

COMMENTS

Broadway High School at Seattle, Wash., has 16 colored students, which is the largest number any high school in the city has ever had. The students have expressed their intentions to become engineers, mechanics, stenographers, dressmakers, bookkeepers, pharmacists and Journalists.

The very best of training is given each student and the school is very liberal in its curriculum and allows each student as much freedom as possible in choosing and specializing in subjects that will best fit the needs of their prospective professions. Miss Irene Harvey and Mr. Edward Johnson are members of the orchestra and Mr. Johnson is the treasurer of the same; while

Clyde Colman, the prospective pharmacist is the famous back-stop of the Broadway Foot Ball Team. He is one of the star players in the team and although a colored lad, he is one of the idols of the school, because of his brilliant foot-ball record.

Many of our readers will be surprised to hear of the recent death of Mrs. Aida Overton Walker, who died Oct. 10th, at her home, 107 West 132nd Str., New York City. Mrs. Walker's death comes as quite a blow, as she was only sick for about ten days.

A contract has recently been drawn up in the city of St. Paul, for a Union Hall to be constructed by Perfect Ashler a Masonic Fraternity jointly with Mars Lodge United Order of Odd Fellows. These two orders came together after months of constant negotiations between them. They are proud to announce that they will build and construct an edifice to be known as the Union Hall Association and is to be erected at the corner of Kent and Aurora Ave. at the cost of \$14,000. According to contract this building will be ready for occupancy Feb. 15, 1915.

Much credit is due Mrs. S. D. Stone for the way she has taken hold of the Swimming Class of the Y. W. C. A. Girls' Culture Club of the Y. W. C. A., of Seattle, Wash. After Mrs. Carter's departure, the class was without a leader, but Mrs. Stone stepped in and filled the vacancy. If she had not done this the Y. W. C. A. would doubtless have taken the colored girls priviledges away from them and the girls would have been without this great opportunity of taking up so many different kinds of beneficial work. So it is the earnest wish of the Progressive Westerner that the girls will turn out and show their appreciation as well as being benefited thereby.

