

JUBILEE! JUBILEE! OCTOBER 1899. ASBURY M. E. CHURCH

IS FREE AT LAST. Sunday Oct. 8th--11 a. m. Preaching by Rev. B. T. Perkins, of Annapolis. 3 p. m. Missionary Meeting. Sermon by Rev. D. W. Hays, of Sharp St. M. E. Church. 7.30 p. m. Sermon by Rev. Chas. Williams, Revival services every night. Rev. A. Young, Pastor.

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SUBSCRIBE TO THE LEDGER.

POLITICAL. Why Negroes Should Vote the Democratic Ticket.

The Man who knocks another one down is his best friend.

Of course there are reasons, although invisible, why colored men should vote the Democratic ticket. If there be logical, sensible and rational reasons why colored men in this State ought to vote the Democratic ticket, we freely confess that thus far we have been unable to discover them. Nor has any of the candidates on the Democratic ticket indicated one sound reason why any considerable number of colored persons ought to vote for the ticket represented by them.

The Democratic party is in favor of restricting and limiting the suffrage as now freely exercised by negroes. Certainly this is a very strange reason why Negroes should vote for a curtailment of the very weapon of citizenship conferred upon them by the Republican party.

If there be any issue upon which the Southern wing of the Democratic party is practically unanimous, it is the disfranchisement of the Negro, and such a course of disfranchisement is not owing to the illiteracy or want of qualification upon the part of the Negro, but rather because the Negroes in the South are rapidly rising in education and wealth, and hence are becoming powerful factors in the government, in county, city and State. They are aspiring to political offices are elected, and making money. Therefore, is the cry raised that this is a "white man's government" and the Negro must be forcibly put down.

Here is what Mr. Simmons, Chairman of the Democratic State Committee of North Carolina, said last fall, on the eve of the bloody Wilmington massacre:

"The evidence disclosing the actual condition of affairs shows that there are negro Congressmen, negro solicitors, negro revenue officers, negro collector of customs, negroes in charge of white institutions, negroes in charge of white schools, negroes holding inquests over the white dead, negroes controlling the finances of great cities, negroes in the control of the sanitation and police of cities, negro constables arresting white women and white men, negro magistrates trying white women and white men, white convicts chained to negro convicts and forced to social equality with them."

Oh ye colored Democrats of Baltimore City and the State of Maryland hearken! This little paragraph gives us the key to the Wilmington massacre, and the present systematic effort, throughout the South to disfranchise the Negro. It is not because he is either vicious or illiterate, but on the contrary, he is becoming a legitimate rival in business and politics. Congressman, solicitors, collectors, etc.

We are not drawing upon our imagination, we are giving facts. The memory of last fall yet casts its dark shadow over our path way, the homeless widowers, colored men and women, with bated breath leaving their homes and fleeing to the woods of North Carolina come before us.

Upon the eve of that terrible occasion Chairman Simmons, the head of the Democratic party of North Carolina talking to white men, said:

"The battle has been fought, the victory is within our reach. North Carolina is a white man's State and white men must rule it, and they will crush the party of negro domination beneath a majority so overwhelming that no other party will ever again dare attempt to establish negro rule here. They cannot intimidate us; they cannot buy us; and they shall not cheat us out of the fruits of our victory."

Surely, the colored people of Maryland have not, so soon, for-

gotten those terrible days of blood, agony and despair! Can we help our poor brethren in the South by strengthening the Bourbon Democratic party which during the past thirty years has been steadily pouring down their throats wormwood and gall? But, let us still further refresh our memories, for no honest, race loving colored man who looks upon the picture given below, can enthusiastically support with his vote the Maryland end of the same Democratic party which obtains in North Carolina. From the Baltimore Sun of Nov. 4, 1898, a special dispatch from Wilmington, N. C., we clip the following:

"The 'Rough Riders' and Red Shirts took possession of Wilmington today. A parade, barbecue and public meeting were held under the 'White Government Union.' Many people came into the city on horses and mules, and one man brought his ox cart decorated in the carmine colors. The best riders in Wilmington headed the procession, and then came the red shirts on horseback and in vehicles. Through the principal streets the procession marched and then went out into the negro quarters. Most of the blacks had shut themselves up in their cabins and refused to review the parade. The white schools, public and private, gave the pupils a recess, and teachers and scholars saw and cheered the procession, which was a mile long.

"As soon as the corporate limits were passed a score or more revolvers were fired, and the shooting was kept up at intervals for several hours."

From a telegram from Newbern we take the following: "Discharging of negroes from employment has begun. One manufacturer has discharged forty negro hands. He is compelled to shut down his establishment until white employees are secured, yet his action is voluntary, and will be followed by others. Most of the manufacturers employing negro labor have given notice that the negroes will be dropped from the pay rolls after this week."

"Negro tenants on all farms in this county were given notice simultaneously today to vacate at once. Many of them have growing crops, but this condition is not considered. 'The demand for guns and ammunition continues. Negroes can only get supplies from outside sources and secretly, as the local dealers will not sell to them at any price. The white farmers living in the vicinity of towns seem to be as much against negro domination as the merchants and property owners."

And yet that genial, clever, admirable and kind gentleman from the Eastern Shore of Maryland, Col. Smith tells us that the Democratic party is friendly to the colored man and has ever protected him in his rights."

This however, is simply the old trick,—"walk into my parlor, said the spider to the fly, 'tis the prettiest little parlor you ever did spy." No, we do not care to go in.

Asbury's Jubilee.

To celebrate the liquidation of a mortgage, the renovation of the church and the purchase of a parsonage, the pastor and board of trustees of Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church have arranged a jubilee extending throughout the month of October. These special services were inaugurated on last Sunday at the church, when the pastor, Rev. A. Young, preached a special sermon. In the afternoon Rev. W. M. Moorman, of Centennial Church, preached to the Sunday school, and at night, Rev. William A. Houn, of Washington preached to the Grand Army and Relief Corps. The special services will be continued every Tuesday and Sunday, Monday till October 23, when a series of special services, to be held each evening, will begin. The board of trustees of the church are John Mason, Gabriel Ennels, William Stanley, James Hughes, John G. Bantom, Emerson, James Dockins, R. E. Young, W. T. Greenwood.

LEAVING SCHOOL. When Parents are Anxious to have Children Remain.

Some parents Love their Children not Wisely but too Well.

There are, in these degenerate days many parents in whose eyes their offspring are as gods and goddesses; everything which these deities think, say or do is perfect and right and must prevail. This child worship is said to be characteristic of the American nation but it seems to reach its height among us as a race. It begins from the hour the child is born and almost invariably follows throughout life.

Baby in the cradle squirms and cries. Baby is merely trying his limbs and lungs and would soon fall asleep again but the mother puts aside everything else rushes to him and takes him up. In a wonderfully short time baby learns that if he wants to be taken up and petted all he needs to do is to cry and acting on this discovery he soon makes his mother and every one else in the house perfect slaves. As he grows older his tyranny is in proportion to his ever increasing discoveries of power until finally there is absolutely no gainsaying him. In some cases all the children in the family receive this homage, in others it is limited to one or two.

Several causes for this have suggested themselves. In the first place it is evident, such parents have a radical weakness of character; again, they love their children "not wisely but too well." A lack on their part of educational advantages also contributes to this result.

Be this as it may, it is certain that the child who at home is allowed to have his own way is seriously handicapped for life. It is true that some such children, in spite of being so greatly hampered succeed in overcoming this and finally develop into exemplary men and women; such have more than ordinary strength of character and this good result comes "more by good luck than good management" on the part of the parents.

I know a family of six children in which the eldest—a girl—is the idol of her parents as of her little brothers and sisters. She has had her own way ever since she was born. This girl was doing pretty well in the High School so that I was greatly astonished when her mother remarked to me, "Althea says she is going to leave school."

"But you will not allow her to leave will you?" "Well, I don't want her to do so and her father and I have tried together to get her to change her mind but she won't. She says she is tired of school and all the other girls in her set are going to stop. Some have stopped already." A I knew that the circumstances of the other girls' parents were very different from Althea's I said as much but it had no effect. "How will she earn a living if she leaves school?" I then asked. "She is going to study to be an artist. She always could draw well and she likes it so we are going to give her painting lessons," replied her mother, smiling complacently. This girl totally ignorant of art in its true sense is to start at nineteen and "study to be an artist!" When, dear reader do you think she will begin to earn a living at it? I knew all along that these were foolish parents but I had no idea that their folly had reached this height. Althea has reached her painting lessons whenever she feels like it and is making just such progress as one would expect.

This may be an exceptional case. I sincerely hope it is. But it is the spoilt, willful children and such incapable, though well-meaning parents who constitute what I have called Class Two—parents who are willing and anxious to have their children con-

tinue school with children who who will not do so.—Iris, in the Washington Bee.

Local Items.

DOINGS OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO OUR MANY BALTIMORE CITY READERS.

Cambridge. Mr. John B. Giles, of this city, now engaged in work in Philadelphia, paid his parents and friends a visit the first of the present week.

The first anniversary of the pastor of the Madison Street Presbyterian Church will be observed on next Sunday. The anniversary sermon will be preached in the morning, and the celebration of the Lord's Supper will take place in the afternoon.

Miss Mary A. Pinckney has returned to her home, 538 McMechen St., after a brief stay at Long Branch, N. J.

Mr. Isaac Castor, of 1209 Winchester Street, has returned home from New Jersey.

Subscribe to the Ledger. The Northwestern Literary met last Sunday as usual. The subject: "Is there any reason for animosity between the races" will be continued this Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Fisher, 1906 Division street, has returned home from Richmond, Va.

Mrs. Carrie W. Campbell after a very profitable visit to her mother and friends, in this city, and marked improvement in her general health returned to her home in Petersburg Virginia this week.

Miss Lizzie Fisher who has been dangerously ill at the residence of her father Mr. Charles H. Giles of 1001 Ensor street, at this writing is somewhat recovered.

Dr. Thos. A. Killion, who has recently moved his office to 18 E. 20th, street is meeting with unusual success in the practice of medicine. His work is constantly growing, and he is well thought of by the people generally in the northern section of the city.

The Mite Missionary Society a most important auxiliary of the Baltimore annual conference of the A. M. E. Church had an unusually interesting and helpful session during last week in Allen A. M. E. Church, this city. Mrs. M. F. Handy is the president of the organization. The various branches were reported in excellent condition. The Rev. Mr. Warner is the pastor of the church.

Rev. James N. Deaver, of Charlestown, W. Va., passed through the city this week enroute for New York, to attend the Episcopal Convocation, held this week, in St. Philip's Church, that city.

THE LATE Mrs. JOSEPH C. LOCKS, A very estimable lady passes away in the person of the late Mrs. Locks, the beloved wife of Funeral Director Joseph C. Locks. The funeral took place on last Monday from Waters' Church and was largely attended. The family name of Locks is one of the most noted in the community and carries one back a generation or so when the proverbial old Maryland stock of highly respectable colored persons were known far and near. Mrs. Locks was a sufferer for a long while. She leaves behind quite a large family of interesting children.

Miss Mamie E. King a former student of Wayland Seminary, who has been spending the summer with friends at Green Spring Valley, Baltimore Co., has returned to her home at Markham, Va., to accept a position as teacher. Miss King on account of her pleasant demeanor has won for herself a host of friends among her set.

Quite a rare educational treat were afforded the citizens of Baltimore this week in connection with the semi-centennial of Waters A. M. E. Church, of which the able and erudite Rev. Dr. Jenifer is pastor. The program was varied, highly instructive and pleasing to the large crowds attending.

NEWSPAPER BISHOPS.

Give The Holy Spirit God A Chance.

Bishop Turner's strong words with reference to the way the colored newspapers are trying to make Bishops for the Church.

In the October number of the Voice of Missions, Bishop Turner, the Senior Bishop of that church, has a two column editorial on this important subject. The following extract is taken therefrom.

"We are stubbornly, implacably, inexorably, unrelentingly, absolutely, yes, and unconditionally opposed to this newspaper Bishop-making, which is disgracing the A. M. E. church, and will ultimately curse it. We are digging the grave of our church as fast as we can, by bringing out, nominating and using the tricks of the political hustling to secure their elections. We read the church papers of the Protestant Episcopal Church, of the E. E. church, of the M. E. Church, South, of the A. M. E. Zion church, and of the C. M. E. Church. For the leading papers of all these denominations come into our sanctum weekly. And we are free to say that the A. M. E. Church does more newspaper puffing, and newspaper lying in behalf of men for the Bishopric, than all the other churches of an Episcopal form of government put together, regardless of race or color. We must have the poorest Bishop timber in the world, otherwise we would not be driven to the necessity of misrepresenting men so lavishly in trying to represent them, and get their worth and merits before the voters of our church."

"I have read articles from ministers rating others to the skies and telling what great Bishops they would make, who have no more conception of the duties, responsibilities and fitness of a Bishop to meet the wants of the age, than some persons in the insane asylum, and some of the very men who are rated so high, have never built or improved a church or even a mission house, and it they did build one, it was either out of all symmetry and conspicuously void of common sense in its structure, or was ready to fall down before it finished. If we would wire-pull less and write and publish less exaggerations upon the subject and pray and fast more, and ask the direction of the Holy Spirit—As the Apostles did on more than one occasion—we would serve the church infinitely better. The Bible clearly sets forth that all true ministers of the Gospel must have a call from the Holy Spirit; and a man who is not called of God, but enters the ministry as a mere livelihood, will be burdened upon the profession until breath leaves his body. Now, when we as the representatives of a great church are placed in an attitude that we have to call a man for God to serve as a high functionary in the church, we should make it a subject of prayer and of patient deliberation. No man should ever vote on such an occasion unless he is inclined to do so by the promptings of the Holy Spirit. Can any aspirant for the Bishopric office, who will turn countenances to secure an election, will be a burden and an ultimate curse to the church."

Quite a number of Baltimoreans visited New York last week for the Washington Street dancing Dewey festivities.

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United States Pension Roll.
On June 30, 1898, the pension rolls of the United States contained 998,714 names. Forty-three thousand were dropped during the fiscal year—34,345 because of death and 8,841 because of remarriage. On the other hand, 40,991 new claims were allowed, so that the number of pensions stood on June 30 last at 931,519. The decrease in expenditures during the year was much more marked, the total falling from \$144,651,000 in 1897-98 to \$133,253,000 in 1898-99. This last is the smallest sum disbursed since the new conditions created by the dependent act have had to be faced, and reasonable assurance of a further natural shrinkage in the annual expenditures is to be found in the fact that \$3,000,000 less were paid out last year than three years ago, when the list of pensioners was fully 21,000 shorter than it is today. How slight an addition to pension burdens the war with Spain will make may be guessed from the statement that, although 15,986 claims have been filed for disabilities incurred in that brief contest, only 295 have so far been passed on favorably. Altogether, the outlook for a diminished pension account has greatly improved.

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Is an illustrated journal describing the varied resources of the Arkansas Valley in various colored pages. Here are successfully raised, by irrigation, great quantities of fruits, grains and alfalfa.

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President Kruger recently refused an interview to a celebrated Englishman, who thereupon sent back word that he must see him; that he was no ordinary person; that, in fact, he was a member of the house of lords. The servant went away and returned with the message: "The president says he cannot see you, and adds that he is a cattle herder."

She Obeyed Instructions.
Mrs. Naggeby (impatiently calling)—"Nora, drop everything at once and come to me!"
Nora—"Yes, ma'am."
Mrs. Naggeby—"Now, what's the baby crying for?"
Nora—"Because I dropped him, mum."
"Tut-tut-tut."

Bottling Milk for Coffee.
Bottling milk should be sent to table to serve with coffee; cold milk entirely spoils the flavor of coffee.

THE very word "operation" strikes terror to a woman's soul. Nearly always these operations become necessary through neglect. If the menses are very painful, or too frequent and excessive, get the right advice at once and stop taking chances. It will cost you nothing for advice if you write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for it, and if you will the trouble run along it will surely cost you a great deal of pain and may mean an operation.

MISS SARAH J. GRAHAM, Sheridanville, Pa., writes: "DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I had suffered for several years with female troubles and doctored until I was discouraged. I felt wretched and tired of living. I had disease of kidneys, bladder trouble, dropsy and bloating, had womb trouble and a large tumor had formed; in fact all my organs were out of fix. "Seeing a woman's letter praising your remedies, I wrote to her and she begged of me to try it, telling me all that it had done for her. I bought six bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and now cannot express my gratitude to you. The tumor began to come away in pieces and I got better all the time. I believe now that I am entirely cured. "My doctors could not believe it at first, as they all had told me that my case was a hopeless one, and no human power could do me any good. They were astounded. If I can say anything that can help other women, I shall be glad to."

It is not safe to wait until the last moment. Head off trouble promptly attention to it. Don't be satisfied without Mrs. Pinkham's advice.

WOMEN AVOID OPERATIONS

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In the Way Findley's Eye Salve is sold. Chronic and granulated lids cured in 30 days; common sore eyes in 3 days, or money back for the king. Sold by druggists, or by mail, box 30, J. P. HAYES, Decatur, Texas.

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"Here is a woman that wishes her pet cat insured." Manager—"All right, but tell her she'll have to take out a policy on each one of the cat's lives."

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Justice, Who Doesn't Know "Pat" from "Call" sits on the fence.
Without regarding the feelings of devotees of golf, Justice Potts of Jersey City has brought the aristocratic game which cannot be played without cleeks, mashes, lofters, and drivers down to the level of "shinney," a game that only requires a crooked stick, any old thing that will serve as a ball, tough shins, and an opponent who the player does not like. Mrs. Pauline Scharrf lives near the links of the Jersey City Golf club, and has filed objections to having her children swatted on the head by golf balls driven in an eccentric manner by beginners at the game. Despite the heat, Mrs. Scharrf also objects to having the windows of her home suddenly fall to pieces in a most disquieting way. It was to stop these annoyances that Mrs. Scharrf caused Albert L. Drayton, president of the club, to explain to Justice Potts not only how it happened, but also how he would stop it in the future. The elite of Jersey City crowded the courtroom yesterday, and listened to Mr. Drayton explain that the organization, through late recruits, had made some of the most wonderful strokes on record. He added that in a few days a new course would be arranged, and the beginners quarantined nine miles from any sign of civilization. Mrs. Scharrf was willing to compromise, and even went so far as to express her admiration of the game when played in another state, and everything was settled. "But the game is 'shinney,' just the same," was the decision given by Justice Potts, and which caused the elite to lift their noses and fuzzle their glances as they left the putting green bound for the next tee. New York Press.

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