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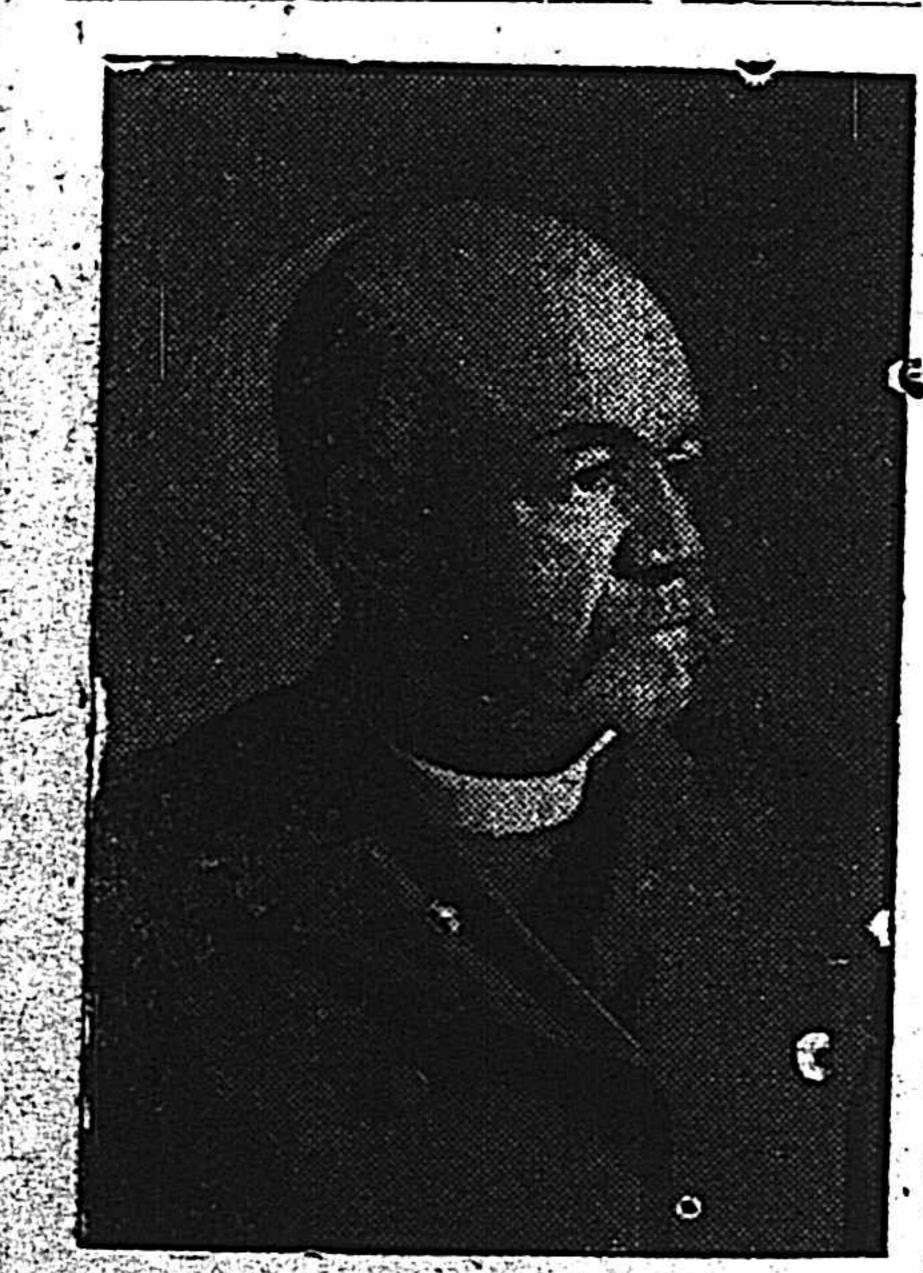
REV. I. S. LEE

HIS SUSPENSION RAISED APPOINTED PASTOR OF THE NEW CHURCH.

Mas Been Placed In The Second Episcopal District Under Bishop Gaines.—Bishops' Council Make nancial Secretary Reports Over Raised Since General Conference. -Bishop Arnett Lectures. -Theological Courses For Young Ministers.

(Special to The Afro-American Ladger.) Bishope's Conucil of the African Meth. gregation and settle the dispute. After odist Episcopal Church, convened in consulting with the bishops, Bishop their mid-winter session last Thursday Turner was advised to make the visit morning, the 19:n mst., in Visitors' and if possible adjust the differences. Turner and W. J. Gaines, of Atlanta, Bishops' Council could meet and pass Ga.; B. W. Arnett and B. F Lee, Wil. upon the differences. During the time hospital was moved here from Rich-C; W. D. Chapp lie, Nashville. Tonn., the church to organize themselves into and W. H. Heard, Atlanta. Ga.

ercises, conducted by Bishop L. J Coppin and assisted by Rev. W. D. Chappelle. H. M. Turner, seuier bish- Episcopal District. op. delived a snort address, stating had Rev. L. W. W. Manaway, of Jack. was thankful that the bishups were son, Miss., was present and acted as spareit meet and consider the work that was to be brought befor- them. He stried that the work of the church



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was growing so fast that it was appar. | groes in the State of Mississippi, and in ent the bishops would have to hold their that time we shall be able to join in sessions for a longer period than of with them, very likely paying as much late; he congratulated the bishops and for educational purposes as any other show an enrollment of over twelve death sentence of Sydney Johnson to mouth closed. the year.

Lampton, financial secretary; W. D. ops W. J. Gaines, B. F. Lee and B. W. sleep out under tents, for some reason majority of the people of this county, it. Bishop Cottrell was in Columbus

Heard, secretary of the Preacher. Aid Jackson has already been employed by ored of mixed blood, such as mulattoes the prospects for a larger output of coal who represented the Book Concern. He (Brown) Freeman on Saturday Jan. 14. were highly elated over the work if Will receive aid from the fund. their several departments. The Sunday School Union is so heavily loaded with work that Rev. Chapelle is making arrangements to place new presses and other modern improvements that he

may be able to get the work out

Whey Avenue Church, Pittsburg, Pa. | years was pastor of the M. E. Church | By the way, there is a chap-I connect | that time were worth 10 cents a piece and may pay my respects and attention

Frank Stewart, who is said to be one of the ablest colored lawyers of the East, and two of his trustees. Kev. Lowery, present pastor of the church, was accompanied by Rev. W. B. Anderson the presiding elder and several members' of the Wiley Avenue church.

Rev. I. S. Lee and his congregation

Derrick, on being assigned to his district, after repeated invitations were extended so him to visit the church, refused to accept the invitations, but paid the other churches repeated visits; second, as the presiding Bishop, he received petitions signed by the officers and members, also resolutions asking for the return of their pastor; that the Bishop ignored their petitions and reso. lutions; fourth, that Bishop Derrick assigned and sent Rev. Walter Lowery A Decision In His Case. - Fi- as pastor of the church, thereby violating the laws and customs of the church iu seuding a pastor to the charge with an appointment more than forty eight hours One Hundred Thousand Dollars befor the adjournment of the said annual conference.

The controversy continued to grow

until three hundred members withdrew aud established a new church, with Rev. I. S. Lee as their pastor. Bishop Derrick claimed under the laws of the church and the di-cipline, he had the right to remove a pastor when in his judgement the work warranted it. The controversy spread until Bishop H. M. Hot Springs. Ark. January 24 .- The Turner was appealed to visit the con-

a separate church, appointed Rev. Lee The session opened with religious ex as their pastor and placed the church and Rev. Lee under a superv's n of Bishop W. J. Gaines, of the Second

> . Marshal for the Bishops. On Wednesday night; Bishop B. W. Arnett delivered a lecture on 'Our Fa

ther's Church" to a large audience. On Thursday night a public reception was given. The welcome address was delivered by Mayor George R. Belding. Bishop M. B. Salter replied to the address. Rev. J. A. Jackson represented the Baptist Church, Bishop Evans Tyree represented the Bishop's Council, and was followed by Bishop B. F. Lee, who introduced the Bishops and explained the work carried on in the differant districts.

Friday night, Bishop Grant was greet ed with a large congregation and delivered his favorite lecture, entitled "Difficult Problems Confronting the American people. In answer to Gov. J. K. Vardeman of Mississippi on expending funds tor the education of the Negro, Bishop used the following language: "He seems to forget that we have given three hundred years to the development of the resources of that great State, and that the revenues accraing from our la bors assisted in educating him and his parents and for all that class of people for whom we labored, and further with. out pay. The interest on the money going to the white people of the State from the labor of the Negroes in the time just indicated, for the next one bundred years, will educate all the Ne-

as the members, for the excellent re. Rev. S.J. Miller of Little Rock, Ark., the hespital. pirts mad at all the conferences during superintendent of the John C. Martin fund, an endewment of \$2.000,000, for of white doctors In fact, there are few are colored. mart of the session was devoted to hear. Co neil a visit and stated that it was Chappelle, secretary of the A. M. E. Arnett were appointed as a committee best known to the physician in charge | Too coal mines are working good while I was there and there was a white

> REV. O. D. PINCHAEY TAKES UP THE MANTLE OF JAQ. JANPER.

GD. Pinckney, pastor of the Leigh note the small number of light skinned Street Methodist Church, has assumed inmates there. who orought complaints against Bishop at Frederick, Md., and preached quite ed with the hospital, where insane and the remaining ten cents were for to it another time. on Sundays.

complained first, that Bishop W. B. A PLACE WHERE THE INSANE, PREACHER PEACHES TO IN-SANE PATIENTS

> Hospital For Colored Insane Fatients -- Splendid Duildings Erected By The State-Twelve Hundred Inmates-More Dark Skinned Patients Than Light Oues - Consumptive Patients Sleep in Tents In The Open Air -The Place Is Self-Supporting

(Special to The Afro-American Ledger.) Petersburg, Va.. Jan. 25-About two Colored Lunatics. Some years ago the with his protracted meeting.

This asylum, according to statistics, is entirely self supporting. The patterns work on the large farms in the tients work on the large farms in the various departments where the greater part of the food sonsumed is raised. The clothing worn is made by the women, who also do the laundry work. All of this work is done under the supervision

ef competent superintendents. Inside and out, if one could only be deaf to certain sounds, the C.S H. is a beautiful place, but we are of the opinion that were we there, incarcerated for some slight brain trouble, among the howlidg, crying, praying, dancing screaming patients, we should in some lucid moment, write over the handsome Pays His Respects To Governor portal; Who enters here leaves hope

GOVERNOR'S ACTION MEETS APPOVAL

Commuted Sentence Of Murderer To Imprisonment For Life.— Dog Feasts On Sacred Litera. ture-Presiding Eller Helped With Revival.

(Sp cial to The Afro-American Ledger.) Frostburg, Mi., Jan. 24.-Winter is Natchez, Miss.-If you would take that spring will arrive on time.

THE NEGRO HAS TOO MUCH CIVILIZATION TO HAVE HIS EDUCATION STOPPED

Davis of Arkansas-Tells ()f Dr Logan Missionary Secretary of the Methodist Episcopal Church Who Is A Great Man And Do Time-Father Says It Would be Well For Him Not To Return On Penalty Of A Funeral.

still with us, (ves?) and it don't seem in time and learn about the men and woa burry about moving on, but we guess men of your race who are making it in morning, the 19th inst., in Visitors' and it possible to do so, he but finding it impossible to do so, he Chapel on Church street, of which the left the city, advising Rev. Lee to resident the Central State Hospital for ling the week and help Rev. Hammond of this world, the more impressed I am FEDERATION OF this world, I am sure that you would situated the Central State Hospital for ing the week and help Rev. Hammond of this world, the more impressed I am with it and the more desire to stay I' One day last week a dog belorging to have. I hope you will be willing to lisberforce, O; Abram Grant, Kansas C.ty | Rev. Lee was summoned by the presidence mond. A large tract of land which was found his way into Dickerson A. M. E. and doing since I wrote to you the last Kan.; M. B. Salter, Charleston, S. C.: ing elder, tried and suspended

Evans Tyree, Nashville, Tenn.; C. T. Rishon Darrick Rays Lag and Lowert School and Lo Shaffer, Chicago, Ill.; L. J. Coppin, Bishop Derrick, Reve. Lee and Lowery State and a large, handsome building have an appetite for sacred literature. Prot. Mitchell at Greenboro, Ala. I Pailadelphia, Pa. Bi-hops James A. then took the case under advisement erected. Since that time, several more He commenced on the pulpit Bible, think I said that the one thing he need. Handy, Baltimore, Md; P. T. Tanner, and appoint d Bishops Gaines, Shaffer, buildings have been added. Recently, and after demolishing it he turned his ed above all others was a wife, and now Jacksonville, Fla., and C. S. Smith of and Coppin to make their report on the the old Simmons estate and a large por attention to hymn books and finished the news comes to methat he has taken General officers: H B. Park, New ing the suspension of Rev. Lee, grantcourting and it was none of my business so it is not surprising to your mind that I did not know it. I think it is getting

> but they think it out loud. wrote to you the last time. I told you of their vice president, Miss Viola Hall. about Dr. T. V. James, and his family. The following are the newly elected and I told you about other things. I am officers: Miss Edith Brown, president; proud to be able to say a word or two to Miss Viola Hall, vice president; Miss. you about Rev. Griffin Logan, D. D., of Norinne McCormick, secretary; Miss Holly Springs, Miss. who is field secre- Edith Smith, assistant secretary, and tary of the Missionary Department of Miss Bessie Harris, treasurer. the Methodist Episcopal Church, and On Friday evening as the Onley street who is without a doubt doing a great Baptist church the following were orwork in this country. Dr. Logan is the dained Deacons by the pastor, Rev. E. right man for the place and I congratu- H McDonald, in an interesting manner: late the M E. Church upon having such Armstead Lewis, Benj. Mobrey, Wm. a brilliant young man in its midst. Dr. Worthen and Frank S. Bowen. Local Logan is a credit to his race and church and out of town pastors assisted. and we good Baptists are proud of him Mrs. Sophia McCormack, of Chambecause he is a man.

daughter of Dr. J. M. Shumpert. She work again. is educated, and a model house wife, and The many friends of Mrs. Sophia is working side by side with her hus. Brown in Baltimore and South will be band to lift up our people.

cape in Columbus, and I am away. Hell is turned loose down here in the South sick. Mrs. Rachel Love has been on the land. That is the devils are in session. sick list this week. Mr. John Monroe It is not out of place for me to tell you who has been at the Hospital is out that the average legislators in this again and in good health. Southland these days are devils, and On Sanday night at the People's A. they try to get the Negro. I tell you M. E. Zion church, Rev. A. McCallum, what is true, I would rather for the devil pastor, there will be a Candle Rally. to get me than for some of these South- At Wadsworth St. A. M. E. Zion ern white folks. All white folks down church Sunday night. The Women's here are not bad, and I am here to tell Industrial Club, a branch of the N. E. you that all of them are not bad, and I Federation gave a successful sacred am here to tell you that all of them are concert and rally for the benefit of the not good, and it is impossible for me to pastor, Rev. S. W. Hutchings. The tell you which set of them is good and leading spirits being Mrs. Morris, Mr.

bundred patients under treatment at life imprisonment. List fall Johnson | I left Columbus, and found my way to cials on Friday night at her home on shot and instantly killed two men in a Lickson. Bishop Spellmeyer was to Calhoun avenue. A good time is re-The medical staff is composed entirely notorious salson in Camberland. All preach, but he failed to get to town so ported. At the conclusion of the devotional the establishment of theological courses positions of trust occupied by colored Strong efforts were put forth by some preaching. I tell you the pastor of the successful considering the general trend exercises the bishops proceeded to hold for the young colored men who wish to persons; the attendants, however, both of the best white people of this county church there is a big man. He is Rev. of daily life. Rev. Fernanders, McCalmale and female, are colored. The hos in his benalf and their efforts have been McMorris, but he can't see anybody but lum, Davis and Smith are conducting pital as well as the other buildings, are successful. He is little over nineteen himself, and you may tell him that I them. ing reports of the generals efficers, H. the desire of the trustees to establish fitted with all modern conveniences and years old. The action of the Governor rold you so, and if he demands an ex-

and octoroons, were far more prone to during the year are very encouraging. took advantage of being called on to Mrs. Ida Coston was buried on Jan. 11 in that little knot on the white man's severe cold. Mr. Thomas L. Brown is shoulder he calls a head. I tell you succeeding admirably as superintendent His Conscience TROUBLED HIM | that there are many Legro preachers in of the Wadsworth St Sunday School. dollar money raised since the adjourn. who for years taught his flock from the why so many of four race are insane ago a well known colored man of this man how to pray at least. He told God again after a long and serious illness, ment of the General Conference, May, pulpit of Sixth Mount Zion Church that these days. When years ago in the city approached an equally well known that all the ministers in that colored 1904, \$184,582,38, with several annual "the sun do move." Rev. Mr. Pinck- younger days of our parents, an insane white man and tendered him 30 cents, conference could not be presiding elders." ney occupied an hour and a half in ela- Negro was almost unknown. In these at the same time telling him that the 30 and many of them would be sorely dis-The greater part of the council was cidating this proposition, basing his parts one has ventured the opinion cents was payment for two watermelous appointed, and he called on God to asspent in hearing the well known once of argument on Joshua's famous action, that there is nowadays "too much bad that he had purloined from his store to sist them to bear their affliction. I will Rev. 1.8 Lee, formerly pastor of the Rev. Mr. Pinckney for a number of liquir and too little good religion." | the summer of 1866. Watermelons at not say more on the subject just now,

great man, and who is respected by all the people. Dr. Topp was at the stable when I got off and extended me a cordial welcome. He escorted me by the place of business owned and operated by H. T. Risher, who is doing a great big business down here in this part of the country. My heart was supplied at this place and thea I turned my attention to other things. I shall never forget the time I had there. We had an "Old Aunt Dolly" time. If you want to write to me send your letter to me at Selma, Ala., care of Selma University. I left Jackson the next afternoon; after looking over the town, I left for this town, and when I got off of the wagon at the stable with many others the first to attract my attention was Rev. R. A. Adams, was jumping around like a chicken with his head cut off looking for "General" J. O Midnight. Before he could find me D. Shumpert had escorted me out to the A. M. E. horse and buggy. This was owned by Rev. R. A. Adams, pastor of the A. M. E. church. ing A Fine Work-A Bride. His people do not want to have their pastor humiliated by riding on "jimgroom Who Failed To Come To crow" street cars so they purchased him a buggy and an old horse. He is a little old it is true, but he can get around so as to keep a fellow from walking, and I am here to tell you that I enjoyed riding in this Methodist horse and buggy.

Topp, D. D., who is without a doubt a

You do not krow much about Rev. R A. Adams, but I certainly want you to know him. Ho is going to be known before he leaves this world. He is the husband of one of the best young wo-Continued on Page 5.

WOMEN'S CLUBS

Hold Meeting And Listen To An Inspiring Address - Accidently Killed — Revival Services In Progress-Social Notes And Happenings.

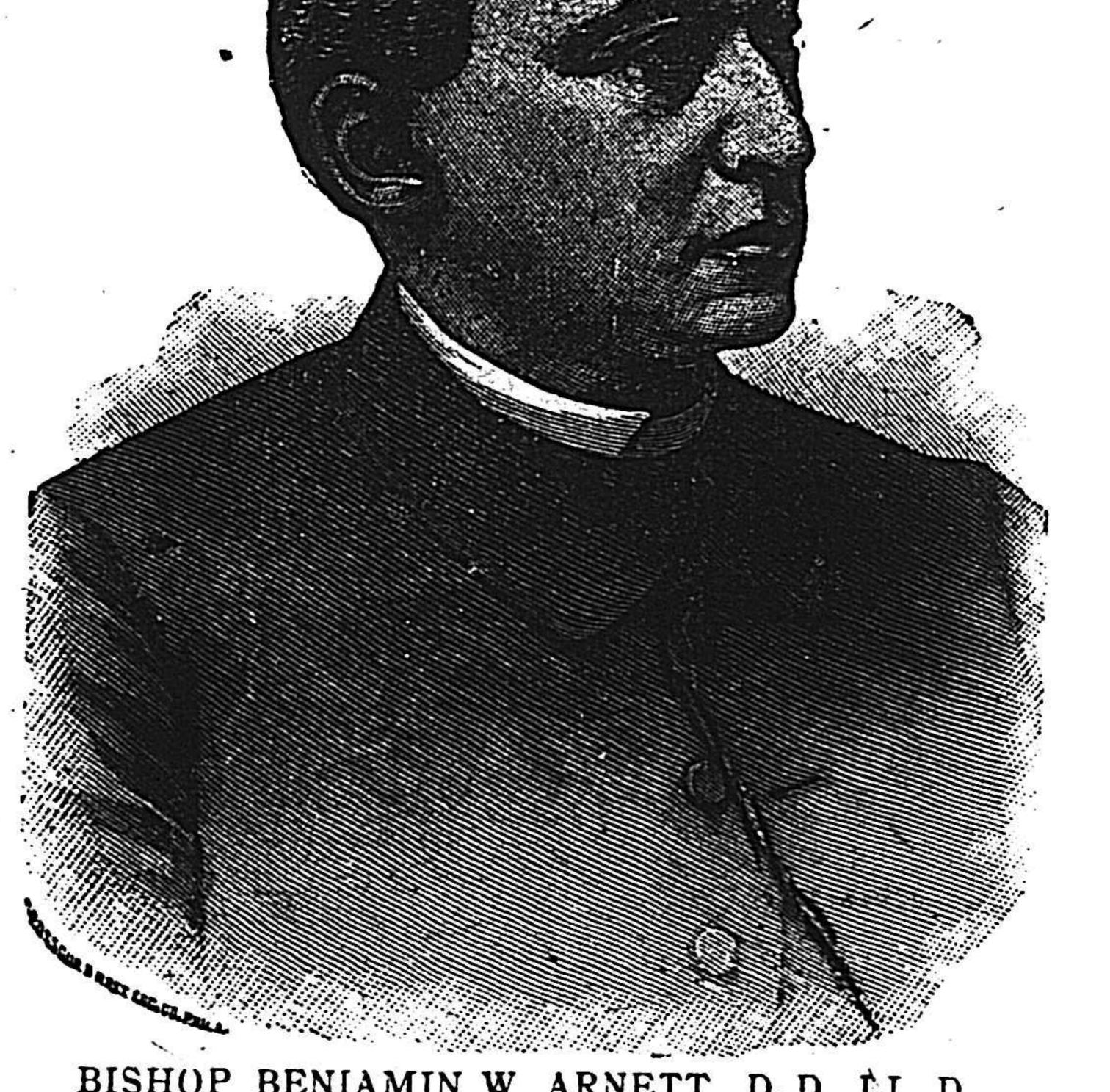
ospecial to The Afro-American Ledger. Providence, R. I., Jan. 35.-Miss Rohigh time that I was letting other folks berta Dunbar, president of the N. E. business alone and was attending to my Federation of Women's Clubs, addressown affairs. They do not tell me this ed in a pleasing manner the Young Laf was in Columbus, Miss., when I their friends on Jan. 12, at the residence

I admire Dr. Logan, because he is proving Harry McCormack, who has blessed with a good wife, who is the been confined to the house is one and at bers street, who has been quite ill is im-

pleased to hear that she is enjoying I have told you about my narrow es. very good health. Mr. Nathaniel Brown has been quite

Mrs. Georgie Young, of Laurel Hill avenue, is seriously ill with pneumonis. Adolphus Winfield was accidentally snot and killed by the careless handling

, also Mr. Emory B. Turner. MARRIAGE AT ATLANTIC CITY Princial to The Afro-Ar orican Leager. Atlantic City, Jan. 24.—Miss Ruth Osonrce, daughter of Marsha Osburne.



BISHOP BENJAMIN W. ARNETT, D. D., LL. D.

tion of the estate of Mr. John Newman | by taking the organ stool as a dessert. bave be-n added to the acreage of the Mighty queer dog that. hospital grounds. Recent statistics Well the Governor has commuted the which set is bad, hence I shall keep my and Mrs. R. L. Bailey and Mrs. Nellie.

Some years ago we read that the col- time despite the inclement weather, and man by the name of "Dr. Aultman" Richmond, Va., Jan. 24.—Rev. Dr. in the building, we were surprised to doors.

incanity than their darker haed brother. There is nothing much going on among pray and instead of praying ashe should after a short illness from the R. I. hose There must have been some mistake, our people. It is a well known fact do, got down on his knees and made a pital. She had been married but one however, as looking down upon the that they are no friends to cold weather speech about the presiding elders. I tell month. Mrs. Isabella Gasaway Puidy crowd of unfortunates from a window and they seem satisfied to keep well in you all the brains in this world are not has been confined to the house with a Rev. E. W. Lampton reported total the mantle of the late Rev. John Jasper We cannot help wondering just here Petersburg, Va., Jan. 22.—A few days this country who can teach Dr. Ault

W. B. Derrick of the Third Episcopal often in Baltimore on the subject: preachers hold forthto insune audiences interest. The money was received and In Jackson I had the pleasure of this city on January 9. The wedding both parties were well satisfied. spending the night with Rev. E. B. | was a quiet affair.