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# BOSTON NEWS

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Boston, Mass., April 15.—Miss Ada Brown, vaudeville actress of New York city, was a visitor in the city last week. During her brief stay here she was the house guest of Mrs. Willie Rudd of 200 W. Springfield St. She was entertained at a reception given at the Railway club Thursday evening, by Mrs. Rudd.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Quick of Brooklyn, N. Y., are visitors in the city. While here they are the house guests of Miss Fannie McClain of 9 Greenwich park. Mr. Quick is contemplating on making his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Harding of Buffalo, N. Y., were visitors in the city last week. During their stay here they were the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ezekiel R. Jones of Kendall St.

Ford and Gibbons, vaudeville actors of New York city, who have been playing in Greater Boston during the winter months, left for New Bedford Thursday. During their stay here they were the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Brice of 200 W. Springfield St.

Miss Eliza Griffins of Detroit, Mich., left for her home Monday after a delightful three weeks' vacation spent here as the guest of Miss Laura Dickerson of Batavia St. During Miss Griffins' stay here she was the recipient of several receptions which were given in her honor. She plans to return to the city next fall and will enter the New England conservatory of music.

Archie McClain of Lincoln pharmacy, made a brief business trip to New York city and Philadelphia last week.

Mrs. Edna Pugh, 50 Village St., left the city Saturday for Providence, R. I., where she will spend several weeks with relatives and friends.

Miss Eva Washington of Raleigh, N. C., who was the house guest of Mrs. Eddie Mayo of Cunard St., left for her home Wednesday. En route there she will visit relatives and friends in New York city and Washington, D. C.

Andrew Smith of New Haven, Conn., was a visitor in the city last week. During his stay here he was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jones of Sussex St.

William Anderson of 32 Wellington St., left the city Thursday for New York city. His stay there will be indefinite.

Pablo Seria of New York city, is a visitor in the city. While here he is the house guest of John Brice of W. Springfield St.

Miss Elizabeth Horton of 221 W. Springfield St., left the city Monday on a trip to Norfolk, Va. She will probably be away for a month.

Mrs. Pauline Stewart of Arlington, Va., was a visitor in the city last week. During her brief stay she was the house guest of her sister, Mrs. Fannie Fortune of 74 Compton St.

Frank L. Dawson of Cleveland, O., left for his home Tuesday after a two weeks' vacation spent here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Woods of 43 Dover St.

A. Philip Randolph of New York city, was a visitor in the city last week. During his brief stay here he conferred with scores of Pullman porters, who have decided to join the Pullman Porters union. During his stay here he was the guest of S. M. Taylor, manager of the local office of the Pullman Porters union.

Mrs. Mary Alexander of Memphis, Tenn., was a visitor in the city last week. During her brief stay she was the house guest of Mrs. Sarah A. Long of Claremont park. Mrs. Alexander will visit relatives and friends in New York city before returning to her home.

Miss Bertha Starkey of Providence, R. I., was a visitor in the city last week. While here she was the guest of Miss Myrtle Grant of Dilworth St.

Lemuel Scoot of 31 Emerald St., left the city Wednesday for Atlantic city.

Mrs. Margaret Larton of St. Germain St., returned to her home Saturday from Charlotte, N. C., where she visited her mother who is seriously ill. Before returning home she visited friends in Washington, D. C.

James Walker of Bridgeport, Conn., was a visitor in the city last week. While here he was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Nison of Camden St.

## Briefs

William Fortune of 74 Compton St., is rapidly recovering from a minor operation performed at the Homeopathic hospital last week.

Mrs. Doris Ashbury of 452 Tremont St., who was confined to her home last week, is rapidly recovering from her illness.

It was a bald-headed man who broke in the barber shop of William E. Stokes at 891 Main St., Cambridge, early Tuesday morning. At least the police who investigated the affair so believe because of the fact that a large quantity of hair tonic was taken, while razors and similar articles were not disturbed. The cash register was taken but was found in a doorway not far from the shop. The register was emptied before Stokes left the shop.

Miss Helen Jackson, 23, of 241 Shawmut Ave., is in a critical condition at the City hospital from injuries received Thursday night when she was accidentally knocked down by two small boys. The boys were playing tag when they bumped into the woman. The accident occurred on Waltham St. She sustained fracture of both legs.

With four stab wounds in his body, John Roderick, 32, of 19 Rose St., walked into the City hospital Saturday and collapsed. He was treated and later discharged. He told the police the wounds were inflicted by William Suther with whom he had an argument at his home early in the morning.

In a one-sided game, the Lincoln basketball team defeated the Dunbars of Morgan Memorial last Thursday evening. The score was Lincoln house 36 and Dunbar 8. This was the last game of the season for the Dunbars, who won four of their seven games played this season. Mrs. Doris Asbury is manager of the Dunbar team.

Miss Katherine A. Casey of 23 Myrtle St., Cambridge, while walking on Spark St., Cambridge, Monday night, was robbed of a handbag containing \$2.75, snatched from her by two men, who escaped in a sedan.

George Johnson of 14 Fiske Pl., Cambridge, was captured Thursday night shortly after breaking into the Economy store at Salem St. and Garfield Ave. Medford Johnson was trapped in the basement of the store.

On Sunday afternoon a delegation from the Paul Lawrence Dunbar lyceum of Morgan Memorial accepted an invitation from its president, Miss Dorothy Smith of Winchester, together with other lyceums of Greater Boston, to hear an address delivered by Atty. Matthew Bullock. Others on the program were: Arthur Bynoe, pianist and Howard Asbury, secretary of the Paul Lawrence Dunbar lyceum who gave a talk.

Wearing bandages and covered with blood stains, Lawrence Walters of 80 Village St., South end, appeared in Central municipal court Thursday, and was found guilty of disturbing an assembly in the National theater and of assaulting a police officer.

Special Officer John P. O'Mara told Judge Williams that Walter had been making a disturbance and that he struck him with his club after Walters had aimed a blow at him. Judge Williams imposed a three months' sentence in the house of correction.

Circle 10 of the Fourth Methodist Episcopal church held a successful rummage sale at Hutchins block last week. The proceeds will be used for the Victory fund of the church.

Fred Anderson, 4, of Greenwich park, was seriously injured Monday afternoon when he was struck by an auto truck on Columbus Ave. near Greenwich park. The little fellow was taken to the City hospital where the doctors said he had sustained a fracture of the skull and other injuries.

Thomas Bingyard of 18 Burke St., received serious injuries to his hand and body when a heavy door fell on him at the Boston Albany yards.

Dorothy Richardson, contralto, was soloist at the large Missionary banquet given at the Grace Baptist church, Somerville (white) last week. Miss Dorothy Wood was the accompanist. Dr. Yates, a missionary from China, Dr. Higginbotham, secretary of the Missionary of Mass., and Rev. Weems of N. Sprague Community church, were the speakers of the evening.

James Deshum, 78, of 783 Shawmut Ave., died at the Boston State hospital April 4, after an illness of several years. Funeral services were held at the Holy Trinity church, Rev. Frank G. Brookins, officiated. Interment was in Mt. Hope cemetery. The deceased is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Jessie Brown and a host of friends.

Miss Ellen Smith, 11 Westminster St., who has been confined at the Women's hospital, has returned to her home.

Patrolman Samuel Shelburne of station 9, who was discharged from the force because of charges preferred against him by Mrs. Madeline Prentiss of 753 Washington St., Dorchester, was given a public hearing Wednesday before Police Commissioner Wilson.

The officer denied the attempted assault. He was represented by Atty.

William H. Lewis. The case was handled for the police by Capt. Richard Fitzgerald.

Dr. Levy, living near the scene of the alleged attack, testified that he heard a noise from the alley and notified the police. Officers who responded found the woman with clothing disarranged and unconscious. Dr. Levy said that he saw the policeman coming out of the alley later.

Rev. Weems, Dorothy Richardson, Dorothy Woods and his group of young folks, gave a very interesting entertainment at Lunenburg, Mass., on Friday evening before a crowded house in the Town hall.

Margaret Smith, 4, of 35 Dilworth St., was badly scalded in the kitchen of her home Tuesday morning, when the contents of a kettle of boiling water tipped over from a gas range upon her.

When Arthur Rogers of Worcester, left 34 Genesee St., he didn't wait for his hat. As he hurried away it occurred to him that as some one had been stabbed in the head and arms at 34 Genesee St., that wasn't the best place for his hat to be found by the police.

Rogers was headed for his hat when Officer French and Murphy arrested him. He waived a lower court hearing Friday and was held in \$2,000 bond for the grand jury.

Leo Davis, a carpenter of Rutland St., fell 35 feet from a roof at 117 Chesnut St., Everett, Tuesday, when the staging he was working on broke. He was taken to the City hospital where he was treated for bruises.

Daniel J. Saunders, 48, of Dartmouth St., was sentenced to 30 days in the house of correction on a charge of driving under the influence of liquor when he was arraigned in the Newton district court Thursday.

Saunders was found guilty two weeks ago and a jail sentence was mandatory because it was his second offense, but the judge continued the case for disposition to allow the defendant to remain with his father who was ill. Saunders appealed the sentence.

## Social Events

Wedding invitations are out announcing the coming marriage of Miss Ellen Theresa McLaughlin and Harold Buster Frye. The ceremony will be performed at the St. Marks Congregational church, Monday evening, April 18. A reception will be held at the League Women on Mass Ave.

Circle 10 juniors of the Fourth M. E. church, are formulating plans for a musicale, to be held on Mother's day at the church. Miss Enid Jessamy was appointed mistress of ceremonies.

Robert Tinsley and McKinley Johnson of Philadelphia, were visitors in the city last week. While here they were the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grant of 34 Village St.

The South End Neighborhood club held their regular weekly meeting last Wednesday evening, at the residence of Mrs. Sarah Norman of 80 Village St. Over 25 members and friends were present. Plans were completed for an Easter hunt to be held at the residence of Mrs. Martha Ross, 150 Castle St.

After the business was disposed of a bountiful collation was served by George's Catering Co. The members played a few games of whist.

Lester Wilson of Hubbard Ave., N. Cambridge, returned to his home last Thursday from Hartford, Conn., where he attended the funeral of his sister.

Millard F. Reid of 81 Dartmouth St., entertained friends at his residence Sunday afternoon with a seven course dinner. Among some of those present were: Mrs. Alice Brice and son, John. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. West, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tolbert, Thomas Tolbert, Miss Ida B. Gross, Mr. and Mrs. George Eads and George Elliott of Woburn.

The Lincoln Musical and Literary club held their regular semi-monthly meeting Tuesday evening at the residence of its president, Miss Ida B. Gross of 224 W. Springfield St. Plans were formulated to have an evening discussion on the life of Harriet Tubman.

Miss Fannie McClain, 9 Greenwich park, entertained friends at her residence Thursday evening. Cards and dancing were the features of the evening entertainment. Archie McClain was awarded the first prize; J. Bratton Wright, second prize and Charles Stone the booty. Among some of the many guests present were: Mrs. Annie King, Miss Hattie Richardson, Thomas Bingyard, Robert Frazier, Frank Bingyard, Miss Belle Richardson, Miss Virginia Davis, Mrs. Hattie Jackson, Mrs. Maude Richardson and Charles Coleman.

## Morticians to Organize

Morticians of Greater Boston held a meeting Monday evening at the funeral parlors of Basil F. Hutchins. Plans were made to organize an Undertakers club. This was decided on so as to make more harmony among members of the Race in that profession.

It is said, that owing to the large number of bodies of the Race given to white undertakers for burial, that some plans are necessary to get more patronage from members of the group.

Basil F. Hutchins was elected temporary chairman and J. Bratton Wright, secretary.

## Sick List

Among some of those on the sick list during the past week were: Miss Lucy Hall, 35 Cunard St.; Mrs. Ida Andrews, 102 Kendall St.; Mrs. Lewis, 46 Cabot St.; Miss Sophia Yancy, 24 Sawyer St.; Miss Gladys Carter, 36 Kendall St.; Raymond Cheeks of Dilworth St.; Floyd Foye, 18 Sawyer St.; Mrs. Lillian Harrison, 14 Windsor St.; Mrs. Daisy Gamble, 104 Hammond St.; Frank Montero, 69 Kendall St.; W. R. Parks, 61 Kendall St.; Mrs. Bessie Pryor, 45 Rose St.; Fred Anderson of Sterling St.; Mrs. Doris Asbury, 452 Tremont St.; Mrs. Cornelia Robinson, 25 Holyoke St.; Mrs. Ruth Williams, 104 Castle St. and Andrew White of Cabot St.

## GREENFIELD, MASS.

The Knights of Pythias had their anniversary services Sunday, March 27 at St. Stephens A. M. E. church. Rev. D. W. Thompson preached the annual sermon. Among those present were J. T. McAlpin and family and Charlie Costic and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hall of Holyoke were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Bevil Sunday afternoon. The party motored up the country.