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Ft. Gibson, Okla.

Hiram Lodge No. 47, A. F. & A. M., meets on the first Monday and the third Tuesday night in each month at the Masonic Hall at 7:30 o'clock sharp. All visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.
S. ROSS, W. M.
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Muskogee, Okla.

St. James Lodge No. 67, A. F. & A. M., meets on Tuesday night on or before the full moon in each month, at 8 o'clock sharp. All visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.
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Wybark, Okla.

Lewisville Lodge No. 141, A. F. & A. M., meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday night in each month in Masonic Hall at Kinta, Okla. All visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.
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R. A. HALL, Secretary.

Trinity Lodge No. 84, A. F. & A. M. elected the following officers for the year 1919-20:
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Ira Merritt, J. W.
S. L. Berry, Secretary.
E. N. Guilloy, Treasurer.
Lee Williams, Tyler.
A. C. Roker, Chaplain.
W. H. Twine, Geo. Benton, F. J. Gordon, Trustees.
Gilbert Bank, J. D.
D. N. McDonald, S. D.
T. Williams, S. St.
Louis Rollin, J. R. S.

Muskogee Chapter No. 1 of the Royal Arch Masons, met on May 29th, 1919, at 8 o'clock p. m., and proceeded to elect its officers for the ensuing year, as follows:
J. T. Trimble, H. P.
E. C. Karrell, K.
D. Richardson, S.
Geo. Fetters, C. of H.
G. G. Benton, P. S. J.

J. R. COFFEY
Attorney-at-Law
206-7 Love Building
Muskogee, Okla.

We want representation on the delegation that goes to the republican national convention. There are 60,000 negro voters in Oklahoma and this certainly entitles them to representation on the delegation.

There will certainly be no disposition to prevent our soldier boys from voting and if there is there will be H—— to pay. Watch and see.

The Phoenix seems elated that the Negro did not attend the republican convention and says that the Negro is eliminated from republican politics. Well, the convention did not pass any resolutions eliminating the Negro and it would not amount to a thinker's D—— if they had. They did resolute against our aims and that may count. The Negro is a Republican and the act that in Muskogee county the enemies are now in the saddle, will not discourage them. Our time will surely come when we can square up with our enemies.

"All I know is I am supposed to be an inexhaustible supply of money for every human need, desire or rope of the human race and because I will not sell and leave and go out and beg, borrow or steal money to give away, I have been cursed, discussed, boycotted, talked to, talked about, used to, lied about, held up, robbed and nearly ruined, and the only reason I am clinging to life is to see what in H—— is coming off next."

Thornridge Lodge No. 71, Brush Hill, meets Thursday night on or before each full moon in each month.
L. S. WARRIOR, W. M.
WILLIAM JACKSON, Secy.

Chicago, Feb. 11.—Lynching, under any circumstances or conditions is a crime, Will H. Hays, chairman of the republican national committee, said tonight at the convention of the Lincoln League of America, an organization of Negro Republicans.

"Lynching is a crime against judgment and justice, reason and righteousness, an assault on our most sacred institutions, and is an affront to the accumulated wisdom of past ages," Mr. Hays declared.

"It is a condemnation of Christianity and merits the excommunication of every high-minded citizen."

Anything that is worth having is worth fighting for and the sooner our people learn this the better for all concerned. Stop the begging route and take up the fighting route and if you lose you will have the satisfaction that you have played a man's part.

EDITOR.

Citizenship Rights not to be Abridged.

1. All persons born or naturalized in the United States and subject to the jurisdiction thereof, are citizens of the United States and of the State wherein they reside. No State shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States; nor shall any State deprive any person of life, liberty, or property without due process of law, nor deny to any persons within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws.

NINE COLORED EX-SOLDIERS LYNCHED IN 1919.

The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, 70 Fifth avenue, New York, today published a statement showing that nine colored ex-soldiers had been lynched in the United States during 1919. Of the nine, two were burned to death, two were hanged, four were shot and one was beaten.

One of the colored soldiers was shot to death because he did not turn out of the road soon enough for passing white men. The list follows:
Colored Soldiers Lynched During 1919.

March 14—Castlebury, Fla., Bud Johnson, burned to death. Said to have confessed to attack on white woman.

April 9—Pickens, Miss., admitted he had hired a woman to write an insulting note to a white woman.

May 21—Eldorado, Ark., Frank Livingston, charged with killing his employer and the latter's wife; burned to death.
July 15—Louise, Miss., Robert Truett, lynched for having made indecent proposals to a white woman. Hanged.

August—Fayette County, Ga., Charles Kelly, shot to death by white man because he did not turn out of the road soon enough.

August 14—Pope City, Ga., Jim Grant, alleged to have shot a white man and his son. Hanged.

Sept. 29—Montgomery, Ala., Robert Croskey, charged with having assaulted a white woman. Shot.

Sept. 3.—Star City, Ark., Flinton Briggs, accused of having insulted white woman. Shot.

Dec. 21—Smithville, Ga., Charles West, accused of murder of white man. Shot.

The Kaffir Chemical Laboratories is the name of a new corporation which has just been successfully launched here and is destined to become, in the course of time, one of the biggest concerns of its kind, financed by race capital, in the country. As a small concern its goods have been on the market for some months, but it was decided to incorporate and go out after big business. To advertise and push its products required capital. This called for incorporation. This company, which has just been incorporated under the laws of Nebraska, one of the strictest states in the union on corporations, is engaged in the manufacture of pharmaceuticals, chemicals, drug preparations and medicines. The corporation's authorized capitalization is \$500,000.00 divided into 50,000 shares at \$10.00 each; 20,000 shares being common, and 30,000 shares 7 per cent cumulative preferred stock.

The incorporators, who also form the board of directors, are Madree Penn, Grace M. Jones, vice principal Piney Woods School, Braxton, Miss.; Eleanor C. Haynes; Dr. A. E. Fletcher; John Albert Williams; Fred C. Williams and Larry N. People. The officers are Madree Penn, president; G. M. Jones, vice president; E. C. Haynes, secretary, and John Albert Williams, treasurer.

The company has on hand several thousand dollars' worth of preparations, including a pyorrhea preventive tooth paste, a face cream, an antiphlogistic compound, a blood antiseptic, a hair tonic and others of proven value, which it places upon the market simultaneously with its stock campaign. For several months the company has been quietly but effectively at work organizing and incorporating, and lining up its resources and workers, and now enters the field of big business with every assurance of becoming one of the great successful commercial enterprises conducted by the race.

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We are represented on the Republican Advisory Committee.

We regard it as of the greatest moment that Chairman Will H. Hays has announced from San Francisco, where he was last week, a list of one hundred and seventy-one distinguished men and women to act as an advisory committee on policies and platform, with the purpose to add others as we go along and occasion suggests. This committee will assist the National Republican Committee to get at the real spirit of the Republican masses as well as thinkers and help it shape its policies and platform to conform to the opinions, hopes and aspirations of the Republican body of voters.

If it does not do this it will fail entirely of its purpose; if

it succeeds it should create almost a new Republican party, this latter thing being absolutely necessary because of the changed conditions of the time and the new and untried demands made upon the government by all sorts and conditions of interests with the neglected interests of the Afro-American people clamoring louder than any of the others for a proper place in the policies and platform of the party.

To this end we are bound to notice with interest and satisfaction that Afro-American Republicans are represented on the Advisory Committee by five men. They are Robert R. Church of Tennessee; Dr. A. S. Furniss of Indiana; James W. Johnson of New York; William H. Lewis of Massachusetts; Roscoe Conklin Simmons of Kentucky. We also notice that our women have no representatives named for them. That may follow later.

If the Afro-American people cannot get a proper place in the policies and platform of the party with such representatives as these men are, we had might as well give up hope of ever getting it from the Republican party and go a-seeking it elsewhere, and that will be our disposition.—The Washington Eagle.

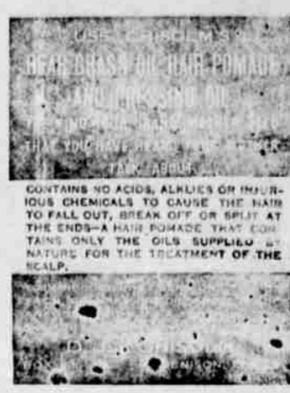
WITNESS ABSENT IN TILLY CASE
Motorman's Preliminary Testimony to Be Used.

George Kramer, one of the star witnesses in the case of Collins Tilly, negro, charged with the murder of I. M. Williams, street car conductor, last fall, will not appear as a witness during the trial which began today in district court before Judge Edward D. Oldfield, according to John Hubatka, chief of detectives.

Kramer's out of the city, his wife is ill, according to Hubatka. Kramer was seen in the car on which Williams was killed. His testimony in preliminary trial was given by the court stenographer and will be used in the trial.

Selection of a jury which began this morning, will be completed tomorrow morning. It is thought, seventy-five to 100 witnesses and a large number of spectators filled the courtroom and court house adjacent. There was no indication of any trouble. Sheriff G. E. Jones and Luther Brien, county jailer, with city detectives and plainclothesmen were in the courtroom and about the jail. Tilly is represented by five negro lawyers, including W.

Twine "The Black Tiger" of Muskogee, E. T. Barber, Edna George, George Carrey, G. H. Corbett, Tulsa, and Henry Hawkins, of this city, and the other members of the quintet which is said to be composed of the best negro law talent in the state. County Attorney Robert Burns and O. A. Cargill, assistant county attorney, are handling the case for the county.



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