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WHAT HAPPENS WHEN BLACK MEN DRAW THE COLOR LINE ON THEIR OWN KIND

A few steps east of the Broadway bridge, within a stone's throw of 3 colored churches, community centers of the colored racial group, a large electric sign: "BARBECUE RESTAURANT" dazzled a hearty welcome to all to come and eat.

When the place first opened, Johnson & Coffey were the proprietors, and comely black waitresses rushed here and there serving the patrons at the tables, the counter and in the grocery department.

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PAPERS PASS UP SWEET CASE

The colored people and many white people are at a loss to know why the doctored press had so little concerning the trial of Dr. Sweet and 10 others in Detroit, Mich., for first degree murder.

THE N. A. A. C. P.

The big things that the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People has done and is doing for the rights and for the protection of the Race, should over shadow any error, or little mistake that organization might make.

News and Social Briefs

Mrs. Lucile Crosswhite surprised her husband with a few friends at a dinner party on his birthday, Wednesday evening last.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Mercier celebrated their first wedding anniversary at the home of Mrs. B. Blackburn, with a lovely dinner Thanksgiving day. Covers were placed for ten.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bruce are the proud parents of a baby born Thanksgiving morning.

DOINGS OF THE ELKS

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Williams Ave., "Y" Notes

The High School Reserves met Thursday and had a candy pull after their business meeting.

TACOMA'S VISION

(By Mrs. Blanche M. Dawson) "O, Mother, what is that large building over there? "Where?"

"Why, can't you see that large brick building?" "O, yes, it is so well situated on a hill overlooking the bay, with the mountains in the background; we will go and see what it can be."

"Mother, how will we get there?" "I will inquire of a colored gentleman in it, I believe it is a sightseeing car."

"Mr. Edward Young, 'Yes, I am owner of the Tacoma Taxicab Co.' 'Will you please tell me what a beautiful building that is over there, the bay?' That is the Rose Mission for the children."

"Tell me about this place." "Come in and I will." "I am sure you read of our scholarship fund that we had. It was a great success through Mr. Saunders' leadership. But after we had our girls and boys educated we had nothing for them to do. Some member of the federated club saw this coming and suggested that we buy land for some kind of an industrial enterprise to give our girls and boys something to do and be a credit to the race.

Tacoma Notes

Mrs. W. H. Lewis, 1209 So. Cushman Avenue, Tacoma, Washington Allen A. M. E. Church, Rev. A. W. Johnson, pastor.

There was a lecture on the "Golden Rule" at the evening service which was greatly appreciated by the large congregation present.

A membership drive has been inaugurated by the members, and we wish them much success.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Robinson were hosts at a party on last Saturday, in honor of Attorney and Mrs. Eugene J. Minor and Mr. George Hardin of Portland, Oregon.

The joint Thanksgiving service at the Bethlehem Baptist church proved quite a success. Preaching was by Rev. Graves. We need more of these union services.

Miss Dorothy Fry is very ill at her home on Ferry Street. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Broadhead is visiting friends and relatives in Portland. She is expected to return in about a week.

At the annual election of officers of the Tacoma Branch of the N. A. A. C. P., held Nov. 29th, the following officers were elected.

Executive Committee: Mr. J. H. Ryan, Mrs. N. J. Ashby, Mr. James Hall, Mr. Paul Ury, Sgt. C. Mathew and Rev. A. W. Johnson.

The Booklovers Club was entertained by Mrs. Florence Robinson at her apartment in the Everglades.

The hostess served refreshments at the close of the meeting.

A large crowd attended Vespers last Sunday. Mrs. J. W. Ingorsoll led devotions and Mrs. F. S. Keene was the speaker.

The Board of Management met at the Branch Wednesday morning.

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LONGVIEW (WN.) NEWS (By Mrs. Maud Bates)

Longview Branch, N. A. A. C. P. had election of officers last Friday evening. Pres. Gildon and Mrs. Maud Bates were re-elected to office of Pres. and Vice-Pres., respectively for the ensuing year.

Chicken dinner at the Community church Sat. Eve., Dec. 5th.

The Concert given by the Twin City Culture Club was enjoyed by a large crowd Sunday evening.

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