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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.

Mrs. Ella Lewis of Decatur is in the city. Mr. C. D. Greenwood of New Orleans is visiting in the city.

The entertainment of Talma Chapter will be given in June.

Mr. Monroe Robert returned from California Saturday night.

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

Mr. Robert R. Johnson will leave soon for Detroit to visit his mother.

Rev. Napoleon Coates will go to Louisville next week to visit relatives.

The meeting of the Garden City Lyceum Monday night was well attended.

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

Mr. G. W. Henderson of St. Louis came up to attend the Autumn's May Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Brookens, 2807 Butterfield street are the happy parents of a ten pound boy.

Mrs. Weldon Howard of St. Paul passed through the city Tuesday en route to Washington.

Mr. Scott Pearce of Memphis is in the city the guest of Mrs. Henrietta Crane 2723 Dearborn street.

The grand picnic of the season will be given by Labor Assembly 8286 at Ogden's Grove, June 30th.

Furnished room for gentlemen only, on Dearborn street near 30th. Inquire at APPEAL office, 325 Dearborn street.

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.

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.

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.

Wanted—Address of Rice Ellis living in Chicago, formerly lived in Louisville. Address Charly Warfield 534 4th street Louisville Ky.

If you are looking for first class rooms and meals try Mrs. Lucy Brown No. 1554 Third ave. near Polk street. Transients accommodated.

Drop a postcard with your address to White Shirt Co. 3611 Butterfield St. and an agent will call to get your measure for a half dozen of their excellent shirts.

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.

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.

Jacob Loewenstein had a dispute with a colored man employed at the Grand Opera House Monday night while riding on a North Side grip car through the La Salle street tunnel. Loewenstein alleged that the colored man drew a knife on him and a scarp ensued, which caused a delay in the tunnel. Finally when the car emerged from the tunnel it is said Loewenstein was put off.

Charles Ward, colored, went into a restaurant at 51 Desplaines street and ordered a steak. It was a little slow in coming, although the waiter shouted "on the fire," in a loud tone of voice, and Charles, getting disgusted with the poor service, grabbed a steak from the plate of another customer and beat the proprietor's face with it. Justice White thought his conduct very bad and fined him \$50.

Early Sunday morning Jacob Gibbons, colored, had a dispute with his wife Jane, and attempted to chastise her with a chair. Jane objected to this treatment, and, seizing a razor, defended herself so well that Jacob was routed with his left hand almost severed at the wrist and a severe gash in the arm above the elbow. The patrol wagon took Jacob from the house, 2842 La Salle street, to the Michael Reese Hospital, while Mrs. Gibbons was conveyed to the Stanton Avenue Police Station.

A week ago Friday an Italian fruit peddler, who went by the name of John Paul in Columbus, O., was set upon and almost chopped into shreds by three colored men. John is still alive and his description of his assailants was telegraphed over the country. They were seen to board a train for Chicago. Detectives French and Ender captured the trio Sunday and they will be taken back for trial by Officers Murphy and Kelly.

Their names are Albert Jackson, George Moss and Oliver Gilbert. They do not deny their guilt, but rather seem to gloat over it.

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

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

Services at Emanuel Congregational Church 2811 State street, Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12:30. Rev. Simon Peter Smith, 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 question, "Which has the greater influence over man, women or money?" was discussed at the A. M. E. Zion church, Wednesday night. It was decided that the fair sex exerts the greater influence, after which the gallant gents treated the ladies to strawberries and cream.

Rev. T. W. Henderson will preach a special sermon to John Brown Post No. 50, G. A. R., at Quinn Chapel Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

Barney Moore, C. G. W. Reed, Adj. G. W. Holland, Q. M. Matt Hulst, S.

Her Loyalty Rewarded.

Mrs. Fannie Brown, proprietor of the Remonde House is one of the most loyal Republicans in Chicago. It is true she has no vote but she always works hard for the success of her party. Last fall during the campaign, Mrs. Brown came out in the processions with a broom brigade composed of ladies. The sight of these colored ladies in bright red uniforms armed with brooms with which to sweep out the White House, caused some of their sisters to make disparaging remarks, although there were white women in the procession also. One colored female remarked that Mrs. Brown and the entire company ought to be tarred and feathered. Well Mrs. Brown has received her reward for her devotion to her party. She has been appointed to take charge of the Custom House and Postoffice linen at a salary of \$1,100 per year. This sum will amply repay Mrs. Brown for sneers she received while working for her party.

Hello!

The Delmonico restaurant and lunch counter, has removed from 1607 Wabash ave., to No. 125 Sixteenth street, where you can get meals at all hours. All the delicacies of the season may be had, such as strawberries, ice cream, strawberry short cake, etc. Ladies and gents dining parlors kept in first class style.

Respectfully, L. W. FERRILL.

Grand Opening.

Mr. Ed. Bowen, sole proprietor of the Delmonico Sample Room 462 State street, begs to announce that he will have his grand opening, next Monday evening May 27. Prof. Henderson's orchestra has been engaged to furnish music for the occasion from 3 p. m. to 12 midnight. Mr. Bowen cordially invites his many friends and patrons.

The popular resort for the young folks out South is the ice cream parlors of Mr. I. B. Walters No. 2828 State street. Sunday nights after church, if you wish to be in the swim go to Walters'.

THE MAY PARTY.

Coronation of the Beautiful Queen of May, Tuesday Evening at Central Hall

The Autumn Club's Swell Affair.

The ninth annual coronation Queen's Mate Party of the Autumn Club took place at Central Hall, Tuesday night. Notwithstanding the very chilly weather about 500 guests assembled. The hall was beautifully decorated and on the stage there were beautiful potted plants. It was 11 o'clock when the grand march began led by Mr. and Mrs. F. L. McGhee. Mrs. McGhee wore a black lace over black satin petticoat, passementerie, pink silk girdle, natural flowers, pearls.

The grand march brought to the delighted vision of THE APPEAL many beautiful ladies attired in magnificent costumes, escorted by gallant gentlemen. During the march members of the club distributed the programmes, which were the most elegant and expensive ever used in Chicago. They were artistically printed on the finest wedding Bristol, the cover being a white satin hand painted sachet delicately perfumed. After dance number 3 the coming of the May Queen was announced and shortly after, the beautiful queen attended by maids of honor entered the hall. Passing between two of her loyal subjects, her majesty was escorted to the throne and crowned Queen of May by Mr. F. L. McGhee in a fitting manner. The royal party was attired as follows: Queen, Miss Mamie Long, white watered silk, en-train, lace over dress, natural flowers, diamonds. First maid of honor, Miss Lizzie Geddy, cream satin, Spanish lace, natural flowers, diamonds. Second maid of honor, Miss Gertrude Moore, nun's veiling, cream satin, natural flowers, diamonds. Third maid of honor, Miss Lotte Brown, cream satin, nun's veiling, natural flowers, diamonds. Fourth maid of honor, Miss Ida Page, embroidered suit of India linen, natural flowers, diamonds.

The assembled multitude saluted their most gracious queen, the master of ceremonies commanded "On with the dance," which order was promptly obeyed. Dancing was continued until 3 a. m. when the assembled guests reluctantly departed for their homes.

The Olivet Concert.

On last Monday evening Central Hall was the scene of a grand and interesting concert. Fully one thousand people were present, representing nearly every section of the city. The concert was under the sole supervision of Mrs. Julia Plummer Burgess to whose untiring zeal the success which crowned the enterprise may be ascribed, and was for the benefit of Olivet Baptist Church. By eight o'clock the programme was started upon, and for three hours the audience enjoyed the intellectual display of 150 voices and youths, ranging in age from 3 to 20 years. And in this connection THE APPEAL desires to congratulate Mrs. Burgess upon inaugurating a plan, which, if universally adopted, will have the wholesome effect of destroying the baneful practice of commencing concerts at the hour when the concourse should disperse.

Some of the principal features of the evening were: The recitation by Master Clarence Payton, entitled "Betty and the Bear," in the rendition of which he acquitted himself nobly, and in appreciation of which he was called a second time.

The dialogue entitled "A Drunken Man's Child," where in an every day scene was vividly portrayed, was an exquisite production, participated in by Messrs. Elias Dorsey, who performed the character of "Drunken Man," Russell Brown, "Policeman," Edward Hill, "Turn-key," Henry Clark, "Bar-tender," and Miss Blanche Wright, the "Daughter," of the drunken man. It so happened that Miss Wright's father drank; became intoxicated, and was arrested; Miss Wright made a very earnest and impressive appeal for her father's release, who was finally released.

The duet by the Misses Fannie Buchanan and Della Blake was a charming rendition.

Our rising elocutionist, Miss Hattie B. Hudlum, recited "A Wounded Soldier," but the faint expression of her voice and the noise in the rear of the hall, combined to mar the beauty of that pathetic recitation. The vocal solo by Miss Mamie Gordon, entitled "An Orange Blossom" was indeed of an orange blossom character, the rendition of which being enhanced by the occasional expression of laughter which often bedecked Miss Gordon's countenance.

The "Parasol Drill," led by Miss Frances Barry, was a scene worthy of witnessing, commanding the undivided attention of the audience.

Music and dancing were conspicuous only by their absence.

Thirty-Eight Years of Bliss.

The thirty-eighth anniversary of the marriage of Rev. and Mrs. Alexander Dorsey will be celebrated at Bethel church, Thursday evening May 30.

The Special Features.

Of The Youth's Companion for the coming year, include six serial stories, and one hundred and fifty short stories, fully illustrated. Also tales of adventure, illustrated sketches of travel, humorous articles, scientific and historical articles, household articles, one thousand anecdotes, timely editorials

on the leading questions of the day, and a whole page each week for the little one. The Companion has won a place in the home life obtained by no other paper, and is read every week in nearly half a million families. With its double holiday numbers at Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Year's and Easter, its weekly illustrated supplements, its fine paper and beautiful pictures, no other weekly literary paper can approach it in value. It is really a \$2.00 paper for only \$1.75 a year. Every subscriber receives the supplements and double holiday numbers, and the annual premium list with 500 illustrations. Address, The Youth's Companion, Boston, Mass.

WAS SHE HIS WIFE?

He Lived With a Colored Woman Twenty-Five Years, But Refuses to Pay for Medical Services and is Sued.

Cincinnati, O., May 20.—An interesting suit, that was filed some time ago in Squire Hauser's Court, was brought to light Saturday. More than one effort to compromise the suit has been made, but the plaintiff has refused to settle for any thing but the full amount.

The plaintiff is Dr. William D. Haines, of Freeman avenue, and the defendant is Abraham Mann, a contractor who lives on the Warsaw pike, Price Hill. The doctor sues to recover \$300 for medical services.

The facts are interesting. Two years ago Dr. Haines was called in to attend a colored woman.

Named Mary Johnson, who was sick in bed with consumption. He called regularly twice a day, but the disease had such a hold on the woman that she died. The doctor's bill was \$300, but there was no one to pay it. He inquired around, and was told by more than one: "Why don't you collect it from her husband, Charlie Johnson?" As the latter was a white man the doctor paid no attention, until the evidence that the woman was married was so convincing that he appeared before Squire Hauser and entered suit. Clerk Frank Dossman was engaged to look into the case. He found that the dead woman had a sister living.

In Indianapolis. He hunted her up and now has her deposition. Her name is Caroline Bentley, and she lives at 25 Eddy street, Indianapolis.

She appeared before James P. Baker, of 33 Vance block, and made her deposition. She says that she first became acquainted with Abraham Mann in this city twenty-five years ago, when he lived in Avery alley. She claims that Mann married her sister, and he is her brother-in-law. Her sister's maiden name was Mary Head. Mrs. Bentley claims that she lived with Mann and his wife for over a year and was with her a month before she died. They always addressed each other as

HUSBAND AND WIFE.

But he was known as Charlie Johnson and she was called Mary Johnson.

Mrs. Bentley says she never saw the marriage certificate. She knows Dr. Haines, as he attended her sister.

In her deposition, Mrs. Bentley says Mann is a white man and her sister was colored.

The doctor also has the evidence that Mary Johnson was expelled from church, as she was charged with living with a white man, but when she showed her certificate of marriage she was reinstated. The preacher who tried the case is Rev. Dortsch, who is at present at Allied, Ill. His deposition will arrive in this city in a few days.

Constable Billy Burchard summoned Mann to appear. He has engaged Jordan Thomas as his attorney, and offered to compromise for \$150, but the doctor wants all or nothing.

Mann is a well-known contractor on Price Hill. His father at one time during the war ran a shoe store where the Custom House now is.

I. D. S. C.

The Independent Dancing School Club gave a complimentary party to its former patrons at Central Hall Thursday evening. The affair, which was well attended was one of the most elegant ever given by this justly celebrated club. The costumes displayed by the ladies were very elaborate. All present had a delightful time.

Chicago House Cleaning Co.

One of the dreads of housekeepers is house-cleaning time, and as that time will shortly arrive THE APPEAL calls the attention of the public to the Chicago House Cleaning Company which has recently been organized by Messrs. James C. Battles and Payton Randolph. They employ the latest and best known materials and tools and only experienced, reliable workmen capable of executing their work in a most thorough and superior manner. They do general house cleaning; chimney sweeping; dusting, wiping and cleaning papered walls; oiling and polishing woodwork and floors; clean wood-work, painted walls, windows, lights, mirrors, globes, mantles, etc., cleaning yards and cellars, removing rubbish. Furnigate and whitewash cellars, carpets taken up and cleaned by steam. Also clean carpets on the floors. Carpets taken up, altered made over and relaid. They give their personal supervision to all work placed in their hands. In short they fill a long felt want. Leave orders at their office No. 182 State street Room 68.

ST. LOUIS SIFTINGS.

Matters and Things in the Future Great—Items Picked Here and There.

St. Louis Society Slaw.

Read THE APPEAL.

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

While Mr. and Mrs. Claymorgan were absent from their home a few days ago a sneak thief entered and robbed the house of \$700 and some jewelry.

Mr. Joseph Reynolds died Sunday afternoon. He recently had a trip to Florida for the benefit of his health, but the grim destroyer had so firm a hold that the trip only hastened the sad end.

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.

Rev. S. P. Anderson returned to the city last Friday. He was enthusiastically received by many rejoicing friends. He says there is nothing in the charge of forgery but that it would be cleared away ere long. He said: "You see there are always a few disaffected members in any body. I have good reason to believe that these, whose names I will not mention, were growing restless and wanted a change. You see, three men who represented that they were acting for the church, asked Chief Huebler to order a reward of \$100 for my arrest. I was incarcerated three days until Chief Huebler sent a telegram ordering my unconditional release. My people think I have done no intentional wrong. It would be ridiculous for me to leave all I have in the world, to alienate myself for the sake of a few hundred dollars. I'll come out all right in the end."

About 9:30 o'clock Monday night a robust colored woman, about 22 years of age, entered the Dime Museum at Sixth street and Franklin avenue, and as she reached the second floor she drew a large knife from her stocking and began edging through the vast crowd toward a young colored man whose attention was taken up with a well-dressed lady standing near the entrance to the second floor. No one in the crowd noticed the knife until she was about 5 feet from her intended victim. She could not get any nearer toward the man, and with her hands she reached her arm over the heads of the spectators in front of her and made several plunges at the man. This conduct startled the crowd, among which was a number of ladies, who began to scream, and it seemed for awhile as if a stampede would occur. The knife fell short of its aim, but made a cut down the back of a young white man's coat who happened in the way of the blade. When the crowd scattered it gave plenty of room for the woman to attack her victim, and she went at him with a vim. He was quite lively and jumping to one side he dealt the excited female a blow on the face that felled her to the floor. She got up and resumed the attack, and succeeded in cutting an ugly gash on his hand before he got her under control. While this was going on one of the Museum employees went for an officer, and Officer Mike Mahan responded and escorted the couple to the Third District Station. The man gave the name of Robert Newson. The woman said her name was Susie Nagel. Newson, she said, was her lover, and she would kill him, or any one else found with him, no matter at what time or place. They both were given a cooling by the Sergeant in charge.

Remonde House.

The Remonde House has been removed to 464 State street second floor and reopened Wednesday. The entire house has been refitted from top to bottom, new and elegant furniture has been placed in all the rooms. First class accommodations will be furnished by the day or week. Mrs. Fannie Brown, the proprietress also makes a specialty of furnishing the best meal in Chicago for 25 cents. Breakfast from 7 to 11 a. m. Dinner from 5 to 8 p. m. The parlor is open to the ladies of Chicago and when you are down town shopping stop in and rest yourselves.

Direct From Duluth.

Mr. Emerson, the manager and proprietor of the new Spalding Hotel, will open his beautiful home on the 6th of June, with a fine ball and banquet. Invitations are being sent out, and tickets are to be \$10 each.

J. Q. Adams formerly of the St. Louis Hotel barber shop has opened a shop on 20th avenue West, and it doing a nice little business at his new establishment.

Prof. J. N. Richey has purchased a fine house on the corner of Fifth street and Third avenue East, containing eight beautiful rooms conveniently arranged with ample closets and artistic double parlors, front and side porches, and a clear and beautiful view overlooking the Lake and Bay. Mr. and Mrs. Richey intend making this their future residence.

Rev. M. J. Gordon arrived in the city Friday of last week and was the guest of Mr. W. Bryant. The object of his coming was the organization of a church. Sunday evening a meeting for that purpose was held at the Masonic Hall and a

fair representation of our Colored citizens was present. The meeting was opened in regular order and the volunteer choir sang, "Nearer My God to Thee." Rev. Gordon then read the sixth chapter of Acts. After another selection by the choir Rev. Gordon took as his text the sixth verse of the seventh chapter of Acts and preached his first sermon. The sermon proved the Reverend gentleman to be fully qualified for his position and was both interesting and instructive. At the close of the sermon seven persons became members of the church. A collection of \$3.20 was raised. Prayer meeting has been held during this week.

LOUISVILLE.

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

Gossip's Melange.

Bishop W. H. Miles has returned from a Southern trip.

Rev. J. E. Riley of Indianapolis was in the city this week.

The Irish wedding at Green street church was well attended.

Mr. George W. Nelson, D. G. M. of U. B. F. of Ky., was in the city this week.

The entertainment in the interest of Odd Fellows' Old Folks Home was a success.

Mrs. Hattie McKay is in the city the guest of Mrs. Daniel Mayers, Roselane street.

The Hod Carriers' basket meeting Sunday at the new City of Union was a success.

Mr. John D. Starks, applicant for the Brandenburg postoffice was in the city this week.

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

Rev. Wm. J. Simmons has gone to Washington but he will stop over in Baltimore quite likely.

Mr. Washington Watson who fell from his stable loft last week and sustained serious injuries is growing better.

Mrs. Eliza Lockett of Grand Rapids Mich., is in the city stopping at G. W. Smith's boarding house 107 E. Walnut.

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

The Grand United Order of Odd Fellows are arranging for a grand 10th of June celebration which will be held at Kelley's Park.

Visitors in Louisville cannot find a better place to get good board and room than at Mrs. Matilda Brown's No. 608 West Green street.

Louis Jackson who had been on unfriendly terms with John Bailey, shot and killed him last Friday night in what is known as "Barefoot Walk."

Sunday night, the police raided a den kept by Mrs. Jennie Golden, and among the assortment of whites and blacks who were arrested was an old man of 79 and a boy of 16.

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 makes 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.

Lovelle Rogers who was arrested last week accused of outraging a nine-year-old white girl named Annie Weissenborger has been released on a \$400 bond. Two reputable doctors examined the girl and decided that no assault had been committed. Mr. N. B. Rogers, father of the young man was surety on the bond.

Mr. W. R. Bates a Democrat appointed in the Post-office as supt. of carriers and recently promoted to cashier can't step over and out until asked to resign which the postmistress will undoubtedly do. A gentleman said a few days ago. I hear Mr. Bates wants to be retained. Did not Mr. Bates work vigorously to out every Republican employe(?) He can't consequently expect to remain and it is seemingly strange how the Democrats hold on so terribly long any way when the Republicans are so obnoxious! But we guess it is all right now there is nothing that goes under the devil's belly but will certainly come over his back.

There is a little thirteen-year-old Colored boy living in the West End by the name of Freddie Beal who is a meteorological phenomenon. By some unknown power he can unmistakably foretell the weather for months in advance. He has a small block of wood hanging by a string in the back yard of his home, and whenever he wants to tell what kind of weather is coming he goes to this block and gazes at it long and intently. He foretells rains, hail-storms, snows, when the weather will be changeable, fair or cloudy, and has never been known to make a mistake in his prognostications. Medical men who have examined him claim there has never been another such case as his. There is a fortune in the boy as a dime museum freak.

DRIFTWOOD.

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

North—South—East—West.

The school teachers of Ballard County, Ark., gave their children 18,664 licks during last year.

Mr. Dan Lucas, of Kansas City, Mo., has been nominated for Alderman by the Republicans.

A Colored man in Hart county, Georgia has a foot fourteen inches long, actual measurement.

The Colored people of Decatur, Ala., organized a joint stock company and 50 shares were taken in 20 minutes.

The Star of Zion says that Harrison has appointed six Colored postal clerks and two postmasters in North Carolina.

At Texarkana, Ark., Wm. Tell and Bill Butler fought over a debt of 50 cents. Tell stabbed Butler in the heart killing him instantly.

Ten Colored men while crossing the river in a skiff near Westpass, Miss., last Sunday were capsized and nine of them were drowned.

A Colored man at Columbia, La., was arrested Thursday night for participation in a burglary. A party took the fellow from the sheriff and hung him to a tree.

Mrs. Mary Jenkins, wife of a Pullman car porter, living in New York, got jealous of a white servant girl in her employ last Saturday night an fired four shots at her without hitting her.

Hon. Geo. C. Smith, of Kansas City, Mo., a prominent Colored man, has been appointed as a special agent in the General Land Office. The position pays \$1,500 salary, and traveling expenses.

Two Colored women, Amanda Hardin and Ann Cunnace quarreled over the division of some soap in Russellville, Ky., last Friday when the latter drew a Barlow knife and killed the former and fled.

A Colored police officer named Robb, while searching for a man who had shot a woman at Joliet, Ill., last Friday, mistook a seventeen-year-old boy named William Hanson, for the criminal and shot him killing him instantly.

A Colored child 15 months old fell from the second story of a building in Evansville, Ind., striking the brick pavement with its head, but, strange to say, beyond a severe bruise it is not injured in the least, and ten minutes after it was picked up it began playing and laughing.