# ABOUT THE CITY.

PASTOR CALLED—Rev. D. G. Mack has accepted the call to the pastorate of the Macedonia Baptist Church. He is now employed by the American Baptist Publication Society, City Missionary Society and the Cooperative Baptist State Convention as State Missionary, and he has been engaged as Sunday School Missionary for the past five years, and has been instrumental in bringing hundreds of children into the Sunday schools. He has organized a Sunday School Convention in the state, which is doing a great work among our youths. He began his education at she Virginia Normal and Collegiate Institute of Petersburg, Va., and also studied at the Richmand Theological Seminary of Richmond, Va. He graduated from Wayland Seminary, Washington, D. C., in '97. Rev. Mack comes from a great work to a greater work. We pray him Godspeed.

CONCERT AND CAKE WALK.—Under the efficient management of Mr. George Douglass, head hallman at Chattolanee Springs hotel, assisted by Mr. Samuel Tucker, the bellman, gave a concert and cake walk on last Monday evening in the Music Hall of the hotel, much to the delight of the guests. The concert consisted of solos, duets, vocal and instrumental music. The feature of the cake walk was the appearance of three men dressed as ladies, each of whom elicited great applause as they appeared upon the floor. A large sum of money was raised for the boys.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

REV. JOHN H. GRIFFIN.—Rev. John H. Griffin, pastor of Ebenezer M. E. Church, Washington, D. C., died on Sunday morning at the parsonage of the church, of a complicat- of diseases. Rev. Griffin was well known in this city, having lived here for a number of years. He was a graduate of Morgan College, and taught there for sometime previous to his going into the ministry. He was at one time a member of St. John A. M E. Sunday School, and was its chorister. He leaves a widow and several children.

REV. HURCULES ROSS.—Rev. Hurcules Ross, a well known local minister of Ebenezer A. M. E. Church, Montgomery St, and one of the oldest funeral directors in the city, died at his residence, 535 Dolphin street, Friday of last week, aged 64 years. Rev. Ross was a member of the Baltimore Annual Conference, for many years, and enjoyed the confidence and respect of his brother ministers to an unusual degree. His remains lay in state on Tuesday last in Ebenezer Church, and was viewed by hundreds of persons who had known him in life. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. C. W. Mossell, the pastor of the church and was assisted by a number of the Conference. Funeral director, Samuel Chase, had charge of the funeral. nterment at Laurel Cemetary.

SIMPSON.—Mr. William E. Simpson, formerly choir master of Sharp Street Memorial M. E. Church, died at the residence of his brother, at Mt. Winans, on Friday morning at 3 o'clock A. M. Mr. Simpson was an active member of Sharp Street Church for many years and was well known to all music lovers of the city.

TYLER.—Mr. Thomas Tyler died at his residence, 2015 Brunt street Tuesdas, from Bright's disease, aged 48 years. A widow and several children survive him. Lawyer U. G. Tyler is a brother of the deceased. The funeral took place on Thursday, interment at Sharp Street Cemetary.

NICHOLAS.—Miss Josephine Nicholas, a well known young resident of Govanstown, died at her residence on Glenwood Ave., last Friday, after a long illness, aged 26 years. She was a daughter of Mr. Robert Nicholas. Her funeral took place on Monday, and the services were conducted by Rev. W. I. Johnson. Interment at Mt. Zion Cemetary. Mr. Jesse L. Nicholas, principal of the public school at Govans is a surviving brother.

IS IMPROVING. — The many friends of Mr. George W. Carroll, the popular grand clerk of records of the S. U. O. Nazarites, will be glad to hear that he is slowly improving. Mr. Carroll has been seriously ill for sometime and his life has been despaired of.

PASSED EXAMINATION.—Mr. Ellsworth Griffin of Catonsville, a recent graduate of the law department of Shaw University, has just passed the examination of the North Carolina State Board. Mr. Griffin received his academic training at Morgan college. He was at one time employed in the composing room of the Afro-American. It is thought that he will likely hang out his shingle in Raleigh, N. C.

# CHURCH NOTICES

ST. JAMES' CHURCH.
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7.00 A.M. HOLY COMMUNION, 2nd and 4th Sundays in the month.
11 A. M. Divine Service.
6. P. M., Service and Sermon.

ALLEN A. M. E. CHURCH—Lexington and Carlton Sts., Sunday at 11 A. M., sermon by the pastor; 2.30 P. M., Sunday School; 7.30 P. M., sermon by the pastor.
William Taylor, Superintendent.
Rev. J. W. Norris, Pastor.

Perkins Square Baptist Church—11 a. m. sermon by the pastor; 3.30 p. m. Holy Communion; 8 p. m. sermon by pastor; special music including orchestra. Rev. F. R. Williams, D. D., Pastor.

St. John A. M. E. Church, Sunday September 29. Sermon to the Order of Good Hope by Rev. C. G. Key, under the auspices of Naomi Lodge, No. 19, at 3 P. M. The choir and congregation of St. Paul M. E. Church will be present. Proceeds for the benefit of the November rally. Your presence is solicited.
L. H. Davis Leader; Mrs. Annie E. Butler, captain of Class 8.
Rev. J. Albert Johnson, D. D., pastor

NOTICE.—You are cordially invited to participate with William W. Davis Lodge, No. 714 G. U. O. of O. F., in their annual sermon on the 4th Sunday in September which is the 27th, at 3 P. M. at Ebenezer Baptist church, on 23rd street, north Baltimore. The sermon will be preached Rev. Jones Pastor in charge. Come one, come all and help to make this a glorious affair.

WOMAN'S DAY.

At Waters A. M. E. Church, Sunday, Sept. 13, 1903, under the management of the Women absolutely
Speakers: Mrs. L. M. Lampton, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. T. H. Brooks, Mrs. Emma Truxton, Mrs. Martha E. Murphy, Mrs. Mary F. Handy, Miss. Annie E. Johnson, Miss Nannie B. Grooms, Mrs. Charlotte Giles, Mrs. Harriet A. Hilliard, Mrs. Cornelia Anderson,
Two services—11 A. M. and 3 P. M.
Mrs. Blanche Bevans, President; Mrs. Mary Cephas, Secretary; Rev. John Hurst, Pastor.

GRAND BABY RALLY.

A Grand Baby Rally will be given at St. John's A. M. E. Church, Lexington street, near Pine, Sunday, September 13th, 1903, at 3 o'clock P. M. All are cordially invited. All presons holding punch Cards, Dime Helpers, or Helping Hands, will please return the same on the above date.
Rev. J. Albert Johnson, D.D., Pastor.

UNION CAMP MEETING.

At Paradise Grove, Sunday 11 A. M., Bro. Columbus Handy; 3.30 P. M. Rev. Lewis Flagg, of Ebenezer A. M. E. Church, Washington, D. C.; 7.30 Rev. O. Waters.
Rev. C. W. Morsell, Pastor.

SPECIAL

Do not fail to attend the special Endowment Day services for the cause of Christian education to be held in Bethel A. M. E. Church, Saratoga street near Gay, on Sunday evening, September 20th, 1903 at 7.45 p. m. under the auspices of the Sunday school, consisting of solos, duets, choruses, recitations etc. Thk Monumental Orchestra under the leadership of Prof. J. C. Anderson, will be in attendance. Mrs. Mary S. Roberts, Mrs. Ella Thompson, Miss Viola Tilghman, instructors. Mr. Edward Barnett, director Come early and secure good seats. Positively, silver offering at the door. J. H. Murray, Supt., Miss L. E. Campbell, secretary, Rev. A. L. Gaines, D. D., pastor.

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# PERSONAL NOTES

Miss Cornelia Carter is spending a few days at Atlantic City.

Messrs John D. and John W. Wilson have returned home from Cape May.

Miss J. Brown of 689 W. Mulberry street, is visiting her sister in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Pitts of Henrietta street has returned home from a visit to Atlantic City.

Miss. Susie Hicks has returned home after a pleasant stay at Maple Cottage, Govans, Md.

Mr. William O. Hammond, who has been very sick at his home in Pierce street, is improving.

Miss Katie Thomas, of N. Howard street has returned home after a very pleasant stay at Patterson, N.J.

Mr. Wm. Frye, of E. 23rd street has returned from Atlantic City, where he spent a successful season.

The Baltimore Conservatory of Music will open Monday, September 14th. All pupils are requested to attend.

Misses Janet Robinson and Ethel Young, returned to the city last week, from a three weeks stay in Essex Co., Va.

Miss Elinor Peaco returned to the city Thursday from West River, and left Saturday for Richmond, Va., to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. Mary Selden of Boston, Mass., who has been in the city for a month as the guest of her daughter Mrs. J. J. Gray, returned to her home last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Freeland of Philadelphia, have been spending sometime in Washington. Mr. Freeland extended his visit to Atlantic City.

Mrs. Sophie F. Jones and her son Mr. Jas. H. Jones of Courtland St., have returned home from a ten days' visit to their relatives and friends in New York.

Mrs. J. Gassaway and daughter Josephine have returned home after a five weeks' stay in the New England states visiting Boston, Providence, Narragansett and Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew A. Jones are smiling all over their faces these days over the arrival of a pair of twins on August 21. Mother, daughter and son are all getting on finely.

Rev. W. W. Allen, pastor of Shiloah Baptist Church, George Street and Clinton Avenue, has returned from a very pleasant visit to Virginia, where he has been visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. P. Warrenington and sons, John and Charles, of Milwaukee, Mich., are in the city visiting her sister and mother-in-law Mrs. Ida Warn and Mrs. Nancy Cottman of 1309 Etting street.

Rev. Hurst and the people of Wate[illegible] A. M. E. Church will go to Cambridge Monday, September 14th, on the Steamer Louise to unveil the memorial window of the new Bethel Church of that city. A grand good old time is expected in Cambridge.

Steamer leaves at 7.30 A. M. and return to Baltimore at 10.30 P. M.

Mrs. Annie P. R. Jackson and Mrs. E. P. Reid of Bloom street, have returned from a two week's trip to Atlantic City. They were the guest of Mrs. M. Gibbons Williams, 616 Atlantic avenue. They also visited Pleasantville and Brigantine, N. J., to look after their property.

Mr. Ira T. Bryant of Nashville, Tenn., and an employee in the Government Printing office, Washington, D. C., was in the city this week. He is a candidate for the position of Secretary of the Sunday School Union of the A. M. E. Church, in which office he learned his trade. Mr Bryant is making an active canvass for the position he is seeking.

ARM FRACTURED.—Mrs. Mary Braxton, of 535 W. Hoffman street, fell from a car of the United Railway Company on Monday night and fractured her arm. Mrs. Braxton suffered considerably from the shock.

AN EPISCOPAL SERVICE IN A METHODIST CHURCH.

Upon the invitation of the pastor Rev. John Hurst, D. D., Rev. Dr. Bragg, Rector of St. James Church with his vested choir, male and female, with violin and cornet, invaded Waters Church last Sunday evening and gave a service which will long be remembered. The full choral evensong was rendered, the choir entering the church in procession preceded by the cross-bearer. It was an Episcopal service from beginning to end. Dr. Bragg's theme was "Wilberforce and Payne." The whole service and sermon was greatly enjoyed by the immense throng that filled the church. The large and sweet toned organ was exhibited at its best under the skilful manipulation of Prof. A. O. Carter, the organist and choir-master of St. James. The "soloists" were Messrs. James Fessenton and Henry Peters.