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HUGE CROWDS IN ATTENDANCE AT MONTGOMERY FUNERAL

N.A.A.C.P. WINS ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED PEOPLE WINS ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS OFFERED BY PHILIP G. PEABODY OF BOSTON IN NATION-WIDE DRIVE

Raises More Than \$9,000 Required of Mr. Peabody to Meet His Gift—General Response From Colored People Praised by Association's Secretary.

(Special to The Advocate)
New York, N. Y., March 14.—The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, 69 Fifth Avenue, today announced that on the evening of March 10, the last day of the 60-day drive for a \$10,000 fund, it had received and had in hand the sum of \$10,024.14, thus entitling the association to the \$1,000 offered by Mr. Philip G. Peabody of Boston, on the condition that \$9,000 be raised in 60 days to meet his offer.

In announcing the successful termination of the drive, James Weldon Johnson, secretary of the N. A. A. C. P., said:

"Several large contributions came from white members of the association and from those interested in the work, among them Mr. Edward Lasker of New York, who gave \$500; Mrs. J. E. Spingarn, who gave \$1,000, and Mr. Louis Marshall, who gave \$250. Very gratifying has been the general response on the part of colored people, both through branches of the N. A. A. C. P. and from individuals. A number of large contributions were made by colored people, among them Mrs. Maggie L. Walker, who sent \$200 for the Independent Order of St. Luke and \$50 as a personal contribution. The successful completion of this drive to complete the \$10,000 fund begun by Mr. Peabody is the best possible evidence that colored people are rallying to the organization which is fighting their battles on a national scale and that those who have are willing to support the fight for those who have not."

REV. ANDERSON WITHOUT A CHURCH

The row between the officers of Mt. Olivet Baptist church and Rev. J. W. Anderson reached its climax last Saturday before Judge Tazewell in the Circuit Court who dissolved the temporary injunction previously granted by Circuit Judge Rossman to Rev. Anderson, restraining the officers from interfering with his pastorate duties until the finances of the church were settled. In short, the string of more than four thousand (\$4,000.00) which was a condition of Rev. Anderson's resignation which he tendered to the church and which was accepted a short time ago, was cut. The judge stated that the ex-pastor could seek his recourse for back salary and other claims, through a law suit. Just what Rev. Anderson's future course in the matter will be is problematical.

HOTEL NOTES

Joseph Wilmore, who was a waiter at The Portland some twenty years ago, and who will be remembered as having run another waiter to death who was trying to catch him, was a caller at The Portland last week, just as bow-legged as ever.

Several of the boys are having their personal Easter cards printed by The Advocate Printing Company, 311 Macleay Building.

Mrs. Wilson, one of the good-natured checkers at The Portland, has had her beautiful brown locks clipped and now she is in the bobbed-hair circle and looks like a "chicken." Other employees are wondering what Mr. Wilson is saying about it.

James Bruce, the head porter in the Portland Barbershop, so it is said, will on the 10th of April take unto himself a bride, who is one of Portland's most popular young misses.

Manager F. W. Harrington of The Portland, left Monday for San Francisco for a conference with the managing director, Mr. Edward Boyce.

H. Thomas, one of the star waiters

at The Portland for some time, resigned on the 19th.
M. C. Brown, a waiter on a Pennsylvania railroad, has been appointed assistant clerk in a New York court.

NOTARY PUBLIC WORK DONE AT THE ADVOCATE OFFICE 311 MACLEAY BUILDING

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Scott's Official History of The American Negro in the World War, by Emmett J. Scott, A.M., LL.D., special assistant to the secretary of war, can be purchased at The Advocate office, 311 Macleay Building, Broadway 5807.—adv.

REVEREND ANDERSON SPEAKS

Portland, Ore., March 19, 1924. To the Editor:

Please allow me space in your paper to correct some statements. It appeared in the Morning Oregonian of Sunday morning, March 16th, that the court ousted me as pastor of Mt. Olivet Baptist church. The same is untrue. It was further said by one of the officers of the Mt. Olivet Baptist church that the judge said to me that I came into court with dirty hands. The judge never said any such thing and the officer who made such a statement knew he was not telling the truth, though I am not surprised at him, for he is a man who handles the truth carelessly. I tendered my resignation to the church on the 14th day of February, 1924, with the distinct understanding that I would relinquish my claims to the church upon receiving all moneys that was due or may become due me. Up to this date I have not received all of same. There is due me now for salary the sum of \$202.00, and also due me \$3,565.36 for moneys I advanced for the building of the church. I want the public to know that these men who are leading the fight were at home asleep while I was building the church. The whole trouble in the matter started when the choir of Mt. Olivet Baptist church went over to the East Side Baptist church of the City of Portland and rendered a program in November, 1923. The said East Side Baptist church gave our choir \$110 for the benefit of Mt. Olivet Baptist church rally. One of the choir members retained \$55 of said amount and sent \$55 to the church by one of the men who leads the fight against me. I challenge anybody to say over their signature that any part of the \$3,565.36, which is due me from the church, was donated by the public for the Mt. Olivet Baptist church. I now await an answer.

(Signed) J. W. ANDERSON.
429 Tillamook Street.

MOONSHINE CRAZES MAN

Jacksonville, Fla., March 19.—Haltations as a result of drinking moonshine are not rare, but it is not often that these escapades take the form of reporting a \$25,000 jewelry theft to the police.

According to reports coming from St. Augustine to the police, Dr. Edward Duncan reported to the police that he had been robbed of gems valued at \$25,000 and asked that all roads leading into Jacksonville be watched. Nothing developed and the Jacksonville authorities laid off the case when advices were received from St. Augustine that Dr. Duncan was drunk.

Duncan reported that two colored men had robbed him while he was enroute to St. Augustine from Daytona.

Local and Foreign News Briefs

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 376 Williams Ave. East 1633.—Adv.

Stay off Easter Monday night. St. Phillips Guild.—adv.

For Rent—Furnished room. Sellwood 1101.—adv.

Clarence Cameron White, premier violinist, in recital in Portland April 23rd. Watch for particulars.—adv.

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REV. ANDERSON IN PENDLETON
Rev. J. W. Anderson, former pastor of Mt. Olivet Baptist Church, was a guest of the white Baptist church in Pendleton, Oregon, last Sunday all day.

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SOUTHERN COLLEGE TO HOLD SUMMER SESSION
Marshall, Tex., March 11, 1924.

To the Editor:
The Wiley summer school and summer normal to be held at Wiley College, Marshall, Texas, June 9 to August 29, in many respects will be far superior to that of any previous session. The faculty will be enlarged and strengthened, the best classroom facilities afforded, courses of study extended and other special features added, which will greatly increase the effectiveness session. Another notable feature of the Wiley summer school is the fact that it is the only one open to Negroes where a full semester's work can be done in one summer; thus making it possible for persons building on a first grade state certificate for a permanent to do the work in two summers.

RINGING 'EM EVER SINCE

The first electric bell ever made was manufactured by Joseph Henry, a school teacher in the Albany Academy, Albany, N. Y. He invented the original bell which is now preserved in the state museum of New York at Albany.—The Open Window.

WILLIAMS AVENUE Y. W. C. A. NOTES

The membership committee opened on Saturday night is four weeks' campaign with a talk by Miss Willie L. Hatch, membership secretary. The next meeting was a mass meeting at Zion A. M. E. church, Sunday, at 3 p. m. Mrs. K. Gray, chairman of the membership committee, presided. The speakers were: Miss Engle Hedspeith, Grand Reserves; Miss Rose Washington, High School Reserves; Mrs. Grace Scott-Jackson, Blue Triangles; and Miss Margie L. Danley, secretary. Other speakers were Mrs. C. Jenkins, chairman committee of management; Rev. Dyer and Rev. Magruder.

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der. Vocal numbers rendered by Miss Barbara Hubbard and Miss Shelby, and instrumental solo by Miss Nellie Franklin.

The Branch is planning Negro Health Week, March 30 to April 6. March 30, sermons by pastors, on "Church Sanitation"; also a mass meeting at Bethel A. M. E. Church at 3 p. m. Dr. J. A. Merriman will speak on "Tuberculosis." April 1st at 2 p. m. Dr. Warner, assisted by Visiting Nurses' Association, will conduct a baby clinic at the Branch; April 6, two mass meetings, one for women and girls, addressed by Dr. Warner; one for men and boys, addressed by Dr. J. A. Merriman.

The Mothers' Club will be organized on Tuesday, March 25, at 3 p. m. The sewing class for women meets Monday from 2 to 4 p. m.

The Blue Triangle Club has started a millinery class.

The High School Reserves will begin sewing Saturday, the 29th, at 3 p. m., and the grade girls at 1 p. m. There will be no club meetings at the "Y" on Saturday as the groups will spend the day at Rock Creek camp.

The High School Reserves will meet in the club room of the main Y. W. C. A. on March 27 at 6 p. m. Miss Mildred Fox, secretary High School Reserves, will address them at this time.

RELATED BERKELEY-OAKLAND NEWS

(By Arthur D. LeBon)
The Louisiana Commercial Association held its fourth annual celebration of Mardi-Gras, March 4th, at the Arcade pavilion, which was a grand success. The crowd was estimated at 3,000. C. D. Mills and Mrs. Boxliner were the king and queen.

Prof. B. M. Johnson, the golden voice baritone, will appear at the 15th street church in a song recital, fostered by Mme. Ford of San Francisco, on March 21.

Fifteen thousand candidates were initiated into the order of the K. K. K. at the municipal auditorium recently. It is said several colored men witnessed the impressive ceremonies by special invitation. So far, we have not heard any reports from the colored representatives of the affair.

PROMINENT CLUB WOMAN AND POLITICAL LEADER LEAVES ON LONG CROSS COUNTRY TRY TRIP



Mrs. Alice M. McNaught, of 445 Columbia street, left Friday by auto for New York City, where she hopes to arrive by June 24th in order to attend the Democratic national convention. Mrs. McNaught and party will travel through Southern California, Arizona, Texas and other states, keeping to the coast. Mrs. McNaught is a staunch democrat and is a candidate for delegate at large to the Democratic national convention. Her slogan is, "Will work for a progressive democrat, whom we can elect in November." In her declaration, Mrs. McNaught says, "the country must be rescued from the deadly clutches of the exploiters that have control of the Republican party." Mrs. McNaught is identified with progressive movements among the people for the

State and Nation. She has long been a leader of women in the state's political life and is prominent in women's club activities in the state, and is the founder of the Women's Progressive Club.

STANDARD LIFE MAKES RECORD

(Lincoln News Service)
Atlanta, Ga., March 19.—The gross assets of the Standard Life Insurance Company on December 31, 1923, amounted to \$2,753,842. Insurance in force amounted to \$28,823,231, and the total income for the year was \$1,741,621. The statement shows that last year was the best one in the history of the company, which President Herman Perry, our most prominent financier, hopes "to build into an institution that will be a racial bulwark and an inspiration to ourselves, our children and our children's children."

SENATE REWARDS CHILD OF DEAD BARBER

(Lincoln News Service)
Washington, March 19.—Under a senate resolution recently passed, provision was made for the payment to Annie M. Peterson, sole surviving child of John Hickman, of one year's compensation at the rate Hickman was receiving at the time of his death. Hickman, a colored man, at the time of his death recently, had been on the rolls of the United States senate for 58 years. Virtually all of that time he was in the senate barber shop, where he became acquainted with every man who has served in the senate in the last half century. In appreciation of his faithful services, the usual six months' compensation in lieu of funeral expenses in his case was doubled.

DOINGS OF THE ELKS

(By Eugene J. Minor)
Rose City Lodge, No. 111, and the Dahlia Temple have arranged a joint memorial service for Sunday, April 13th, at the Holiday School, Clackamas and East Seventh street.
Several Elk Lodges in Tennessee have already endorsed J. Finley Wilson, D. E. R., for re-election. Mr. Finley, on the 4th of March, set up a lodge of Elks in Lexington, Va.
J. Finley Wilson, G. E. R. of Elks, will deliver the memorial address to the Wolverine Lodge of Elks of Detroit, Mich. Following this there will be a grand ball the next evening.

The local daughter Elks are measuring up to the brothers in holding their meeting till morning. But the fact they had six candidates to ride the goat at their last meeting, excuses them for this time.

The following candidates were initiated into Dahlia Temple: Messrs. Thelma McCoy, Winnie Davis, Ella Penn, Irene Moore, Lottie D. Oliver, Bertie Davidson.

Daughter Pearl Love is ill and confined to her home.

K. OF P. AND C. OF C. TO OBSERVE THANKSGIVING

On Sunday, March 30th at 2 p. m. the Knights of Pythias and the Court of Calanthe will hold joint annual Thanksgiving services at Zion A. M. E. church. A splendid program has been arranged for the occasion.

The Ladies' Auxiliary will meet at Williams Avenue Branch Y. W. C. A., corner Williams Avenue and Tillamook street, the 1st and 3rd Mondays in each month.

MIXED QUARTET GIVES PLEASING CONCERT

A quartette composed of Mesdames Zephia Baker, A. R. Fox, Messrs. Wm. Taylor and G. M. Paynes, gave a concert at the closing of the school for foreign-born Thursday evening at the Ladd school.

Mr. H. B. Marshall of Centerville, Iowa, is among the late arrivals in Portland. Mr. Marshall and wife are residing at the residence of Rev. E. J. Magruder and hope to make Portland their home.

Among Portland's most enterprising and industrious of our women we note Mrs. I. L. Davidson, who is a beauty culturist and has in mind plans for the broadening of her business.

J. A. EWING
Mr. Ewing, who is president of the Portland Branch, N. A. A. C. P., seems to have his heart in the work of that organization and has many good plans for the future growth and development of the Branch.

HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE SEND TRIBUTE.—PRESIDENT COOLIDGE AND SECRETARY OF LABOR DAVIS SEND TELEGRAMS

Funeral Rites Were Conducted From the Bethel A. M. E. Church with the Rev. S. P. Felder, Presiding Elder, Assisting the Pastor With the Exercises.—Large Crowd Present

(Preston News Service)

Mount Bayou, Miss., March 19.—With more than 3,000 persons, representing the best in both races, present, the body of Isaiah T. Montgomery, the founder and builder of this city, who died at 1 o'clock last Thursday morning, was buried Saturday morning in the town he founded and helped to mould into one of the most noted Negro communities in the United States.

Mr. Montgomery was 78 years old, a former slave of James E. Davis, brother of the Confederate President Jefferson Davis. It is said that after the war, Mr. Montgomery served as confidential man and private secretary in the Davis family. Still later he was employed with railway companies that after the war began great development in southern Mississippi. For his distinguished services with the railroads he was granted 1,000 acres of land, a tract on which he founded Mount Bayou.

Many distinguished white persons attended the funeral, several taking part in the impressive funeral exercises which were held with the faculty and student body of the local school taking a leading part.

More than a thousand telegrams of condolence were received from various parts of the United States, leaders in both races expressing deep regret over the passing of such an outstanding figure as Isaiah T. Montgomery. Among those who telegraphed were President Coolidge, J. Davis and Jefferson Hayes Davis, grandson of the Confederate President.

The funeral rites were conducted from the Bethel A. M. E. Church with Rev. S. P. Felder, presiding elder, assisting the pastor with the exercises. It is said to be the largest and most impressive funeral held in the state. Among the prominent race leaders present was Dr. D. B. Washington, son of the late Booker T. Washington, who was a warm friend of Mr. Montgomery and several leading Negro business men and newspaper editors.

Local Lodge, No. 26, shares in the departure of Mr. Berrie Tinsley, its choice for three years as a member of Local Committee "C" of P. of E. R., having made the 6th place in the final election of twenty representatives to the Conference of the Pullman Management, Porters and Maids, leading

Los Angeles and San Francisco in the Pacific Coast zone.

Mr. Tinsley left Sunday on the Portland Limited for Chicago, where the conference will be held. Among those who "saw him off" at the station were: Instructor Botts, K. L. Culp and Secretary LeBon of Berkeley, California.



While Mr. Tinsley left, elated over his success, he felt a tinge of sorrow because there was one man (only one) in the district who attended the election and was eligible to vote, who did not vote for him. According to Mr. Tinsley's good nature, which abounds in every act, his friends handed him red apples as he boarded the "choo-choo" off for the Windy City.

BAPTISTS HOLD MEMORIAL SERVICES

Baptists throughout the confines of the National Baptist Convention are observing the month of March as memorial month to the late R. H. Boyd. This information came from the National Baptist Publishing Board's headquarters this week and was given out by the eldest son of the late R. H. Boyd, who succeeded his father when he was called from labor to reward.

NOTICE

Regular meetings of the Portland Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People held every 2nd Monday evening at Mt. Olivet Baptist Church, corner East First and Schuyler Sts.

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