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SECTION I.

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## REP. DEPRIEST TO SPEAK HERE MON. NIGHT POLITICIANS' FAILURE TO MEET CREATES STIR

### NAACP BRANCH WILL BE HOST

#### FIVE IN PARTY WITH MR. DEPRIEST

Through the efforts of the local branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, Hon. Oscar De Priest, Representative in Congress from Illinois, will lecture here Monday evening, September 23 in the auditorium of



Lincoln High School on Park and Market streets. Hon. De Priest is the first Representative of the Negro race in Congress in more than thirty years past and it will be of unusual interest to white and colored alike to hear this distinguished personage. Traveling with Mr. De Priest is Mrs. De Priest and three other distinguished persons. At the close of his address a public reception will be tendered the De Priest party at the Williams Avenue Y.W.C.A. Both the lecture and reception are open to the public free.

### Portland Woman Dies After Long Illness

Mrs. George Holliday who has been ill for a number of years and confined to the state hospital in Salem, died on Thursday, September 12, and was buried Wednesday in Los Angeles, Cal. Mr. Holliday accompanied the remains to California. Mrs. Holliday before going into declining health was very active in church, club and social circles in the city. At the time of her demise, she was a member of Bethel A.M.E. church; a member of the Mt. Hood Chapter, O.E.S. and the Household of Ruth Her funeral services were conducted by the Eastern Star of Los Angeles. She leaves to mourn their loss, a husband, and two brothers, one of whom lives in Austin, Texas, and who attended her funeral in Los Angeles. The Advocate extends its sympathy to the bereaved family.

### MEETING NOW IN PROGRESS

#### CONFERENCE IN SESSION HERE ATTRACTS A NUMBER OF DELEGATES

##### BISHOP MARTIN PRESIDES

Dr. Perry C. Hopper, president of the Portland Ministerial Association and pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church, welcomed the 17th session of the Oregon-Washington conference, A.M.E. Zion church Wed. nite in the meeting now being held on San Rafael Street. Dr. Hopper emphasized the increasing "challenge of the ministry in presenting and interpreting the Christian faith". Other addresses were given by Miss Geraldine Williams in behalf of young people and by Mr. W. B. Brown on behalf of the laity. Responses were made by Bishop J. W. Martin and Dr. Reed of Los Angeles district. Refreshments were dispensed by the ladies of the church.

The conference opened in the morning with delegates from all of Oregon, Washington and northern points in California.

Dr. E. M. Clark of Redding preached the annual sermon, with Bishop J. W. Martin of Los Angeles presiding. Bishop Martin is superintendent of the 9th Episcopal district, which includes all of the Pacific coast and a large area in the middle west.

The conference will continue in session until Sunday night when the appointments will be read by Bishop Martin.

### HERE FROM CALIFORNIA

#### VISITORS ARE MUCH FETED

Mrs. Bertha Turner and Mrs. Sadie Holt, sisters, of Pasadena, California who spent last week in the city were the inspiration for a number of social courtesies. Among them were the following: Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Smith, 8105 39th Avenue S.E. were hosts at a card party; Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. E. J. Minor was hostess at a card party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Blackburn on Stanton street and on the same evening, Miss Blanche Ingersoll and Mrs. Margaret Cain were joint hostesses at a card and dancing party at the home of Mrs. Robena Martin in Alberta; Thursday afternoon Mrs. Ida Sweich was hostess at a delicious luncheon at her home, 1037 Division street at which time covers were placed for ten; and in the evening of the same day, Mrs. Clara Anderson and Mrs. Fred Thomas were joint hostesses at a theatre party at The Portland. On Friday afternoon, Mrs. G. V. Grayson entertained at a delectable luncheon at her home on 21st street. The luncheon was followed with cards. First prizes were awarded to Mrs. Holt and Mrs. Grayson. Mrs. Turner and Mrs. Galloway were presented guest prizes and the booby

### MANY COURSES ARE OFFERED

#### University of Oregon Opens Night Classes

One hundred and thirty-five evening courses will be offered in Portland by the University of Oregon, according to fall announcements. Classes will open September 30, in Lincoln high school and the Central Library. Last year more than 3000 adult men and women were enrolled in the University extension classes in Portland, and a larger number is expected this year.

The purpose of the courses is to serve those employed during the day who wish to continue their education during one, two or three evenings a week. Housewives, according to University announcements, now make up one of the largest groups in attendance.

The offerings include courses in accounting, architecture, art, business administration, business English and law, geography, history, journalism, mathematics, music, philosophy, public health, public speaking, written English, literature, and such modern language as German, Spanish French and Scandinavian.

The University office in Portland is at 814 Oregon Building.

### 'The Littlest Rebel'



Ida Lightford Lovell, 3 months old the "little rebel" and the youngest member of Zion. Ida may be seen on hand at nearly all the sessions.

### Prominent Fraternalist Sends Advocate Check

Hon. S. W. Green, Supreme Chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, sent his check for \$5 to The Advocate for two year's subscription.

### RADIO NEWS

Mrs. Marcell Johnson, soprano, and Mrs. Clara Bell Anderson, contralto, will be the soloists over KXII Sunday afternoon when Bethel church broadcasts religious services from 5 to 6 p.m. Rev. Hill will preach.

went to Mrs. W. F. Smith; Friday evening, Mrs. H. D. Fuller was hostess at a delightful dancing and card party at her home, 849 Michigan Ave. Saturday afternoon, Mrs. E. D. Canady was hostess for an automobile trip to interesting points, including Swan Island where they examined transports and local flying machines; Terwilliger Blvd. and Terwilliger Hts. Mt. Tabor Park and the Grotto. Their visit was closed with a dancing party given by Mr. and Mrs. John Payne Saturday evening at their home, 1334 East Salmon street. The ladies left Sunday morning for their home in Pasadena. While here they were the house guests of Mrs. W. F. Smith and of their cousin, Mrs. H. D. Fuller. Mrs. Ida Galloway shared honors in practically all of these social courtesies.

### Arrow Tips

By Kits Reid

The Advocate does not necessarily share in Kits Reid's views, but whether we do or not, her opinions are sane, and logical and well worth reading. It is your privilege as well as ours to disagree with Kits and she invites your opinion upon subjects she discusses from time to time in her column.

Well it begins to look as if the pasteurization machinery men have the dairy interests and the City commission in their pocket. That is, according to the city press. There is one feature of pasteurized milk that seems to have escaped public comment—I am told that you can have more dirt and filth in pasteurized milk. If it is in raw milk, the milk protests and kicks up a row, but if it is in the machine treated article it gets by until it is in your baby's or in your invalid's stomach. Dirty milk is dirty milk—therefore it is up to you, Mr. Mann, to protect the health of Portland babies, instead of giving so much time to juggling civil service lists.

"When thieves fall out honest men get their due" is an old saying and never truer or more tragic than in the case of the shipbuilding-navy trust. What kind of men are these who deliberately traffic in the lives of our young men? Just for dollars?

According to information—not contained however in the orthodox press William B. Shearer who was recently spanked by President Hoover, was the paid propagandist of the anti-social group, mentioned above.

He was to be \$300,000 for activities discouraging peace and inciting war. This propaganda involved attendance at Geneva where on account of the prominence of his sponsors, he was admitted into the councils where disarmament was discussed. Through inside information furnished him by navy officials, he was able to strengthen the arguments of lobbyists of the shipbuilding concerns, and incidentally boost the bills for more salary for the navy officer.

He wrote books, magazine articles, gave radio talks, made speeches be-

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### BAPTIST SECRETARY RETURNS HOME

Rev. J. W. Anderson returned Monday night from Norfolk, Va. He reports a great session also said that National Baptist Convention of which Dr. Anderson, is regional secretary, took over the Virginia Seminary and College as its school for educating young men for the ministry. Dr. Anderson has oversight of 24 states and the District of Columbia. He is at

### Portland's

#### Own Store

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### MT. OLIVET LAUNCHES CAMPAIGN

The Mount Olivet Church, East 1st and Schuyler streets launches what they call a \$10,000 Final Debt. Clearing campaign on Sunday, September 22. The campaign will continue for five weeks and reports will be received each Sunday night when special programs will feature the evening service.

The church membership has been divided into five groups known as battalions which in turn have been divided into companies. There are 25 companies with quotas of \$400 each. The money is to be received by subscriptions, donations and concerts. Average gifts of \$25 each is being sought of 400 people and special emphasis will be placed on this type of donation.

The Mount Olivet Chorus and quartettes will launch the campaign with a radio concert over K.G.W. Sunday evening at 6:45. The pastor of the church will speak. Thereafter the

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### FORMER PORTLAND MAN EXPRESSES THANKS

#### A MESSAGE FROM GREAT FALLS, MONT.

Special  
Great Falls, Mont., Sept. 8, 1929.

To the readers of The Advocate:  
The Immanuel Baptist Church of Great Falls wish to extend its gratefulness to the friends who aided in making the rally a success on September 8 to 16. The drive was set for \$1000 but God gave us \$1,082.25 cash, not including the credits and other donations. All the members of the church worked faithfully and brought in good reports under circumstances. Deacon H. C. Chase was the star of the men who brought in \$557.75 and sister H. C. Chase was the star of the women who brought in the sum of \$241.00 of which the pastor, Rev. W. T. House is very proud of.

Rev. W. T. House,

### ACTRESS SENDS LOVE TO PORTLANDERS

Little Jeanette Dang, known on the stage as "Dot" writes from Milwaukee Wis., to Mrs. Elise Reynolds a most interesting letter in which she expresses great appreciation of Portland and sends love to all. She is with the West Coast Theatrical Co., and appearing at their theatres throughout the country. While in Portland, the little actress who played at a local theatre, was called on by Mrs. Reynolds and her children who presented her with candy and a book on travel.

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### The Bishop



Bishop J. W. Martin, who is presiding over the 17th Annual conference of the First A.M.E. Zion church which will close tomorrow night.

### MANY MISSING FROM CONFAB

#### CHURCH AND OTHERS FAIL TO SHOW UP

Washington, Sept. 19, (CNS)—The reported "significance" which is being attached in political circles to the failure of Robert R. Church, political boss of Memphis, Tennessee, to attend the meeting of the Republican National Committee here Monday, at which Claudius H. Huston, of Tennessee was elected chairman, can also be attached to the absence of several other politicians who might have been expected.

Among those missing were Ben Davis of Atlanta, former National Committeeman, Roscoe C. Simmons of Chicago, Melvin Chism, and Claude Barnett, all of whom were expected.

### First A. M. E. Zion Church (Community) 417 Williams Avenue :: Portland, Oregon Where Convenes

#### the Seventeenth Annual Session

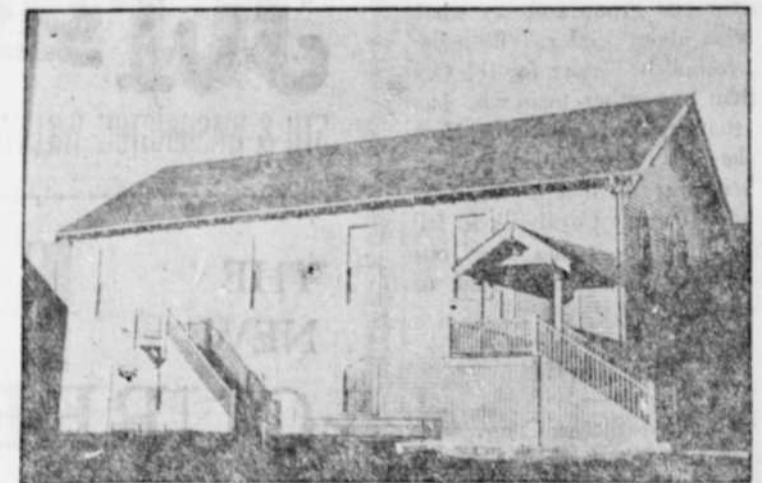
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### OREGON-WASHINGTON CONFERENCE African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church

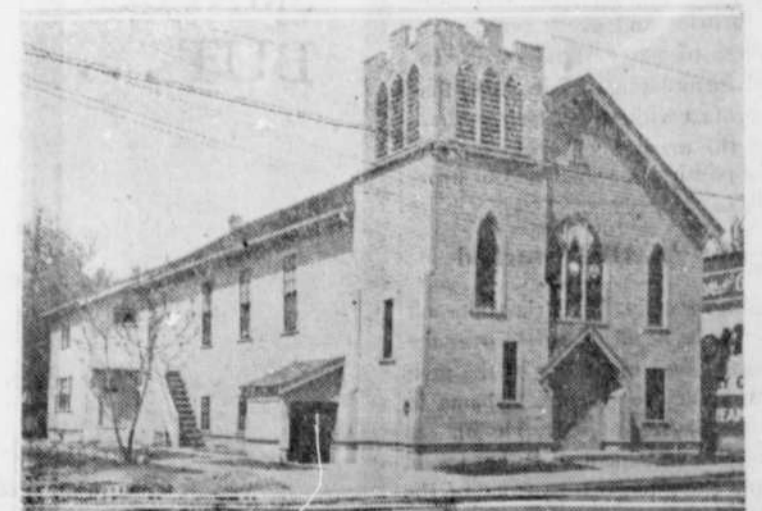
September 18 to 22, 1929

BISHOP J. W. MARTIN, Presiding Bishop  
REV. H. LEO JOHNSTON, Presiding Elder  
REV. W. R. LOVELL, Pastor

### Before Remodeling



### After



### Program

SUNDAY — FIFTH DAY — MORNING SESSION  
10:00 A. M. — SUNDAY SCHOOL  
11:00 A. M. — PREACHING

Offering  
Announcements — Benediction  
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### COMING! COMING! Hon. Oscar Depriest

Congressman First Illinois District  
will lecture at

LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

Monday Evening, September 23—8:30 P.M.

Auspices Portland Branch National Association for  
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