

THE BUCKEYE STATE

CLEVELAND NEWS

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Cleveland, Ohio, May 7.—Mrs. Lethia Fleming, wife of Councilman Thomas W. Fleming, was distinctly honored in being one of the two special speakers at the bimonthly meeting of the Ohio Women's Republican club in the ballroom of the Hotel Statler last Tuesday evening. Mrs. Fleming was warmly received.

Norman Selby Minor, E. 95th St., student at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, is said to be about after six weeks' illness with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Buckner, motorist from Detroit, Mich., to attend the funeral of Mrs. F. D. Patridge, Mrs. Buckner and Mrs. Patridge were girlhood friends.

John Casey, well known in Elk circles is recovering from pneumonia at his home, 2315 E. 55th St.

Otto Young, proprietor of the Workmen's club, 231 and Scovill, who was shot while ejecting an undesirable from his place of business Saturday night, is recovering at the city hospital. Mr. Young, who resides at 2651 E. 48th St., is a brother of Mrs. J. W. Minor of Mt. Pleasant.

The death of John Collins, 2451 E. 72nd St., was a shock to his many friends.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Henderson, E. 95th St., who sustained severe injuries when hit by an auto at 40th and Central three weeks ago and was taken to St. Luke's hospital was able to be brought home last week. Her son Walter of Chicago has been with her since the accident. Mrs. Henderson is the mother of Mrs. Pearl Hines.

The promoters of the Maple Hollow Country club, gave a get-together dinner honoring the trustees of the club at the Caterers association banquet hall Thursday evening of last week.

News reaches Cleveland announcing the death of Miss Ella J. Pettiford in Los Angeles, Calif., while on a visit since last July. Miss Pettiford was a former maid in the main office of the Cleveland Trust company for 12 years. Her death was caused by an attack of acute indigestion. Her remains were brought to Xenia, Ohio, for interment. The late Mrs. Ella Abbott was an aunt of Miss Pettiford. Col. Arthur T. Abbott is administrator of the deceased's estate.

Jesse Firse, Massie Ave., for many years personal secretary to the late Vice McKinney, wealthy steel magnate, who died very suddenly, was left \$5,000 in his will. Mr. Firse is still receiving congratulations.

The Cleveland People's Finance corporation is expecting two distinguished visitors in the city this week in the persons of George W. Buckner, vice president of the People's Finance corporation of St. Louis, Mo., and Attorney Daniel W. Bowles, counsel for the corporation.

Attorney J. E. Roundtree was most enthusiastically received when he explained the motives of the Republican Conservative Voters league. Dr. Boston J. Prince introduced Judge Albert B. George of Chicago, who held his audience spellbound for two hours. His address was inspiring and masterful from start to finish.

Father Henry Adams, 95 years of age, the oldest minister in the A. M. E. conference, was buried last week. Clayton Lee has been made superintendent of service for the Service Club company, 46th and Central, Central Medical building.

Dr. E. C. Lewis, assistant secretary of the Cedar Y., has resigned to devote his entire time to his profession, childrearing. Mr. Lewis is to be congratulated for his successful season of Y work at the Cedar Y.

The Elks made a fine showing Sunday. The visitors from Akron, including Delta lodge of Elks and band, were the center of attraction all along the line of march. More will be said of the program in next issue. Councilman Fleming made a fine appearance, carrying his usual smiles.

The Elks gave an informal banquet in their new home, 226 E. 95th St., last Friday evening. It is said that Cuyahoga lodge will take complete possession of their palatial home the first of the coming week. The speakers for the banquet were Councilman Thomas W. Fleming; H. S. Chauncey, attorney and secretary of the Empire Savings and Loan company; C. B. Shaw, exalted ruler; J. W. Turk was master of ceremonies. The banquet was given for the purpose of interesting the general public in the coming of the Elks' convention in August.

Mrs. Laura Trimble Patridge, 2106 E. 100th St., who died last Monday morning, was a graduate of Fisk university. After the services at J. W. Wills' funeral home her remains were shipped to Nashville, Tenn., for interment.

Mrs. Anna Elizabeth Ramsey, wife of Basil Ramsey, 1301 W. 75th St., and mother of Dr. Floyd Ramsey, died recently. Deceased was a sister of Mrs. F. D. Webster, 12015 Woodland Ave., and mother of Mrs. Ella Guy of Zanesville, Ohio.

Clarence Guy was here from Zanesville, Ohio, being called her by the death of his sister, Mrs. Basil Ramsey. Rupert Crawford, 2316 E. 87th St., was awarded a verdict for \$10,000 in a

personal injury suit by a common pleas court jury last week.

Robey McKay, 2248 E. 79th St., was sentenced to life imprisonment for entering an inhabited dwelling. The offense calls for a life term. Because of his low mentality Judge Phillips said that the penitentiary warden should send McKay to an institution for feeble minded.

Society

Mrs. Thornton R. Percy, 2226 E. 48th St., entertained Sunday afternoon in honor of her niece, Miss Lena Gleason, 6007 Outwaite Ave. Miss Gleason is a high school student and very popular with the younger boys and girls of her group.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Brewington, Sharon, Pa., to guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wright Brewington, 2291 E. 95th St.

Mrs. Geneva Byrd Robinson, sister of Mrs. Grace Lucas, E. 60th St., left Sunday night for New York city to join her husband, Dr. Robinson, a graduate in dentistry from Howard university. The couple were married in October.

Mrs. Olive Wells Ball, the well-known contralto of the Harmony Trio, has opened a day nursery at her home, 2190 E. 47th St. Mrs. Margaret Anderson is her assistant.

Mr. and Mrs. George Milton of Franklin Ave. delightfully entertained Saturday evening. The guests were Mrs. Bowley of E. 105d St., Mr. and Mrs. Thornton R. Percy, E. 84th St.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cox, Clinton Ave., and Mrs. Bessie Moore and son Walker of Clifton Blvd., Lakewood, Ohio.

Andrew J. Cunningham and Miss Carrye McElae were married by Rev. E. A. Clarke at St. John's parsonage.

Mrs. S. A. Lucas of E. 80th St. gave a shower honoring her sister, Mrs. Geneva Byrd Robinson, who left for New York to join her husband.

Mrs. Louisa S. Jones, 2256 E. 101st St., arrived from Lancaster, Ohio, where she has been confined with a broken ankle for several months. Her many friends welcome her to the city. Mr. Jones accompanied her from Lancaster.

Mrs. Elizabeth Boey White, Detroit, Mich., has returned to her home after a delightful visit in the city as the guest of Mrs. E. C. Shaw, 2201 E. 47th St. During stay many social functions were given in her honor.

Mrs. William R. Green, Erie Ave., is in Detroit, Mich., as the house guest of her friend, Mrs. Nellie Hanson Gregory. Mrs. Gregory, formerly of Cleveland, became the mother of a fine baby girl two weeks ago.

Mrs. J. H. Spoons is visiting her parents in Louisville, Ky. She will remain until after the derby.

Mrs. Annabel Kaster, Michigan Blvd., Chicago, passed through the city last week after a pleasant visit with friends in Detroit.

Rev. H. M. Kingsley, formerly of Cleveland, now of Detroit, Mich., was in the city a few days this week. Sunday he filled the pulpit of Rev. Faust in Painesville, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bowman, E. 103d St., are driving their beautiful new Hudson eight sedan. Mr. Bowman is the popular Central Ave. Jeweler. The family intends making a trip to California this summer, it is said.

Mrs. Alex H. Martin returned from New York city, where she spent a week with her daughter Lydia, who is attending school there.

John Henry Early, violinist, a student at Patrick Henry high school and the only race member of the school orchestra won a gold medal at the music memory contest held in the public auditorium.

Mrs. M. E. Author entertained royally last week Monday evening at the pretty Author home in Greenlawn Ave. as a surprise to her husband commemorating their 21st wedding anniversary. Mrs. Author has the reputation of being a wonderful hostess. On Tuesday evening she was hostess to the Qui Vive club.

Mrs. U. G. Evans of E. 100th St. delightfully entertained at dinner for Mrs. Nell Ransom, the noted soprano, Sunday week.

Music Notes

Chauncey Lee's entertainers are at the new road house, the Astorhurst Park Villa, making good.

Spud Burns and Sam Jenkins, well known as "Sam and Spud, the two aces," are the attraction at the Dance-land, 90th and Euclid, these two weeks, featured with Kibler's band. Both are taking well.

Harry T. Ford, well-known cornet and bugle imitator, was in Chicago over the week-end.

Enide Blake and Noble Sissle are expected in the city on a return engagement in the near future. Miss Carrie Brown, 2245 E. 81st St., a friend of the Sissle and Blake families, entertained them at dinner while in Cleveland.

Robey Robinson is holding the fort as manager of the Ritz Sorensoners now filling an engagement at the Empire theater. Louise Deppe is said to be in Columbus at the Empress theater. He was the former manager.

Mt. Zion temple choir will be heard next Sunday at 4 p. m. in a special Mother's day program. Miss Pearl Mitchell is directress.

News of the Clubs

Miss Willye M. Shook of E. 80th St. was hostess to the Ye-Buzz-Fuz club Saturday evening. After the social season pleasantly spent in cards, the members went to the Metropolitan club

home and enjoyed a barbecue treat. The club home in 93d St. is proving quite a mecca for enjoyment of the club and many friends.

The recent rummage sale of the Current Events club was a mammoth success. The sale is being repeated this Saturday at 5555 Central Ave.

The Ne Plus Ultra club was highly entertained last Friday by Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Rodgers, 2229 E. 93d St. Cards were played, prizes being awarded to the following members: Homer Archer, Mrs. Anna Johnson and James Johnson. A delightful luncheon was served and every one reported a delightful time.

The Assembly Study club was royally entertained by Mrs. Cora West Robinson last Wednesday. Plans were completed for the card party, proceeds of which will be used to promote the Emmanuel Ross case.

Mrs. Charles S. Smith, E. 86th St., will be hostess to the Wistaria club at the Caterers' club on E. 40th St. this Saturday.

The Chesterfield dancing class is making preparations for its after-Lenten dance.

The Optimistic club No. 1 met with Mrs. Anna Davis on Beckman Ave. The president, Mrs. Susie Taylor, being absent, the assistant secretary, Mrs. Grace Williams, presided. Much business was transacted. New plans were put on foot. A very delicious collation was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Findley, 1554 E. 85th St., May 11. Mrs. Susie Taylor, president; Mrs. Beatrice B. Richards, corresponding secretary.

The Get-Together club met at the home of Mrs. Fannie Willis, 2264 E. 87th St. Meeting was called to order by the vice president, Mrs. Laura Milton. Plans were made for a number of pleasant affairs for the month of May. The club was delighted to have present Mrs. Agnes Sheets, E. 84th St., who has been confined to her home with a broken ankle the past winter. A most delicious luncheon was served by the hostess in her usual charming manner. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ira Brant, 224 E. 82d St., who entertains for her sister, Mrs. Agnes Sheets. Mrs. Pearl Williams, president; Mrs. Alice Drysdale, secretary; Mrs. Mary Percy, reporter.

The Fortnightly club was to meet with Mrs. George Epps, 2281 E. 78th St., May 6.

The Coterie club met at the home of Mrs. Emma Wilder, 2192 E. 46th St. After the transaction of business delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. All reported a good time.

The Royal Boosters met at the home of Miss Mildred Jones, 2254 E. 89th St. Old and new business was discussed and plans were made for their first formal ball to be given May 7 at the Caterers association. The meeting adjourned and a delicious luncheon was served by the hostess. Mrs. Anna May Waters, president; Miss Evelyn Moore, secretary.

Wanted—Twenty-five young married women who want to understand more about the Bible to come out every Sunday to St. John's Sunday school at 1230 O'Clock. Aquila class No. 8 in the balcony wants you. St. John's Sunday school, with an attendance of 1,083, headed the city Sunday school list Sunday, April 25. Help build Aquila and make the attendance over 1,100.

The Junior Counsellors met Monday evening at the home of Miss Edith Lee, 2253 E. 43d St. Miss Lee was hostess at the recent pajama party and not the Junior Counsellors, as announced.

Miss Helen Gaines and brother, Gordon Gaines, entertained the Jay Lee club at their home, 3 Greenlawn Ave.

Miss Catherine Gilbert, 2312 E. 89th St., entertained the Willing Workers of the primary department of St. John's Sunday school at her home Sunday afternoon, honoring little Juanita Ferguson.

The Rebecca class of St. John's Sunday school was delightfully entertained at the residence of Mrs. Henrietta Hicker, E. 95th St., who proved to be a most charming hostess. Those who were fortunate to enjoy her hospitality were Mrs. Mattie Biggs, Mrs. Linder, Mrs. James, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Jeanette Nance, Mrs. Alberts, Mrs. Holloway, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Beard, Mrs. Wallace. Special guests and visitors were Mrs. Montgomery, Mrs. J. D. Shavers and Miss Catherine Gilbert, who rendered several of her lovely piano numbers. Mrs. James Gilbert, chairman of the program committee.

The Current Events club met with Mrs. Eva Taylor last week Wednesday. A large number of guests were present, among them being Mrs. Bessie Crawford, Mrs. Hattie Stewart, Mrs. Raymond Price, Mrs. Ruth Tacey, Mrs. Pearl Howard, Mrs. Edith Perelman, Mrs. R. N. Dillard. The hostess served a delicious luncheon. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ledonia Hurt of Lakeview Rd., who has just returned from St. Louis, Mo., where she went for the benefit of her health.

Church Notes

Mt. Zion Temple.—Another two months have swiftly passed and again Sunday the congregation at the temple partook of the holy communion after hearing an inspiring sermon on "The Communing God," by Dr. Russell Brown, pastor.

The annual sermon of the Elks was delivered Sunday by the pastor at 3:30 p. m.

The Young People's Christian Endeavor discussed at its regular meeting, "Vacations for Young People and How to Make Them Christian." The vocations represented were: "Medicine," by Dr. James A. Owens; "Ministry," by Rev. Russell Brown; "Social Service," by Miss Virginia L. Hodges; "Business," by Hon. William H. King, and "Law," by Attorney Perry Jackson. The Sunday they are having a special Mothers day program.

Sunday, May 9, at 4 p. m., the choir will render a special vesper in honor of our mothers.

A vocational guidance meeting was held at the temple Saturday by the Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority. Many high school students were present.

Central Ave. Christian, Phyllis Wheatley Annex.—Our Bible school was well attended and an excellent lesson was enjoyed by all. Reports showed that there is an increase in attendance and offering for the last month.

Services were very interesting and a good many were out and one took membership. The Missionary society met at the residence of Mrs. Georgia Brooks and a very interesting meeting was enjoyed, after which a tasty lunch was served by the hostess.

Methia Myers was the winner of the bronze medal in the peace declamation contest and will represent the church in the district contest.

Masonic Affairs

Cuyahoga chapter, No. 26, R. A. M., will confer the most excellent masters degree Saturday evening, May 8.

Mrs. Nellie Hurt, grand lecturer of the O. E. S., was in East Liverpool, Ohio, this week visiting John Washington chapter, No. 16.

Queen Elizabeth chapter, O. E. S., is making preparations to celebrate its 53d anniversary the last of the month at the Prince of Wales temple. Lethia Fleming is matron of the chapter and Mrs. Gene Lawson, chairman of the committee on arrangements.

Deaths

J. W. Wills and company report the following deaths: Lodie Jackson, 2329 E. 90th St.; Hattie Thomas, 73, 2534 E. 28th St.; Edward Guy, 1307 W. 25th St.; Emma Brown, 2447 Orange Ave.; Baby Louise, Chisholm, 4, 2315 E. 53d St.; Mary Scott, 315, 1111 E. 100th St.; Laura Trimble Patridge, 38, 2196 E. 100th St.; Johanna Martin, 1736 Hamilton Ave.; Clarence Timberlake, 18, 2728 E. 25th St.; Willie Thornton, 6, 5807 Outwaite Ave.; Ella Thomas, 3504 St. Clair Ave.; Maggie Woodard, 28, 2461 E. 79th St.; Anna Eliza Ramsey, 52, 1401 W. 15th St.; Emmette Presley Allen, 10, 2373 E. 74th St. Other deaths were: Catherine M. Crowley, 61, 2163 E. 25th St.; Margaret Wilks, 41, 2519 E. 57th St.; Anna Louise Elbert, 3 months, 2330 E. 9th St.; Eliza Robinson, 2339 E. 46th St.; John Willard Johnson, 9 months, 2507 Grand Ave.; Emma Anna Martin Bradford, 50, 2214 E. 75th St.; William Jones, 1556 Davenport Ave.; Walter Jones, 3 months, 2041 E. 32d St.; Henry Adams, 35, 2205 E. 78th St.; Ernestine Davis, 2326 E. 40th St.; Loyall Williams, 1 year, 2330 E. 30th St.