

Cathedral

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Barefield Gordon - Notes

The Brotherhood of EBENEZER AME CHURCH, Willis at Brush, is presenting Gil-Blas Jackson, bass-baritone, in a recital, assisted by Gloria Harris, organist and accompanist, Thursday, June 3. This talented young artist received his early training in the Chicago Parochial and Public Schools. Later, he received a scholarship to study at the Chicago Conservatory of Music. He continued his study at the Detroit Institute of Musical Arts in Detroit.

Sunday, May 30, the Rev. Horace A. White will deliver a sermon on "The Things That Whip Us," at PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Garfield and Beaubien. BETHEL AME CHURCH is sponsoring a "White House Review" on Sunday, June 20, at 7:30 p. m., in the sanctuary. This effort is being made to provide a center for the youth of the community, where recreational, charitable and educational facilities are woefully lacking.

The Men's Club of JOHN WESLEY AME ZION CHURCH, located at Beechwood and Moore Place, will celebrate Men's Day May 30. John C. Dancy, executive secretary of the Detroit Urban League, will be the principal speaker at 3:30 p. m.

The Altar Circle of SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH sponsored a very successful tea last Sunday at Gleiss Memorial Center. Over \$250 was reported.

An interesting debate with the subject, Resolved, That Woman's Place is in the Home will be staged between the older and younger women at CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH. The Rev. Joseph P. Thomas, pastor, extends a cordial invitation to all to visit.

Detrouers met the chief administrator of the Episcopal diocese of Michigan Sunday at an elaborate reception held in the ball room of the Masonic Temple. He is the Rt. Rev. Richard S. Emrich, Ph.D. Many city officials and members of other faiths were represented.

The election of Miss L. Ivy Gwalter as a Director of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts, to succeed Mrs. Nelia E. Ritchie, deceased, has just been announced.

Miss Gwalter, a native of New York, studied abroad and upon her return to this country, graduated from the Musical Art Institute, New York City. For a number of years she contributed to the Christian Science weekly and monthly periodicals and for the past year has been Associate Editor.

Her many friends throughout the world will be gratified to learn of her election to The Christian Science Board of Directors of The Mother Church.

The Pastor's Aide Union held their meeting at the Macedonia Baptist Church, May 9, at 3:30 p. m. The Rev. A. C. Williams

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Alpha, Omega Choir Holds Annual Recital

Spirituals Anthems On Program

The senior choir of the Alpha and Omega Spiritual Church, 446 Holbrook, presented its third annual musical Friday night.

A varied program of spirituals, anthems and instrumental numbers was presented. Soloists were Mrs. Lillian Emile, David Burton, Vincent Taylor, Mrs. Emma Carradine and Miss Bobbie McKinney. Instrumentalists were: Miss Dorothy Chavis, pianist; Mrs. Zeda Kelly and Samuel P. Bills, organist and pianist, respectively. Readings were given by Mrs. Lucy Parks, Mrs. Mary Cunningham, and Mrs. Rose McClendon. Mrs. Julia Walker and Mrs. Jane Trice presented a duet. Mrs. Lofton was award winner.

The choir presented "Gloria" by Mozart. Mrs. Emile and Mrs. Juanita Brown presided over the program.

Remarks were given by Bishop Wallace P. Robinson, pastor and founder of the church, and by Rev. Zola Robinson. The Rev. Alexander Joseph gave the invocation.

Officers of the choir are: Mrs. Lucy Parks, president; Mrs. Gertrude Branch, vice president; Mrs. Lillian Emile, secretary; Mrs. Corinne Sterling, recording secretary; and Mrs. Pearl Daniels, treasurer; Mrs. Hattie Joseph, chaplain; and Mrs. Cunningham, mother; Samuel P. Bills is director; Miss Dorothy Chavis pianist; and Mrs. Zeda Kelly organist.

Ebenezer To Hold Marriage Course

"Planning for Marriage" is the topic scheduled to be discussed for six weeks on Tuesday night, beginning June 1, at Ebenezer AME Church, Brush at Willis.

The course will be conducted by three experts, including a social worker, a minister and a doctor, to aid young people contemplating marriage.

Dating, petting, sex, modern contraception and other subjects pertaining to a happy marriage will be discussed. Leading the discussions will be Mrs. Elaine Orheim from the Family Service Society, Rev. Charles A. Hill, pastor of Hartford Avenue Baptist Church, and Dr. Majorie P. Meyers.

The course is sponsored by Ebenezer AME Church, and Mrs. Herbert L. Dudley, director of youth activities. Registration is \$1.00, and courses start at 7 p. m. Cooperating is the Social Service Department of the Detroit Council of Churches.

of the Metropolitan Baptist Church delivered the sermon. His text was found in Luke 18th chapter, 10 verse. The Rev. H. H. Coleman is pastor. Madame Briggs, president. Mrs. A. Biggs, reporter.

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Library Named For W. C. Handy

NEW YORK CITY.—A library has been named in honor of W. C. Handy, composer of the "St. Louis Blues," and several other pieces.

The library is in Florence, Ala. Handy's old home town, although the composer and trumpet man is usually identified with Crump's Memphis, where there is a park named in Handy's honor.

Dedication of the Alabama library occurred simultaneously with a Handy broadcast from New York on "We The People" program, when Handy and Sugar Chiles Robinson appeared together for the United Negro College Fund.

Rev. M. Stewart Calvary Baptist Women's Speaker

Calvary Baptist Church, 1330 Jos. Campau, will observe their annual women's day program Sunday, May 30, the Rev. Joseph Thomas, pastor, announced this week.

The Rev. Mrs. Mary Stewart, Evangelist, will be guest speaker at the 10:40 a. m. worship service. Members and friends of the church are urged to attend.

Crowned Queen



Mrs. Viola Mixon, who was recently crowned Queen of the Matrons Department of the Calvary Baptist Association at the Mt. Olive Baptist Church, of Rev. H. E. Owens is pastor. Mrs. Mable Wall is supervisor. Mrs. Mixon is a member of the Gospel Temple Baptist Church, of which Rev. W. E. Ramsey is pastor, and the wife of Robert Mixon, an outstanding deacon of the same church. Mrs. Mixon is a hard worker in the Matrons Department and other departments of her church.

BITS of BANTERING

By.....BOBBYE

"In writing or speaking, give every person his due title, according to his degree and the custom of the place," said George Washington in 1750—And so we say today of the galaxy of interesting personalities that paraded and invaded Detroit last week—some to visit—some on business for the Pan-Hellenic and some to stay.

HERE TO STAY

Is a darling baby girl just born to Dr. and Mrs. James M. Fitzgerald of West Grand Blvd. The new Mrs. "Red" Brooks, bride of Dr. C. Brooks, whose new home on Akinson is a super duper eight room affair with a ball room.

HERE ON BUSINESS

Was Mrs. Mae Wright Downs, school marm of Baltimore, Md., daughter of one of Baltimore's first and most prominent physicians and wife of one of Baltimore's popular medicals, past Grand President of Delta Sigma Theta, who was elected the new National President of the Pan Hellenic Council.

Was Mayola Senior, Grand Chapter officer of Phi Delta Kappa Sorority and Girl's Counselor in Toledo Public Schools who was hosted by the George Hoaglands of La Belle.

Was Miss Yvonne Ray, Public Relations director of the Rose Meta Cosmetics, who is here as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Williams, of Harding Ave. to assist in the opening of the Detroit House of Beauty. Was William Beckam of Cincinnati, Ohio, interesting and

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Bethel Members To Hear Report Of Gen. Session

A large number of persons heard Dr. G. Merrill Lenox, executive secretary of the Detroit Council of Churches Sunday Rev. Jonathan Dames, the pastor, spoke at the Church of All People, Fourth and Putnam, at 4:30.

The Youth program was completed with a message by Benjamin W. Boyce that night.

Sunday, May 30, will be missionary day at Bethel AME Church, St. Antoine and Frederick, with Rev. Dames delivering the special sermon.

Highlights of the Kansas City general conference will be presented by members who attended headed by Mrs. Beatrice Fleming Fleets, who is chairman of the program.

Mrs. Katie Smith is president of the Missionary Society and Mrs. Bennie Moore is secretary.

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Altar Guild Holds Final Celebration

The Altar Guild of Second Baptist Church had its closing meeting for the season at the Detroit Association of Women's Clubs Monday night.

After hearing reports from the officers and committee, an elaborate turkey dinner was served by the hostess, Mrs. Ann Bradby.

Guests at the affair included Beatrice Preston, Eliza Foster, Alma Davis, Rev. Edward Simmons, W. C. Osby and Fred Hart Williams.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Members of the organization present included Fannette Norris, Maude Russell, Mrs. Westmoreland, Elice West, Alberta McFall, Beatrice Terrell, Mildred Croft, Vera Sadler, Lillie Hultbert, Hester Jeter, Mrs. Vera Nelson, Sadie Johnson, Anna Long, Annie Huth, Alberta Flannigan, Charlotte Fuller, Maude Stephens, Sally Mays, Patience Buckner, Mattie H. Henderson, Mollie Cummings, Mary Jennings, Mary Tyne and others.

Officers of the Altar Circle are: Bertha Walker, president; Ola Smith, first vice president; Nancy Moore, second vice president; Jessie Rogers, recording secretary; Jummie White, corresponding secretary; Mamie Warlick, treasurer; Ethel Taylor, organist; and Jerene G. Macklin, parliamentarian.

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