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'Don't ask for rights. Take them. An don't let any man give them to you. A right that is handed to you is worth nothing' has something to do with it. -Mr. Dooley.

'They have rights who dare maintain them.' -James Russell Lowell.

Co-operation and Tolerance

The Rev. Geilkey, in a sermon at Keith's Theater on the 'First Step in Making American Cities Christian,' took as his theme, 'Co-operation and Tolerance.' He pointed out the problem in American cities as due to the presence of different races and denominations. He illustrated the grounds making co-operation and tolerance reasonable by showing the actual ability and loyalty in many of the groups represented here and the common objective of all Christian denominations. He told of a mentality test of 800 school children in New York City where only 17 showed exceptionally high grade mentality. Of four from rich families three were Jews and one native born American; of four from middle class families three were Jews and one native born white American; of the remaining nine from poor families two were Jews, two Negro, two Russians and the other three one each from small countries.

He then asked the question which America ought seriously to ask - 'Can we overlook so large a proportion of real ability in planning for the future greater America?' Unless America is wise enough to see that ability and qualities which she so much needs are in the possession of her sons of whatever hue or from whatever country, she may fall short of being the glorious people of the future. If she is wise she will encourage the unlimited development and advancement of all her people in the interest of the whole nation.

The good qualities in each group are sufficiently large and important to form the basis for co-operation in the interest of our larger good, as well as being grounds sufficient for toleration when we differ.

Because Senator Stanfield had his picture taken shearing sheep his political enemies are saying he is angling for the farmers' votes.

Daily Vacation Bible Schools

Now that Easter is over, let us turn our attention towards planning daily vacation Bible schools.

This plan for increasing the time for the religious instruction of our children has been used so successfully in many places, by many communities that we cannot afford to neglect it in our churches.

The plan in brief is to hold a session of from three to six weeks each forenoon in a church or public school building. The major part of the three-hour session is given to graded Bible study but the daily program in the typical schools also includes a worship period, instruction in sacred music and missions, a supervised recreation period and inspirational talks.

A school may be put on by a single church or by a group of churches located in the same community.

If a school is to be held this summer plans should be made for it at once as the time even now is short for securing volunteer teachers and training them for the work.

Further information regarding plans for Daily Vacation Bible Schools can be secured by writing Mrs. J. J. Handsaker, 1259 Chemekeeta St., Salem, Oregon.

An undesirable citizen is one who sends cash to the mail order houses and takes credit from the home merchants.

The colored politicians have about lost hope in the president appointing any colored men to high positions in the government.

RACE PAPERS

If there is one enterprise amongst colored people that colored people should support, which in turn would be in a stronger position to support them in their efforts, is our newspapers. Too many of our group go into business and before the general public know anything about their entering business, they are out of business. The reason for this is plain: Too many of them open up and then sit down and say "colored people ought to support me because I am a colored business man." But the majority of colored people do not patronize them for the reason they know nothing of their business as they fail to advertise. Then hear them cry about the race not patronizing them in business! Still there is another class of race paper leechers. It is that class which never subscribes for a race paper. Their excuse for not doing so is that the "little old colored paper" has nothing in it. But just let these same people give a social affair or have a visitor, or let death or something of the sort come into their families, and they will forthwith call up the "little old colored paper" to publish the same and the "little old colored paper" in its big heartedness, will sacrifice time and space and print it. Afterwards, the leechers smile and thank the editor for printing it, providing there is enough laudation about it. Otherwise the "little old" newspaper is in for a good cursing. Maybe someday the colored business man and the "society shark" will wake up to

the fact that the "little old colored paper" is one of their best assets.

"Rosaria"

Our race is noted for its music. Local singers among our group have a splendid opportunity for using their voices through helpful instruction and at the same time rendering a civic and patriotic service. In another column of this issue we are publishing a notice telling where and when to apply for a place in the big pageant, "Rosaria" to be sung during the Rose Festival. The Advocate urges those of our group, both men and women, boys and girls, who have singing voices to get in an help to make this the grandest event ever.

There are some far-fetched theories on the Bible going the rounds, all of which are likely to undermine and dethrone the very foundation of Christian religion in the minds of the younger generation. Take away from a people its belief in God and you take away the very foundation of all their hopes in this and the life to come. It's dangerous ground, and one should be very cautious of their activities.

Friends of the General say the Senate soon will be eating out of his hand. Give the Senate a chance and it will eat a piece out of that hand or eat the whole hand up.

The "Outlook" of Oakland, Cal., which recently celebrated its thirty-first anniversary, has grown smaller in size. Just the same, it swings its usual hard punch.

The Advocate believes Mr. Malone, prominent citizen and business man of St. Louis, Mo., would be the man for President Coolidge to appoint to the much sought-after office of Register of the Treasury.

Liquor valued at \$30,000 was found in a Charleston, West Virginia, graveyard. Wonder how it reached there ahead of its victim!

It would be easier to stop certain plays in New York than to cut out their obscenities. In neither case would anything be left.

Attention White Advertisers

We wonder how many of you have ever stopped to consider the amount of money colored people spend in your stores, and if you are giving their newspaper its proportion of your advertising? We know business places in the city getting at least 50 per cent of the colored patronage in their line of business, and yet they are too "stingy" to patronize the colored newspaper, or they simply feel they have a cinch on the business of the race and do not have to consider their organ—the newspaper. Colored people are beginning more and more to realize the necessity of patronizing those who patronize them, therefore, they take pride in patronizing those firms that advertise in their newspapers. They often ask us why is it that certain firms do not advertise in The Advocate. There are several thousand colored people in the city of Portland and if these people come together and patronize those who patronize their paper, some of these firms who do not think it essential to advertise, will have to "sit up and take notice." The Advocate has some firms that have always advertised liberally. These firms will testify to the fact that colored people respond when they see their ads in our paper.

Let the colored people look out for the interest of their only organ in this city.—The Advocate, and The Advocate will always, as it has tried so hard to do in the past, look out for their interest. Patronize the firms that appreciate your trade and are not afraid to be seen in your newspaper. Trade wherever you please, BUT BE SURE TO PATRONIZE THOSE WHO ADVERTISE IN YOUR PAPER.—THE ADVOCATE.

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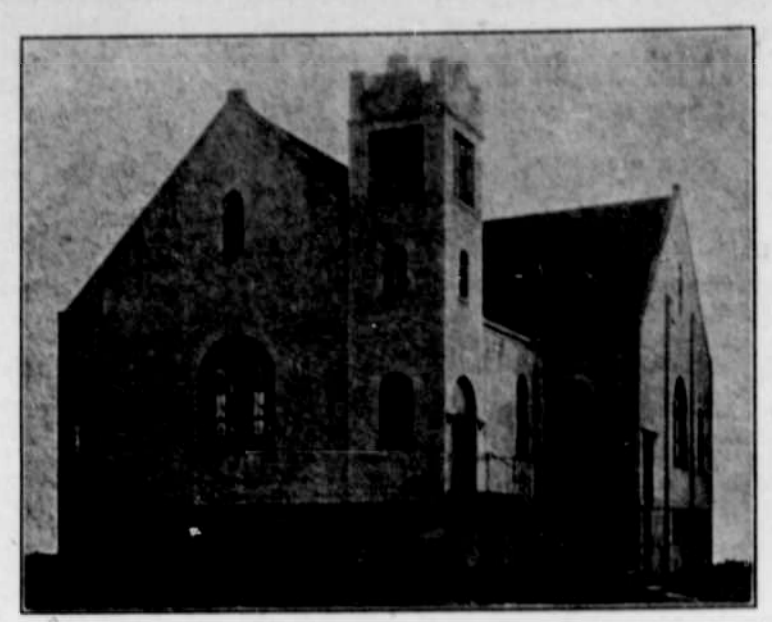
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9:30, Sunday school. 6:30 p. m., B. Y. P. U. The brotherhood's boat outing, June 20th, is expected to be the most interesting of the season. Don't miss it. Tickets on sale now. Adults 50c; children 25c.

News of the Churches

FIRST A. M. E. ZION CHURCH 417 Williams Ave., H. Leo Johnston minister. Walnut 6673. The Stranger's Sabbath Home

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST 62nd St. and 39th Ave. S. E. Sabbath School, 10 A. M. Bible Study, 11 A. M. Y. P. M. V. Society, 2 P. M. Mrs. K. O. Johnson, Leader. Visitors welcome.

ST. PHILLIPS MISSION Rodney at Knott St. Morning service, 11 a. m.; Sunday School, 12 m. A. C. Leacock Black in charge; Mr. B. Coles, lay reader. A cordial welcome awaits you at St. Phillips.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH 76th and E. Everett Sts. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School-10 a. m. B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m.

BETHEL A. M. E. CHURCH Larrabee and McMillen Streets Rev. F. X. Runyon, Pastor. E. L. Jameson, Assistant

NOTICE Regular meetings of the Portland Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People held every second Monday evening at Zion A. M. E. church, 417 Williams Ave. J. A. EWING, Pres. LEE ANDERSON, Sec'y.

Mrs. Clara Bell sponsored a delightful card party in honor of Mrs. R. T. Waters of St. Paul, Minn., at her lovely residence, 673 Union Ave. N., on Wednesday evening. A delicious repast was served by the hostess and a delightful time was had.

At the Social Workers Luncheon, Y. W. C. A. Wednesday, were noted Rev. E. C. Dyer, Mrs. E. D. Cannady, Mrs. Pearl Stewart of Kansas City; Mrs. Ruth Flowers and Miss Margie Danley.

Be Kind to Animals Week The American Humane Education Society is asking that the week April 13 to April 20 be set aside as "Be Kind to Animals" week. Had we been asked to set aside a time to be kind to animals, we would certainly have made the period at least 52 weeks.

But maybe we'll get the habit during the one week which will last us for all time. Sure, be kind to dumb animals for we are animals ourselves and many of us there are who are both animal and dumb.

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A LAUGH FOR YOU

(By George)

Preacher Got the Money

At the little church the minister, a colored man, announced he regretted to state that a certain brother had retired to rest the night before without locking the door of his chicken house, and on rising in the morning found that all his chickens had disappeared. "I don't want to be personal," he added, "but I have my suspicions as to who stole dem chickens. I shall be glad if the man who took dem chickens will not put any money in the box when it is passed round, and then I shall know if dose suspicions are right or not."

The collection was taken up. The boxes were crammed full of money. "Now, breddren," announced the minister, "I don't want your dimmers spoilt by wonderin' where dat brudder lives who don't lock his chickens up at night. Dat brudder don't exist, mah friends; he was a parable for the purpose of finance."

An Apt Bargainer

Mother (having related a sad story) - "Now, Billy, wouldn't you like to give your bunny to that poor little boy who hasn't any father?" Billy (clutching rabbit) - "Could'n't we give him father instead?"

Setting Him Right

Percy Meek - "Pardon me, but do you serve hard boiled eggs?" Waitress - "Sure thing, old dear, as long as they behave themselves."

Whence "Satiated"

Teacher - "Robert, give me a sentence using the word 'satiated'?" Bobby - "I took Mamie Jones to a picnic last summer and I'll (say-she-ate) quite a lot."

Williams Ave. Y. W. C. A.

The High School Reserves attended the Federation Party on Saturday evening at the Main Association. The group presented as one of the evening's stunts a "Mock Wedding." The grade girls attended the Grade Reserve party on Saturday afternoon at the Main Association. Miss W. C. Penney, a returned missionary from China, was the speaker for the High School Reserves at their social hour on Sunday. Miss Penney was a very interesting speaker and will return to speak to this group again.

Care of Rabbits

Children should never be encouraged to keep rabbits as pets. No creature should be kept in confinement for the amusement of children. If pets are kept they should be animals which can enjoy their liberty, like cats and dogs.

DOINGS OF THE ELKS

Dt. Ruler Pauline Young of Dahlia Temple, journeyed to Seattle last Saturday to witness the Memorial Services of the Elks and Dt. Elks in that city which was held last Sunday.

T. B. Watkins, prominent Elk and a successful business man of Kansas City, Mo., is reported as being lining up a force to make a hard battle to beat J. Finley Wilson out of the office of G. E. R. at the Grand Lodge which meets in Richmond, Va., in August.

Dt. Ethel Turner wants all those who are members of the Drill Team to meet her Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Stag Club.

WANTED - To hear from owner of a good ranch for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn.-Adv.

Daily Fashion Hint



FUR A FAVORITE TRIMMING

Whatever the material used in the development of a frock, fur is an appropriate trimming. The model to the left is carried out in plain and printed velvet. It is built upon slender lines, the belt being omitted. If preferred, the kimono sleeves may be lengthened by deep sections finished either in flowing effect or gathered into narrow wristbands. Medium size requires 2 yards 36-inch printed and 1 1/2 yard plain velvet, with 4 yards of fur banding. To the right is a lovely rust color crepe satin trimmed with Japanese mink banding. If preferred, the tunic may be omitted, but Paris is using it most effectively to give variety to the straight silhouette. Sometimes braid takes the place of fur as a trimming, or tiny trills of finely plaited ribbon. Medium size requires 4 1/2 yards 36-inch material and 5 1/2 yards banding. First Model: Dress No. 2315. Sizes, 34 to 46 inches bust and 16 to 20 yards. Price, 35 cents. Second Model: Dress No. 2338. Sizes, 34 to 46 inches bust and 16 to 20 yards. Price, 35 cents.

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