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Cleveland Briefs

Rev. E. A. Clarke, pastor of St. John's A. M. E. church, officiated at three funerals at Boyd's funeral parlors last Monday, as follows: 10 a. m., Wm. Jackson; 12 m., Alcenia Moore Alston, a relative of Mrs. Joseph Moore of the choir, whose body was sent to North Carolina, and 3 p. m., David Scott, the bright 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Scott, E. 86th St. Mr. Scott is director of the famous St. John choir.

A. O. Taylor

James Offer, chairman of the sick committee of Camp 30, American Wood men, reports these members ill: Rosie Washington, 5014 Portland Ave.; Mabel Young, 2015 E. 40th St.; Ollie Gray, 5515 Hawthorne; Ileen Jorman, 2362 E. 87th St.; Mary Surry, 5014 Central; Mary Campbell, 2704 Central, and Jas. Dixon, at Charity hospital suffering with injuries sustained when an auto running wild at 40th and Central Sts. crushed him against a fire patrol box post.

Harris Temple theater, O. J. Harris manager, is running Irving C. Miller's "Banjo Land Revue" with Emmett Anthony and his Broadway beauties the second week.

Rev. J. S. Jackson, pastor of St. Paul's A. M. E. church, Columbus, Ohio, spent a few days in the city as guest of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jackson, St. John apartments, E. 40th St.

The Defender takes great pleasure in announcing the election to the state house of representatives at Columbus of our own Hon. Harry E. Davis, attorney-at-law. This is the third time he has been accorded this honor by the electorate of Cuyahoga county.

Rev. R. L. Fortner, Mobile, Ala., is conducting a wonderful revival at Gethsemane Baptist church, 30th and Scovill, Rev. W. M. Paze, pastor.

Rev. Dr. C. C. Aller, pastor of Zion Hill Baptist church, is in Los Angeles, Cal., conducting a revival.

Miss Gladys Wells writes the Defender from Los Angeles, Cal., that she has fallen in love with the sunshine of the Golden West and her health is fine. She was to visit over Sunday with Miss Alice Stoard, formerly organist of St. John's church, this city, now organist of the A. M. E. church in Pasadena, Cal.

Mrs. Mary T. Taylor has moved from 2832 E. 90th St. to 2285 E. 71st St., the home of Mrs. Mary Jackson, deaconess of St. John's church.

Great credit is due John H. Perry and his stratery squad, among whom were D. R. Williams, Attorney Selmo Glenn, William Smith, Attorney Harold Gassaway and Mr. Weston. Great work was also done by E. W. Sellers, Councilman Thomas W. Fleming and Mrs. Julia T. Wise. Mrs. Fleming conducted the women's denartment at Columbus in a very commendable manner.

The Mozart Glee club plans to give its annual Xmas dance Friday, Dec. 26, at Sojacks Euclid academy.

Clarence Cameron White, the talented violinist, appears at Antioch Baptist church Nov. 24, according to announcement just received by the Defender. Mr. White and his wife are teaching at West Virginia Institute.

Miss Burrell Winston and other students of Oberlin college spent the week-end in the city as guests of Mrs. Mamie Hawkins, E. 45d St.

Miss Babelle Clarke will entertain the Present Day club at the home of Mrs. B. C. Styles, E. 95th St., Saturday, Nov. 15.

The funeral of Henry Cenn, an old resident of Cleveland, took place from Friedstone Baptist church Monday afternoon, Rev. Fewell officiating. The services were under the auspices of Climax lodge, K. of P., and the funeral procession was led by the Masonic band. J. W. Wills & Company had charge. He leaves a widow, Mrs. Effie Penn.

Lee Gillam, one of Cleveland's pioneer barbers, was buried last week.

Tom Brannigan, driver of the Cleveland garbage department, is out after suffering injuries to his foot when thhown from his wagon. He resides at 2496 E. 37th St.

Mrs. Lillian Morris, 2466 E. 86th St., died at the City hospital, the result of injuries sustained in a collision while riding in a street car. Gibbs & Nickens had charge of the funeral. They also report the death of Fletcher Lightfoot at City hospital, and that of Infant Green, scalded to death when he fell into a tub of hot water.

Cleveland Society

Mr. and Mrs. Herbery Correll, Massilon, Ohio, motored to Cleveland last Saturday to see Miller and Lyles' "Runnin' Wild" and attend the Roland Hayes recital at Masonic hall, Euclid Ave. While here they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen H. Dorsey, E. 81st St. After the Hayes recital Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey entertained the Corrells at an elaborate dinner party, having as guests Mr. and Mrs. Jarrett Chavous, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Boult and Miss Sadie Williamson.

The ladies of the Cleveland Peoples Finance corporation, including the wives of the directors, gave a formal tea party at the home of Attorney and Mrs. A. H. Martin, E. 40th St., last Friday evening. Addresses were made by President Martin and others.

Attorney Louise Pridgeon returned Sunday from Chicago accompanied by her husband, Frank O. Pridgeon, who is just recovering from painful injuries received in an auto accident while motoring to Chicago some weeks ago.

Miss Thelma Louise Taylor, student at Heidleburg university, Tiffin, Ohio, came up to spend the week-end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Oliver A. Taylor, Crawford Rd., and attend the Roland Hayes recital. On Friday evening her mother gave a pretty party in her honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Lyles of the "Runnin' Wild" company were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dockett, 2212 E. 85th St., last Wednesday.

Mrs. H. A. Hunt, Sr., Fort Valley, Ga., spent a week in the city as guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hunt, Jr., E. 81st St., en route to Pittsburgh and New York.

Mrs. Albert Wills and Mrs. Laura F. Collins, who visited friends and relatives in Cleveland, write the Cleveland office of the Defender that they arrived in Los Angeles, Cal., safely. They are very appreciative of the kind hospitality shown them during their recent visit. They arrived in Los Angeles Oct. 20, stopping over in Chicago, Sacramento and San Francisco. Both were formerly residents of this city.

Mrs. P. H. White and W. T. White of this city and Mrs. Maud Alexander, Mansfield, Ohio, left this week for Selma, Ala., to attend the marriage of Dr. W. T. White to Miss Hudson.

Miss Maisell Clarke, pianist, was in Cincinnati last week to accompany Mme. Florence Cole Talbert in concert under the auspices of the Alpha Phi Alpha of that city.

Jesse Dockett, Saratoga Springs, N. Y., was the guest of his brother, Robt. Dockett, E. 85th St.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Foutz and mother, Mrs. F. Clark, Miss Elma Brannon and Floyd Ramsey motored from Steubenville Sunday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McHenry.

Miss Blanche M. Van Hook, 526 Boone St., Columbus, writes the Cleveland office of the Defender that the report that she is soon to marry is untrue. Miss Van Hook has the honor of being clerk to the market master of Columbus.

The Mme. C. J. Walker beauty shop held its formal opening in the new Bailey building, 2268 E. 55th St., under most auspicious circumstances. This is the finest and most modern beauty shop conducted by our group in this section of the country, it is said. Mrs. Lula Hall Alexander, Columbus, Ohio, field organizer for the Walker company, is in temporary charge of the parlor, assisted by Mrs. J. H. Taylor, who will be in charge after Mrs. Alexander leaves.

Mrs. George A. Myers, Pasadena Ave., gave a dinner party last Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Robinson of Omaha, Neb., sister of Joe G. Robinson, 542 E. 109th St. Being election night the guests had the pleasure of receiving the returns over Miss Dorothy Myers' radio.

Mrs. George Cohron, E. 103d St., delightfully entertained Ye-Buz-Fuz club Saturday evening. The special guests were Mrs. E. A. Bailey, Mrs. J. T. Suggs and Miss Robinson of Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dockett entertained a few friends Monday evening in honor of Mrs. Aubrey Lyles.

Mrs. Susie Taylor, 2276 E. 69th St., returned from a three weeks' visit in Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. Ednah Anderson Gregory, with her three children and mother, Mrs. Julia Burdine, has moved into her recently purchased home, 2181 E. 81st St. The Gregorys moved to Cleveland from Washington, D. C., to partake of the wonderful college and school advantages.

Attorney and Mrs. John H. Ballard spent the week-end in Oberlin.

Mrs. Florence Dunjill Foster, Quincy Ave., was called to Battle Creek, Mich., by the death of her aunt, Mrs. Jennie Towles.

Charles Wells, Theo Huston and Miss Lillian Wells motored from Oberlin and were Sunday guests of Attorney and Mrs. J. H. Ballard.

Mrs. Carrie Dean Kersey, 252d St. and Bliss Rd., was called to Waterford, Va., by the death of her mother. Her mother was buried Thursday and her father died the following Saturday. The deceased were also the parents of Oden and Hayward Dean of this city.

Mrs. Alice Singleton, 2189 E. 97th St., won first prizes at the recent masquerade parties of the Manzell and Morgan Dancing school and the Young Ladies club of Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Catholic church. She was very attractive in her attire as a Persian girl.

Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Gregg motored to Painesville Monday, where the doctor was to be the speaker at a father and son banquet. Miss Olla Mae Snowden accompanied them.

Mrs. Sophia Nickerson, 2322 E. 57th St., returned from Jacksonville, Fla., where she was called by the illness of her mother.

Dame Rumor has it that Mrs. Sarah Jones, cashier at the Empire Savings bank, was married last month.

Announcement has been made of the recent marriage of Harry B. Miller and Mrs. Kathleen Turner. They are residing temporarily at 5810 Central Ave.

W. Weeks, A. Haywood and C. Batson spent the week-end in Akron at the residence of Mr. Desett, 730 Sherman St.

Mount Zion Notes

Mount Zion—The pastor, the Rev. H. M. Kingsley, spoke last Monday night at Plymouth Congregational church, Washington, D. C., the Rev. J. C. Olden, pastor, on the occasion of the 50th anniversary of the church. On Nov. 12 he spoke at the meeting of the Congregational extension boards at Rockford, Ill., on the subject of "Human Values in the Negro Migration." He will attend the meetings of the executive committee of the Federal council of Churches as a corresponding member and the committee on church and race relations as a member, at Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 2 to 9.

Next Sunday morning the pastor will preach, using as his subject, "Religion and Action." At 7:30 in the evening at the forum meeting, Secretary Fred L. Brownlee of the American Missionary society will speak on "Negro Education in the South."

There will be presented at the church on Dec. 15 J. Berni Barbour's sacred cantata, "Ethiopia," with a cast and chorus of 50 voices, under the personal direction of J. Berni Barbour, assisted by Mrs. Ruby Slaughter.

The church is making a special effort at this time to raise $3,500 by Dec. 15 and all who pledged to the building fund are urged to make payment before that time.

Antioch Baptist—At the morning hour a packed house heard Dr. Williams on the subject, "Waiting for the Sunrise," and at 7:30 the minister used as his subject, "The Crisis of the Christ." Collection for the day was $221.10. Three hundred and twelve members have been added to the church during the last five months under Dr. Williams. At night Judge Martin was among the worshipers at Antioch. The great Antioch choir continues its music of merits and class.

Hotel Guests

Among the guests at the Hotel Lincoln the past week were: Irvin C. Miller and his company, "Banjo Land," playing the Harris theater; Stella and Costner, "Brazilian Duo," playing the Majestic theater; Merth Lott, Washington, D. C.; W. Morgan, Seattle, Wash.; P. H. Taylor, New York city; Charles Gray, Blainsville, Pa.; Oscar Brown, Oberlin, Ohio; John Smith, Columbus, Ohio; Jane Payner, Detroit, Mich.; Ray Roycan, Steubenville, Ohio; E. S. Lee, Kansas City, Mo.; Edward Griffin, Pittsburgh, Pa.; H. L. McClenman, Toledo, Ohio; R. W. McNeal, Chicago, Ill.; G. Cook, Chicago, Ill.; W. Hick, Cincinnati, Ohio; Prince Brown and wife, Dayton, Ohio; Mrs. M. Kindle, Cincinnati, Ohio; William Lewis, Kenton, Ohio; J. Wright, Oberlin, Ohio; Annie Wright, Oberlin, Ohio; Pauline Redman, Detroit, Mich.; Edward Jones, Dayton, Ohio; John Smith, Dayton, Ohio; Charles Scott, Detroit, Mich.; T. O. Williston, Columbus, Ohio; Ray Coleman and wife, Lorain, Ohio; L. Duso, Lorain, Ohio; R. W. Thomas, Washington, D. C.; A. J. Smith, Medina, Ohio; Billie Allen, Columbus, Ohio; Jesse Utterback, Cincinnati, Ohio; James Smith, Detroit, Mich.; P. Brown and wife, Columbus, Ohio; C. Henagan and wife, Detroit, Mich.; Helen Gaither, Asheville, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Young, Lorain, Ohio.; Bert Phillips, Mechanicsburg, Ohio; Charlie Foster and wife, New York city; William S. Young, Evansville, Ind.; Frank B. Thomas, Tampa, Fla.; Lillian Westmorland, Chicago, Ill.; Laura Brookins, Dayton, Ohio; Miss M. R. Madison and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Spaulding, New York city, with Irvin Berlin's Music House Review playing this week at the Ohio theater.

With the Clubs

Mrs. N. Cotton, 2452 E. 79th St., entertained the Royal Dorsets club in honor of her cotton wedding anniversary. All had a fine time. Oct. 30 the Royal Dorsets gave a party for girls only and it was a huge success. President, Mrs. Gladys Hatter; secretary, Mrs. R. Cotton; treasurer, Mrs. Dorothy Linthicom.

Mrs. Charles Basey, 5712 Central Ave., proved a charming hostess when entertaining the Jolliett club members Tuesday evening, Nov. 4. After the business was transacted music and games were played and a dainty luncheon was served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Edythe Allen, 2309 E. 87th St.

The Housekeepers' Art and Study club was the guest of Mrs. A. C. Gibbs at her beautiful home, 3224 E. 130th St. After regular business and literary program the hostess served a delicious two-course luncheon. Three visitors, Mrs. J. B. Boyles, 2242 E. 8th St.; Mrs. L. White, 2269 E. 93th St., and Mrs. M. Lerns, 9110 Blaine Ave., were present. Next meeting will be Nov. 13 at the home of Mrs. Charles Boyd, 2231 E. 86th St. Mrs. P. B. Boyd, president; Mrs. C. H. Guinea, reporter.

The business meeting of the Jolly Circle club was held Thursday, Nov. 4, at the home of Earl Calloway, 2232 E. 95th St. Business of importance was discussed and settled. All committees made favorable reports. Many suggestions and ideas were expressed for the betterment and uplifting of the club. President, George Cassidy; reporter, N. H. Harris.

One of the most beautiful social events of the season was the Halloween party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rice, 2326 E. 57th St., by the Housekeepers' Art and Study club. The house was beautifully decorated in colors of orange and black, with a touch of autumn leaves. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Gains, 10710 Greenlawn Av., and Miss Katherine Irvine, 10017 Quincy Ave. The evening was enjoyed in games of the season. After partaking of a regular Halloween luncheon, all departed for their home in the wee hours of the morning.

The Inner Circle 500 club met with Mrs. Esther Lee, 2127 E. 96th St. Mrs. Leo Morrison and Mrs. Dozier were taken in as new members. Prizes were won by Mrs. Julia Mae Sims and Mrs. Julia Miller. Next meeting with Mrs. Irene Dillard, 49th St.

A number of local women interested in geting together the local citizens of the city met at Atty. Martin's home on E. 40th St. The purpose is to formulate a permanent club with the view of creating a greater interest in civic affairs. Among the leaders of the movement are Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Hazel Monutain Walker, Mrs. Julia Wise and Miss Magdalene Taylor. Other meetings will b announced in the future.

The Forest City Cricket club held their regular meeting at the residence of W. Weeks, 2415 E. 46th St. Plans were made for a social whist party at the home of Mrs. L. Maske, 2185 E. 71st St., Monday evening, Nov. 24. The ladies 'auxillary is doing sneindid work under the leadership of Mrs. H. Williams, president.

During Dec. 27 to 31 Fred D. Roseboro will head the delegation to the Omega Psi Phi conclave at Washington, D. C. Henry L. Moon was elected alternate. N. B. Bowen has accepted the appointment as grand basileus representative over Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Ohio, with headquarters at Cleveland. Drs. J. McMorris and J. Goggins warmly entertained V. Smith of Massachusetts Tech Friday evening at a frat hop and all present expressed their appreciation. The chapter welcomed Mr. Vance, V. Smith, B. Hudson, Dr. Baumgardner and Roland Hayes to the city.

WOODMEN HAVE FEAST

The annual feast of the American Woodmen at East Tech high auditorium last Friday evening attracted an audience of 1,400 people. Herman McAllister was master of ceremonies. Addresses were made by Grand Auditor Hon. E. E. Carrington, Hon. J. E. Roundtree and others. Musical numbers were rendered by the Harmony Four, Mrs. Eugenia Brewers Mayo, soprano, and the Woodmen band. Much credit is due little Miss Zelika Cobb, E. 90th St., who gave a pretty song, and Howard Rainey, who rendered a violin solo. About 500 partook of the delicious luncheon, of which Jenkins L. Lennox and Mrs. Lottie B. Green had charge. Much credit is also due Mr. Carrington and his able assistant, Deputy Borden, who so successfully managed the affair. The American Woodmen have nearly 2,000 members in northern Ohio, it is estimated.

ROLAND HAYES RECITAL

Roland Hayes, the world's greatest Race tenor, was greeted by one of the most rapturous and enthusiastic audiences in his musical career at Masonic temple on Euclid Ave. last Sunday afternoon. So greatly did he thrill his auditors with his sweet, round, clear tones throughout his program that they persisted in having him respond to encores even after repeated responses in bows. In many instances he came back and bowed and then had to come back again and sing an encore. This was certainly outstanding evidence of the extensive appreciation of the audience that greeted him in Cleveland.

His first number, the ornate "Per Pietamnon Rercerate," by Mozart, seemed to have carried the audience by storm as the applause was persistent until he had to respond to bows three times. His German group, "An die Leyer," "Die Forelle" and "For Music," were exquisitely rendered. He was forced to respond to an encore and rendered "Murmuring Breezes," and took the house by storm. His third group, "A Caravan from China Comes," "Le Reve" from "Manon," and "In the Silence of the Night," were indeed stellar numbers on the program. After this group he sang "By the Waters of Babylon" and again thrilled his auditors until they applauded him back again. His Negro spirituals were "I've Got a Home in that Rock," "Sit Down," "Every Time I Feel a Spirit," and "You Hear the Lambs a-Cryin'." He was rapturously applauded and forced to respond to encore. According to critics, he attained his highest point in artistry in the rendition of his French numbers. In fact, in all his songs he sang with unusual finish and suavity and evenness through his program. Refinement of manners was a distinct feature of his personality. So great was the impression made on his audience that engagements are being offered him for some time during the month of January.

Much credit is due William Lawrence, accompanist, for his genuineness and efficiency demonstrated as an artist on the piano. While in the city Mr. Hayes and Mr. Lawrence, his accompanist, and Howard Jordan, secretary, were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis S. Jones, E. 101st St. Mr. Lawence was accompanist for Louis V. Jones, now in France, for some months. To Frederic Gonda is due unstinted praise for bringing Mr. Hayes to Cleveland under the auspices of the N. A. A. C. P. and the absence of segregation in the sale of tickets for the occasion.

Warrensville News

Edith Moreland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moreland, passed away Nov. 6. The father and mother of Mrs. Moreland from Indianapolis (Mr. and Mrs. Crawford) attended the funeral.

James Gary, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary, is a great deal better.

W. M. Anderson is carrying a full line of groceries and meats. Please stop in and look him over. Buy the Defender and get all the news.

GALLIPOLIS, OHIO

The Rev. James Bridges is the new pastor of John Gee Chapel A. M. E. church. Mrs. P. V. Pannell and Mrs. Mary Henderson are visiting their sister in Chicago. Mrs. Isadora Bee was a week-end visitor in the city. Mrs. Bee is from Charleston, W. Va. The Young People's club met Friday evening and after a short program by Miss Lucille Harris, "The Life of Mark Twain;" two vocal selections by Aileen Fields, and a book talk on "The Prince and the Pauper" by Miss Alta Holmes, the club adjourned to hold a large party in December. Mrs. Ida Campbell spent a few days in Charleston visiting her husband, Levi Campbell.

MANSFIELD, OHIO

The Rev. B. L. McDaniels of Providence, R. I., delivered a splendid sermon at Mount Calvary Baptist church Sunday night. H. L. Cursy of Cleveland is also a visitor to the city. Mrs. Baker made a flying trip to her former home in Columbus, Ohio, last week. R. L. Anderson has moved his barber shop. Mrs. Hines and Mrs. H. Cook, 150 N. Franklin, are in Cleveland for a few days. C. L. Turner, 152 E. Fifth St., is out of the city for a few days. The Helping Aid club met Monday evening. Mrs. C. L. Turner, secretary, is ill.

SANDUSKY, OHIO

The new cotton gin here ginned its first bale last week. About 300 persons were present last Thursday night at a party given by the Duois high school. Mrs. Clayton and Misses Kanzetta Johnson, Noel Churchill and Orlean Thomas were in Cairo shopping Saturday. Miss B. R. Penn motored up Sunday afternoon with Mrs. M. Webb and Iona Shelby, both of Mound City, to visit the school building and friends. A. B. Barnett and his son were in the Munds shopping Monday. R. M. Pate was in Cairo shopping Monday.

NEWARK, OHIO

Mrs. Lillian Cabble entertained the Knights and Daughters of Tabor club last Wednesday night with a Halloween party at her home in Washington St. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Goodson motored to Columbus, Ohio, last Sunday. Mrs. Louise Whetstone, David Moore and Charley Goldston motored to Columbus, Ohio, last Sunday. Young men's Society club gave a big mask ball Thursday night at Elks' hall. Mrs. W. A. Cunningham is on the sick list. Mrs. Wilson Render is on the sick list at her residence. Charley Wilson was in Columbus on business last week. Rev. C. H. Trotter preached Sunday at Shiloh Baptist church.

NELSONVILLE, OHIO

The Rev. Mr. Cotton is the new pastor of A. M. E. church. Mrs. N. Sherman of Gallipolis was the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Davis. The farmers' fall festival, given by the First Baptist church, was a great success. The Rev. L. C. Hogan of Springfield, Ohio, was the speaker of the evening. John Lewis, chairman; John Howard, secretary; Miss Marry Chapman, Mrs. Della Lewis and W. G. Woodson attended the second district Sunday school convention at Roxabel, Ohio, recently. Ballard Court No. 27, O. O. C., gave a masquerade social in the dining room of the Masonic hall No. 19. The Rev. A. B. Adams, pastor of the First Baptist church, will fill his place here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Earl James were the Sunday guests of Mrs. James' mother, Mrs. P. Christian. Miss Pauline Woodson was the week-end guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. William Clair of Lancaster. Mrs. Samuel Davis was a business visitor in the city Thursday. Mrs. Dee Norman gave a 6 o'clock dinner for Mrs. Vista Chapman, Della Lewis, Josephine Saunders, Maggie Davis and Laura Minus. Mrs. W. P. Burroughs of Toledo, Ohio, is improving at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chapman, 113 Watkins St.

LORAIN, OHIO

George Spencer and son are working in Huron, Ohio, at present. The Grand United Order of Odd Fellows' first annual banquet will be given at Carek hall Saturday evening. Community club rendered a program at the A. M. E. church Sunday. Miss Rosa Miller, the Rev. S. R. Beauford and the Rev. S. Williams were chief speakers. Geo. Wheeler of Warren spent the week-end in our city. The Rev. Mr. Boise has built a new church, which will be opened by the Rev. Mr. Metting. The church is located on Fulton and 30th Sts., South Lorain. Mrs. W. E. Ranleman is able to be out again after a week's illness at her home, 1218 W. 20th St. Circle club No. 2 will meet at Mrs. N. Chinn's home on W. 12th St. Friday. J. R. Hester of Decatur, Ill., who was visiting relatives here, has returned home.

WOODVILLE, OHIO

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Balty are the proud parents of a baby boy. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Connely and Mrs. Joe Connelly motored to Toledo recently. Mrs. T. D. Couper was at the home of her mother and father, the Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Hicks, Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Connely, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Connely, Mrs. Johnnie Draper, Mrs. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Donaldson and Mrs. J. R. Pope. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hurley of Fremont were in the city recently, the house guests of Mr and Mrs. Griffin Gulham. Mr. and Mrs. Flowers passed through the city from Lima, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hollen, Mrs. Carl Davis and son Alvin, all of Fremont, motored to the city and were guests of Mrs. Frank Connely. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Connely motored to Toledo last week. Mrs. I. D. Cooper was in Toledo on business. Give your news to the Rev. Mr. Hicks.

ELYRIA, OHIO

Mrs. W. G. Wade, 326 Clinton St., has returned from Chicago. They motored through. Those in the party were Mrs. H. L. Thompson, Sanford Mitchell and the chauffeur, Mr. McGill. Mr. and Mrs. Harding Lenere, 19 Woodford Ave., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jennings last Sunday. They all motored to Cleveland Saturday night to attend the "Midnight Rambles." Prince Thompson, Stop 89, Oberlin Rd., who had a painful accident some weeks ago, is improving. The birthday party given in honor of Mrs. Addie M. Height, was a jolly one. The house was crowded with her many friends. A delightful three-course dinner was served and many beautiful and useful presents were given. Mrs. Lottie Hammons, New London, spent Monday and Tuesday in Elyria. Mrs. Nettie Bowens and little Robert Bowens, 18 Woodford Ave., returned home after spending several weeks visiting relatives and friends in Nashville. Mrs. Hattie L. Thompson and son of Shelbyville, Tenn., is visiting in Elyria. Mrs. I. E. Porter and Mrs. Grace Porter left Saturday for a short vacation trip. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Mulloy and Miss Addie M. Woods motored to New London last Wednesday, visiting friends.

CANTON, OHIO

John Hope, president of Morehouse college, Atlanta, Ga., will be the principal speaker at the third annual meeting of the Canton Urban league Monday night, Dec. 1, at the First Methodist Episcopal church. The annual meeting will be preceded by a three days' city-wide conference on problems affecting Colored people. A committee composed of Mrs. Clara Adkins, Mrs. A. E. Allen, Mrs. Haynes, Mrs. Herbede Correll of Massilin, W. R. Smallwood and A. L. Foster, is busy organizing a branch of the National Association of Negro Musicians. The branch will embrace both Canton and Massillon. An organization meeting is being held at the Community house Sunday afternoon, Nov. 16, to which all persons interested in music are invited to be present. Troop No. 26, under the leadership of Scoutmaster L. L. Slaughter, participated in the annual scout review held at the city auditorium Friday night. In the Barney Google race entries from No. 26 won second place. The troop won in the tug of war. At a meeting of the B. B. B. club last Wednesday night, it was decided to assume responsibility for the promotion of a boys' work program among colored boys similar to that conducted among white boys by the Kiwanis, Rotary, Lions and other clubs. A special boys' work committee will soon be appointed which will draw up plans for the work to be done during the year. The funeral of William McStringer was held at the residence last week. Rev. A. E. Allen officiated, with the local Elks participating. The Brown undertaking establishment was in charge. Mrs. Annie McStringer, wife of the deceased, and J. W. and Mitchell, brothers, of Pittsburgh, feel greatly indebted to the pastors and members of the various churches who assisted so splendidly during their hour of sorrow. Albert Smith, student of Wilberforce university and at present manager of the Connors Grocery company, was the principal speaker at the regular monthly meeting of the Canton Civic league Friday night. Mr. Smith spoke on the "Negro in Business." It was a fine address. Cantonians who attended the football classic at Wilberforce university last week were Dr. George H. Dunbar, James Titus, A. L. Foster, John H. Johnson, William Palmer, Robert Hughes, Attorney and Mrs. L. A. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Val Cooke and Miss LaValla Cooke. Dr. G. H. Dunbar spent the week-end in Cincinnati, the guest of Miss Willa Harrison, one of the most popular teachers in that city. Dr. Dunbar was entertained by friends as well as members of the Alpha Phi Alpha fraternity. Rev. W. A. Blackburn, presiding elder of the Columbus district of the Ohio conference of the A. M. E. Z. church, spent several days in the city. Rev. A. E. Allen has been confined to his bed for several days suffering with a severe cold. He is reported as being much improevd at this time. The funeral of James Carmachael was held at Mt. Calary Baptist church Friday afternoon. It was conducted by W. S. Baker, undertaker. The Elks were in charge. Rev. G. T. Speaks preached. Mrs. Cora Bailey of Massillon entertained the Merry Matrons at her home last week. Mrs. Lizzie Cooke won first prize and Mrs. Charles King second. Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee of Cadiz are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Titus. Miss Coral Blue has gone to her former home in Parkersburg, W. Va., where she will spend the winter. Mrs. Clara Adkins was injured last week when an automobile ran into her and knocked her to the pavement. She was only slightly injured.

MARYSVILLE, OHIO

Attorney Leroy H. Godman of Columbus delivered a Republican speech in the A. M. E. church here last Monday night under the auspices of the N. A. A. C. P. Mrs. Mary Newman of Ithaca, N. Y., was a guest of Mrs. James Lyman last week. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Paris of Plain City visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Calloway on Sunday evening. Melwood Stanhope and Miss Christina Barrett of Urbana visited in town last Sunday afternoon. Miss Stella Clark of West Mansfield is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Clark. Mrs. Winona Stewart of Huntsville is spending a few days here with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clasco. Mrs. Luther Fleming was a visitor in Urbana Friday and was a guest of Mrs. Sherman Cleveland, who was hostess to the C. C. club. John and Pearl Evans and Miss Lena Evans spent last Sunday in Columbus with friends. Rev. C. B. Brown will be host Friday evening to the W. M. M. S. at the home of N. Freeman and will be assisted by Miss Lydia Freeman. A special Thanksgiving program has been prepared. Mrs. J. D. Sinclaire of Washington C. H. was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lyman. Mr. and Mrs. Graden Callaway and Rev. Svears of Woodstock and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Paris of Plain City were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Carrie Wilkinson. Gale Terry and Claude Lowrey of Milford Center made a business trip to this city on Thursday. Dr. T. W. Woodson, presiding elder of the Cleveland district, is in Van Wert and Paulding this week.

URBANA, OHIO

Mrs. Sherman Cleveland entertained the C. C. club Friday afternoon in very delightful fashion. Mrs. Fleming of Marysville was the out-of-town guest. Walter Dale, John Brown and Martin Cleveland spent Sunday in Springfield attending a meeting of the Masons. Miss Marycyrena Jackson, Mrs. Juanita Generette and W. B. Jackson spent Thursday afternoon in Springfield. The Sunshine club met at the home of Mrs. Ida Fulton Thursday afternoon. The remains of the late Charles Barrett, who died at his home in Chicago on Wednesday, were brought to Urbana Sunday morning and taken to the home of his mother, Mrs. Josephine Barrett. Funeral services were held from the Second Baptist church Monday afternoon. Mrs. Lola Byrd of Springfield spent Sunday in this city visiting her mother, Mrs. Carolina Jennings. Joe Brown gave a roast pig supper Friday night at the home of Mrs. Valentine.

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