

# THE BUCKEYE STATE

Cleveland, Ohio, May 27.—Mrs. J. C. Taylor, mother of Cleveland, but now of Canton, Ohio, will preach Sunday, June 5, 2:30 p. m., at St. James A. M. E. church on 14th and Broadway.

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tone numbers of Harry E. Thompson, Cleveland's favorite baritone. The next evening, Sunday, May 28, Miss Jane E. Hunter, the energetic secretary, will give a review of the great work accomplished by the committee in charge of the association work. Mrs. Margie Scott, mother of seven children, dropped dead in the city hall while on her weekly mission to secure supplies from the "Outdoor Relief Commission." The funeral was held from the undertaking parlors of E. F. Reed. Here is a case worthy of the attention of some of our charitably inclined clubs and citizens. The Scott residence is 1309 East Ninth street. Climax Lodge No. 70, K. of L., elected the following named delegates to state grand lodge, to be held in Canton in July: James F. Greene, Harry Kersey, H. W. Burrell, James A. Rogers and J. C. Hudson. Grand Chancellor Robert H. Barcus of Columbus was in the city Sunday on business, stopping at the Hotel Germania. Councilman Thomas W. Fleming addressed the Young Men's Progressive Club of Akron Tuesday evening. East Mt. Zion and St. Mark's Sunday school baseball clubs played an interesting game Saturday, the East Mt. Zion winning by a score of 7 to 5. John Scott, the well known right fielder and shortstop, was injured by a wild ball thrown by the team, Mrs. J. P. Price, 337 East 33rd avenue, gave a sumptuous six-course dinner Tuesday evening in honor of her husband's birthday. Capt. Christina Little, 2217 East 43rd street, is now senior captain, being in charge of all local Calumet drill corps and local. Emma Andrews has been promoted to captain of Star Calumet Drill Corps. Mrs. Ida Fontaine, 2632 Central avenue, is in Chicago, Ill., to spend the week with her son, William E. Fontaine, who is now in charge of the big show, "Chocolate Browns." William A. Lewis Jr., of East 57th street, who died last week, was secretary of the senior apartment of St. John A. M. E. Sunday school. Mrs. Madeline Lightfoot of East 54th street, expects to see her week-end guest her sister, Mrs. J. L. Lee, wife of Dr. Lee of Cincinnati, Ohio, Sunday, May 29, the Leonard T. Boydston Post No. 49 and ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion will hold Memorial day services at Mt. Zion Congregational church. All ladies eligible to the auxiliary will please meet at Central Avenue Bath House at 10 a. m. Sunday to march into the city. This is an honor, how if you are eligible come. Memorial day, May 30, all ladies eligible to the auxiliary will please meet at 27th street and Chester avenue at 3:30 p. m. for the purpose of marching in the Memorial day parade. The Mozart Club initial concert will appear in next issue of the Defender. The Mt. Edge Needle Club held their annual May walk Thursday, May 19, and had a gala time. At Mrs. Mamie Hawkins on 43d street they were served with soup; at Mrs. Anna Peterson's and Mrs. Bessie Carter's on East 43d street they enjoyed roast pork, sweet potatoes and peas; at the president, Mrs. Margaret Anderson's, East 90th street, spaghetti and lemonade; at Mrs. Lillian Starkey's, East 50th street, baked beans; and the president presented with a dozen Japanese cups and saucers by the club; at Mrs. Estelle Morris', East 105th street, salad; at Mrs. Mattie Justice's on Wain court, apple pie and cheese and coffee; at Mrs. Elizabeth Hamilton's on Wade park and East 84th street, lemonade, salted peanuts, and milk chocolate; at Mrs. Lulu Boydston's on Colfax road, home-made ice cream; from Mt. Pleasant they went to Corbett, where they were served two kinds of home-made cake and ice cream, peanuts and candy at the home of Mrs. Mattie Stewart on Crennell avenue. Mrs. Jennie Day and Mrs. Anna Twine were unable to join the club May walk on account of the death of Mrs. Day's father and Mrs. Twine's mother. Mrs. Mary Ann Twine were to serve the "appetizer" and Mrs. Day, doughnuts and ice tea. From Mrs. Stewart's the ladies went home tired and happy. The club meets this Friday, May 27, with Mrs. Elizabeth Hamilton, 86th and Wade park. The annual convention of the Women's Mite Missionary Society of the North Ohio Conference branch will convene in St. John's church July 12 to 17. Miss Cecelia Collins will be attending. Howie, who will appear at St. John A. M. E. church, June 1, under the auspices of the Roseland Missionary Society. Mrs. Ella Scott, East 90th street has as guest at her residence her daughter, Mrs. Mary Ann Twine, who is visiting at the young son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Johnson, 2776 East 105th street, suffered serious injuries when thrown from an auto truck last week on his way to his home, where he was recovering. The Caterers' Association's annual May party was indeed a social success. Many out-of-town guests attended. Attorney John E. Roundtree and wife, motored to Ashland and other neighboring towns Sunday in their beautiful new Essex car. Mrs. Cora Brock of East 120th street, who underwent two successful operations, and Mrs. James Perkins continued to improve. St. Mark's hospital, Major W. T. Anderson of East 54th street, member of the \$5,000,000 campaign commission, attended the district conference of the Northern Ohio branch of the A. M. E. connection in Piqua, Kenton and Scioto counties, Ohio, recently. Mrs. Mitchell, 3636 Longwood court, is very ill at his home. Mrs. Ella Catto, mother of Miss Thelma Catto, of Haloma place, Berea, Ohio, passed through the city Monday en route to Springfield, Ohio, to spend her vacation. She will also attend the commencement exercises of Wilberforce University. George L. Stokes, brother of Adjutant Stokes of Lemuel T. Boydston Post, arrived recently from Cleveland in the city of Cleveland. He leaves Thursday for Delaware, Ohio, to enter business. Mrs. May Stokes, his wife, who is now sojourning in Chicago, expects to join him soon. She will open a garment factory and manufacture dresses and children's garments. The death of Thomas Brooks, 27 years of age, residing at 2262 East 29th street, was a tragic one. While at work on the second floor of a house in 5044 Boulevard, he lost his balance and fell to the pavement below. The "stork special" has certainly been "on the job" recently from reports received. Recent arrivals are a daughter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Gaudin, Ohio, to spend the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Harris, 2360 East 31st street; a daughter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown, Elvira, Ohio, son and daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wade Park, 2233 East 104th street, Cleveland, and a 10-pound baby girl at the home of Atty. and Mrs. Selma C. Glenn of 84th street. All are doing fine. Mrs. Cora West Robinson, society editor of the Advertiser, entertained royally at whilst in honor of her friend and guest, Mrs. Lulu Dockett of Youngstown, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Lewis, 25th street, left Monday afternoon for Chippewa Lake, where they will spend the summer. Several social affairs were given in their honor. Mrs. Ethel McGee entertained at her home Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. William Van Buren, East 100th street, gave a theater party Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Perkins entertained at dinner Saturday evening. The Assembly Study Club was royally entertained last week Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ida Scott. The Jay question was discussed. On Monday, May 5, the stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin C. Harris, 2350 East 31st street, and left a fine baby girl. Mother and baby, Dorothy Estelle, are doing fine, and papa Harris is all in smiles. American Woodmen Camp No. 10 celebrated its first anniversary at the Bath House Saturday evening. Mrs. Z. E. Brown was mistress of ceremonies. The Rev. Charles D. Clark and wife, 2603 Orange avenue, have both been confined to their home by illness. Harry T. Ford, the peerless cornet and bugle initiator, returned from a short but delightful trip to New York and the East. Miss Ruth Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Dean, is greatly pleased with her work teaching in Porto Rico, according to her letter to parents and friends. Mrs. Sarah Woods Egan, who has been the guest of Mrs. Mattie Arter Rose, 2631 East 47th place, returned to her home, Buxton, Canada, after a delightful visit. Among those who entertained for her were Mrs. Ed Calves, East 103d street; Mrs. H. Albion, East 104th street; Mrs. Alice Ambler, 2316 East 31st street, and Mrs. H. T. Strawder, East 47th place. A big barbecue and picnic is planned by the Lincoln Heights Land Co. under the auspices of the combined churches of the city, at Bedford on Decoration Day, May 30. A big program has been arranged, consisting of all kinds of races, contests, etc. For further information call up the Lincoln Heights Land Co., 1010 Schofield building, and ask for Dr. C. Z. Gaines, master of ceremonies. Mrs. Lou Melton, 2355 East 70th street, proved a delightful hostess to the present day club. Next meeting will be held the second Tuesday in June with Mrs. Elizabeth Moore, East 97th street. Boys, girls, men and women can make good money these hard times by selling the Defender. Call at the office, 3565 Central avenue, for information.

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Toledo, Ohio  
R. W. Ragnall Jr. of New York City, national director of the A. M. E. church, gave a lecture at the Third Baptist church. He proved himself to be an able orator, holding the audience with his instructive message. Dr. Ragnall formerly was stationed at St. Matthew parish, Detroit, Mich. Miss Cecelia Collins of Cleveland is in hospital attending to her mother. The attendance was small, but program was appreciated. Miss Myrtle Darby, accompanist. Carl C. Auther, clearing house clerk for Bank of Italy, San Jose, Cal., branch, is spending his vacation visiting relatives and friends. Carl is a brother of Marion, general agent of Idlewild, who is now placing Woodland on the market. Albert Prince left for Toronto Saturday, where he expects to spend the summer. Mrs. Myrtle Mason is visiting Miss Katie Hamby at 373 Belmont avenue. Dr. Geo. Baker of Wynne, Ark., is making a brief stay with Mr. Tyler of 14 South Superior street. Ralph Brown of Detroit spent a few days in the city before leaving for his new location to start business. Reports say that the water is fine at the island. A number of people are bathing every day. The resort is being put into shape for the summer crowds. The new day boat is being renovated; also beach cleaned up. Mrs. William Artis has returned from a two weeks' stay in Detroit. Mrs. Mildred McCown Mason has named her new daughter, Hazel Elizabeth. Mother and daughter are doing fine. Mrs. Lizzie Moore of Halberland avenue has gone to Cleveland to be with her daughter, Mrs. Mayne Early, who is recovering from a serious operation. Mrs. Mary Mason has returned to the city after visiting relatives in Florida. Mrs. Harry Johnson entertained a group in honor of Mrs. Mary Johnson of Detroit. Mrs. William Burroughs of Yondota street is reported no better. Mrs. Ruth Castle entertained the Misses Myrtle Darby, Julian Canan, Esther Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fisher, complimenting her sister, Mrs. Bessie James, birthday anniversary. Miss Edna Tany is visiting her sister, Mrs. Webster L. Porter of Nashville, Tenn. Mrs. Earl Boho of 222 Linwood left for a short stay with her relatives in Memphis, Tenn. John Anderson of Detroit was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert King of Oakwood avenue. The Young Women's Auxiliary of Warren A. M. E. church presented the trustee board with \$100 in expenses. They also did their bit towards helping the needy families on Hill avenue.

Massillon, Ohio  
The third annual mid-year conference of the sixth Episcopal district and of the Ohio conference convened at the A. M. E. Zion church Thursday and Friday, May 5 and 6. The first day was Missionary day. Missionary women present were Mrs. Jennie A. Taylor of Lisbon, Ohio; Mrs. Blanch Pirlard of Newcastle, Pa.; Mrs. Susie Lee and Mrs. Maggie Robinson, North Side, Pittsburg, Pa.; Mrs. McMullen of Akron, Ohio. Rev. D. E. Brady of Dayton, Ohio, preached the missionary sermon

at the evening service. The second day's session was presided over by our much beloved bishop, the Rt. Rev. G. C. Clement, A. M. D. D. of Louisville, Ky. This was the centenary day. The amount raised was \$2,109. Rev. J. P. Foote of Cincinnati closed the conference with a powerful sermon. A large delegation of ministers was present. The Pastor's Relief Society was hostess both days. They received many praises for serving so nicely and giving plenty of good things to eat. Mrs. T. W. Mills is the president. Mrs. Mary More was the chief cook. Rev. T. W. Mills is the faithful pastor and face leader.

Lima, Ohio.  
Mrs. Charlotte Collins, who spent last Sunday in Van Wert, is visiting relatives in the city. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Turner of Sidney were the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Turner, last week. Charlie Herrington, who passed away at the City hospital last week, was buried in Columbus Wednesday. Dr. J. C. Bradford and E. C. P. were elected delegates to the convention in Detroit next month. Miss Virginia Jackson of Kenton visited her relatives in the city the week-end. Mrs. Kemp entertained twenty members of the Aid Society at her home on South Nye street. Mrs. Mattie Turner entertained the Aedon Club of this city and the Home Culture Club of Sidney last week. Arthur Baker, student of Central High school, graduated with the highest honors any student could have obtained. There is no student, stated for next year. Mrs. Cecelia Turner of Cincinnati, grand matron of Juvenile K. of P., is in the city in interest of the local K. of P's. Mrs. Charlie Hamilton and Mrs. Bertha Jackson are delegates to the Ohio State Federation of Women's Clubs, which convenes at Cincinnati. Anyone wishing to secure a copy of the Defender can leave order with Col. Brown at Stewart's barber shop, or give order to George M. Williams.

Troy, Ohio.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Porter of Dayton, O., were called to the home of Mrs. Lucy Williams to the bedside of Mr. Porter's mother, Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. Samatha Morris, who is ill. William Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Miller, is very ill, suffering from bronchial trouble. The play, "Trouble in Turkey-Trot Methodist Church," directed by Mrs. Edith Clayton, given at St. James A. M. E. church, Friday evening, was a decided success. A delegation of the members of Raper Delaney lodge attended the thanksgiving sermon of the K. of P. lodge in Dayton, Ohio, Sunday, Sunday, May 29. Raper Delaney lodge, No. 74, Troy, will have their thanksgiving sermon preached at Granger's hall. All are cordially invited to attend. Mrs. Bessie Stewart and Mr. W. Redmond, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hall, and Mrs. J. C. Redmond attended the K. of P. sermon at Dayton, O. Sunday. Mrs. Mayme Griffith of Dayton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Medley, over Sunday.

Salem, Ohio.  
The social given at the A. M. E. church last Tuesday night by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Catlin was a success. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Elward were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin M. Davis. Mr. M. Logan, who has been ill for several years, has been an invalid and confined to his room, took his first look at the day from the outside last week. He is being carried around in a wheel chair. Mrs. Jackson of 123 Persey avenue has returned from a two weeks' visit in Cleveland. Salem Black Star baseball team will open the season Sunday, May 29. C. E. Burke attended the K. of P. sermon in Alliance last Sunday. Mr. Burke gave a talk on friendship.

Painesville, Ohio  
The Ladies' Social Club met with Mrs. Wm. Goddy Thursday afternoon. Mrs. T. A. Newman, Robert Walker and Russell Williams were baptized last Sunday. The Rev. Bryant accompanied the Union Scouts to Cleveland League Park Thursday afternoon to a ball game. Howard Waynes and Miss Helen Forie were married last week. Mrs. Forie Smith Wiseman and son of Washington, D. C., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith. The Rev. Summers of Williamsport, Pa., delivered a lecture at the Union Congregational church Tuesday evening.

Wellsville, Ohio.  
Rev. A. R. Johnson, pastor of the A. M. E. church, preached two sermons Sunday. The United Order of Odd Fellows held their annual thanksgiving services in the A. M. E. church Sunday. Music by the Wellsville band. First Baptist church will give their regular Thursday evening supper for the benefit of the church. J. R. Jiles of Nevada street who was taken very ill while at work, is able to be out again. Mrs. Anna Carter, who has been sick for some time, is reported as improving

slowly. A number of boys met at the church Saturday for the purpose of organizing the Boy Scouts. S. C. Brown, former lieutenant in the World war, met with the boys and gave them a very careful talk. A chicken supper was held in the A. M. E. church Thursday evening by members of the Minister's Aid Society. The Joshua Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ernest Hopkins, Nevada street. The Viola Club held their regular meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Winslow. Bernice Dalton Post, No. 377, paid tribute to two World war heroes, Daniel D. Duty, son of our postmaster, and Raymond McCauley, Thursday afternoon. Services in the First Methodist Episcopal church. Mr. Greenleaf of Pittsburg was a guest of our city over Sunday, coming here to attend the ball game of the Pittsburg Glants. George Porter and Mr. Branam of Pittsburg attended the ball game of the Pittsburg Glants and were dinner guests of Tom Polkum. We are so proud of the Pittsburg Glants, who won the game Sunday over the Man of War team (white), of East Liverpool. Nathan Harris, manager of the Pittsburg Glants, has a wonderful team. They drew a crowd of over 2,000 people. Mrs. Anna Smith of Charleston, W. Va., sister of Mrs. Ernest Hopkins, is very ill at Weston Sanitarium for the Insane. Weston, W. Va., suffering from a fracture of the skull owing to a blow she received some time ago. Mrs. Hopkins thanks her many friends for kindness shown Mrs. Smith, as Mrs. Hopkins was unable to care for her sister properly, being herself a patient at East Liverpool hospital, where she underwent an operation.

Bellaire, Ohio.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Ross and Mr. and Mrs. George Korns motored to St. Clairsville, Ohio, last Sunday. Mrs. Myrtle Chapman died last Monday morning quite suddenly. The remains were taken to Wytheville, Va., for interment. William Pinchem has returned to Columbus after visiting his brother, Mac Pinchem. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Briggs spent last week visiting in Washington, Pa. Rev. L. V. White and congregation will attend services in St. Clairsville, O. Sunday, May 29. Rev. Dr. White will preach in the afternoon. Mrs. Guy Lucas entertained the Sewing Circle of the A. M. E. church. The W. M. M. Society of St. Paul A. M. E. church was entertained by Mrs. Carrie Buckley last Tuesday evening. Miss Mildred Holland of South Bellaire was calling on Wheeling friends last week. A few personal friends of Mrs. Edna Preston Calaway gave her a pleasant surprise on her birthday. A pleasant evening was spent. Mrs. Lucy Jackson attended the district conference of the Youngstown division of the A. M. E. church last week. She also sent two solos.

Geneva, Ohio.  
Mrs. R. Ross attended the funeral of Mrs. Green at Painesville, O. Mrs. Conner lectured at the Second Baptist church to a large audience. The social given by the Second Baptist church was a success. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams of Madison were visitors at the social given by the Second Baptist church. Mrs. Thomas Green of Ashland, O., attended the Pythian anniversary at Cleveland and visited Mrs. T. C. Mitchell on her return trip.

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R. W. Ragnall Jr. of New York City, national director of the A. M. E. church, gave a lecture at the Third Baptist church. He proved himself to be an able orator, holding the audience with his instructive message. Dr. Ragnall formerly was stationed at St. Matthew parish, Detroit, Mich. Miss Cecelia Collins of Cleveland is in hospital attending to her mother. The attendance was small, but program was appreciated. Miss Myrtle Darby, accompanist. Carl C. Auther, clearing house clerk for Bank of Italy, San Jose, Cal., branch, is spending his vacation visiting relatives and friends. Carl is a brother of Marion, general agent of Idlewild, who is now placing Woodland on the market. Albert Prince left for Toronto Saturday, where he expects to spend the summer. Mrs. Myrtle Mason is visiting Miss Katie Hamby at 373 Belmont avenue. Dr. Geo. Baker of Wynne, Ark., is making a brief stay with Mr. Tyler of 14 South Superior street. Ralph Brown of Detroit spent a few days in the city before leaving for his new location to start business. Reports say that the water is fine at the island. A number of people are bathing every day. The resort is being put into shape for the summer crowds. The new day boat is being renovated; also beach cleaned up. Mrs. William Artis has returned from a two weeks' stay in Detroit. Mrs. Mildred McCown Mason has named her new daughter, Hazel Elizabeth. Mother and daughter are doing fine. Mrs. Lizzie Moore of Halberland avenue has gone to Cleveland to be with her daughter, Mrs. Mayne Early, who is recovering from a serious operation. Mrs. Mary Mason has returned to the city after visiting relatives in Florida. Mrs. Harry Johnson entertained a group in honor of Mrs. Mary Johnson of Detroit. Mrs. William Burroughs of Yondota street is reported no better. Mrs. Ruth Castle entertained the Misses Myrtle Darby, Julian Canan, Esther Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fisher, complimenting her sister, Mrs. Bessie James, birthday anniversary. Miss Edna Tany is visiting her sister, Mrs. Webster L. Porter of Nashville, Tenn. Mrs. Earl Boho of 222 Linwood left for a short stay with her relatives in Memphis, Tenn. John Anderson of Detroit was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert King of Oakwood avenue. The Young Women's Auxiliary of Warren A. M. E. church presented the trustee board with \$100 in expenses. They also did their bit towards helping the needy families on Hill avenue.

Massillon, Ohio  
The third annual mid-year conference of the sixth Episcopal district and of the Ohio conference convened at the A. M. E. Zion church Thursday and Friday, May 5 and 6. The first day was Missionary day. Missionary women present were Mrs. Jennie A. Taylor of Lisbon, Ohio; Mrs. Blanch Pirlard of Newcastle, Pa.; Mrs. Susie Lee and Mrs. Maggie Robinson, North Side, Pittsburg, Pa.; Mrs. McMullen of Akron, Ohio. Rev. D. E. Brady of Dayton, Ohio, preached the missionary sermon

at the evening service. The second day's session was presided over by our much beloved bishop, the Rt. Rev. G. C. Clement, A. M. D. D. of Louisville, Ky. This was the centenary day. The amount raised was \$2,109. Rev. J. P. Foote of Cincinnati closed the conference with a powerful sermon. A large delegation of ministers was present. The Pastor's Relief Society was hostess both days. They received many praises for serving so nicely and giving plenty of good things to eat. Mrs. T. W. Mills is the president. Mrs. Mary More was the chief cook. Rev. T. W. Mills is the faithful pastor and face leader.

Lima, Ohio.  
Mrs. Charlotte Collins, who spent last Sunday in Van Wert, is visiting relatives in the city. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Turner of Sidney were the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Turner, last week. Charlie Herrington, who passed away at the City hospital last week, was buried in Columbus Wednesday. Dr. J. C. Bradford and E. C. P. were elected delegates to the convention in Detroit next month. Miss Virginia Jackson of Kenton visited her relatives in the city the week-end. Mrs. Kemp entertained twenty members of the Aid Society at her home on South Nye street. Mrs. Mattie Turner entertained the Aedon Club of this city and the Home Culture Club of Sidney last week. Arthur Baker, student of Central High school, graduated with the highest honors any student could have obtained. There is no student, stated for next year. Mrs. Cecelia Turner of Cincinnati, grand matron of Juvenile K. of P., is in the city in interest of the local K. of P's. Mrs. Charlie Hamilton and Mrs. Bertha Jackson are delegates to the Ohio State Federation of Women's Clubs, which convenes at Cincinnati. Anyone wishing to secure a copy of the Defender can leave order with Col. Brown at Stewart's barber shop, or give order to George M. Williams.

Troy, Ohio.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Porter of Dayton, O., were called to the home of Mrs. Lucy Williams to the bedside of Mr. Porter's mother, Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. Samatha Morris, who is ill. William Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Miller, is very ill, suffering from bronchial trouble. The play, "Trouble in Turkey-Trot Methodist Church," directed by Mrs. Edith Clayton, given at St. James A. M. E. church, Friday evening, was a decided success. A delegation of the members of Raper Delaney lodge attended the thanksgiving sermon of the K. of P. lodge in Dayton, Ohio, Sunday, Sunday, May 29. Raper Delaney lodge, No. 74, Troy, will have their thanksgiving sermon preached at Granger's hall. All are cordially invited to attend. Mrs. Bessie Stewart and Mr. W. Redmond, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hall, and Mrs. J. C. Redmond attended the K. of P. sermon at Dayton, O. Sunday. Mrs. Mayme Griffith of Dayton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Medley, over Sunday.

Salem, Ohio.  
The social given at the A. M. E. church last Tuesday night by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Catlin was a success. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Elward were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin M. Davis. Mr. M. Logan, who has been ill for several years, has been an invalid and confined to his room, took his first look at the day from the outside last week. He is being carried around in a wheel chair. Mrs. Jackson of 123 Persey avenue has returned from a two weeks' visit in Cleveland. Salem Black Star baseball team will open the season Sunday, May 29. C. E. Burke attended the K. of P. sermon in Alliance last Sunday. Mr. Burke gave a talk on friendship.

Painesville, Ohio  
The Ladies' Social Club met with Mrs. Wm. Goddy Thursday afternoon. Mrs. T. A. Newman, Robert Walker and Russell Williams were baptized last Sunday. The Rev. Bryant accompanied the Union Scouts to Cleveland League Park Thursday afternoon to a ball game. Howard Waynes and Miss Helen Forie were married last week. Mrs. Forie Smith Wiseman and son of Washington, D. C., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith. The Rev. Summers of Williamsport, Pa., delivered a lecture at the Union Congregational church Tuesday evening.

Wellsville, Ohio.  
Rev. A. R. Johnson, pastor of the A. M. E. church, preached two sermons Sunday. The United Order of Odd Fellows held their annual thanksgiving services in the A. M. E. church Sunday. Music by the Wellsville band. First Baptist church will give their regular Thursday evening supper for the benefit of the church. J. R. Jiles of Nevada street who was taken very ill while at work, is able to be out again. Mrs. Anna Carter, who has been sick for some time, is reported as improving

slowly. A number of boys met at the church Saturday for the purpose of organizing the Boy Scouts. S. C. Brown, former lieutenant in the World war, met with the boys and gave them a very careful talk. A chicken supper was held in the A. M. E. church Thursday evening by members of the Minister's Aid Society. The Joshua Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ernest Hopkins, Nevada street. The Viola Club held their regular meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Winslow. Bernice Dalton Post, No. 377, paid tribute to two World war heroes, Daniel D. Duty, son of our postmaster, and Raymond McCauley, Thursday afternoon. Services in the First Methodist Episcopal church. Mr. Greenleaf of Pittsburg was a guest of our city over Sunday, coming here to attend the ball game of the Pittsburg Glants. George Porter and Mr. Branam of Pittsburg attended the ball game of the Pittsburg Glants and were dinner guests of Tom Polkum. We are so proud of the Pittsburg Glants, who won the game Sunday over the Man of War team (white), of East Liverpool. Nathan Harris, manager of the Pittsburg Glants, has a wonderful team. They drew a crowd of over 2,000 people. Mrs. Anna Smith of Charleston, W. Va., sister of Mrs. Ernest Hopkins, is very ill at Weston Sanitarium for