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CHICAGO.

The World's Fair City as Viewed by The Appeal Man.

A Compilation of a Number of Happenings among the Afro-Americans of the Second City of this Glorious Union.

Ice cream and water ices at The Tivoli 2828 State Street.

Something new Turkish baths for 50 cents at 462 State.

Read our grand preacher prize offer in another column.

Rev. Thos. L. Johnson is still quite sick at his residence 841 Fulton street.

Furnished rooms to rent reasonable terms by Mrs. Knuckles, 288 Rush street.

St. Stephen's Sunday School picnic took place at Burlington Park, Thursday.

Vote for the most popular preacher. See particulars and ballot in other column.

Miss Jessie Fisher has gone to Quincy where she will spend the summer with her aunt.

Mrs. Washington of 2704 Butterfield street gives piano, organ and vocal lessons for 25 cents each.

Mrs. Geo. Brown 149 Chicago ave., intends to visit her friends and relatives in Washington and New York.

For Rent—Two Furnished rooms to gentlemen. Neighborhood Fifty-fifth street. Apply at THE APPEAL office.

Mrs. Jennie Bell the secretary of Eureka Court has removed from 361 Rush street to 419 South State street.

You can get the best meal in the city at Mrs. J. H. Hunter's, 201 Third ave. Try one and you'll eat there all the time.

McNally & Hess, 475 State street, deserve your patronage. Keep cool this summer and buy a gasoline stove from them.

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

If you are looking for first class rooms and meals try Mrs. Lucy Brown, No. 155½ Third ave. near Polk street. Transcients accommodated.

We are pleased to notice the splendid appearance of The Little Buckeye Restaurant. Chas. F. Thomas, proprietor. A meal there satisfies you.

Chicago Conservatory, 2702 Butterfield Thorough bass, piano, organ, vocal music and common branches taught. Instruction in artistic needle work.

Mr. J. B. Bubbins our enterprising medicine man has discovered a new remedy for kidney trouble which he guarantees to be a complete specific.

Mrs. S. Pendergrast has removed her dressmaking establishment from 320 to 331 Clark street. Look for the wire sign. Former patrons please notice and call.

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The Little Fair, 2903 Butterfield street Chicago. Notions, confectionery, cigars, tobacco and household furnishings. Prices lowest in the city. Roan & White, Proprietors.

Mrs. R. D. Foster and daughter left last Sunday for Denver, Colo., to visit their friends among them Mrs. James Reams family, from there to Colorado and Manito Springs.

Mr. Ed. Ferguson has opened a first class ice cream and confectionery parlors at 2916 Butterfield street. Fruits, cakes, and ices on hand. Nice, cool and pleasant. Bring your lady and treat

Subscribers who wish to receive the paper regularly should notify us when they move. Send a postal card to THE APPEAL, 325 Dearborn street, Chicago, giving full name, and both old and new addresses.

Dr. J. Norman Croker our promising young physician and surgeon has opened an office at No. 197—201 Twenty-second street, corner State. Hours, 9 to 11 A. M. 3 to 5 and 7 to 8 P. M. and nights Telephone 8141.

Mr. McCulloch who owns the National Bakery on State street, also owns a number of houses and through his agent he refuses to rent them to Colored people. This should be remembered by his Colored customers.

Any subscriber of THE APPEAL who would like to have a specimen copy of the paper sent to a friend can be accommodated by sending us on a postal card the name and address to which he would like to have the paper sent.

We neglected to mention the U. B. F. picnic which took place last week. It was one of the nicest affairs of the season. It reflected great credit on the committee in charge. Messrs. J. C. Williams, chairman; H. P. Symmes, secretary.

A reception was tendered Mrs. W. J. Slaughter of Toledo, Ohio, during her visit to this city by Mrs. R. Harper assisted by Mrs. T. Venable and Mr. W. Saunders at 1707 Dearborn street. About twenty-five persons present made the evening very enjoyable.

Mrs. J. Kennett entertained at luncheon last Sunday in honor of Mrs. W. H. Hopson of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williams, Misses Gaines, Robinson, Woodson, Williams, Powell; Mrs. Cowan; Messrs. Snell, Aikens and Baker. A pleasant hour was passed and a delicious luncheon was served. (This was omited from last issue by mistake.—ED. APPEAL.)

We have delivered to the following persons, a $38 Gold Hunting Case Watch, stem wind and set, guaranteed by the manufactor for 20 years, the actual cost to them is set opposite each name.

Geo. W. Atkins 51 N Campbell av. $4.
John J. Purtell 4001 Ashland av. $4.00
J. J. Johnson 183 Monroe St. 2d watch.

If you desire to save money we invite you to thoroughly investigate our method. Send us your address and our representative will call. North American Watch and Jewelry Co., Wicks & Brodie, Gen. Agts., Room 35, Times Building Chicago, Ill.

CHURCH CIRCLES.

Matters Pertaining to the Spiritual Progress of the People.

Location of Churches and Hours of Services—Pointers About Pastors—Congregational Chat—Religious Revelations.

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

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

Sunday services at St. Stephen's church at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Rev. L. H. Reynolds pastor.

Come to Bethesda church to services at 11 a. m. or 7:30 p. m. Sundays, Sunday school at 12:30. Rev. W. A. Burch. pastor.

St. Ambrose Episcopal Mission, 681 Lake street. Services 10:30 A. M., 7:30 P. M., A. H. Leaitad officiating. Sunday school at 2:30 P. M.

Bethel Congregation will worship at Lincoln Hall hereafter. Morning service at 10:45 A. M. Evening service 7:30 Sunday school 9:30.

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

Shiloh Baptist Church 330 Sixty-third street, Englewood. Sunday school at 3 o'clock. Services at 11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Rev. H. W. Jameson, pastor.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 7:30 at St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Rev. J. E. Thompson, pastor. Sunday School at 12:30, W. G. Anderson, superintendent.

Olivet Church, Harmon Court, near State. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Rev. J. F. Thomas, pastor. Sunday school at 1:30 P. M., Geo. F. Williams, superintendent. All invited.

St. Peters A. M. E. Church, 102 Larabee street. Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 2:30 P. M. Class meeting Friday evenings. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Rev. J. J. Crow, pastor.

Quinn Chapel, A. M. E. church. Fourth avenue near Van Buren street. Preach-10:45 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Classes Nos. 1 and 5 at 12:30. Sunday school at 1 P. M. Rev. J. T. Jenifer, pastor, 3010 Butterfield street.

Providence Baptist Church, 15 N. Irving Place. Sunday Services: Preaching at 10:45 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 2:30 P. M. All are invited. Rev. Thos. L. Johnson pastor, residence 841 Fulton street.

The Church of Christ, 2819 Dearborn. Services Sunday 11 o'clock A. M. Sunday school at 2:30 o'clock. Evening service at 7:30 P. M. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. All are welcome. W. G. F. Reed, pastor

Preaching at Grace Presbyterian Church, 3233 State street, every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. sharp. Sunday school at 12:15 p. m. All are cordially invited to all the services. Pastor, Rev. M. H. Jackson, 6655 Wentworth.

Quinn Chapel's Anniversary.

The observance of the 43d, anniversary at Quinn Chapel was an event of remarked success and one that has produced an impression for high intellectual and moral good upon the people of Chicago. About 4000 persons have deen at the Chapel during the exercises under this varied and interesting series of entertainments.

Prof. T. H. Jackson, D. D. of Wilberforce University is a scholarly divine and a profound preacher. His discourses at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. were able productions.

Elder A. W. Birch pastor of Bethesda Baptist Church made a profound impression upon the audience at Quinn Chapel at the 1:30 sermon.

Dr. Jenifer supplied the place of Rev. J. W. Washington at 3 P. M. with a very interesting paper "Who was Richard Allen and what did he do?"

The house was packed at night. The solos by Mrs. Davenport and Miss Zoe Ball were excellent productions.

The 4th, quarterly meeting at Quinn Chapel Sunday Aug. 3d.

St. Augustine's Picnic.

A picnic will be given by St. Augustines Society Wednesday Aug. 13, at Englewood Grove corner 61st, and State streets. For the benefit of the new Catholic Church. The grove will will be open from 10 A. M. to 11 P. M. Admission 25 cents. Take State street cable car to gate. James H. Neal, Manager.

SAINT LOUIS.

Social Matters, Gleanings of News Condensed Into Small Space.

For the Benefit of our Thousands of Readers—All Sorts of News Items from the City by the Big Bridge The Future Great.

W. H. Farmer, Counselor and Attorney at Law, and Solicitor in Chancery, will practice in all courts. Office, 1111 Clark ave.

First class job printing of all kinds done at THE APPEAL office No. 1002 Franklin avenue. Rates reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed.

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Mr. Geo. Long tried to explore the muddy depths of the Mississippi Friday last, but was prevented from his daring exploit by some friends who happened to be in the vicinity.

The Central Baptist church gave a boat excursion Monday July 21, and as usual it proved a success. The boat was heavily laden with pleasure seekers and the trip up the river was a very delightful one.

A number of school teachers with the assistance of several young men gave a select picnic at Carondelet Park Monday July 21. The affair was largely attended and the guests were enlivened by four pieces of music.

In the examination for clerkships at Washington under the local Civil Service Board there were sixty-five applicants. As usual there was a scarcety of Colored men, there being but one Colored face among the sixty-five.

The waiters' strike is over and the employers have won. Many of the union men are deserting. One of the leading men said: "The strike must be declared off or the union will go to pieces. At least twenty-five men deserted us Monday morning and went to work in the grand, the Commercial and other restaurants. It is as plain as day that we can't win, and the men are hustling to get something to do. Paesident Higgins and other officers and members, who are waiting for the Planters' House to open, are not ready to declare the strike off. The married men and the single men who have some respect for themselves must have work, and they are going to get it. If the union stands in the way the union will get the worst of it. The men have realized that the strike cannot win and there is no use keeping it up any longer."

Their Peculiar Bent.

Willie Evans—Sours.
Dick Berry—Old maids.
Joe Alexander—The girls.
Clarence Mayo—Children.
Robert Young—Pundding.
W. J. Wicks—Watch clubs.
Geo. Shaw—Roller Skating.
John Smith—White women.
B. B. Walden—The Fast Mail.
D. W. Balay—Secret societies.
Charlie Lett—To be a dude-let.
J. Ernest Oldham—Fast horses.
R. R. Gordon—Managing picnics.
R. C. Waring—Political balances.
Ike Rivers—Repairing his fences.
S. Laing Williams—Pension cases.
Robt. Ellington—Masonic matters.
Al. Jones—Accumulating a fortune.
Mack Caldwell—The Negro Problem.
Walter Tipton—Carrying stale bread.
B. W. Buckner—The Waiters Alliance.
Geo. Washington—Colored Y. M. C. A.
L. K. Gilbert—Anything from Cincinnati.
Ed. H. Lee—Increasing the population.
J. T. Dudley—That young lady in St. Paul.
F. R. Perryman—The belles of St, Louis.
John A, Wilson—Throwing for the cigars.
Bill Brown—Talking base ball to the ladies.
Ches. Harrison—To be ornamental in society.
Julius Avendorph—Ten barrooms in one night.
Rev. A. Dorsey—The welfare of Bethel Church.
Dr. J B. Bubbins—Researches in Magnetism.
Jas. Siegel—The W. R. C. and the ladies thereof.
Wm. Brookens—Cultivating the German language.
Wm. Nelson—Mashing at unseemly times and places.

Another One Gone.

The news reached us Wednesday of the death of Mr. John H. C. Hall, son of our highly respected citizen, Rev. A. T. Hall. Mr. Hall died at his home in Elgin, Ill., of inflamation of the bowels after an illness of nine days, aged 42 years.

Mrs Boger of Batavia, Ill., a sister of the deceased who has been quite ill though prostrated by the sad news, is doing as well as could be expected.

For the Glory of God.

New Bethel A. M. E. Church. The pastor and trustees, (God permitting) will lay the corner stone of their new meeting house now being erected on corner of 30th, and Dearborn streets Sunday Aug. 17th, at 2 P. M. supported by sister Churches and fraternities. The Grand Lodge A. F. A. M. of Illinois will lay the corner stone in ancient masonic form. All fraternities and organizations will be especially invited to participate. Our aim is to build a church which will be the glory of God and a credit to the race The building when complete and furnished will cost about $35,000. We have to begin with $20,000; we shall aim to raise $15,000 by the time of dedication in order that the house may be set apart for divine worship without debt. All good people will help us to raise the the first installment of $5,000 by Aug 17.

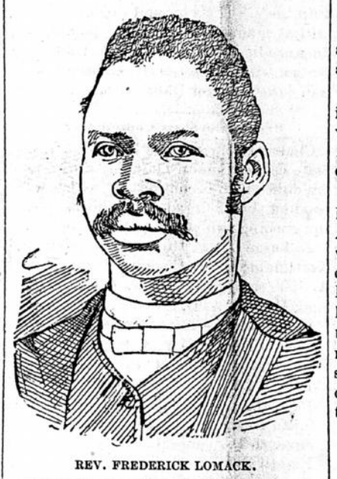
The poorest will give $1. those who are able will give $5, $10, $25, $50, or $100, as the case may be

GEO. W. GAINES, pastor,
2908 Butterfield.

LOMACK LEADS.

The Great Popular Preachers Contest Goes Merrily on

This Week Rev. F. Lomack of Duluth Heads the Procession—Are you Working Hard for Your Pastor? Who'll Win?



REV. FREDERICK LOMACK.

The voting contest continues to grow hotter and hotter and a determination to win seems to have taken hold of the friends of the different contestants. The most determined people however, seem to be the friends of Rev. F. Lomack of Duluth who felt so encouraged at the big jump they enabled him to make last week, that they put their money together and purchased enough ballots to send him clear to the top. The fight will now be to have him hold his position.

The friends of the ministers have begun to work in earnest. There is reason to believe that some will hold back votes. There is no reason for and nothing can be gained by this course. This contest is a perfectly fair one and will be to the end.

Request is made that those sending in any number of votes will please write plainly upon the outside of the envelope the number of votes sent. They will also be careful to cut out the ballot, no more and no less, trimming it neatly to the line. They will likewise avoid rolling them. Observance of these three simple injunctions will greatly abridge the labors at this office.

The interest in the result in some quarters is extraordinary. Many of the friends of the preachers are greatly concerned as though it meant a suit of clothes or a cane or a portrait for them personally. They employ all their eloquence to persuade friends that their own particular candidate is the best and most deserving of popular support.

The name of the candidates appear in the order of their standing. The first in the list has received the largest number of votes, the second the next largest, and so on throughout the entire list, the one at the bottom having received the least number. If your candidate is well down on the list it indicates that it will be necessary for your friends to bestir yourselves on his behalf if you would have him win.

Rev. F. Lomack, Duluth, Minn.
Rev. L. C. Sheafe, St. Paul, Minn.
Rev. Releves Knight, Chicago.
Rev. L. M. Fenwick, Batavia, Ill.
Rev. J. T. Jenifer, Chicago.
Rev. J. M. Henderson, St. Paul.
Rev. Jordan Chavis, Quincy, Ill.
Rev. J. F. Thomas, Chicago.
Rev. J. W. Dunjee, Minneapolis.
Rev. Thos. L. Johnson, Chicago.
Rev. L. M. Haygood, Louisville, Ky.
Rev. W. J. Simmons, Louisville, Ky.
Rev. Eugene Evans, Frankfort, Ky.
Rev. D. D. Anderson, Louisville, Ky.
Rev. R. H. Cole, St. Louis, Mo.
Rev. John Frank, Louisville, Ky.
Rev. Geo. W. Gaines, Chicago.
Rev. H. H. White, Henderson, Ky.
Rev. S. B. Wallace, Louisville, Ky.
Rev. R. L. King, Cynthiana, Ky
Rev. T. W. Henderson, Springfield, Ill.
Rev. H. W. Tate, Flemingsburg, Ky.
Rev. W. G. F. Reed, Chicago.
Rev. Father Tolton, Chicago.
Rev. C. H. Parrish, Louisville.
Rev. D. A. Gaddie, Louisville, Ky.
Rev. S. P. Anderson, St. Louis, Mo.
Rev. J. E. Thompson, Chicago.
Rev. M. H. Jackson, Chicago.
Rev. Wm. Jamison, Louisville, Ky.
Rev. Wm. A. Burch, Chicago.
Rev. S Taylor, Evanston, Ill.
Rev. B. Hillman, Springfield, Ill.
Rev. R. De Baptist, Galesburg, Ill.
Rev. Wm. Hargrave, Louisville, Ky.
Rev. J. A. Barton, Bloomington, Ill.
Rev. E. H. Lee, Braidwood, Ill.
Rev. L. Branhan, Henderson, Ky.

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LOUISVILLE.

Facts and Fancies Found in the Beautiful Falls City.

A Record of the Happenings Among the Colored Residents of the Metropolis of Kentucky—Louisville Laconics.

John D. Starks is quite ill at Bradenburg.

Rev. W. H. Chambers left Thursday for Richmond, Ohio.

Revs. J. R. Ealy and W. A. M. Cypress, were in the city this week.

THE APPEAL is on sale at Prather's barber shop 509 W. Green street. Be sure to get a copy.

Rev. L. M. Haygood, M. D. has published a book entitled, "Colored men in the M. E. Church."

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

Visitors to Louisville cannot find a better place to get good board and room than at Mrs. Matilda Brown's 509 W. Green street.

Mrs. Lelia Brown and Miss Martha Webster have returned from Cincinnati and Covington where they spent a pleasant time time visiting friends.

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The mass meeting of the Orphans Home was largely attended at Fifth Avenue Baptist Church Sunday, the service was opened with devotional exercises conducted by Rev. Geo. Scott. Rev. John Frank presided and H. C. Haley acted as secretary. The choir rendered music. $22 was collected and new names add to the list. Seven persons were elected to the board of directors. The meeting adjourned to meet the 4th Sunday in this month.

Cincinnati, Ohio,

Mrs. Harding is lying dangerously ill of consumption.

Miss Picquet has moved from Rittenhouse street to Wade.

Mr. H. W. Ward and sister gave an entertainment to their friends last week.

Miss Mary McLeod of St. Louis is receiving much attention from her Cincinnati friends.

It is rumored that one of our leading young belles of Walnut Hills will be married at an early date.

A Mrs. Sanders of Livingston street, made an increase in the Colored population last Friday by giving birth to triplets.

Catholicism is gaining a strong foothold among the Colored people here and several young persons have been confirmed.

Florence Owens, a Colored belle, had Nathan Gallagher, also Colored, in spite of his name, arraigned before 'Squire Manning on a charge of bastardy.

It is wonderful to notice the increase of superstition among the Colored people here for the most trival occurrance a fortune-teller must be consulted.

A Colored preacher named Ross will lecture in Covington this evening on "Niggarism." There is no speaker more able to handle this subject than a Colored Democrat.

Rev. J. Emery has been supplying the pulpit of Union Baptist church since the absence of Rev. Steward. The disturbing element in the church is said to be Sansbury Cluff the scenic artist of W. Seventh street.

Rebecca Johnson, a Colored woman living at No. 418 West Fifth street had David Fisher, a Pullman palace car conductor, arrested on a charge of bastardy before 'Squire Schwab, but on promise of the defendant, who is married, to pay Rebecca a little money weekly the case was withdrawn.

Melvina Burke, a young Colored girl, last Friday gave birth to triplets at her father's residenc No. 218 Livingston street. Dr. Flack, of Linn street, was the attending physician. Two of the three babies were strong and healthy, but the other, the only boy was born dead. The mother is tall and very well developed, and looks much older than she is. She has been attending the Poplar Street School until recently, and always bore a respectable reputation. About two weeks ago the mother of the girl had Nicholas Sanders, Colored, aged 18 years, arrested for bastardy. The case was tried by Judge Ermston, who remanded Sanders to jail. After languishing behind the bars for two weeks he finally agreed to marry the girl, Rev. A. F. Donnell officiating. Sanders, immediately after the ceremony, left, and as yet has failed to contribute anything to the support of his offspring. Mrs. Burke is aged 45, and gave birth to sixteen children, but never equaled her daughter's record.

Glencoe Celebration.

Don't forget the A. M. E. church celebration at Glencoe, Ill., Friday, August 1st, 1890. Tickets 50 cents. Train starts from the Chicago and Northwestern depot, corner Wells and Kinzie streets, at 10:30 sharp. Be sure and attend.

Portland, Oregon.

Miss Eva French is visiting friends in the city.

Mr. Jerry Marshall, of Hotel Portland who has been sick for the past six weeks is able to b out again.

The "Willing Workers" have changed their title and will hereafter be known as the 'Church Aid Society."

Mr. Cornelius Saunders has moved to 11th and Main streets, where his amiable daughter will be pleased to see their many friends.

The Golden Leaf Social Club held its first literary exercises Wednesday evening at the residence of Mrs. Al. Meredith. Mr. M. C. Glasco recited "The Raven," Miss Ida Meredith rendered "Ye Merry Maids," Mrs. Clipper sang "Forget Me Not," Mr. Jones Brown gave a short address, Mrs. William Newman sang "With all her faults I love her still." The different performances were all well rendered and all had a delightful time.

DRIFTWOOD.

Caught Floating on the News Current and Steered Into

Our Office by our Army of Correspondents at all Points of the Compass, Carefully Condensed for Hasty Readers.

The Colored women of Atchison have organized a woman's exchange.

Peter Jackson the pugilist on last Saturday sailed ftom San Francisco to Australia. He expects to return in a few months.

One white brakeman has been removed from each passenger train on the Rock Island route and the places filled with Colored men.

During the marriage service in a church in Virginia the other day a goat walked in and broke up the ceremony by summarily ejecting the groom with his head.

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A poor washerwoman at Fayetteville, Ark., who a few days ago was notified that she had been granted a pension and would receive $5,000 back pay, was so overcome with joy that she died.

In Trenton. L. J., Charles Lang, a Colored desperado, shot Theodore Ayers, a local Colored preacher, during a quarrel about Ayers' wife. Lang was arrested. It is thought that Ayers will die.

At Hopkinsville, Ky., while at work building a fence Saturday morning Wm. Jefferson, and aged Colored man, was prostrated by a violent sunstroke, and he is in a cirtical condition at his home.

This is the way the great beast of Africa goes to his extinction. An ordinary elephant produces 120 pounds of ivory, worth $300. England consumes 650 tons, for which it is necessary to kill 12,000 elebhants a year.

It is understood in St. Louis that a syndicate of wealthy men have purchased 20,000 acres of land from the Mexican government, in one of the many fertile valley that abound in that country, and intend to settle it with Colored people from the United States.

Fred Douglass, United States minister to Hayti, who has come home on a visit, says that it galls him to travel to and from the United States and Hayti in a Dutch or English vessel. He wants to see our own starry banner—our 43-starry banner—floating over him both ways.

A planter at Alpharetta, Ga., has an acre of cotton every stalk of which is of a deep red color, leaf, boll and bloom. This novel crop is the product of seed derived three years ago from two stalks of red cotton found in a cotton field. There is a fortune in this new variety if it can be perpetuated.

A southern Colored Farmers' Alliance indorses the nomination of Captain B. R. Tillman for governor of South Carolina in following dubious resolutions: "In union there is strength. We are all children of Eve and Adam, why not act so in principle? There is one God, one heaven, one hell, and we must stay together in one of the places. Why not vote together for Tillman?"

George Hughes, the Colored lemonade vender, who for twenty years has enjoyed the exclusive privilege of selling soft drinks in front of the postoffice building at Baltimore may have to give up his stand. The order comes direct from Secretary Windom, and was issued in deference to the complaints of a number of Colored men who said that Hughes had been discriminating against them.

When James Gray, of Lima Ill, returned home from his work a few nights since he was astonished to find the household goods removed, his wife gone and a note telling him that she had gone gone good, and it would be useless for him to look for her, as she never intended to return. The household goods he afterward found, were stored away in a second-hand store. The woman took $35 and all of her wearing apparel, and has not yet been seen.

Nigger is not, as generally supposed, a corruption of Negro, but it is regularly developed from the earlier form of neger which is derived through the French from the Spanish-Portuguese Negro, from which the English Negro is taken directly. Nigger is more English in form than Negro and was formerly and to some extent is still used without opprobrious intent: but its use is now confined to colloquial or illiterate speech, in which it generally conveys mor or less of contempt.

POPULAR PREACHERS.

The Appeal's Scheme to Decide Who the Popular Preachers are.

All Colored Preachers in the States of Illinois, Minnesota, Kentucky and Missouri Eligible to the Contest. The People to Decide.

THE APPEAL has heard so much said about the popularity of this preacher or that preacher, that it has determined to have the people decide the question. And, in order to bring out a full expression it has decided to offer a list of prizes to be awarded to the ten most popular preachers in Illinois, Missouri, Kentucky and Minnesota.

The contest is confined to the four states in which THE APPEAL has offices of publication.

The prizes will be awarded according to the number of votes cast for each contestant.

LIST OF PRIZES.

1st, Prize, Broadcloth Suit, satin-lined, to order,	$100.00
2nd, Prize, Gold-headed Cane,	25.00
3rd, Prize, life-size crayon portrait,	15.00
4th, Prize, Silk Hat,	5.00
5th, Prize, THE APPEAL for 2 years,	4.00
6th, Prize, THE APPEAL for 1 year,	2.00
7th, Prize, THE APPEAL for 1 year,	2.00
8th, Prize, THE APPEAL for 1 year,	2.00
9th, Prize, THE APPEAL for 1 year,	2.00
10th Prize, THE APPEAL for 1 year,	2.00

THE APPEAL can not in common fairness, advocate the merits of this or that preacher. Two things are of the first importance in order to hope for success. The first is to make selection of a preacher who is possessed of qualities essential to popularity. Having selected a candidate the second step is to work for his success. Let one secure all the ballots possible and at the same time stir up interest and activity in others. Delay in securing ballots are as dangerous as delays in other mattters. It would worry one much to learn that his or her condidate might have been elected by a slight extra effort. A few votes may be the difference between the winners and losers. Hence the importance of early and persistent activity in securing ballots. The plan of determining who the most popular minister is, is given in order that all may thoroughly understand.

BALLOT.

THE APPEAL'S
MOST POPULAR PREACHER PRIZE CONTEST

Rev.....

Of.....Church,

City of..... State.....

Fill the Blanks, Cut out and send to THE APPEAL, Chicago, Ill.

RULES OF VOTING.

Any Colored preacher in the states of Illinois, Kentucky, Minnesota and Missouri, may be voted for. Any person can vote who complies with the following conditions:

Get a copy of THE APPEAL, cut out the ballot you will fine there, write on it the FULL name of the preacher and his full address and send it by mail, or bring it to THE APPEAL office 325 Dearborn street, Chicago.

You can vote for the same preacher as often as you please. Every time you get a ballot you can send in a vote.

The only qualification for voting is to cut out the ballot in THE APPEAL and fill it out as directed above. But one preacher can be voted for on each ballot. Ballots containing the name of more than one preacher, will be thrown out.

See that your friends all get THE APPEAL, and if they do not wish to use the ballot, ask them to save it for you.

Remember that every copy of THE APPEAL contains one ballot, and that every ballot means another vote.

Place your ballots in an envelope and address it as follows:

THE APPEAL, CHICAGO, ILL.

Pilgrimage Excursion.

The Knights Templar of the following Commanderies: Corinthian No. 1, St. George No. 4, and Godfrey No. 5, will make a pilgrimage excursion to Quincy, Ill., August 11, to attend the Grand Conclave. A number of ladies will accompany the Knights. Round trip rate over the Wabash Railroad $6.75.

Hand Laundry,

Mr. James Scott has opened a hand laundry at No. 495 State street. As he is one of our enterprising young men we all should give him a trial. Young men have your linens laundered at Scott's laundry 495 State street.

Any one knowing the whereabouts of one Ellis Dennis Kemp formerly of Atlanta, Ga., and when last heard of was in Cincinnati will confer a great favor by informing his sister Mrs. Elizabeth Pettiford, 111 S. Lincoln street, Chicago, Ill

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