

"ON MY WAY."

By Chas. P. Wilson, Jefferson City, Mo.

I'm on my way, yes, so they say, I'm sure to arrive some fair day; It may be the poor-house, Oh, what a shame, If perchance I miss the "hall of fame."

I've been up and down this grand old world, Have met a lot of pretty girls; A rolling stone gathers no moss, Sometimes I think I'm almost lost.

A jolly good fellow I've always been, Ever ready when the fun began; On my way both night and day, To hear what the jolly bunch had to say.

The Cabarets and the sparkling wine, Lead to ruin in a course of time; So it's up to me this very day, To find the "good road," on my way.

Hence, I admit my sad mistake, I ask one chance before too late; To mend my steps without delay, Then enjoy sweet pleasure the proper way.

CHAPLAIN PRIOLEAU RETIRES.

Chaplain George W. Prioleau who for twenty-five years and twenty-one days has been in active service in the United States Army retired and will take up his permanent residence at 1311 West 35th Street Los Angeles, Calif. Promptly at high noon May 15, 1920, the Commanding Officer assembled the officers together for two reasons: 1. To read to them a letter of commendation, commending Chaplain Prioleau for efficient service to the Government and enlisted personnel and throughout all the years in the 25th Infantry a strong devotion to duty and the race were always uppermost; 2nd, for the purpose of having each officer shake hands and say goodbye to Chaplain Prioleau. On May 14, a regimental reception was tendered to the Chaplain and Mrs. Prioleau at which time a handsome mahogany cabinet with Sterling silver service for fourteen covers was presented them. Speeches for this special occasion of honor and trust setting forth the high estimate in which the chaplain and his accomplished wife are held were made by 1st Lieutenant Leslie King, band leader, 25th Inf. Band and First Sergt. Wm. Johnson, Hdq. Co. 25th Inf. Response was made by Mrs. Prioleau and the Chaplain. After all of this,

refreshments were served; each soldier and literary artists of the city appeared. The elected President was presented by Mrs. Gipson to the Convention. After remarks by him, she called for final reports, which showed the most remarkable stride with which the Convention had grown. Three years ago they reported sixty-three dollars, today reported two hundred and twenty-seven—having one hundred and nine dollars for the state work. Out of appreciation the Convention voted Mrs. Gipson a donation and adjourned to meet in 1921.

NEW ERA DISTRICT CONVENTION

The New Era District B. Y. P. U. Convention, presided over for the past three years by Mrs. Rosa C. Gipson, met here June 17-18. This was the most successful session known in the history of the Convention. The sessions were held at the Morning Star Baptist Church. The delegation was large and the reports very good. Every Union showed their loyal support by responding to each appeal. In the afternoon of the election when nominated for re-election as President, Mrs. Gipson declined and seconded the nomination of the Vice President, Mr. C. E. Drew, who was nominated for President. Rev. S. C. Doyle was elected President. Out of respect for the retiring President, Rev. Doyle asked that she preside through the Convention and close the work of her efforts. The Convention unanimously voted his request be granted. Mrs. J. W. Wilson quoted a beautiful poem to the honor of the retiring President. After speeches by ministers of the Convention, a standing vote of thanks was given Mrs. Gipson. Words failed her to express thanks to the many delegates and friends for their appreciation. Friday evening Mr. C. L. Drew conducted the musical and liter-

ary program. Some of the best musical and literary artists of the city appeared. The elected President was presented by Mrs. Gipson to the Convention. After remarks by him, she called for final reports, which showed the most remarkable stride with which the Convention had grown. Three years ago they reported sixty-three dollars, today reported two hundred and twenty-seven—having one hundred and nine dollars for the state work. Out of appreciation the Convention voted Mrs. Gipson a donation and adjourned to meet in 1921.

MARYVILLE, MO.

By Mrs. E. M. Gunn.

The Sunday School and Missionary gave an enjoyable social at Mrs. John Gooden's last Thursday night. Rev. Hryant and wife, Mrs. Geo. Ousley and Mrs. Fannie Fleener will leave Monday for Trenton to attend the Sunday School Convention. Paul Smith has organized a Base Ball team called the Maryville Browns. Mr. Bunt Gunn's folks are reported better this week. Mrs. Guy Martin is improving. Mr. Arthur Nichols and Mrs. Jackson are on the sick list. Mrs. Wm. Vance is doing nicely, also her little baby. The Mt. Zion Baptist Mission gave a social Monday night. Wm. Mosley, Paul and Arthur Smith went to Clarinda Monday to attend the grand ball.

If you miss attending the Midsummer Fashion Show and Ball at Convention Hall July 5, you'll miss a rare treat. Everybody's going. Get your tickets at the nearest drug store.

Meharry Alumni and Friends of Medical Education Contribute \$500 for a Home for Doctor Geo. W. Hubbard, President of Meharry Medical College.

For forty four or five years Doctor W. Hubbard has been dean and president of Meharry Medical College. During this long period of time he has deprived himself of every comfort and made every sacrifice for the good of Meharry Medical College and Negro Medical education. The results of his efforts are too well known to be considered here. He has built for himself a monument in the hearts and souls of men that time cannot efface.

Not long since a move was started at Meharry by the Alumni to build a home for Dr. Hubbard to comfort him and his faithful wife at a time when such is most needed. During the time of the visit of our friends on the Southern trip, Dr. S. H. Thompson of Kansas City, Kas., Dr. T. A. Jones and Dr. J. E. Perry were entertained at Hubbard Hospital and the matter of the home was brought to their attention. Dr. Perry was designated as a representative of the Alumni to bring the matter to the attention of the Meharry graduates in Kansas City. A meeting was called Monday evening, June 21st, and the matter was briefly presented by the chairman to Meharry men. Dr. S. H. Thompson had been especially invited to attend the meeting and following Dr. Perry made a strong appeal to the men in the interest of the Hubbard home. He concluded his remarks by saying, "Every man present should give \$25.00 for this cause." He was the first man to lay down \$25 for the cause for which he spoke. This was very significant; Dr. Thompson being a Howard graduate and had never seen Meharry until recently. Other Howard men who voluntarily contributed to the fund are Dr. T. C. Unthank and Dr. Thos. A. Jones and Dr. E. C. Bunch of Ohio State Dental College also contributed. The following subscriptions were given:

- Dr. S. H. Thompson, \$25.00 paid
Dr. J. E. Perry, 25.00
Dr. A. R. Eagleson, 25.00
Dr. J. R. Thompson, 25.00
Dr. J. F. Shannon, 25.00
Dr. L. M. Tillman, 25.00
Dr. D. M. Miller, 25.00
Dr. A. D. Bradbury, \$25.00 15.00
Dr. E. A. Walker, 25.00
Dr. M. G. Brookings, 25.00
Dr. W. L. Hayden, 25.00
Dr. J. E. Dibble, 25.00
Dr. J. H. Williams, 25.00
Dr. C. L. Peebles, 25.00
Dr. L. R. Petty, 25.00
Dr. H. C. White (Drug), 25.00
Dr. L. V. Miller, \$25.00 5.00
Dr. T. A. Jones, 10.00
Dr. G. W. Hedgepath, \$25 10.00
Dr. E. C. Bunch, 10.00
Dr. T. C. Unthank, 10.00
Dr. M. Carrion, 25.00
Dr. A. P. Davis, 25.00
Dr. L. P. Richardson, 25.00
Dr. C. E. Briscoe, 25.00
Dr. A. F. Radford, 25.00

MASONIC LODGES.

The Masonic Lodges of the City have been holding their Annual Elections during the past two weeks and they have resulted as follows: Rhone Lodge No. 25. W. M.—Lucian D. Carter, 1408 Woodland Avenue; Secretary—C. H. Countee, 2229 Vine street. Pritchard Lodge No. 42. W. M.—C. A. Murray; Secretary, Jess Spligner. Westport No. 46. W. M.—Joseph Owens; Secretary—A. I. Bartin, 3410 S. 21st street. Mt. Olive No. 53. W. M.—Johnnie A. Johnson; Secretary, H. W. Brown. Ideal No. 70. W. M.—Jos. Thompson, 1513 Michigan; Secretary—Cesco Johnson, 2105 N. 3rd street, Kansas City, Kas. Mt. Oread No. 76. W. M.—Geo. Fowler, 1510 E. 10th; Secretary—Arthur E. Toney, 2545 Woodland. Graham No. 85. W. M.—G. A. Sparks; Secretary—E. B. Thompson, 1704 Agnes. R. T. Coles No. 86. W. M.—P. W. Inge; Secretary—J. W. Holbert, 2619 Highland. John Turner No. 106. W. M.—George Bryant; Secretary—A. W. Fox, 1304 Highland. Green Pasture No. 128. W. M.—Hugh Timmons, 925 Michigan; Secretary—A. A. Johnson, 2731 Highland. Amos Johnson No. 149 1/2. W. M.—R. Harris; Secretary—Joseph Thompson. J. W. Hulse No. 117. W. M.—Chester Sims, 2412 Mersington. John Lange No. 103. W. M.—Perry Lyle; Secretary—Joseph Dimery.

A BUSINESS PROGRAM AT CENTENNIAL.

Sunday night a business program will be rendered at Centennial M. E. Church, corner 19th street and Woodland avenue, and the following well known business and professional men will make short talks. Prof. G. A. Page will speak for the Colored grocers, Dr. J. E. Dibble for the physicians, Sol. Smith for the realty men, Dr. Theo. Smith for the druggists and Mr. Nelson C. Crews will talk on the value of the Negro Press. Good music will intersperse the talks and will be furnished by the Southern Melody Makers, a quartette, Centennial choir and the Ladies Quartette. Dr. A. H. Higgs, the pastor of Centennial, feeling that there is a crying need to give greater mass consideration to the business life of the community has proposed that at intervals an evening will be given over to the business and professional men. All business and professional men and the public are invited.

Don't miss attending the Midsummer Fashion Show and Ball July 5 at Convention Hall. Tickets at all drug stores.

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