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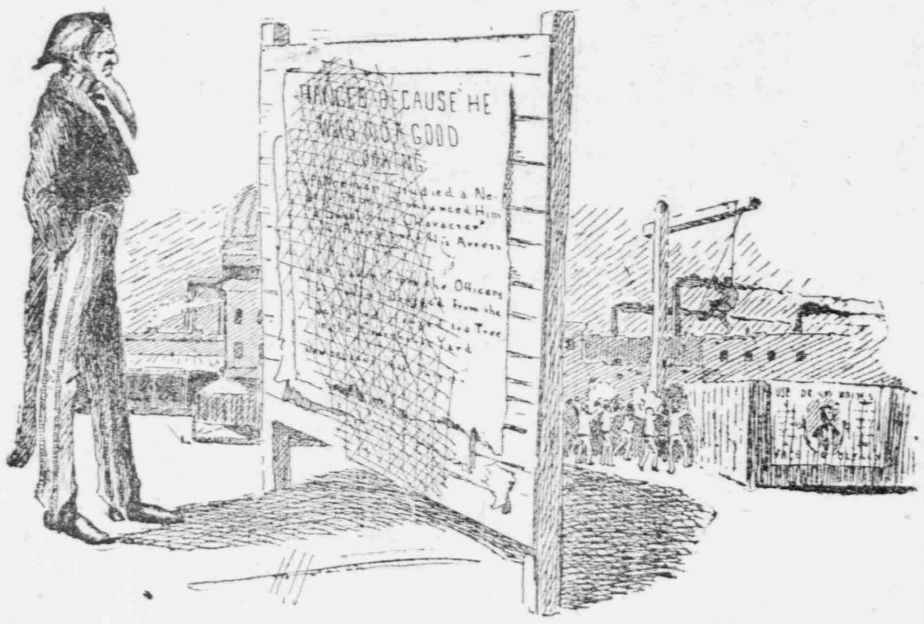

Uncle Sam: What Strange Things Happen in This Country—the "Land of the Free and Home of the Brave."

City Paragraphs.

Miss L. K Smallwood and sister are summering at New York and Newport.

Song services at Galbraith A. M. E. Zion church, at 8 o'clock. Silver offering at the door

Mr. Thomas B. Crane, of Richmond stopped over Sunday last on his way home from Atlantic City.

Mr. Charles J Pickett is the guest of Mr, and Mrs. Dr. Stafford at their summer home in Michigan.

Misses Melvina Lyvers and Beatrice Martin are enjoying the refreshing breezes of the Eastern Shore.

Board and lodging can be had at 1642 10th street, n. w., by persons stopping in Washington for a few days.

Mrs. Alice Moore Dunbar left Thursday for Wilmington, Del. where she has accepted a position in the High School.

Mrs. Wesley Stafford who has been spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. Paris Lyvers, has returned to her home in New York City.

Miss Mary Hicks, of Lousville, Ky., and Miss Jennie Portor, of Cincinnati, spent several days here this week, en route home from Atlantic City.

Mr. A. E Manning of Indianapolis, Ind., was in the city last Saturday and Sunday en route from Atlantic City to the Business League at Richmond.

Hon. J. C Napier of Nashville, Tenn., was in Washington the latter part of last week Mr Napier attended the Business League in Richmond.

Miss Annie M. Clarke, of New York City, who has been visiting her mother ta 437 8 street northwest, will return to New York about the 5th of September.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Ross, of Washington, D C., announces to their many friends, the engagement of their daughter, Zeta E to Dr, J. L. Johnson, of Ohio.

Next week's issue of The Colored American will contain a full account of the proceedings of the Business League held in Richmond, Va, this week.

Mrs. C. W. Lewis is spending a few days at Atlantic City. She will remain there ten days and from there she will go to Brooklyn, N. Y., to visit her sister.

Messrs. E. E. Cooper and R. W. Thompson, of The Colored American, attended the meeting of the National Negro Business Lesgue in Richmond this week.

Mme. Smallwood's fall and winter course will open at 1513 Madison street, the first of September as usual. Pupils can register at any time from the above residence.

While in Atlanta, Mrs. L. R. Clarke had eighteen applications for teacherships form different schools throughout the South, some of them among the largest in their states.

Mrs. M. A. Madden and her two daughters, Misses Edith and Gertrude are now summering with the family of Dr. George W. Cabnaniss at his beautiful countrp residence near Falls Church, Va.

Mrs. Katie Ware, of 406 O street, n. w, returned Tuesday of last week from Ordmore, Pa, where she spent three weeks visiting her brother. Mrs. Ware also visited Bryn Mawr and Philadelphia, Pa., Wilmington, Del., and Atlantic City, N. J.

Mr Nathan Bivins, formerly of this city, now residing in New York City, will be in Washington during the G. A. R. Mr. Bivins, it will be remembered is the author of a number of popular songs. "You were never introduced to me" and "You can join this show" are two of his latest hits. Mr. Bivins' New York address is 1260 Broadway.

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