

BRIEF NEWS FROM THE BUCKEYE STATE

Events in the Social World— Bright, Crisp Items from Cleve- land—No News of Interest Is Overlooked by Our Regular Correspondent.

By Alexander O. Taylor.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 9.—The field day exercises of Antioch Baptist Sunday School Monday afternoon at Edgewater Park was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Timothy Bible Class No. 1 defeated Timothy Class No. 2 in an exciting game of ball by a score of 10 to 5. The pitchers were V. B. Wallace and Raymond Hurd; catchers, A. R. Johnson and John Woods. In the married ladies' race Mrs. Zephyr Newland won first prize. In the free-for-all women, Miss Ruth Washington won. Mr. J. Good carried off the honors in the married men's race and Mr. Raymond Hurd in the free-for-all. In the last named contest Mr. Steven Downey came in second and Mr. John Woods third. In the horse shoe game Steven Downey beat Raymond Hurd. Those who participated in the tug of war were Messrs. Landis Downey, J. G. Brown, Fred Williams and Raymond Hurd. Mr. J. M. Smith, president of the B. Y. P. U., won over Mr. C. M. Dabney in the croquet contest. Mr. V. B. Wallace awarded the prizes. * * *

Mr. Saul A. Lucas, the energetic agent of the Chicago Defender, and successful business man, will visit his brother in Detroit next week. He will take in Walkerville, Windsor and Sandwich, Ont. * * *

Mrs. Ella White, Mrs. M. Anderson, Mrs. E. Merritt, representing St. John's U. M. S., and Mrs. Ramey (Mrs. Saul Lucas, alternate), representing St. James, will attend the annual Mite Missionary convention in Columbus next week. * * *

Miss Frances Sims left for Chicago Tuesday as delegate to the annual C. E. meeting from Allen League of St. John's Church. * * *

Mrs. Mary Bowman of Chicago is the pleasing guest of her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth McIntire. * * *

Mr. S. M. Scruggs of Youngstown spent a few days here this week. * * *

The Pleasant Company Club presented the Old Folks' Home Thursday with a dozen kitchen roller towels. * * *

The United Sunday Schools and Churches will picnic at Chippewa Lake the 15th. * * *

Mrs. Harriet Walker, 2247 East Thirty-ninth street, left last week Thursday for Boston to spend several weeks. * * *

Mr. H. Withers, 2176 East 106th street, leaves Friday on a three weeks' fishing tour in charge of F. W. Roberts' private yacht. * * *

Mrs. Phil S. Dennie, 2285 East Ninetieth street, returned last week from Clarksburg, W. Va., where she visited her sister. * * *

Mrs. Mamie Clark Good, of Charlotte, N. C., is visiting her sister, Mrs. T. R. Harris and parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. V. Clark. * * *

Miss Maud Viney, a very charming school teacher from Charleston, W. Va., is the guest of Miss L. Lena Dills, 2350 East Thirty-third street. * * *

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rogers of East Forty-sixth street gave a very enjoyable card party last Monday night in honor of Dr. J. E. Brown of Pittsburgh. * * *

The excursion to Put-In-Bay of the Cleveland Association of Colored Men last week Thursday was a social success. Among the most attractive guests were Dr. and Mrs. F. Weaver and Miss Caud Viney of Charleston, W. Va., Misses Bessie Blakemore Cook and Ozella Moore, and Messrs. Theodore E. Green, Harvey Jackson and Garrett Morgan. * * *

Rev. C. W. McColl of Indianapolis lectured at Antioch Baptist Church last Tuesday evening, leaving for Pittsburgh Wednesday morning. * * *

Mr. George L. Ross spent Sunday and Monday in Chicago. * * *

Mrs. Mary Alphin and Miss Della Bennett, 3110 Scoville avenue, left Tuesday for Martins Ferry to engage in the restaurant business. * * *

Miss Ethel Moss and mother are spending several weeks in Chautauqua. Before returning they will visit New York City. * * *

Mrs. Brown of the east end pleasantly entertained a party of young people Monday. Among those present were Misses Olive Wells, Ozella Moore and Bessie Blakeman Cook, the jubilee singers. * * *

Mrs. Rev. Sissle of Indianapolis is in the city. * * *

Joseph Gibbs, 2197 East Thirty-ninth street, and Miss Alice Scott, 2209 East Thirty-sixth street, and Mr. Roland Adkins, and Miss Alberta Christian, 1705 Scoville avenue, were married the past week. * * *

The Suwannee River Quartette left last week Friday on an extensive chautauqua tour. Mr. George Randall, mandolinist, reader and second tenor, has taken the place of Mr. Richard Ferguson, resigned. The manager, Mr. John Gant, is very optimistic as to the future of his quartette. * * *

Miss Amy Rogers tendered Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Slaughter a pleasing shower last week. * * *

Miss Edith Wright, president of the Alpha Mu Club, gave a very pleasant outing at Edgewater Park Saturday week. * * *

The Dubois Literary Club met with Mrs. Blanch Gilmore Wednesday afternoon. * * *

Miss Hazel Mountain and others are to attend the state meeting of the Federated Colored Women's Clubs in Columbus. * * *

Mrs. P. Johnson Tarrer and Mrs. R. K. Moon entertained in honor of Mrs. S. B. Wallace of St. Louis, last week. * * *

Mr. Thomas W. Fleming is the energetic chairman of the rally committee of Mt. Zion Congregational Church. The new church rally occurs Sept. 21. * * *

The choir of Cory M. E. Church is making splendid progress under the efficient directorship of Miss Rachel Walker. * * *

Mesdames Lethia Fleming, Beckwith, Effie Quinn, Mollie Green and Kitzmiller are among the delegates attending the meeting of the State Federation in Columbus this week. * * *

Master Everett White, son of Rev. E. H. White, is visiting his grandmother in Maysville, Ky. * * *

Mrs. R. S. Slaughter left for Mt. Clemens, Mich., for a two weeks' visit. * * *

Col. C. W. Grayson and Adjutant Young of Zanesville inspected the two companies of local U. R. K. of P. Sunday week and found them up to a most creditable standard. * * *

Mrs. Mary Bethune left for Sumpter, S. C., last week en route to her school in Daytona, Fla. * * *

Misses Bertha Blue, Helen Banks, Marion Smith, Cora Scott and Mrs. Florence Smith are pursuing a summer course at Kent Normal. * * *

Miss Myrtle Johnson, president of Ruth Class of St. John's S. S. addressed the school Sunday week most intelligently on the need of temperance in our lives in all things and cited the great personal need of co-operation towards obliterating the cause of drink. * * *

The social given by Allen League recently was a distinct success. * * *

Among those ill are Mrs. Laura Cunningham of East Forty-third street, and Mrs. Fowler of East Eighty-sixth street. * * *

At the recent elocutionary contest given at Cory M. E. Church, Mrs. Helen W. McAllister was awarded first honors, Mrs. Mary Allen, second, and Mr. Armen Evans, third. Miss Bertha Blue presided. Mr. Harry Thompson contributed excellent baritone selections. Miss Bessie Blakemore Cook accompanied him. Mrs. McAllister is the daughter of the late John M. Walker, ex-consul to Madagascar, a book on whose life is in course of preparation. Mrs. McAllister in her girlhood had the advantage of extensive travel aboard as the result of her father's position. Her brother, John M. Waller, Jr., has been stationed in the Philippines for some time.