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HAD A NEGRO HOST.

Embarrassing Experience of North Carolinian in Iowa.

Des Moines Register. A Presbyterian commissioner from North Carolina got into a terrible jam yesterday morning. Imbued with all the Southern prejudice against the colored man as a social brother despite his feeling of religious fervor in saving souls, the commissioner, who took French leave before he gave his name, discovered that after going to bed last night in a Ninth street home, he was a room-mate of a negro and was being entertained in the home of an estimable negro family in Des Moines, Iowa.

It was all because he came from North Carolina. In going over the list the committee on arrangements, made up of prominent Des Moines Presbyterians, found the name of the North Carolina commissioner.

"North Carolina," said one of the committee.

"Yes, a colored minister," said another.

"All right," was the response, and as the committee was endeavoring to place the colored commissioners to the general assembly in the homes of the negro citizens of Des Moines, Mr. Commissioner from North Carolina was assigned to the home of Richard Harris, a well known negro of the city.

The train bearing the Southerner came in late at night. It was dark and his complexion went unheeded. He was taken to the Ninth street home without being questioned by the guides, and shown to his room. He did not see any member of the Harris family.

Early in the morning, Rev. Dr. Trusty, the pastor of the largest colored Presbyterian church in Chattanooga, Tenn., arrived and was also taken to the Harris home. He was installed into another bed in the same room. The North Carolinian slept on.

Yesterday morning the North Carolinian awakened. Rubbing his eyes, he looked across the room to the other bed. There slept Rev. Dr. Trusty, peacefully oblivious to his surroundings.

"What a strange custom. What does this mean?" asked the man aloud.

"Here, what are you doing in my room?" and with that he sat up and raised his voice to a higher pitch.

The reverend colored doctor opened his eyes and sized up the situation. "What are you doing in my room?" asked Dr. Trusty.

By this time the members of the family were awakened. Harris stuck his head in the door. His son looked in, and the North Carolinian was beginning to think he was the victim of some conspiracy.

Hasty questions, hasty explanations, hurried dressing on the part of the North Carolinian and a hasty departure with bag and baggage closed the first ludicrous incident of the Presbyterian assembly.

Notice.

Applications for Paid Secretary will be received by the Board of Trade until May 31, 1906. The position will require a leader, a man of original ideas and one who is willing to give his entire time to the work. Address W. T. Brown, President, Board of Trade, Winston-Salem, N. C.

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PERSONAL NOTES.

W. R. Leak went South yesterday afternoon.

Editor Pepper, of the Danbury Reporter, was here today in the interest of his paper.

Dr. J. G. Ector, of Friendship, was here today on his return from a business trip to Abspahg.

Presiding Elder Scroggs left yesterday afternoon for Advance and Farmington to fill his appointments.

R. H. Carter, of Madison; R. P. Richardson, of Reidsville, and W. D. Sutton, of Summerfield, were in the city today.

Mrs. H. G. Chatham and children, of Elkin, were here yesterday afternoon, returning from Charlotte. They were joined here by Mr. Chatham.

A. W. Hicks, cashier of the Wachovia Loan and Trust Company at Spencer, spent the day in the city, shaking hands with friends. Mr. Hicks is pleasantly remembered here as the former secretary of the Y. M. C. A.

PRESIDENT'S COACHMAN PULLED FROM HIS SEAT

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Clarence T. Boykin, manager of the Odette Tyler Company, playing at the Belasco Theatre, was arrested Wednesday night on the charge of disorderly conduct as a result of an altercation with the coachman of President Roosevelt's carriage. The hoof beats of the horses disturbed the performance, and Mr. Boykin says he did not leave the theatre to abate the noise until it became so pronounced as to interfere with the play. He instructed the coachman to drive a little distance away, but the latter informed him that the carriage was the president's, and that he would not move. Mr. Boykin said he told the coachman that even the horses attached to the president's carriage could not be permitted to disturb the audience. The coachman refused to change his location, and Mr. Boykin admits dragging him from his seat and that they were engaged in a struggle when the police arrived and placed Mr. Boykin under arrest.

Neither President Roosevelt nor Mrs. Roosevelt was in attendance at the theatre, the carriage being used by guests at the White House. Mr. Boykin was released on \$5 collateral.

Fortunate Missourians.

"When I was a druggist, at Livonia, Mo.," writes T. J. Dwyer, now of Grayville, Mo., "three of my customers were permanently cured of consumption by Dr. King's New Discovery, and are well and strong today. One was trying to sell his property and move to Arizona, but after using New Discovery a short time he found it unnecessary to do so. I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as the most wonderful medicine in existence." Surest cough and cold cure and throat and lung healer. Guaranteed by V. O. Thompson, Druggist, 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

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Postmaster Robbed.

G. W. Fouts, postmaster at River-ton, Ia., nearly lost his life and was robbed of all comfort, according to his letter, which says: "For 20 years I had chronic liver complaint, which led to such a severe case of jaundice that even my finger nails turned yellow; when my doctor prescribed Electric Bitters, which cured me and have kept me well for eleven years." Sure cure for biliousness, neuralgia, weakness and all stomach, liver, kidney and bladder derangements. A wonderful tonic. At V. O. Thompson's drug store. 50 cents.

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Men's fine balbriggan undershirts; long sleeves; satteen facing; pearl buttons; all sizes; worth 25c for22c

Straw Hats 50c, 75c \$1.

We've a sample line of men's Straw Hats in this season's newest and most popular styles; worth up to \$1.50; specially priced at 50, 75c, \$1.

Mens Underwear 39c

Men's fancy striped gauze underwear; very cool and comfortable; all sizes; regular price 50 for39c

Telescope Suit Cases

Just the thing for your vacation trip; strongly made; canvas covered; a complete line of all sizes priced from 25c up

10 and 15c Fans, 5c

One thousand Japanese fans in a great diversity of styles and colors, regular priced 10c and 15c for5c

Leather Suit Cases \$3

Real sole leather suit cases; hand sewn; fine brass lock and trimmings, 24-inch size; very special for\$3.00

Ladies 15c Hose 9c

Ladies' fine cotton hose, fast black, full seamless foot; all sizes, worth 15c for 9c pair.

Ladies 12 1-2c Hose 7c

Ladies' fine black hose, drop-stitch stripe, some have white feet, worth 12½c, very special for7c the Pair.

Ladies 12 1-2c Vests 10c

Ladies' fine gauze vests in exclusive ribbed; taped arms and neck, all sizes, worth 12½c, for10c

Ladies Vests 15c

Ladies' fine gauze vests in extra large sizes; taped arms and neck, nicely finished at 15c Each.

Ladies 10c Vests 7c

Ladies' fine gauze vests, thin and cool; taped arms and neck, all sizes; the 10c ones for7c

40c Sheets for 29c

Single bed sheets, size 54x90 inches, made of good, strong bleached sheeting, worth 45c for29c Each

50c Sheets for 44c

Double bed sheets, size 72x90 inches, made of heavy, round thread bleached sheeting, worth 50c for44c Each.

Pillow Cases, 12 1-2

Good strong bleached cotton pillow cases; regular size 45x35 inches; deep hem, a good value for12½c

12 1-2c Huck Towels 10c

Heavy union linen huck towels; regular household size; hemmed ends; striped borders; the 12½c ones for 10c

Canvas Suit Cases \$1.25

Heavy canvas dress suit cases; leather corners; brass trimmings; strong handles 24 and 26 inches long, \$1.25

Childrens 25c Hose 5c

Children's Sox and full length hose in black and tan, all sizes, worth 25c for 5c the pair.

Lace Curtains 75c

Nottingham Lace Curtains in very neat and tasteful patterns, 3 yards long, for 75c the pair.

Muslin Curtains 48c

White Muslin Curtains, deep ruffles, 3 yards long and 36 inches wide, a very special at 48c the pair.

Jap. Rugs 75c

Japanese matting rugs, lines warp; pretty bright printed designs, size 3 by 6 feet, special 75c each.

Oriental Rugs \$1.69

Dansu Oriental Rugs in the handsomest designs, size 3½ feet, an extra special value for \$1.69

Silkoline 10c

Art Drapery Silkolines in the prettiest scroll and floral designs, 36 inches wide, very special for 10c the yard.

Wall Paper 5c Roll

Good quality wall paper in a wondrous variety of artistic designs, very special at 5c the roll.

Ladies Skirts 75c

Made of fine Cambric in several different styles; deep lawn ruffles; tucked and lace trimmed for75c

Ladies Short Skirts 35c

Ladies' knee length skirts made of fine cambric, finished with hemstitching and tucks for35c

Ladies Drawers 25c

Ladies' Cambric Drawers, hemstitched flounce, cut very full, worth 35c for25c

Ladies Gowns 75c

Made of good muslin with round yoke and short sleeves trimmed with torchon lace for75c

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