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Friends of Aaron Frank colored and white, are as one with him in regretting the loss of his beautiful and valuable horses in a fire of unknown origin when the stables burned in Oakland Sunday night.

PAUL ROBESON

It is hoped that all who can will avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing the noted Paul Robeson, singer-actor-athlete-scholar when he appears in recital next Monday night at the public auditorium. Steers-Coman are to be congratulated for securing Mr. Robeson on their artist series this year. It is Mr. Robeson's first visit to the northwest and let's give him a big audience so he will know how much we appreciate him.

Interracial Solidarity

St. Louis workers, of both races, met and demanded the death penalty for the sadist leaders of the Marysville, Mo., murderers. A volunteer committee of twenty went down there to get the personal possessions of the victim's family to bring them back for them. Wasn't it strange how quickly the governor ordered the troops out to prevent a "reprisal"? We recall, that to stop programs in the Ukraine, the government (the revolutionary government) ordered immediate execution of instigators and later liquidated the chauvinism through education. One thing is certain, the toilers of both races are smashing the race hatred in spite of agitation to the contrary. A real solidarity is growing.

LINCOLN

February 12th marked the Birthday anniversary of Abraham Lincoln, the self-taught boy of the frontier who became the president that saved the Union. Always friendly and kindly, full of fun and fond of playing jokes, he never neglected the tasks he had to do nor the opportunities of usefulness before him. His life may well be summed up in three words, "servant of humanity." While the nation honors him as the savior of the union, colored people in particular like to think of him as the great Emancipator.

DOUGLASS

Next Saturday is Fred Douglass' Birthday and the occasion for National observance on the part of colored citizens. The Advocate offers the suggestion that Sunday, 15th be observed by local colored people through their churches and otherwise as Douglass Day and appropriate programs be presented in honor of one of the greatest figures the U. S. has ever produced.

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Mount Olivet Baptist Church East First and Schuyler Sts. Rev. J. L. Caston, Minister

Shiloh Baptist Church East 7th and Everett Sts.

EPISCOPALIAN

St. Phillips Mission Knott and Rodney Sts. Blaine Coles, Lay Reader

HOUSE OF PRAYER

House of Prayer East 10th and Grant Sts. Robert Searcie, Pastor

METHODIST

Bethel A. M. E. Church Larrabee and McMillen Sts. Rev. Daniel G. Hill Jr., Minister First A. M. E. Zion Church 417 Williams Ave. Rev. W. R. Lovell, Minister

Olivet Church

DR. J. L. CASTON, Pastor

Sunday, February 15, at the morning services Dr. Caston's subject will be "Christ in Us and We in Christ." At the evening services a special installation service of the officers of the Mt. Climbers. Each of the officers will give a five minute talk on the work they are to do. Louis Jones will speak on the work of the Mt. Climbers. G. R. Davison will talk on Recruiting men. H. B. Marshall, Stewardship; A. E. Bert, The Youth Program; and Evan Porter on Social Fellowship. The entire evening will be in charge of the men. Also the music will be given by the men. The effort of the men toward the mortgage continues. All persons who have not yet pledged their support should do so.

The young people are going to sing at the Men's Resort. Dr. Caston will speak at the regular service at the Men's Resort.

A delight of the season was an apron and necktie social given Thursday evening by Searchlight Club.

B. Y. P. U. Lena Hillsman will have charge of the B. Y. P. U. The topic is "What Is Implied In The Church as a Family." Think of the largest family on earth, each member of this family helping each other. In the church, we are supposed to be brothers in Christ if so why not help each other in every possible manner. If we are brothers in Christ, is not the church a family? Meeting starts at 6:45 p. m.

Bethel Church News

Bethel By The Bridge On Larrabee and McMillen Sts. Rev. D. G. Hill, Pastor

Marguerite Griffith-Reporter The program conducted by Prof. Allen Rutherford last Sunday night was greatly enjoyed by all who attended. Those who failed to attend this service missed a rare treat.

The Adventurers club held their Valentine party at the home of the Pres. Otto Rutherford, Friday.

Shelby Golden, contractor, is finishing the repairing to the roof of the parsonage, which was destroyed by fire last week. He also redecorated the interior. The work will be finished this week. He has done a wonderful job altogether.

The Knights met at the parsonage Wednesday. The Bethelite club met Monday night.

The Joymakers met at the parsonage following the Lincoln-Douglass celebration Thursday. Mrs. V. E. Keene was mistress-of-ceremonies. The audience was greatly pleased with the beautiful program that she had prepared.

Meet the Junior Matrons at the parsonage any Thursday at 1 p. m.

Zion Church

Rev. W. R. Lovell, pastor. (By Keren Mills Collins, Reporter) 10:00 a. m. S. S. 11:00 a. m. Preaching. 6:30 p. m. Varick C. E. 8:00 p. m. Preaching.

Bishop J. W. Martin preached both morning and evening last Sunday to very appreciative audiences. Rev. Lovell will fill the pulpit tomorrow.

The usual prayer and praise service on Wednesday evening. Zion emergency club will meet Friday at the home of Mrs. Adah McGill 641 Union Ave.

The Buds of Promise will meet Saturday at 2:00 p. m. with Mrs. J. D. Patton. Little Betty Scott will be hostess followed by a party celebrating her birthday.

Zion's Varick C. E., Geo. Cannady Pres., meets at 6:30-p. m. Encourage the young people in their Christian Work

Arrange to hear J. S. Jackson of the Seattle Urban League on the 4th Sunday. Mr. Jackson will speak on "The Social and Industrial Affairs of the Church" This will be his first series of lectures.

IN THE REALM of Society

Pollyann, Society Editor

Without a doubt the prettiest pre-Valentine luncheon was the one given by Mrs. E. S. Valentine Thursday at 1 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Henry Waltham Myles, 329 Sacramento street. Twenty-eight guests were present. The tables were exceptionally beautiful with center pieces of pink sweet peas and maiden hair fern, tall red tapers, attractive place cards and candy valentines. A delicious four-course luncheon was served. The guests found their places at the tables by the aid of dainty lighted candles borne on pretty candy candlesticks. Seated at the tables were Mesdames Ella Smith, Carrie Ingersoll, Josephine Morrison, Nichols, Winnie Davis, Jesse Coles Grayson, Clara Logan, Ida Schweich, Beatrice H. Cannady, Lenora Henderson, Julia Fuller, Bonnie Bogle, Robena Martin, Cort Jamison, Mamie Stanton, Abernathy, Ruth Flowers, Jean Jones, Kate Lewis, Lottie Rutherford, M. Farrell, Ethel Reese, Emma K. Stanley, Anna Canada, Jennie Myles, Marion McClear and the hostess, Mrs. Valentine. The ladies were all charming in their pretty afternoon attire. Mrs. Ethel Reese received the guests at the door. Mrs. Myles, Mrs. Canada and Mrs. William Reese assisted the hostess in serving Mrs. Valentine made a most charming hostess. She gave the delightful affair to honor the many friends who were so lovely to her during a former visit to Portland. She arrived in Portland Friday of last week and is the house guest of Mrs. Myles. After passing several weeks in Portland, Mrs. Valentine will resume her trip to California.

Miss Martha Root will be the house-guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Latimer in Rose City. She will arrive from California Feb. 23 for a ten days' visit in Portland.

The regular weekly meeting of the Bethelites Club was held at the parsonage on the evening of February 9th. A very interesting meeting was had. The program included a presentation and discussion of current events by Mrs. Mae Hill and a reading by Mrs. George Randall of one of her own poems which showed great thought and talent on her part. The club will serve a turkey dinner in the near future. Mrs. Lula Gragg is president and Mrs. Lottie Rutherford, secretary.

Mrs. J. E. Powell and Bob White issued invitations to friends to attend a Lincoln Day turkey dinner held at their place on Foster Road Thursday. Many responded and enjoyed the delicious repast as well as dancing to a late hour. This is fast becoming the leading "wayside" eating place.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mullen were hosts Saturday night at their beautiful home in Hawthorne Addition to the Oregon Belles Club. The occasion was a card party. Forty guests attended. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. A. E. Smith and H. Morris for high score and the booby prize went to G. Crawford. The hosts were assisted in receiving the guests and serving the delicious repast by Mesdames E. Williams, P. Carroll, D. Green, S. Crawford and L. Hubbard. Mrs. Winnifred Cochran was the score keeper, Mrs. Ethel Turner is president of the club.

Dr. and Mrs. Abraham Goldenweiser entertained a few friends informally at their apartment in Belle Court, 20th and Johnson streets last Saturday night. The evening was spent in discussion of literature and art and Dr. Goldenweiser played several piano pieces. At a late hour the hosts served a delicious lunch from low coffee tables before the open grate. Dr. Goldenweiser is here with the University of Oregon in charge of the department of anthropology.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Johnson of 101 E. 78th St. N., were hosts at dinner Sunday evening for the pleasure of Messrs. Leon Williamson and Earl Elkins of Oakland. The Williamsons and Johnsons are time honored friends.

Mrs. Lucile Crosswhite was hostess to the Culture club Monday afternoon at her home. This being visitors day, Mesdames Golden, Bogle, Grace Newby and V. Caston were club visitors. A program celebrating Negro History Week was rendered. The guessing box was won by Mrs. Ruth Flanders.

The Kenwana Bridge club will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Bragg Thursday Feb. 19.

The annual Charity Ball given by the Federated club women was largely attended by the women. There was a shortage of men but every one seemed to have had a good time. Many pretty gowns were noted in the assemblage. Music was furnished by the Dixie Strollers orchestra.

Mrs. Elizabeth Slaughter was hostess at an informal luncheon Sunday, Feb. 8, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kanamu. Covers were laid for four.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Miss Christine Smith, on Sunday, Feb. 8. Cards were the feature of the evening.

Mrs. Lottie Rutherford entertained at an informal luncheon at her home late Sunday afternoon for a group of thirteen young men and women, Pacific College students who came down to attend an interracial gathering at Bethel A. M. E. church Sunday night. The program was arranged and conducted by Alyn Rutherford, a student at Pacific and son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rutherford.



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