

The Event of the Season Will be a Musical and Strawberry Festival under the auspices of Waters' M. E. Sunday School, Spring street near Jefferson, Thursday and Friday evenings June 8th and 9th.

Grand Sacred Concert AT TRINITY TEMPLE (Twenty-third and Charles streets) Sunday June 11th, 1899, at 8 p. m. by a variety choir.

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Perkins Square Baptist Church, corner Georgia and Ogston sts. This wonderful ability will preach Sunday June 11th, at 8 p. m. Singing Meetings every night until the 16th.

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Correspondence.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE STATE.

CAMBRIDGE.

Miss Bertha Jones and Miss Estella Kerr have left town to spend the summer in one of the New England States. Prof. Benj. Jenifer is putting some improvements on his places.

The Mercy and Help department of the Epworth League of Waugh M. E. Church gave a purse of \$5.25 to the United Charity Hospital of this place.

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Quite a number of our people attended the dedication of Huts Chapel. The dedication service was conducted by Rev. I. H. White.

There will be a few more social events before society disperse. The N. B. K. debate and social to aid the building fund of Ebenezer M. E. Church.

Mrs. Margaret Harmon died on the 6th inst. The temporary structure for Ebenezer Church is nearly completed.

Trinity Baptist Church, 20th and Charles Street, Rev. G. R. Waller, pastor.—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. and 3 p. m.

Bethel Church, Saratoga near Gay Rev. J. Hurst, Pastor, preaching 11 a. m. 7:30 p. m. Preaching, Wesley School at 3 p. m.; Y. P. C. E., 6:30 p. m.

Trinity A. M. E. Church, Linden-ave. and Biddle street, Rev. J. W. Beckett, Pastor; the order of services will be: 11 a. m.; 2:30 p. m. Sunday-school; 6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor Society; 7:30 p. m.

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HINTS TO TEACHERS.

Your Class Will Fail to See the Point Unless You See It Yourself.

Mr. Wilton E. White, of Quincy, Ill. gives in his paper before the Commercial Teachers' Federation the following excellent suggestions to teachers:

1. Know your subject. Your class will fail to see the point unless you see it yourself.

2. Be enthusiastic. Your class will not be interested unless you are interested in your class. Enthusiasm is contagious.

3. Be painstaking. No matter how plain and simple a principle may be to you, don't hesitate to present it in all its phases, as the chances are it will be new to some and not so clear to others as it is to you.

4. Be good natured and cheerful. Development requires sunshine in the animal as well as the vegetable kingdom.

5. Be courteous, approachable and helpful. Give assistance to them that ask it. If you put them off once, they won't come again. It is much better to be too willing to explain a point or a subject than too slow.

6. Be clear. Make it your chief business to see that the class understands the work. That with which one is perfectly familiar he will be interested in, just as we teachers are mutually interested in our work and could 'talk shop' from morning till night.

7. Be patient. If something that has already been carefully explained is not fully understood, explain it again, and again—that is a teacher's business.

8. Be conscientious and fair. If you make a mistake or misstatement (what teacher does not) don't bluff it through; admit your error; students are not fools.

9. Be thorough. It is better to master a little than to smatter a book full. Remember that in our work results of a practical nature should be aimed at rather than too much abstract mathematics, but do not get the idea that only those things are practical with which you are familiar; other subjects are sometimes just as important.

10. Be industrious. Don't be afraid to earn your salary. Your employer is not so slow to observe your laziness and carelessness as he is to tell how much he values your services and how hard it would be for him to "break in" a new man. If you don't earn more than you get, you will never deserve advancement, and people get very little nowadays that they do not deserve.

AS BLACK AS POSSIBLE.

Why so Much Reported Crime Among Negroes.

The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church which met at Richmond, Va., a few days ago reported and resolved that crime is on the increase among the Negro population of the South, that three-fourths of the crime particularly among the younger members of the race is alarming.

This charge is as false as it is foul, and if the Presbyterian General Assembly had taken the pains to properly investigate the court records they would have discovered that Negroes are arrested, not for "crimes" committed, but for slight offenses, such as using slang to white folks, not giving all of a side walk to white school children, contending with a white man for salary earned, self-defense, refusal to leave the county, picking a bawdy on the highway or holding church services at an unusual hour of the night, thus disturbing the quiet repose of the white people.

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GRADUATES OF LINCOLN.

Students of The University Receive Diplomas at the Annual Commencement Exercises.

Oxford, Pa., June 6.—The annual commencement of the collegiate department of Lincoln University was held today.

The Junior contest was held at 10 o'clock, the following speakers taking part: A. M. Thomas, of Massachusetts; James M. Phillips, of North Carolina; William A. Harris, of Georgia; Thomas C. Katiya, of South Africa; Joseph W. Holley, of Massachusetts; and Henry K. Spaulman, of South Carolina.

At 2 o'clock the graduation exercises took place. Mr. Walter G. Alexander, of Lynchburg, Va.; Joseph Garner, Baltimore, Md.; Raymond B. Harper, Augusta, Ga.; Elijah J. Gregg, Sumter, S. C.; Caesar P. McClelland, McCrory, Ark.; Thomas H. E. Dwell, Augusta, Ga.; Arthur G. Harrison, Statesville, N. C.; John S. Russell, Monticello, Ark.; William H. Fuller, Franklinton, N. C.; Richard P. Johnson, Jetersville, Va.; William P. Cowan, Newcomb, Tenn.; Grandison A. Jones, Youngstown, Ohio; Louis R. W. Johnson, Staunton, Va.; John H. Miller, Orangeburg, S. C.; James G. Carlike, Philadelphia; Virginius N. Carney, Portsmouth, Va.; Isaac J. B. Dennis, Pittsburg; W. T. Amiger, Genesee, N. Y.; Geo. L. Davis, Indianapolis; William D. Feaster, Feasterville, S. C.; Edward R. Richardson, Woodstown, N. J.; Charles J. Carter, Reading, Pa.; William H. Jenkins, Calpeper, Va.; Richard H. Blount, Charlotte, N. C., and George S. Stark, Baltimore.

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Local Items.

DOINGS OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO OUR MANY BALTIMORE CITY READERS.

Mr. Sol. DeCoursey the prominent barber has been detained at home for several weeks on account of sickness of a malaria and rheumatic tendency.

Mrs. Ariminta Perry of 518 St. Paul St., a very aged citizen remains quite sick, mostly from the incurable disease of old age.

We call attention to the sacred concert to be given at Trinity Church Sunday night. It will be by the choir assisted by some very choice and able local talent.

Waters A. M. E. Sunday School held a very successful musical and strawberry Festival this week.

All during the Summer months a One Hour Service is conducted Sunday afternoons at St. James P. E. Church of which the Rev. Geo. F. Bragg Jr. is rector. These services have been most attractive and many visitors to the church have learnt the value and beauty of the liturgical worship of the Episcopal Church thereby. The service is from 7 o'clock, exactly one hour, chorally rendered, the sermon or address which is special for each occasion occupying only ten minutes. It is a service which is spiritually helpful to all who would develop their devotional natures.

Next Sunday the address will deal with the Junior Auxiliary work of the church. The public are most cordially invited to these services and will receive a hearty welcome.

Sunday will be observed as children's day throughout the A. M. E. Church. Half of the money raised on the occasion goes to the church extension society and the other half to the Sunday School Department. Interesting exercises will held in all the Sunday Schools.

Bishop Handy, Rev. Drs. Johnson of Washington, Beckett of this city, and Rev. John Hurst expect to attend the commencement exercises of Wilberforce University now in progress.

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THE RACES.

The Aim of Class Legislation in The South.

Every one knows that whatever in the South a Jim-Crow law is in force, the law requires equal accommodations for the two races, but actually the Negroes are put into second-class compartments. The same inequality always appears in the administration of the public school system in the States which separate the two colors. The report of the South Carolina Superintendent of Education, shows that the total number of pupils in the public schools of the State is 275,889, of which number, 125,102 are white and 150,787 are colored. The average attendance of the white pupils is about 27 per cent, the average attendance of the colored about 75 per cent. The amount expended for education was \$731,241.50, of which \$526,853.30 was expended on the schools for white children and \$204,388.20 was expended on the schools for Negro children. It will be seen from this that it has cost \$4.23 per head to educate the white children of the State and only \$1.35 per head to educate the colored children. In Beaufort County the education of white children cost \$800 per head. In Charleston the figures were respectively \$14.94 and \$2.30. It is hardly a republican form of government which requires education as a test for the suffrage and then makes such a discrimination between the races.—The Independent.

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A WORTHY INSTITUTION.

The Final Exercises of the Institution for the Colored Blind Blind and Deaf.

The final exercises of the school for the Colored Blind and Deaf located at 649 W. Saratoga street will take place on Thursday evening at Sharp St. Memorial church, June 15th, at 8 o'clock. This work represents one of the most noble enterprises supported by the state for the benefit of the unfortunate of Maryland. The exercises will be most interesting and the principal of the school will gladly give tickets of admission to those who may apply for them at the institution. The exercises are well noted which we have noted in this paper, and we would like to acquaint the public and others who may be interested with the work of the school. They are desirous of getting into the hands of the public to appreciate the work of the institution.

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