any point where there seemed to be any chance of a fair audience, and what money the show didn't get the shell and card men who accompanied us were sure to rope in.

We had a man with us named Mack, Aleck Mack. He was an old gold hunter and circus man, and knew the business from A to Z. He could tumble, ride bareback, do a comic turn, swing on a trapeze or work the cards or shells like an expert, and, in fact, was an extraordinary man in every way and a useful man for a circus, as you can imagine. It was down in Louisiana, at a place called Bayou La Fouche, that Mack worked the game which made that trip memorable. It's a wild country all through there, or was then, and one rarely runs across any whites. It's all negroes, and the most superstitious class of colored people at that. I never could make out where they all came from, but just as soon as we'd make a landing they'd come flocking out of the woods, three and four on a single mule and dozens on foot.

"The show had been doing poorly for some weeks, and we were short of money, when Mack suggested a scheme which he said might bring in a few hundred dollars. He got a chunk of iron ore out of the ballast box of the boat, covered it carefully with a bit of spotless canvas, and when the negroes flocked about us at Bayou La Fourche, circulated a report among them that we had a marvelous loadstone aboard.

"It had come down from the heavens in the midst of a terrific storm a week before, he said, and had been picked up by the circus hands. Well, sir, you never saw such an excited lot of colored people in your life. A loadstone is full of luck in the mind of a Louisiana negro, and nothing would do but what they must see Mack's treasure. Well, we showed it to them, and they examined it with great reverence, and snapped at his offer to sell them bits of it for 25 and 50 cents, according to size.

"For two days we laid off at Bayou La Fourche, while Mack chipped off bits of the ore and sold it to the negroes, and when we finally packed up and left we had about $500 of the people's money, which they had exchanged for bits of the ballast. We never found out how the negroes discovered the swindle, but they did, and a lot of them swore to have Mack's life.

"They followed the show for nearly two weeks, and the only way that we could insure Mack's safety was to put him in the bear cage every time we landed. The bears were tame enough, but entirely too friendly, and they made life miserable for the poor man while they had him in the cage. We finally got out of the country and into civilization, and then Mack quit the show, and I've never seen him since. I shall never forget the way he fooled those negroes, though, and I guess there's a lot of those negroes alive yet who'll never forget it, either."

CHURCH NOTICES.

EASTERN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Maryland avenue and Sixth street northeast—Owing to the illness of the pastor, Dr. W. H. Milburn, the blind chaplain of the United States Senate, will preach at 11 a. m.; the best music will be rendered; Sabbath-school at 9:30 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E., juniors at 3 p. m. and seniors at 6:30 p. m. At 7:30, Hon. Elijah A. Morse of Massachusetts, will deliver an address on the subject, "A Business Man's View of the Gospel." Strangers cordially invited.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, corner Tenth and G streets northwest—Rev. S. M. Newman, D. D., pastor. The pastor will preach at 11 a.m., and 7:30 p.m. Evening sermon, next illustrated sermon upon the "Life of Christ;" music by quartet and chorus, led by Dr. Bischoff, organist. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; Loyal Temperance Legion, 3 p. m.; Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.

BROOKLAND M. E. CHURCH—Rev. Wm. H. Chapman, pastor. Sunday School at 10 a. m.; preaching by the pastor at 11:30 a. m.; service at 7:30 p. m., conducted by the Epworth League.

ST. PAUL'S, Dupont Circle—11 a. m., Rev. J. H. McCarty, D. D.; 7:30 p. m., Rev. Hugh Johnston, D. D.; 9:30 a. m., Sunday School; 6:45 p. m., Epworth League.

UNITARIAN—ALL SOULS' CHURCH, corner Fourteenth and L streets northwest—"Christmas Fact and Fancy," will be the subject of the morning sermon, by Rev. Joseph H. Croaker of Helena, Mont.; and in the evening at 7:30 o'clock he will speak of "Spirits in Prison." The choir will sing music appropriate to the season. Sunday School and Unity Study Class at 9:45 a. m.; Young People's meeting at 6:30 p. m. All are invited.

METROPOLITAN WESLEY ZION CHURCH, Rev. J. B. Colbert, pastor—Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. J. B. Small, D. D., of York, Pa., at 7:30 p. m. by pastor. All are welcome.

CHURCH OF OUR FATHER, corner Thirteenth and L streets northwest—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday School 9:45 a. m.; Young People's Union 6:30 p. m.; Rev. A. G. Rogers, D. D., pastor; morning, "The Advent of Christ, the Central Fact of History;" evening, Christmas service, subject, "The Birth of Christ," illustrated by many beautiful views; singing of carols and popular praise service. All seats are free to the public.

THEOSOPHY—Lecture on "Foundation of Faith from a Theosophical Point of View," by Mr. George M. Coffin, president B. B. T. S., on Sunday evening, 22d instant, at 8 o'clock at Metzerott hall, small. Regular meeting on Thursday evening, 26th instant, subject, "Masters and Chelas." Both free; public invited; elevator; entrance on F street.

THE UNITED STATES VETERAN Christian Church Missionary Association will hold Sunday-school every Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at 1009 New Jersey avenue northwest.

FAITH M. E. CHAPEL, Bowen Road, D. C., Rev. A. G. Harrison, pastor—Sunday-school, 9:30 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.; Y. P. meeting, 3 p. m.; address by Miss Phæbe Hall, 7:30 p. m.; preaching by the pastor, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.; song and praise service, conducted by the Sunday-school, Thursday, 7:30 p. m. All are welcome.

HAMLINE M. E. CHURCH, Ninth and P streets northwest, Rev. E. S. Todd, D. D., pastor—Sunday-school, 9:15 a. m.; preaching by the pastor, 11 a. m., subject "The Magi at Bethlehem;" 7:30 p. m., subject, "How They Received Him;" Epworth League, 6:15 p. m.; Tuesday, consecration; Thursday, love feast, 7:30 p. m. Special meeting of the official board Monday evening, 7:30 p. m.

CHRISTMAS SUNDAY AT TRINITY M. E. Church, Rev. Dr. Oliver A. Brown, pastor—At 11 a. m., the pastor will preach a Christmas sermon; at 3 p. m., Rev. Dr. Reed will address the Foundry Temperance Society; at 7:30, Rev. Dr. Henry Baker, who has recently visited Palestine, will preach on the theme, "Echoes of the Footsteps of Jesus." A cordial invitation to all.

VERMONT AVENUE CHRISTIAN Church, pastor, F. D. Power—11 a. m., "Christmas Customs;" 7:30 p. m., "Christmas Sermon to the Children;" Sunday-school, 9:30; Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30; service Christmas day, 7 a. m. All welcome.

CONGRESS STREET METHODIST Protestant Church, Thirty-first, between M and N, Rev. Walter R. Graham, D. D., pastor—Sabbath Services, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sabbath-school, 9:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.; midweek service in lecture room, Tuesday evening, 7:30.

ST. MARK'S, corner Third and A streets southeast, one block from Capitol—A. J. Graham, rector. Holy communion, 7:30; Sunday-school, 9:30; at 11 a. m., service and sermon; subject, "The greatest virtue;" 7:30 p. m., choral service and sermon and holy communion; subject, "Despair and its antidote;" Christmas Day, holy communion, 6:30 a. m.; service, sermon and holy communion, 10:30.

METROPOLITAN M. E. CHURCH, Four-and-a-half and C streets northwest—Rev. Hugh Johnston, D. D., pastor; 11 a. m., "The Indwelling God;" 7:35 p. m., Rev. Dr. Wilson, presiding elder; 3:30 p. m., Anti-Saloon League meeting; 9:30, Sunday School; 3 p. m., Chinese School, Junior League; 6:30 p. m., Epworth League.

Give the Deer a Chance.

There were 4,500 deer killed in the Adirondacks during the past season. Killing deer for fun is not a very praiseworthy pastime; but assuredly it should be restrained so far as to prevent fools from exterminating the creatures in the North Woods. Everybody is bewailing the extinction of the buffalo, and yet a few years ago it was considered the grandest style of sport to go out on the plains slaughtering the harmless bison.

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CHURCH NOTICES.

WALKER MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH, Madison street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth, Rev. I. V. Bryant, pastor—Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. by pastor; subject, "The duty of children to their parents;" 4 p. m., B. Y. P. U.; 7:30, preaching by pastor.

EPWORTH M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH, corner Seventh and A streets northeast, Rev. J. O. Knott, pastor—Preaching at 11 a. m.; subject, "Faith vs. Tempest;" 7:30 p. m., subject, "Christmas Meditation;" Sunday-school 9:30 a. m. New church now open. Strangers welcome.

THE BRETHREN—Pastor Lyon will preach (D. V.) on Lord's Day at 11 a. m. at 316 Pennsylvania avenue southeast; theme, "The Significant Look." Everybody invited; seats free. Bible class at 9:45 a. m. Come, bring your Bibles and friends.

CENTRAL M. P. CHURCH, Twelfth and M streets northwest, Rev. S. J. Smith pastor—Sermon to young at 11 a. m.; theme, "Story of Jonah;" 7:30, "The Unjust Steward;" Sunday-school 9:30; Christian Endeavor 6:30. Seats free. Come.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Four-and-a-half street, between C and D—11 a. m., morning service, with sermon, by Rev. Adolos Allen, subject, "The Nativity;" Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, D. D., will preach every Sabbath evening at 7:30 p. m.; Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m.; Junior Christian Endeavor at 3:30 p. m.; Senior Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. Music appropriate to Christmas season at morning and evening service, by quartet choir, Dr. Gabriel T. Johnson, director.

FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Ninth street, between G and H streets northwest, Rev. Joseph T. Kelly, pastor—Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.; Sabbath-school at 9:30 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.; lecture preparatory to communion service, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

SPIRITUALISM, Metzerott Hall.—Every Sunday. Lyceum, 10 a. m.; lecture, 11:30 a. m., 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Adaline M. Glading, the eminent trance medium, speaker for December. Morning services free.

FIFTENTH STREET M. E. CHURCH, corner R northwest—Services in lecture room of new church; Sunday-school, 9:30 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by pastor, Rev. W. W. Van Arsdale; Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. All are cordially invited. Seats free.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE—To the citizens of Washington City. The Colored Poor Mission Society was organized in this city by Missionary Mary A. Green on the 24th of July, 1895, at No. 1009 New Jersey avenue northwest, under the auspices of the United States Veteran Christian Church Missionary Association. Said Mary A. Green is the general head, appointed for the District Mission, which was incorporated August 7, 1895.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

ESTATE of James Coon, late of Soldiers' home, Washington, D. C., No. 6,942, Document 21, issued December 20, 1895. Application having been made to the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, holding Orphans' Court, for probate of a last will of James Coon and for letters of administration on said estate, by John Green, sole legatee. This is to give notice to all concerned to appear in said court on Friday, the 17th day of January, A. D., 1896, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause why such application should not be granted. A. B. Hagner. Attest: J. NOTA M'GILL, Register of Wills, D. C. HORACE L. STILES, Proctor for Applicant.

UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S SALE.—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Clerk's Office of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia and to me directed I will sell at public sale for cash in front of the Court House door on Tuesday, December 24, 1895, at 11 o'clock a. m., all the right, title, claim and interest of William Story in and to original lot 2, in square 706, together with the improvements thereon; seized and levied upon as interest of William Story in said land and sold to satisfy execution No. 38888 in favor of Wm. O'Donohue.

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PERSONAL.

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CHURCH NOTICES.

RYLAND M. E. CHURCH—9:15 a. m., Sunday-school; 11 a. m., by pastor, Rev. S. M. Hartsock, D.D., "Christ's Kingdom;" 6:30 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E.; 7:30 p. m., "The Gospel Superior to Human Reason." You are invited.

FIFTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Eighth and D streets northeast, Rev. Adam Reoch, pastor: Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., by the pastor; Sunday-school, 9:30 a. m.; Junior C. E., 3:30 p. m.; Senior C. E., 6:30 p. m.

FREE THOUGHT MEETING—The friends of free thought will meet at Metzerott Hall Sunday, 3 p. m. The subject of organization will be considered and brief addresses made by Dr. W. A. Croffut, Maurice Pechin and other members of the Ethical Society. All are cordially invited.

[illegible] BAPTIST CHURCH—The revival that has been going on at the church under the administration of Rev. C. C. Mason closed last Thursday night with seven converts. Sunday services, Rev. C. C. Mason will preach at 11 o'clock; communion at 3 o'clock; general services at night; also general services at the Unitarian Baptist Church; preaching at 11 o'clock a. m.; Sunday-school at 3 o'clock; regular services at 7:30 p. m. Rev. C. C. Mason, pastor.

GRACE M. E. CHURCH, corner Ninth and S streets northwest—Rev. Watson Case, pastor. 11 a. m., "What think ye of Christ?" 7:30 p. m., "The coming kingdom of Christ;" Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m.; Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.; Christmas morning service at 6 o'clock; prayer meeting on Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

DOUGLAS MEMORIAL M. E. CHURCH, H and Eleventh streets northeast—Rev. John L. Walsh, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m.; subject, "The Son of Man is come;" at 7:30 p. m., preaching on "Gifts without silver and gold;" appropriate Christmas anthems and solos at both services.

SERVICES AT FOUNDRY METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Sunday morning, December 22, 1895.—Organ voluntary; gloria patra; hymn No. 813; prayer; morning lesson; solo, "While Shepherds Watch Their Flocks," by E. Marzo, Mr. Emory Wilson; offertory; hymn No. 188; sermon by pastor, Rev. Oliver A. Brown; solo, "Night of Nights," Van-de-water, Miss Grace Altschu; hymn No. 192; doxology and benediction; organ prelude. Mr. Frank A. Wilson, precentor; Mr. William K. Cohen, organist; Mr. George H. Chandlee, cornetist.

EPIPHANY CHAPEL, Twelfth and C streets southwest.—Rev. A. M. Hilliker, minister in charge. Seats free at all services. Holy communion, 8; Sunday school, 9:30; morning service, 11; evening service, 7:30. The Christmas day services will be holy communion at 8 and morning prayer, and holy communion at 11.

PASTOR E. HEZ SWEM DESCRIBES—"Smart Somebodies (They Think So)". Sunday night, 7:30 o'clock; preaching 11 a. m. by the pastor. Free pews. All invited. Second Baptist Church Auditorium, Fourth street and Virginia avenue southeast.

THE PEOPLE'S CHURCH, 423 G street northwest—Rev. Alex. Kent, pastor, will speak at 11:15 on "The spirit of Christmas and the spirit of war;" Sunday-school and ethical class at 10:15. All welcome.

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