

CLUBS & SOCIETIES

Clubs must be in this office by 4 o'clock Tuesdays. They must be sent to the Club Editor, Chicago Defender, and must not be put on postal cards.

The Smart Set Whist Club met at the home of Mrs. Higgins, 4741 Evans avenue. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. Thurston, 31 East Forty-seventh street. Mrs. A. Brannon, secretary and reporter.

The Pleiades Club met Sunday, Jan. 14, at the home of E. J. Walker, 3603 Prairie avenue. After business hours the championship billiard tournament was won by Vice President C. Curtindahl. Mrs. E. J. Walker won a prize. E. Pleiades Walker was christened mascot of the club. Music by Mrs. Walker's youngest sister. P. L. Webster, president; Charles Johnson, secretary.

The Matrimony Club met the first of the week and nominated Dr. Harry Barnes as the next man to get off this year. The secretary of the club says it's a sure thing this time; that the doctor has his eyes on a dashing young woman that has met his approval. The club has also nominated Benote Lee and Walter Anderson as probable candidates for the June season.

The Heliotrope Club held its regular meeting on last Thursday afternoon with Misses Vera and Iva McDowell, 5428 Federal street. The next meeting will be with Laura B. Caldwell, 5328 Wabash avenue. Magnolia Locke, president; Glendora Collins, secretary.

The Clover Leaf Club held a very interesting meeting last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Lewis. A special luncheon was served. Mrs. M. Blackburn, president; Mrs. A. Grayson, secretary.

Kings Daughters held its admission and consecration meeting Dec. 28 with Mrs. M. M. Jeffreys and Miss Lena Perry was admitted. The first meeting of the year was held with Mrs. Mary Myrick, which was a business meeting. A program was afterward rendered. Next meeting with Mrs. Sadie Woodard. The chief charities of the circle are four beds at Provident hospital, Old Folks' Home and Old Soldiers' Widows' Rest. S. J. Banton, corresponding secretary.

The Social Eight Whist Club met with Mrs. Ellerson, 5437 Federal street. Mrs. Weaver won first prize at cards, Mrs. J. A. Cuff second and Mrs. F. Watson booby. Mrs. Schaffer, president; Mrs. L. Dillard, secretary.

The Young People's Lyceum will be addressed Sunday by Hon. E. H. Wright, assistant corporation counsel for the city of Chicago. A splendid musical program has been arranged by Miss Maude J. Roberts of the program committee.

The Y. M. L. Club was entertained at the residence of Mrs. A. Polk, 7222 Wentworth avenue. Members present, fourteen. The club adjourned to meet at Mrs. W. Powell's, 7227 Vincennes avenue. Ruth Stella, president; Lula McCullough, secretary.

The Diana Charity will hold its meeting with Mrs. Jessie Gilburn, 220 East Thirty-eighth street, Tuesday, Jan. 25, at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Isabelle H. Johnson, president; Mattie Gordon, secretary.

Miss Hope Dunmore, 4120 Campbell avenue, entertained the Triangle Pleasure Club Wednesday evening. Mrs. Hope Dunmore, president; Miss Marion Handy, secretary.

The Young Women's Christian Association held its annual meeting Monday, Jan. 8. Reports show the association is in a healthy condition. Treasury report showed \$1,700 raised in 1916 and not a collection taken at any church. The illness of Mrs. Jenifer prevented an election, which was postponed until Feb. 12. Wednesday evening a good program and membership meeting. Mrs. Fannie Wilson, chairman.

The Woman's Civic League met Monday, Jan. 14. Plans for a mothers' meeting were made for the first Sunday in February. Musadora Anderson, president; Jessie L. Bond, secretary.

At Douglass Center Jan. 21, at 4 p. m. Mr. William H. Ferris, associate editor of the Champion Magazine, will speak on "Paul Cuffee, the First Colored Philanthropist in America." Piano selections by Miss Strayhorn. Last Sunday the Columbia Songsters gave a flattering display of talent under the leadership of Mrs. Hattie S. Claybrook, 5520 Ingle-side avenue. They are prepared to make concert engagements. Dr. Mary Waring, our new leader for Sunday meetings, attracted a large audience.

The Giles Charity Club meets Friday, Jan. 26, at 2 p. m. with the president, when Mrs. J. I. Banton, the noted reader, will give "Traditions," a one-act drama of modern thought. "Current Events" by Mrs. Rush Banks. Mrs. Ezella Carter, president.

At Wendell Phillips Settlement Sunday, Jan. 21, at 4 p. m., Mrs. William Myrtle will give select readings. She will be assisted by Mr. John G. Gordon, musician. These meetings are proving a great neighborhood attraction. Miss Jones, pupil teacher of the Lewis Institute, has charge of the domestic science classes. Mrs. A. C. Cono, head resident.

The social and educational department of the Phyllis Wheatley Home will have as its principal speaker at its monthly meeting Sunday, Jan. 28, Mrs. R. B. Gregory of the Girls Friendly Aid Society, her subject being "Around the World." An interesting program will be rendered. Mrs. T. G. Macon, chairman.

City Federation of Women's Clubs will celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Frederick Douglass Feb. 11 at St. Mark's church.

The Royal Art Club met Jan. 10 at the home of Mrs. Anna Maxwell. The club completed plans for its party in February. Next meeting with Mrs. H. Hudson, 6447 Evans avenue. E. Drakeford, president; N. Hall, secretary.

The Billiken Whist Club was delightfully entertained Jan. 11 by Mrs. Pearl Jones, 4238 Wabash avenue. The club held its semi-annual election. The following were elected: Mrs. P. Adams, president; Mrs. Keets, vice president; Mrs. [unclear], secretary; Mrs. Molette, Mrs. C. Milton, reporter. Club members: Mrs. R. Allen, 3888 Prairie; Mrs. Adams, president; Mrs. [unclear], reporter.

Whist Club was entertained by Mrs. [unclear], 3731 Federal

the residence of Mrs. Gertrude Jackson, 3741 Wabash avenue. Among those who took part in the program were: W. A. Ellis, critic of the Standard Literary of Olivet Baptist church; Prof. A. V. Turner and Mrs. A. V. Turner, Miss Bertha Williams, Master Francis Cook Jr., and others. The various committees, of which Messrs. M. T. Bailey, C. H. Turner and Mrs. U. S. Harvey are chairmen, made encouraging reports. All members are requested to be at the next meeting on Sunday afternoon, Jan. 21, on time.

Eureka Fine Art Club met on the 11th at the residence of Mrs. Leona Dickson, 3752 Rhodes avenue, and on the 4th with Mrs. Julia Catron, 6610 Vernon avenue. At both places they were delightfully entertained and many new plans were devised for future work.

Ruth Temple, S. M. T., held installation of officers at 8638 State street, Monday evening. Mrs. Ella Holmes conducted the installation exercises. Among the visitors were Mrs. Rebecca Johnson, state grand secretary, and her deputies. Mrs. Betty A. G. [unclear] installed as worthy princess and presented with a locket and a pair of chip diamonds.

The Twentieth Century Club met with Mrs. George [unclear] street, Jan. 4. A beautiful birth party which was a monthly busy affair. Mrs. T. [unclear] Next meeting at the home of Mrs. [unclear] Wabash avenue. Mrs. [unclear] president; Mrs. [unclear] secretary.

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