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CHICAGO.

Doings of the Past Week in all Parts of the Great Metropolis of the West.

The APPEAL'S News Budget.

Mr. H. H. Walker has returned from San Francisco.

The Remonde House has removed to 464 State street.

Miss Lillian B. Ash has returned from her trip to Louisville.

Messrs Robert and Bud Merrett left Saturday for Frankfurt.

Rev. Thomas L. Johnson returned to the city last Saturday.

Mr. C. D. Nolan has moved from 248 Wells street to 170 Wells street.

You must read THE APPEAL to be well informed about Chicago affairs.

The Autumn Club promises a grand time at their annual May party.

Furnished rooms for gentlemen only, at Mrs. S. Gant's, 2135 and 2138 State St.

Mr. Samuel Askins will open a gents furnishing store at 490 1/2 State street, this Saturday.

The Symposium Literary Club of the West side has Mr. B. E. Waldon at its head again.

The Autumn Club's Annual May Party will be the event of the season. Be sure to attend.

The name of Mr. J. C. Plummer was omitted from our report of the Langston banquet last week.

Should you wish first class meals served in first class style try Mrs. J. H. Hunters No. 201 Third Ave.

The Boquet Club of Olivet church will give a concert for the benefit of the church at central Hall May 20.

The Ideal Social Dancing Club will give its annual May party, Wednesday evening the 29th at Central Hall.

Mrs. Cassius King has changed her place of residence and will be pleased to see her friends at 87 Walnut street.

Mr. Alonzo A. Thompson has assumed his duties as clerk of Harrison street station, lately vacated by Bob Mitchell.

The place to get anything in the jewelry line or to have repairing done is at Henry Ritter's No. 3152 State street.

Messrs. Pope and Smith, 121 Lake St. will clean and repair your clothing and make it as good as new. Give them a trial.

Messrs Nelson, Garrett, Jenkins, Croker and Benson are making assessments now, the consideration being \$5 per day.

Have you tried the meals at Mr. R. K. Jones' No. 211 Third ave. top flat? No. Well, try them and you will not eat any where else.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hayes will tender their friends a reception Wednesday May 8 from 11 a. m. to 11 p. m. at their 2531 State St.

If you wish to get household goods at the lowest rates on time go to the People's Outfitting Co, 171 and 173 W. Madison street.

If you are looking for first class rooms and meals try Mrs. Lucy Brown No. 155 1/2 Third ave. near Polk street. Transients accommodated.

Mr. F. G. Alexander of Colorado Springs, Colorado, who has been visiting his mother in Oberlin, Ohio, was in the city, the guest of Mr. Chas. Landre.

Drop a postal with your address to White Shirt Co. 3811 Butterfield St. and an agent will call to get your measure for a half dozen of your excellent shirts.

The popular resort for the young folks out South is the ice cream parlors of Mr. T. B. Walters No. 2828 State street. Sunday nights after church, if you wish to be in the swim go to Walters'.

Mrs. Sadie White, 2976 Dearborn street gave an elegant reception to her lady guests Mrs. Christian Pomanza and Mrs. Watness of St. Louis on Friday of last week. All present enjoyed themselves.

The Autumn Club wishes those who desire invitations and who have changed their addresses since the last party, to send new addresses to C. H. Harrison, 141 17th street of F. L. McGhee, 2723 Dearborn street.

Subscribers who change their place of residence should at once send a postal card to THE APPEAL 325 Dearborn Chicago, giving both the old and new address. If this is done they'll be sure to receive the paper regularly.

If you wish to buy a home be sure to see Wm. Frink at 544 Morris street, near Garfield Boulevard and Wright street. He has a number of fine cottages and sells them very reasonable on monthly payments or your own terms.

Mr. J. C. Battles has introduced a resolution in the Garden City Lyceum to invite the ladies to become members of the club. A committee consisting of J. C. Battles, R. B. Cabbell, B. A. Lewis, W. H. Johnson, A. J. Saunders, A. R. Jackson.

Persons having local news, items etc. for THE APPEAL should get to the office as early in the week as possible. If they come late they may not get in, as paid matter is given the preference. Bring or send your items to the office 325 Dearborn street, suite 13-14-15.

Miss Fannie Clemmons of 2837 Butterfield street was given a party by her parents Rev. and Mrs. Clemmons, on

Wednesday of last week, in honor of her 15th anniversary, at which time, there were present a goodly number of young ladies and gentlemen, Miss Clemmons received quite a lay out of handsome presents.

The readers of THE APPEAL will do a friendly act; and one that will benefit the paper greatly, by spending their money with the people who advertise in it. They are anxious for your trade and prove it by advertising in this paper. Help those that help you, or help your institutions. Read all the advertisements as carefully as you do any other; and, when you patronize our advertisers, please let them know you do so because they advertise in THE APPEAL.

PULPIT POINTS.

Matters and Things Spiritual and Financial in God's Temples.

Chicago Church Circles.

The North Side Baptist church has regular service every Sunday at 3 and 8 p. m.

Services at St. Luke's church Englewood, morning at 10:45 evening at 7:30 Sabbath school at 2:30.

Pullman Mission A. M. E. Church service every Sunday at 3 o'clock. Rev. J. H. W. Collins, pastor.

Services at Emmanuel Congregational Church Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12:30. Rev. Simon Peter Smith, pastor.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 7:30 at St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Rev. J. E. Thompson, pastor.

Shiloh Baptist Church 230 Sixty-third street, Englewood. Sunday school at 3 o'clock. Services at 7:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday.

The public is cordially invited to attend service at Olivet church every Sunday morning at 11, and evening at 7:30, Sunday school at 2:30.

The Connectional Literary Society of St. Stephens A. M. E. church will give one of the grandest that has ever been given on the West Side. May 23 at St. Stephens Church. See full particulars next week.

Preaching at Providence Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 2:40 p. m. Come and let us reason together. Why standest thou afar off. Draw near to God and He will draw near to thee. Rev. R. Meredith, pastor.

The congregation of Grace Presbyterian church hold their services at 3233 State street every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The Sabbath school services take place at 12:15 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend all the exercises.

The Church of Christ has removed to its old quarters in Apollo Hall 2730 State street. Services Sunday 11 o'clock a. m. Sunday school at 2:30 o'clock, evening service 7:30 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. All are welcome. W. G. F. Reed, pastor.

The Rev. Moses H. Jackson, the newly ordained and installed pastor of Grace Presbyterian Church was confined to his room last Sabbath on account of a very sore foot caused by the removal of a tumor. The services were ably and satisfactorily conducted by the Rev. J. D. Smith who kindly consented to act. The Rev. M. Jackson expects to be out next Sabbath. The public is cordially invited to the services.

In Honor of Mr. Ecton. The ninth anniversary and installation of the Third Ward-tendered a reception and banquet to Hon. George F. Ecton, member of Illinois legislature, at Bethesda Church, Monday night, Mr. W. C. Phillips, president. Geo. M. Crisp read an essay after which the address of welcome was delivered by Dr. J. H. Magee, who referred to Abraham Lincoln as a "Second Jesus Christ." Mr. Ecton made a happy response. Addresses were also delivered by Hon. J. E. Thomas, E. H. Morris Esq. and Mr. A. T. Hall, Jr. All of the speakers referred to the early struggles of Mr. Ecton and his final triumphs. After the speech making the guests repaired to the banquet hall where a sumptuous repast was spread.

The Autumn Club May Party. The Autumn Club begs to announce that its ninth annual May Party will take place at Central Hall, Tuesday evening May 21st. Extensive preparations are in progress and it promises to be most recherche affair ever given by the club. Cards of admission 75 cents. Invitations may be had of Mr. C. H. Harrison, 141 17th street, or Frederick L. McGhee 2723 Dearborn.

THE AUTUMN CLUB. The ninth anniversary and installation of Western Light Tabernacle No. 87 will be held at Central Hall Tuesday May 14 All Tabernacles, Maids and Pages will be present and the occasion will be one of the grandest of the season. Admission 25 cents, supper 25 cents. Music by Prof. Scott. Committee of Arrangements:—Mrs. Emma Bryant, Mrs. Rosa Bartlett, Mrs. Francis Coleman, Isabella Baker, Emma Leonard, Lucinda Jackson, Eliza Patterson, Mrs. Susie Terry, C. P.

A REVEREND RASCAL.

Rev. Simon Peter Anderson of Central Baptist Church St. Louis

Fleeces His Flock and Flies.

For ten years Rev. Simon Peter Anderson, has been the pastor of Central Baptist Church, but the places that knew him once know him no more. Rev. Simon Peter has flown; and, under his wings, it is alleged, that he carried away \$1,400 of the funds of the church. On April 24th Anderson notified his congregation that he had to go to Sedalia, Mo., for a few days on some business. The members thought nothing wrong until he failed to return at the appointed time, then some became suspicious. A few days ago J. M. M. Stokes, a member of the Finance committee received a letter from Mr. Anderson, postmarked Sedalia, telling him that the key which opened the inner door of the church safe was in his desk. This key proved to be the key to the unearthing of all of the missing pastor's doings for the past year.

TOOK THE EASTER MONEY. It appears that Anderson is the Chairman of the Banking and Finance Committee of the church of which Stokes was a member. The safe in the church has two keys, one of which Stokes has and Anderson the other. On the day before leaving he went to Stokes and asked him for his key so as to get into the safe, as he wanted to deposit the Easter collection money (\$250) in the bank. Stokes gave up the key and that was the last seen of it. When Stokes received the letter from Anderson his suspicions became aroused and in company with other members he went to the church opened the safe, only to find that the tin box supposed to have contained \$250 was empty.

BANK MONEY GONE TOO. The arrangement that the church had with the bank officials was that no checks should be recognized unless the names of Anderson and Stokes appeared on them. An investigation was begun. It was found that Anderson has forged the names of Stokes to seven checks aggregating \$1,190, and that his crime dates back to June 1888. The forgery was cleverly done. Instead of \$1,200 to their credit as they supposed the committees found only \$15.47. They stood speechless and looked at each other and could hardly believe their eyes.

REWARD OFFERED. Chief Huebler was authorized to offer a reward of \$100 for Anderson's arrest. The description is as follows: Name, S. P. Anderson, occupation, preacher; age 47 years; 5 feet 6 inches in height; weight, 180 pounds.

The exact amount carried off by Anderson is as yet unknown as it is rumored that he had several large sums belonging to members, for safe keeping. He leaves a wife and two children. Mrs. Anderson is prostrated with grief and could not account for her husband's actions.

Read THE APPEAL. The city schools are not to have the usual picnic this spring.

THE APPEAL is on sale every week at John Page's 705 N. 11th and at the St. Louis office 1002 Franklin ave.

Mrs. Sallie Maguire of Kansas City was called very suddenly to the bedside of her friend Mrs. Robinson 1402 Chestnut.

Father Mason was the recipient of a handsome kitchen stove last week, several of his body parishioners were the donors.

Mr. L. P. Clamorgan the very efficient deputy in the City Collectors office has been retained by the new Collector Mr. Zeigenheim.

Miss Gertie Might one of the bright lights of Summer High, has gone to Springfield Ill., on account of the serious illness of her mother.

Mrs. Wright of sparta, Ill., who was visiting her daughter Mrs. William Cole for the past three weeks returned to her home Saturday morning.

Mr. Joseph Wilkinson and Miss Carrie Reeves, one of our accomplished and beautiful young ladies are to be married in June. So says Dame Ramor.

Mrs. Flora Batson Bergen the sweet singer is in town. She has given several entertainments of which the St. Louis Press has spoken very highly. She is certainly an artist in her line.

The Idle Hour, one of our leading literary and dramatic societies met Friday night at the residence of Mrs. A. T. Bethe, the members of the society were royally entertained. The literary exercises of the evening were highly intellectual.

If you wish to have first class job printing done bring it to the St. Louis office of THE APPEAL, 1002 Franklin ave. We have a complete power printing establishment and can neatly and promptly execute any work, from a visiting card to a big poster.

Mr. Joseph Reynolds, son of one of our leading citizens Morton Reynolds has returned after an absence of two months in Florida. His health is not improved, much to the disappointment of his many friends. Mrs. Joseph Reynolds accompanied her husband and on his trip.

A grand literary and musical entertainment by the Placido Club took place at Stolle's Hall Monday the 6th inst.

The affair is understood to have been successful. Messrs. Dorsey and Franklin and Miss Clementine Hill were prime movers in the affair. The proceeds go towards establishing a library.

The charity workers of the No. 4 school gave a grand concert and fancy bazaar on the evening of Thursday and Friday last. The society was formed last winter by the lady teachers of this school for the purpose of raising funds to clothe the deserving poor children of the district. It is a most commendable enterprise and has accomplished much good in so short a time. The fancy articles were made by the children of the schools. The concert was a grand success and netted quite a sum for the treasury of the society.

LOUISVILLE.

The Budget of News From the Falls City Concerning the Colored People

Gossip's Melange.

Mrs. Bland of Chicago is in the city. Mr. N. L. Neal was in the city last week.

Mrs. W. H. Tucker of Lebanon is in the city.

Mr. William Abarnathy of Detroit, Mich., was in the city last week.

Rev. W. M. Jamison baptized in the river foot of Clay street Sunday at 3 o'clock.

Wm. Watson, the Undertaker, 813 Ninth street is prompt and reliable in all his dealings.

Mr. W. H. Lawson was re-elected Superintendent of 12th street Sunday school last Sunday.

Rev. W. A. Forman preached an eloquent sermon to the Good Samaritans Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

The dedicatory services of the Old Folks Home Association will take place Sunday June 2d, at two o'clock.

Bring your job printing to the Louisville office of THE APPEAL, 312 W. Jefferson St. Good work at reasonable rates.

The Hod-Carriers turned out in uniform Sunday at Jacob street church to listen to the annual sermon by Rev. E. H. Curry.

Visitors in Louisville cannot find a better place to get good board and room than at Mrs. Matilda Brown's No. 609 West Green street.

THE APPEAL is on sale every week at these places: Bud. Malone's, 509 W. Green street; C. Smith's 411 First street; Henry Norton's, 927 W. Walnut street; J. H. Taylor's, 515 W. Broadway; J. H. Joran's Jackson and Caldwell streets.

The famous Moxie nerve food beverage slakes the thirst, prevents the after effects of liquor and tobacco, removing the odor from the breath at once, gives the weak and nervous double power of endurance and takes away the tired feeling like magic without reaction or harm. For sale everywhere.

The Boulevard will seriously impair the Colored boys exercising ground at the House of Refuge, and we would like to know if the city authorities have thought of this. Although those boys have been placed in this house for correction they should at least be entitled to a little privilege in the way of playgrounds.

Quinn Chapel officers and members have been doing their best to prohibit the grocer at 9th and Walnut from procuring license to sell liquor, and we trust their efforts will be successful. This comes from a bad reputation and in the time of religious service men filled with whisky and beer, from their loud talk swearing and bad language, disturb the pastor and congregation. We trust the councilmen and aldermen will listen to the appeal of the church and favor law and good behavior.

Arkansaw Awake. Little Rock, May 7, 1889.

Editor THE APPEAL.—The Republican state central committee has been in session. It is a fact that A. M. Neely, of Forrest City, former editor of the Advocate will be recommended for Receiver of the Land office in Little Rock, and Judge M. W. Gibbs, will be recommended for the mission to Hayti. Gen. Clayton and W. A. Webber, editor of the Progress, the Republican paper of Little Rock had a quarrel and drew their pops on each other but through the intervention of friends no blood was spilled. It cost them, however fifty dollars and costs a piece for "toting" pistols. The action of the Federal Court in punishing some of the patriots who were led by the fears of Negro domination to interfere with the elections and the election officers will have a salutary effect, in convincing some folks that the government of the United States is not a myth, and the result will be that, hereafter there will not be so much enthusiasm in perpetrating these outrages. Serving a year or two at Detroit, or paying Five Hundred Dollars fine takes all the fun out of the joke.

Special Notice. The members of Pioneer Lodge No 12 A. F. & A. M., are hereby notified that the laying of the corner stone of Zion Baptist Church, Minneapolis, will not take place to-morrow, but has been postponed until Sunday May 19.

By Order Nelson Taylor, W. M.

MINNEAPOLIS MATTERS

Doings in Society Circles in the Flour City—Gossip of the Gossipers.

Interesting Items.

Go to Mrs. Williams for board 219 3d street S.

Go to Altman & Co. when you wish to buy clothes. See ad on 4th page.

You can get THE APPEAL at A. H. Watkins barber shop 254 4th ave. S.

Go to Dorsett and Co. 418 Nicollet ave. for cream they will furnish at reduced rates to churches and societies.

The Ladies Sewing Circle of the Unique Baptist church will open their fair at Freya's Hall 505 1/2 Washington ave. S., on Monday evening May 13th and will run one week.

Mrs. Stapp and Miss Susie Jackson, have opened a bakery at 257 1/2 10th ave. South, where any one desiring home made bread, pie, cakes etc., can obtain them at reasonable rates.

Owing to the inclement weather the workmen on the Zion Baptist church were unable to complete is sufficiently to lay the corner stone to-morrow (Sunday.) The ceremonies in connection with the same are therefore postponed until next Sunday May 19th.

Mr. Chas. Valentine, an old man of 68 years while going up to his room in the Theatre Comique where he worked on Wednesday evening May 1st, fell and injured himself from which he never recovered, he died last Monday morning at the city hospital. His remains were interred in the Layman cemetery Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. E. Edison who has lived in our city for the past year and has been a prominent and active worker in the St. Peters A. M. E. church while here, left for Indianapolis Ind., her former home last Wednesday, where she will spend several months. Her husband left for Washington Territory last Monday, where he expects to make his future home.

The Services at the Zion Baptist church of the East side last Sunday, were very interesting all day. The morning service was well attended, also the afternoon meetings Rev. Gray of St. Paul preached a very interesting and logical sermon. The Unique Baptist services were interesting and well attended during the day, Rev. J. P. Brown preached as usual a very interesting sermon in the evening.

The entertainment given by the Farr band last Monday evening at Mrs. Farr's hair parlors, proved a grand success financially. The band is young and are progressing finely. Among the young earnest, energetic, members are: Messrs. J. C. Todd, Richard Ouseley, J. W. Brown, M. V. English, Wm. Turner, G. Paris, Wm. Lester, E. Crawford, W. H. Casey, F. Jifery and Adam Morris. They organized a few months ago, and have since labored under adverse circumstances at times as difficulties have arose to discourage them etc. They have notwithstanding all progressed to the honor and credit to the Colored citizens of this city.

One of the most universal topics of conversation upon the streets is of the coming production of the new drama written by "Hal Reid" entitled "An Ex-Convict" soon to be seen at the Grand Opera. The romantic circumstances under which this play was written creates much comment, as it was written in a prison cell of the penitentiary at Stillwater during the time Reid was serving out his sentence of fifteen years, so in reality the drama was written by "an ex-convict." The play is said by those who have read it to be one of the most interesting, meritorious and pathetic dramas of modern times, and will certainly pack the Grand for a short engagement. Miss Agnes Herndon the most beautiful woman upon the American stage will create the leading female role. It is in four acts, and the following quotations from various acts indicate that a beautiful sentiment prevailed: "Why, look at it, boys, only four years ago I was upright and respected with a lovely wife, earning \$2,000 a year, and DeVoie in some way heard I had been a convict. He exposed me, and to-night you see me what I am—a broken down, miserable wreck. Let a man be convicted once, no matter how innocent he is, that awful stain clings to him. Turn where he may he cannot escape it, no matter how well he does; let the world find it out, and he is turned away to sink as I have done to the lowest depths of despair. I tell you boys there are only two courses open to an ex-convict scorned by the world, he must either steal again or take his own miserable life."—Act II.

"I am nameless, an outcast, a wanderer on the face of the earth; I am that despised thing, an ex-convict."—Act II.

"Because baby, because I am blind may be I shall never see the light again."—Act IV.

"Save your falsehoods. You show your love for me by deserting me in my hour of need."—Act III.

Oh! how I thank God for you, my baby. If God does not hear that prayer there is no virtue in prayer."—Act II.

Oh! Jack! Jack! Whatever you are, however you be, may our baby's prayer protect you, my darling."—Act II.

Thank you, my boy. It is well said that children are wiser than philoso-

phers. There are other courses open to an ex-convict than suicide or stealing. No matter how deep the disgrace, he can live it down, and I promise you that I'll never drink another drop—no, not if I live a hundred years.—Act III.

Davenport, Iowa.

The entertainment given by the ladies of the A. M. E. Church last Friday evening was well attended and successful.

Quarterly meeting will be held in the Bethel next Sabbath by Rev. Lockey assisted by Dr. Long of Monmouth, Ill.

Mrs. J. H. Richardson will leave for Keokuk, Monday to attend the Grand Court of the Heroines of Jericho of which society. She is the grand secretary.

SAINT PAUL.

A Few Notes and Paragraphs of the Metropolis of the North-west.

Little Locals.

Monday, May 20th, The entertainment by Stevens Lodge, And don't you forget it.

Mr. Will Robinson left for Boston Mass., last Saturday.

Bring your job printing to THE APPEAL office, No. 76 E. Fifth street.

The White Feather will be the attraction at the Peoples during next week.

Owing to our removal this week the St. Paul and Minneapolis editions of THE APPEAL were printed Thursday.

Mr. Solomon Hall has been appointed as one of the four jointors of the New Court house at a salary of \$50 per month.

Frank Chapman who was before Judge Burr last Saturday charged with swindling some Seventh street pawn brokers was discharged.

Rawsons London Burlesquers at the Olympic next week. Benefit of "Billy" Wells the of able manager Friday night in which 50 volunteers appear.

Should you need anything in the jewelry line, call on John D. Bodford 380 East Seventh street, and save ten per cent. Read his advertisement on fourth page.

The next and most important entertainment will be the one by Stevens Lodge at their hall No 371 Jackson street Monday evening May 20. See ad on fourth page.

The first grand ball of the St. Paul Social Club was given at Odd Fellows Hall last Tuesday evening. The affair was a very pleasant one for all who were present.

Only 120 deaths were reported at the health office during the month of April. The annual death rate for the month is only 8 per 1,000. Then were 275 births during the month.

"The heart bowed down by weight of woe," will be the condition of my heart, my darling, unless you take me to the entertainment at Stevens Lodge Hall Monday evening May 20.

Stevens Lodge, No. 113 A. F. A. M. will rent their new and elegantly furnished lodge room 371 Jackson street for respectable entertainments and parties. Apply to W. W. McCoy or T. J. Starks.

The office of THE APPEAL has been moved from Union Block to No 79 East Fifth street between Cedar and Minnesota where we have more commodious and desirable quarters. All of our friends are invited to call at any time.

Mr. J. K. Hilyard is an agent of the National Savings, Loan and Building Association which is incorporated under the statutes of Minnesota with an authorized capital of \$5,000,000. Any person who wish to secure shares should call on him at 468 Robert street.

We have secured the services of Master Bennie Henderson as our city collector and he will call upon those of our city subscribers who are in arrears on subscriptions. Subscribers will please report any corrections in their addresses that may be necessary as we are revising our mail list and wish to have all correct.

When will Mayor Smith recognize the fact that about 5000 Colored people are among the citizens of St. Paul? He promised a certain applicant that he would appoint him on the police force but although probably 100 men representing several nationalities have donated the star the application of the afore said still "on file."

Appreciation.

At this season of the year, when Nature is in her happiest mood and dons her most beautiful garb, the man who does not think life worth living should get off the earth as soon as possible and hide himself somewhere, for he is indeed ungrateful. We cannot be too appreciative of benefits and beauties. The public, however, fully appreciates the advantages derived from the Saint Paul & Duluth Railroad, for they realize that it is the best and shortest route to St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, and West Superior, having connections with roads leading to all points elsewhere. Information furnished cheerfully by A. B. Plough, General Passenger Agent, St. Paul, Minn., or by ticket agents.

DRIFTWOOD.

Fished From the Ocean of News in all Parts of the Glorious Union.

North-South-East-West.

Philip A. Bell the veteran Colored editor, of the San Francisco Elevator died April 25th aged 81 years.

Secretary of the Interior, John W. Noble has appointed Hon. A. J. Spellman of Jackson, Miss. to a timber agency.

A Colored man of Kansas City, Charles Davis, has invented a covering for cable slots to prevent the catching of horses shoes in the same.

Major Bonner, a Colored man has been appointed as railway postal clerk in Fayetteville, Tenn., and he has an unsavory reputation there is some indignation. The worst feature about him, however, is his color.

Among the first to secure a lot at Oklahoma was a Colored man, who gave the name of Abel Washington. He is 62 years of age, was born on a plantation in Louisiana, and was a slave up to the time of the war. His lot would sell to-day for \$750 easily.

Last Saturday Hugh Cunningham a special night Watchman at Greenville, Miss., was shot and killed by Moses Weston a Colored man. Later on Lem Collier, Colored, an ex-policeman was shot and killed by