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### THE PUWER OF PRINCITLE

as a result we have in the world no quarrel. task for one to even faintly describe colored vote.

the State Normal School at Bowie, The officers of the Tuesday As- Bethel A. M. E. Church last Sunday with choice delicacies of the season, the blessing which has descended There was, however, a coterie after visiting his parents, Mr. and sembly were: Mr. Solomon Debugger which has descended through that of colored clergymen who under- Mrs. George D. Smith.

| Sembly were: Mr. Solomon Debugger with the sembly were in the sembly were i witness.

fundamental principle of Roosevelt Progressives, but here "right," and, sink, swim, live. again they were rejected.

a very successful entertainment on Mrs. Mary E. Holbrooks, Mesrs. friends last Thursday evening.

decide who were the winners, for or die, never to part wth that prin- Denied and rejected by both Dem- Monday night. ciple. Two Negro men, of brains ocrats and Progressives, but deter- The commencement of Public Jennings, John H. Gillespie, Rev. furnished music for the occasion. their oratorial ability. and incorruptible character, could mined to find a place and be count- School No. 3 will take place at J. L. Isles, Sloan, and Walter W. Games were indulged in until a Mrs. Annie Gardner who is the lead off in such a burial of their ed some where and having good Bazel Chapel A. M. E. Church June Brown. Mr. Isaac J. DeShields, very late hour after which the oldest member of the choir in serlives as would prove the seed for strong stomachs for any dish they 14. a harvest of good things, from a might be forced to eat, this devoted The Sunday School is busy pre- Club, read a report of the club's dining room, where the delicacies the choir, and Mr. Joseph Brcwn, racial standpoint, analogous to the band assumed the role of prodigals paring for children's exercises work which showed that the club of the season were served. evangelical piety and spiritual and went back to the G.O.P., which will be held this Sunday. power which the Wesleys gave to made tearful protestations of their the world and posterity. We have undying, unchanged, and unchange- the anniversary sermon of the Gali- tary of Mr. Walter W. Brown, lege, are at home for summer. assemblies and social clubs, which able love for that party and its lean Fishermen on June 16. eagerly covet the opportunty of standard bearer, and were eagerly catering to the social needs of the welcomed by the Taft people, who race. We have no word to say have been catching at straws ever aganst this; but, it is a fact that since one T. R. entered the field. the larger vision of racial aspira- In return for being taken back into tion in the essentials of man's high- the fold these political clergymen est needs await the bold enterprises promised to hold a convention of oration Day was generally observed and Mrs. Burse and Anderson Friof a few men of devotion, who, colored men and endorse Taft. having seen the vision of the larg- On a few hours' n)tice this con- gave a banquet at Odd Fellows Hall

Mrs. Walter W. Brown has re- Jr. secretary; Mr. Robt. H. Clark, able, a vote of thanks was extended er and noble life, are minded to vention met in Washington and the at night. Revs. J. W. Jewett and turned after spending three weeks assistant secretary; Mr. Jas. W. to Mrs. P. C. Neal for the interest stand as firm as a rock in midocean delegates composed of a few re- L. J. Robins were among the speak- in Pittsburgh, Pa., the guest of Hughes, treasurer; and Rev, Geo. manifested. upon the fundamental principle of spectable men attracted more by ers. Mr. P. L. Henry and Miss her brothers, John P. and H. E. F. Bragg, Jr., chaplain truth. It may, sindeed, seem a curiosity than by anything else, Helen Henry furnished the music. Reynolds. burial for such to expend their vi- and a large number of colored Mrs. Chance H. Wilson, of Baltal powers in arousing a keen and gentlemen in overalls, shirt sleeves, timore, was here a few days ago. insatiable thirst for that kind of dirt, and rags, who had been gathknowledge, in things secular as ered in from the alleys and saloons turned from Delaware State Colwell as religious, hallowed with a in the neighborhood of the church lege and Master William Purnell

tions and ideals of life must have behind them the Power of Principle. Education in its best sense, culture in its practical ennobling, aspects, and virtue in the garb which surmounts all the littleness lit more abundantly.

great hindrances, but rather in the Hittle every day annoyances as injealousies, vain-glory, and a heart down the lld.—Indianapolis Star. wholly centered in the things which we see. At this season of the year when so many young people are lentering upon life, from our in the secret chambers of their visitors. People accustomed to for their little exclusive affair. souls ardently desire to be true their services find Negroes more men and true women with the satisfactory as waiters than white finest quality of cultivated intel- men, but for some reason they have lects, balanced by a character ab- not been widely employed in New solutely immune from sefishness York.—Indianapolis Star. and avarice, eager to get into the ring that they may make solid Resolutions Commending We are not responsible for the and substantial contributions to, eturn or preservation of unsolicited the brain power and character of the nation, in such we have, in embryo, the Power of that mighty African Methodist Episcopal Zion Hatchett, according to Mr. Brown's All articles sent to this office for Principle destined to realize the Conference, at Charlotte, N C., testimony, said he represented the publication, must have the writer's great 'vision' which God, in His the Afro-American Ledger was the Tuesday Assembly and agreed to honored forebears, as in faith and the delegates read. A batch was ing an aristocratic gathering at deep humility of heart, they sang sent there each week, and they Brown's Grove on September 10, office by Thursday to insure publica- saw afar the coming glory of egates, who not only saw a complete cursion, Jupiter Pluvius showed his

TAFT'S COLORED SUPPORTERS

which is not only a violation of the without a dissenting vote. Hayes Surrender.

It is not necessary to write very! The charges made by the Taft in its reports."

those of African descent especially gentlemen who hold high official W. Jones to a representative of lis, was placed on the stand, and it Holmes, Misses Martha owen, of its choice selections which were need to apply themselves in the positions under the Taft administ the Afro-American Ledger a day was brought out that his books did Estelle L. Brown, Florence V. highly complimented by the audidirection as indicated by the Power tration and also with more or less or so ago. "The delegates read not show any such authorization. Purviance, Annie E. Smith, Fran- ence. After the rendition of the of Principie. Once upon a time, enthusiasm advocated the renomithe issues sent with eagerness and Mr. Callis was severely grilled by ces P. Smith, Emily F. Stevens, program, the choir marched gracetwo young men got together, and nation of President Taft, we have satisfaction, and the wide scope Attroney McGuinn, who represent- Daisy M. Walker, Estellena L. Wil- fully to a very appropriate strain

useful monument to the Power of tioned the actions of the colored Your paper exceeded all other the fact that since the bill has been Johns. Principle. John and Charles Wesley voters who for any reasons satis- papers in the accuracy of its re- due the Tuesday Assembly has been were the two young men, who, less factory to themselves felt that ports of the three General Confer- merged into the new Baltimore Asthan two hundred years ago dis- Taft was the best man in the field ences, and also beat them all by sembly. After much argument on covered the mighty Power of stand- and voted as they felt. It is grati- giving the very latest proceedings." the part of opposing counsel, the ing together in the embrace of a fying to know however that both rinciple which had embraced them. of these classes comprise an in- Cockeysville, Md. June 6.—Mr. a verdict of \$100 rendered against John Bartise, of Camden, N. J., while roses, made a gorgeous proprinciple which had embraced them. And, it would be an impossible significant minority of the whole George F. Smith has returned to Mr. Hatchett.

upon all the word through that of colored clergymen who under- Mrs. George D. Smith. took to deliver the colored voters A surprise was attended Mr. and Scott, treasurer, and Mr. James A. Ir the very nature of things, such of the country bag and baggage to Mrs. Moses Quickly last Wednes- B. Callis, secretary. a movement begins small. Its the Democrats, but were uncer- day in honor of their thirty-first birth is rather the symbol of death. emoniously denied admission to wedding anniversary. A very en-The few who espouse such a cause that party, although they had joyable evening was spent with seem to die. They verily lose their gone to great extremes in de- music and games, after which they lives in a supreme effort that they, nouncing the G.O.P. in general were ushered into the dining room, and others, might have life and and Taft in particular, in order to where all seemed surprised at the have it more abundantly. It is just qualify as good and regular Dem- tastefulness of the decorations as this spirit that the race needs at ocrats. Rejected by the Democrats well as the enjoyable repast placed present. The spirit to discover they sought an asylum with the before them.

deep sense of the abiding presence in which this rump convention was has gone to Philadelphia.

of the Almighty, but, after all, it held. fullness and power. Our concep-men and a local politician, is a church.

fair sample of the kind of colored SOCIETY AFFAIR people who are supporting Taft. people who are supporting Taft.

What Will He Do When Roosevelt Is Nominated?

Politics has not been discussed around in nature, are realities, and the result having given great ofsymbols of power and strength fense to Gen. Agnus, editor and which come only to the few who owner, and in ardent supporter of are wiling to pay the price exacted Taft. As the paper was until the inlosing one's life that he may find opening of the campaign enthusiastic in its praise of Theodore Our great difficulty lies not in Roosevelt, with indications that the editorial staff were his sincere admirers, it seem likely that Editor

Of Course They Do

have been fairer or more accurate ters to pay, he had only received Levi K. Moore.

money We live in an age which is were paid to vote against him are Conference were highly pleased The Tuesday Assembly claimed Purviance, treasurer, and Miss An- "The Appreciation of the Church peculiarly materialistic, and this simply desperate ruses to cover up with the way that your paper that it did not authorize Mr. Hatch- nie E. Smith, secretary.

for the Service of the Choir.' The special phase has been much over- a series of ignominious defeats. handled the reports of the Gener- ett to contract for the affair, and The following members of the choir, under the direction of Prof. worked. Along with other people W With those distinguished colored al Conference," said Rev. E. D. its secretary, Mr. James A. B. Cal- class were present: Mrs. Bertha Robert Thompson, rendered some of news contained therein was a ed the owners of Brown's Grove. liams, Mary, I. Wright, Mr. Lewis played by Prof. Benjamin Thomptoday a most magnificent and ever | We are willing to pass unques- revelation and a treat to many. Attorney McGunn also brought out H. Murray, and Mrs. Georgia Scott son, to an adjacent room, which

### Show Hill Notes

(Special to The Afro-American Ledger.) Snow Hill, Md., June 5. -- Dec- E. Johnson were out to see Mr. by the people here. The old soldiers day.

Mr. Alexander Purnell has re-

Mrs. Maria Dale, widow of 1s-

Hatchett

### dicated in smallness, selfishness Agnus has some trouble in holding Steamer Starlight, a big shore din- quet of the class of 1902, of the cises of Morgan College were held ner there and an unpaid bill for Colored High School, held at the at the Sharp Street Memorial Church the same, caused some of the lead- Mount Street School, Saturday Tuesday evening. The church was ers in local society circles to be able affairs ever given by a grad- friends of the graduates. Few Negro waiters are employed grilled in the Court of Common uating class of that school. schools and colleges, it is well to in New York, and the proposed Pleas on Tuesday, where members The class was the first to finish by Lawrence M. Chamberlin, who In every community where there restaurants for the striking white of the Tuesday Assembly and Mr. after the white faculty had been delivered an oration on "The

The suit was brought by Messrs.

Brown's Grove. During the recent session of the Grove and give them dinner. Mr.

letter and spirit of the Republican "We wish to thank the Afro- Manager Brown testified that he Shipley was the caterer. platform upon which he was elect. Amercan Ledger," read the reso- was willing to wait a reasonable Among the guests were Prof. ed their choir a grand reception BALTIMONE, JUNES, 1912 ed. but is the heaviest and most luton, "for its very excellent retime for his money and that and Mrs. Thomas W. Turner Miss Thusrday evening, May 30, at the destructive blow to our citizenship ports of the A. M. E. Zion Gen-though he had shaved \$25 off the bill Annie O. H. Williamson, Prof. and church. A very interesting proaimed at it since the days of the eral Conference. No paper could following the promise of the promo- Mrs. D. O. W. Holmes, and Mr. gram was arranged for the occa-

Coursey, president; Dr. D. Grant

## Cockeysville Happenings

lic school closed last Friday. Those Miss Mary A. Bailey gave a gar- had spoken it was too great a prob-The Galilean Fishermen gave who made short addresses were: den party in honor of a few of her lem for the most expert judges to which will be held this Sunday.

Rev. W. H. S. Bailey will preach the Colimbia Sunday.

Rev. W. H. S. Bailey will preach All the speakers spoke complimentary Thomas, of Dover State Colimbia Sunday.

Harry Thomas, of Dover State Colimbia Sunday. president of the club for his work as a leader and for getting the country school board to open a four month school here. The club St. James Beneficial Society on laurels along his path way and that also ran the school four months. Mrs. Mary Green and Miss Alice

Mrs. Estella Hall, Mrs. Mary Funeral of Mrs. Annie Sears. Brooks, and Miss Vannockiel were out last week.

of the Almighty, but, after all, it lies.

This convention, under the lead- may Dale, was strcken with paralys- Walter W. Brown to Camden Sta- May 29th, at her home, 507½ Myr. attending the graduation of their is only that kind of burial which This convention, under the lead- may Dale, was strcken with paralys- Walter W. Brown to Camden Sta- the avenue. She is a serviced by attending the graduation of their marks the beginning of life in its ership of a few disgrantled clergy- es Sunday. while on her way to on her return from Pittsburgh.

# BANQUET OF CLASS OF 1902, C. H. S.

and selfishness peculiar to those who see not the great Father all can since the Maryland primaries who see not the great Father all can since the Maryland primaries the result having given great of And Waring Respond to Awarded \$100 In Suit Against Mr. Truly Toasts In Happy Vein.

> A trip to Brown's Grove on the The decennial reunion and ban- The annual commencement exernight, was one of the most enjoy- crowded with the relatives and

young men and women who have not and make those places seem more in a suit to recover the money re- of them—Mrs. Corona Mason Cook, E. Hill were the other contestants. bowed the knee to "Baal," who, homelike to Southern and Western maining unpaid on the small bill Miss Elizabeth Johnson, and Miss The W. A. C. Hughes medal was

ley, owners of the Starlight and that have passed since graduation. uel P. Jones competed with her. Mr. Brown testified that Mr. secretary, gave a history of its the college, said that the Carnegie members, Prof. Hugh M. Browne, Fund was practically secured. Truly Hatchett arranged with him who was principal of the school The gaduates were: College deto take one hundred persons of aristhe year the class finished, talked partment, A. B.—Misses Lida L. Afro-American Ledger tocratic ideas down to Brown's reminiscently of "The 23 of 1902;" Bron, Salem, N. J., Texanna M. and Dr. J. H. N. Waring, who Fisher, Baltimore. succeeded Prof. Browne as princi-| College preparatory-Robert E. pal, told of the early experiences Johnson, Harrisonburg, Va., Harry of the class as teachers. The class E. Bron, Alexandria, Va.; Grafton Churches and others having news their slave songs of triumph as they were passed around among the delactices will please have the same in the saw afar the coming glory of egates who not only saw a complete cursion. Jupiter Pluvius showed his Ethiopia's blameless race stretch- report of their own proceedings, displeasure and on that September assembled guests. The speaker then Spaulding, Whitesboro, N. J.; Kotwill please have will please have report of their own proceedings, day it rained, and some of the distinguished party of one hundred retinguished party of one hundred retinguished party of one hundred retinguished party of one hundred retive work on his part that estab- wood, both of this city. al Conferences that met in Minnea, mained at home. Manager Brown polis and Kansas City, and the lathad, however, provided dinner for had, however, provided dinner for were making it uncomfortable for ton, Pa.; Ida E. Rogers, Mt. Wash-In the present presidential cam- During the closing session a one hundred persons of delicate the class of 1902, and which earned ington, Md.; Nathaniel Hall, Es-All communications intended for paign it is gratifying to note that resolution was offered thanking tastes. He had even engaged a him the title of Foxy Grandpa. ther E. Sewell, Martha L. Boston,

the country have responded with reports. Bishop Walters, who was cooks and waiters for the dinner of the resting talk on 'The Roll Books English normal—Archer A. Johnprivactical unanamity to the appeal presiding at the time, heartily ap- the elite. The reason that the of 1302." Mr. Lewis H. Murray son, Pittsburgh; Mary J. Gould, of the Afro-American Ledger to proved of the resolution, as did Dr. launch was used to carry down the was toastmster. The spirit of the Baltimore. take high ground in expressing W. H. Goler, president of Living- help, Mr. Brown testified, was betheir preferences in the primaries stone College; John C. Dancy and cause the exclusive promoters of
their preferences in the primaries stone College; John C. Dancy and cause the exclusive promoters of
the affair did not want their quests against William Howard Taft as Rev. E. D. W. Jones, of this city, the affair did not want their guests of the repast and enjoyed them-All Checks. Money Orders an the exponent of a Southern policy and others. The resolution passed to be on the same boat with plebian selves with a zest that showed that all cares had been forgot. Charles

part of the promised amount, hence The class officers are: Lewis H. of papers relating to music, "Its much concerning the power of managers that the black voters "The delegates to the General he had to enter suit.

Murray, president; Miss Florence Value in Church Worship," and

### Denton Notes

Denton, Md., June 6. - Rev. black broad cloth and bouquets of preached a very fine sermon at cession. The tables were stocked

only daughter of Wm. E. Myers, attired in the latest reception comdied suddenly Tuesday night. Mrs. mittee costumes of the season. Af-Robinson was married one year ago ter all had eaten to the satisfaction last February to Mr. John Robin- of their appetite, each one was inson, of Brooklyn, N. Y. She and troduced by the director of the her infant babe were buried at choir, Mr. Robert Thompson to ex-Spring Grove Cemetery.

(Special to The Afro-American Ledger.) Miss Della Bailey, of Philadel- agrand treat.

Fairfied, Md., June 4.—The pub- and Mrs. D. D. Bailey.

L. G. Vallandingham, J. Wesley Mr. Roland Dyer, of Oxford, Md., they all made a great display of secretary of the Educational School hostess ushered the guests into the vice, was styled as the "mother of

### · Elects Officers

last Monday night the following Mrs. Neal had not been left officers were elected for the en- desolate for she, too, was a very suing year: Mr. George B. Murphy, important factor in making the president; Mr. Jas. F. Fessenton, reception a success. So to make vice president; Mr. Henry Ryan, the feeling of appreciation equit-

Mrs. Annie Sears, wife of Mr. minds of all present. Mr. John Shitver has returned Wm. Sears, was buried from St.

## MORGAN COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT

E. Church Tuesday— It Was Largely Attended

The Baldwin gold medal was won In every community where there restaurants for the striking white can be found at least a few of our waiters will work quite a change Truly Hatchett were the defendants three young men and women. Three Robert E. Johnson and Miss Mary Emma Martin have passed away. won by Miss Jennie O. Tinsley, The program was reminiscent of who spoke on "The Horrors of George W. Brown and Walter Lang- school days, as well as the busy ones War." Grafton L. Moore and Sam-Miss Annie E. Smith, the class Dr. John O. Spencer, president of

superseded white teachers at the L. Moore, Ridgely, Md.; Robert Biddle Street School and some of A. Griffin, Aberdeen. Md.; Samuel the boys of the school tried to P. Jones, Wayside, Md.; John W.

# Tendered Reception

The First Baptist Church tendersion, which consisted particularly had been handsomely decorated by the commitee. The ladies were attired in white costumes with rosetts of white chiffon in their hair.. The gentlemen in suits of and costly bouquets of red, white press their appreciation for such

phia, is visiting her parents, Mr. Bouquets were to be awarded to the three best orators but after all

caused by sickness.

The closing remarks were made by the pastor, Rev. P. C. Neal, who, in his concluding remarks, At the regular meeting of the stated that each speaker strew

This being the first reception ever given in honor of the Chairman, in the history of the Church, it left a lasting impression upon the

from his home in Raleigh, N. C. Barnabas Church last Monday morn- Mr. and Mis. Rohoblt and daught-Mrs. Ella Bowie, accompanied ing. Mrs. Sears died Wednesday, er were in Washington this week