

Mr. Robert W. Coleman

Mr. Coleman is a widely known figure, not only for his directory, but for a number of other of his worthy activities in the public life of Baltimore. He excelled and has published each year since 1913 The First Colored Directory of Baltimore City, with Washington Annex. Similar works have been compiled in other cities in imitation of Mr. Coleman's idea. He also conceived and organized, with the assistance of six other gentlemen, The Association for the Handicapped, Incorporated, which since 1913 has been active in contributing to the interests of the deaf, dumb, blind, crippled and feeble-minded.

He was born November 3, 1876, in Washington, D. C., attended the public schools, and graduated from the old M Street High School business department in 1894, and is the son of A. B. Coleman who, associated with the younger Frederick Douglas, helped organize the Colored Forty-fourth, Forty-fifth and Fifty-fifth Massachusetts regiments during the dark days of the War of the Rebellion. For their services they received the thanks of the legislature of Boston. His mother was Mary Catherine Jones Coleman. He married Miss Mary Mason of Baltimore and has six children. All girls. Mr. Coleman is a relative of the late Judge Robert H. Terrell.

Though stricken with almost complete blindness after he reached adult manhood, he has continued his active interests in public life, and is greatly devoted to social work, including the colored case work conference and the Y. M. C. A., of which he was at one time a member of the board of directors.



Francis M. Wood
Superintendent S. Sch.,
Catonsville, Md.

Walter Thornton
General Sec. S. School
555 Prestmann St.

Paul B. Brabham
Pres. Men's Missionary
2221 Division St.

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Pres. Missionary Circle
2039 McCulloch St.

Estelle Hargett
Pres. Utility Organization
1107 Carrollton Ave.

Margaret R. Jefferson
Pres. B. Y. P. U.
913 N. Gilmore St.

"For Kingdom Building"

Union Baptist Church
1217 Druid Hill Avenue

J. TIMOTHY BODDIE, B.D., Minister
340 W. Dolphin Street

SUNDAY ACTIVITIES

9.30 a.m., Sunday School 6.00 p.m., B. Y. P. U.
11.00 p.m., Preaching 8.00 p.m., Preaching

Communion and Reception of New Members
every First Sunday Evening.

WEEK-DAY ACTIVITIES

Tuesday
8.00 p.m. Teacher Training Class

Wednesday
8.00 p.m. Bible Class
8.00 p.m. Senior Choir Practice

Friday
5.30 p.m. Junior Choir Practice
8.00 p.m. Prayer Meeting

Joseph B. Mason
Ch. Clerk
305 Prestmann Street

Caroline Murray
Fin. Clerk
1614 Madison Avenue

F. H. Fisher
Chairman Deacon Board
1115 Park Avenue

Joseph P. Evans
Chairman Trustee Board
900 Brevard Street

Benjamin P. Dixon
Chairman Financial Board
1518 N. Mount Street

Deaver Smith
4527 Craddock Avenue
Treasurer

YOUR MOTHER—When a mother has given her strength, often her health, to care for her children, it is little, indeed, to ask in return that they pay to her as much as they do to acquaintances. ¶ There will come a day, boys and girls, when you will be very, very sorry for every word or deed that hurt your father or mother, a day when you will want only a chance to let them know how sorry you are—if there could be just a few years to be kind and repay in some part your big debt—but it will be too late.