

CINCINNATI NEWS

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 16.—After a long much-needed vacation, your correspondent returns with a brief review of Ciney activities during the past month.

The A. M. E. Conference convention convened at Dayton, O., after an interesting session there. Their congregations were well pleased at the return of Rev. C. Baker Pearle to Brown's Chapel A. M. E. Church and of Rev. Sumpter to Allen's Temple A. M. E. church.

Mr. Bennett, one of the oldest members of Allen's A.M.E. church, passed away after a long illness. He was buried Saturday. Funeral services were held at the Rankins funeral home on Chapel street at Warsaw cemetery.

Mrs. W. A. Collins and her sons, Reginald and Verlin, are again at their home in Avondale after a most pleasant trip to Denver, Colo. Enroute, Mrs. Collins and her sons also stopped over to visit many relatives and friends in Chicago, Ill., Lincoln, Neb., St. Louis, Mo., and Knoxville, Tenn.

The City Federation of Womens' Clubs sponsored a benefit bridge at the club house on Chapel street on Washington's birthday. Much success is reported.

The Artists' Guild met on Washington's birthday at the studios of Miss Wilda G. Gunn, hostess.

Mr. Haines, of the U. N. I. A., right hand man to Marcus Garvey was here for a weekend reorganizing local U.N.I.A. He delivered a most interesting speech on Sunday at the hall at Eighth and Central avenues. Mr. Haines says that Garvey will return to the U. S. in the near future. Most interesting was the statement that "John Bull" deemed it wise to call Garvey to Parliament.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Howard entertained six tables at bridge at their home on Beresford Monday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. Francis Givens, Messrs. Ed. Birch, Harry Parsons, and Lutz Davenport. Marion M. Hubbard and Messrs. M. C. Clarke, Edwin J. Quinn, were guest speakers. Dr. Wheat of the U. N. I. A. was introduced. Dan Curran, ninth ward democratic captain, was present also.

Tuesday night Dr. L. L. Hubbard was host to the Ohio Valley Dental Association. The Lewis D. Chapter of the Royal Arch Masons met on the third Wednesday at the Masonic Temple on Lincoln Ave., in Walnut Hills.

Miss Mary Belle Wright was pleasantly surprised on her birthday Wednesday when her sister, Miss Jacque Wright gave a lovely dinner honoring her birthday. Miss Wright was the recipient of many lovely gifts from her many friends.

The waiters' annual ball at the Cotton Club on Thursday night was a splendid success and the liveliest social event of the week. Peter J. McCarthy, clerk of court, made reservations for twenty. Mr. McCarthy for years was a personal friend of Col. Wharton. His son, Peter J. McCarthy, Jr., and their personal friends shared in the evening's revelry.

M. C. Clarke drove to Columbus, O., on Thursday.

On Friday afternoon Miss Ethel Waters was honored guest at the tea which the Optimist club gave at the club house on Stanton Avenue in compliment to Miss Waters who is here for an engagement at Shuberts. Mrs. Ruth Johnson Crittendon was chairman of the courtesy committee. The lovely tea table was graced by Mesdames Thompkins and Eva Bowles who poured. Mr. Joseph Jones, "Southwind," W. L. W. artist, rendered "The Forgotten Man," and the charming guest of honor favored her admirers with "Stormy Weather." Miss Marie Thomas, popular school miss, accompanied her.

Mrs. Nannie Elliott spent the weekend in Louisville, Ky., having been called there by the death of a relative of a dear friend.

Monday morning Messrs. C. C. Jackson and M. C. Clarke drove to Wilberforce to visit Bishop Ransom.

The John Stewart Council of Royal Select Masons met at the Corinthian Hall, Lincoln avenue, on the fourth Tuesday.

Mrs. Bertha Rodriguas of Piqua Ave., in College Hill was hostess to a political social at her home Tuesday evening. Speakers were Marion M. Hubbard and Messrs. M. C. Clarke and W. D. Stokes.

Wednesday evening the St. John's Wednesday No. 20 met at the St. John's Masonic Hall on West Sixth Street.

Jimmie Moore spent the weekend in Columbus, Ohio, attending the recreation conference at Columbus.

Wednesday evening Mrs. Ruth Duncan Lewis of Lincoln Terrace was injured when she fell from the car in which she was riding.

Santa Temple No. 89 met the fourth Thursday.

Edward McReynolds, special representative of the safety department of the State of Ohio, and chairman of the precinct "Y" in the sixteenth ward entertained his precinct members Thursday night with a party at the Hotel Sterling.

Her many friends are happy over the news of the appointment of Atty. Elsie Austin to the trusteeship of the Board of Trustees of Wilberforce University. The need for an appointment, we are told, arose out of the resignation of Dr. Jennie D. Porter of this city. Dr. Porter, an outstanding figure in Cincinnati intelligentsia, resigned, we are told, due to ill health.

Atty. Elsie Austin who has been confined to her bed for several weeks criti-

cally ill shows some improvement. It is reported.

The Optimist club was royally entertained Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Rachael Williams on Chestnut St., in Wyoming. Mrs. Williams, a most genial hostess, displays the quintessence of hospitality. Marion M. Hubbard instructed the ladies on the correct way to ballot. Edwin J. Quinn, chief deputy clerk in clerk's office, was introduced to the ladies.

Mrs. Daisy Slade attended the funeral of a relative Saturday at Oxford, Ohio.

Atty. Theodore M. Berry was out of the city Saturday.

Bishop Ransom was entertained at the Hotel Manse on Saturday afternoon as guest of M. C. Clarke.

Mrs. Jos. Russel of Kerper avenue suffered several injuries when she fell Saturday. Her friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Rev. Wilber Page planned to attend a conference at Columbus Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bullock of Owasco street in Madisonville motored to Lexington, Ky., in the storm to send a most enjoyable weekend.

The Progressive Political Practitioners presented a most interesting program on Saturday night to a highly intelligent audience of approximately five hundred persons. Interest in the message of the guest speaker, Bishop Reverdy C. Ransom, together with the unique invitation is credited to a large measure the ruling factor for the large number of persons present on such a rainy night when numerous other events demanded groups of individuals' presences. On the program were opening choruses directed by Prof. C. E. N. Holseum, invocation, Rev. J. Franklin Walker; greetings, Dan Durran; remarks, Prof. C. E. N. Holseum; solo, Helen Walker Kling, accompanied by Dr. Watson Fowler; greetings from Progressive Political Practitioners by Marion M. Hubbard; introduction of candidates by M. C. Clarke, master of ceremonies; introduction of Bishop Reverdy C. Ransom by Rev. C. Baker Pearle, Councilman Jas. Wilson introduced late candidates; remarks by Attorney Edwin G. Becker by demand of audience. The members of the Progressive Political Practitioners who sponsored this program and the reception which follow at the Women Federated Club on Chapel Street are as follows: Wm. H. Howard, chairman; Marion M. Hubbard, executive chairman; Marion M. Hubbard, executive secretary of the Peter J. McCarthy campaign throughout Hamilton county, C. C. Jackson, Alfred H. Hall, Will Slade, L. A. Bush and Edwin G. Quilar. The organization was suggested by Marion M. Hubbard for the furtherance of the Race's interests politically.

Miss Ange Smith, Mrs. Daisy Slade, Mrs. Elsie V. Hackney spent Saturday at Delaware, Ohio.

Sunday Bishop Reverdy C. Ransom was guest speaker at Allen's Temple A. M. E. Church.

The monthly broadcast of the N.A.A.C.P. was heard Sunday morning over W K R C.

After he had had dinner as guest in home of Rev. Sumpter, Bishop Ransom was accompanied to Wilberforce by C. C. Jackson Sunday afternoon.

The Cincinnati Branch of the N.A.A.C.P. held its branch meeting at Allen's A.M.E. Temple Church Sunday afternoon. After a report by Atty. Theo. M. Berry, chairman, which gave a general report of the activities during the summer, Rev. C. Baker Pearle gave the address.

Boy Scouts

Due to many requests received by Boy Scout officials to Troop 315, Scoutmaster Leon Phillips stated today that the Boy Scout Troop review would be repeated at the Mt. Zion M. E. Church on Walter and Altona Streets, November 23, at 8 p.m. More than fifty Scouts will participate in the affair. The feature of the review will be a play written by William W. Collins, assistant Scoutmaster.

A huge swiveling bridge built by the Scouts without use of nails will be erected.

Scouts Thomas Blaney, George Turner and Charles Grayson, formerly heard on the Boy Scout radio programs will present the musical portion of the program, and an Indian ceremonial dance will be given by the Indian tribe under Scout Mack Crawford.

The officials urge those interested in seeing this affair to make reservations by calling Avon 7463.

West End Y.W.C.A.

The West End Branch of the Y.W.C.A. presented a World Fellowship Vesper program November 11. Mrs. Theodore Walker was leader and the Reverend C. Baker Pearle of Brown's Chapel delivered the address. An All-Association World Fellowship Dinner Friday, November 16, at Central Branch will bring World Fellowship week to a close. At this time each branch will offer its annual pledge. Charles P. Taft II is to be the speaker on this occasion, his subject being: "The United States and the Far East."

A Bible class will be held each Thursday at 7:30 p.m. for members and friends at the Y.W.C.A. An interesting and profitable hour is anticipated.

Tan dancing has long been a popular activity for the younger groups at the Y.W.C.A. Miss Adelaide Bowen will give instruction in limbering and acrobatic stunts combined with a tap routine. The class will be held Saturday afternoons.

Girl Reserves

The Girl Reserve and H-Y committee met Monday to plan a series of joint projects sponsored and carried out throughout the year by both groups.

The Tri-Hi Girl Reserves initiated into their groups a large number of new members Friday. A requisite for membership is a knowledge of the Girl Reserve code and song, Follow the Glean.

Mrs. Proctor, widow of Rev. H. H. Proctor of Atlanta and Brooklyn and Mrs. Barbara Jelton of Lexington, Kentucky, were registered at the Y.W.C.A. last week.