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Civil War in Colorado

In union there is strength. In labor unions there is sometimes strength and sometimes weakness. Labor has as much right to organize as capital has.

Observation leads us to conclude that it matters not how good is the organization or how beneficent is the object or purpose, if had or morally weak men are at the head, more harm than good will be accomplished.

Labor is usually more prejudiced on account of class or color than is capital. Labor bars Negroes from its organizations when it can. Capital rarely does so.

The strike in Colorado has become a civil war. The strikers appear to be in the wrong. President Wilson has on his hands a civil war which in some respects is more perplexing than the war with Mexico. By asking the aid of the Rockefellers, the president has indicated his inability to deal with the situation. Oh for a Grover Cleveland or Theodore Roosevelt at this time!

Latin-American Statesmen on the Job.

It looks now as though the statesmen of Latin America, or at least of Argentina, Brazil and Chile, are widening the scope of their intermediations, and wish to take up for consideration the entire Mexican situation.

We believe the powers of Europe will give their moral support to this.

With Mr. secretary Bryan as an apostle of the Prince of Peace the indications are now that there will not be a cruel, needless and bloody war between this country and Mexico, for which we are devoutly thankful.

The Slit Skirt.

"To the Editor of The State: I am not favorably impressed with slit skirts, or I do not approve of ladies wearing them. I hate to see a lady wearing one. I refrain from expressing fully my objections to the slit skirt. I will say this: I do not know that my wife wants one—if she does just let her get one and put it on and wear it before the public, then you will see an account of our separation in the papers. I wish the public generally to understand that I am not discussing their wearing of 'slit skirts' when I speak of my attitude to the wearing of one by my wife. I am only trying to impress the public with the fact that my family knows I am at the head of our family and whether I try to 'boss' or not, I am regarded as 'boss' as pertaining to ridiculous things or anything else. Now, a word to the heads of other families; if you will take the same stand (as to slit skirts) that I have taken, they will go out of style at once. Not that we would cast any reflection upon any lady who wears a slit skirt, but hoping they will soon see the ridiculousness of wearing one, as even the black female race are heard to remark 'It don't look good to me.'"

The foregoing, taken from our esteemed contemporary, hits the nail on the head, or rather, hits the skirt on the slit. "The black female race" must feel complimented; for "the black female race are heard to remark. 'It don't look good to me.'" Now if it be in order, we would like to hear from the brown female race and the yellow female race and (wouldn't it delight our hearts also to hear from) the white female race. For what-

ever the white female race may have to say on the slit skirt, question is bound to go. Brother Moody, stir up the white female race for us on this question, and when you get them to join with "the black female race" and say "It don't look good to me," then it is good by to the slit skirt.

Most men of the black male race and every other shade or color of the male race abominate the slit skirt, if worn by their wives, their mothers, their daughters or their sisters; but they happen in many instances not to be the heads but the figure-heads of their families. We welcome the deliverance of Mr. Moody and hope it will result in good. We also take off our hats to "the black female race," and say with them, "It don't look good to me." We wish to remark in conclusion that being a member of the male race we are not courting a fight with the female race, for we recognize "that the female of the species is more deadly than the male."

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM.

CLAFLIN UNIVERSITY.
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Commencement - 1914.

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED.

- Friday, April 17; 7:30 P. M. Grades Exhibition.
- Saturday, May 2, 10 A. M. Reading Term Standing.
- Sunday, May 3, 7 A. M. Special Prayer Service.
- Sunday, May 3, 10 A. M. Annual Address to Y. M. C. and Y. W. C. Associations. E. J. Sawyer, Esq.
- Sunday, May 3, 4 P. M. Baccalaureate Sermon. President L. M. Dunton, D. D.
- Sunday, May 3, 8 P. M. Annual Sermon. Rev. Robert L. Hickson, D. D.
- Monday, May 4, 4 P. M. Class Day Exercises.
- Monday, May 4, 8 P. M. Prize Oratorical Contest.
- Tuesday, May 5, 9 A. M. Annual Meeting Board Trustees.
- Tuesday, May 5, 3 P. M. Annual Meeting Alumni.
- Tuesday, May 5, 8 P. M. Public Alumni Meeting. Speaker, Rev. N. W. Greene, B. D.
- Tuesday, May 5, 10 P. M. Banquet.
- Wednesday, May 6, 10 A. M. Commencement. Rev. E. B. Burroughs, D. D.
- Trustees' Address. Rev. M. M. Mouzon, D. D.

September 23, Wednesday, College, College Preparatory and Normal Classes begin.
September 29, Tuesday, Grades begin.
October 6, Tuesday, Business College and Law School open.

At Morris College
APRIL 30 TO MAY 6.

- Thursday, April 30, 8:30 P. M. (at Emanuel Church) Address to the Societies of the College by Rev. J. F. Page, D. D., pastor Emanuel Church, City.
- Sunday, May 3, 8:30 P. M. (at Shiloh Church) Commencement Sermon by Rev. J. A. Pinson, D. D., pastor Shiloh Church, City.
- Monday, May 4, 3:00 P. M. (at the College) Class Day Exercises.
- Tuesday, May 5, 8:30 P. M. (at Pisgah Church) Junior Rhetorical Prize Contest.
- Wednesday, May 6, 11:00 A. M. (at Shiloh Church) Commencement Exercises. Annual Address to Class and Students. Rev. J. C. White, pastor Zion Baptist Church, Columbia, S. C.
- Wednesday, May 6, 5:00 P. M. Business Meeting Alumni Association.
- Wednesday, May 6, 8:00 P. M. Alumni Banquet.

Death Removes Good Woman.

The death of Mrs. Della Lomax which occurred Wednesday night, marks the close of the life of one of Columbia's most useful and best colored women, and the entire city join the bereft family in this sad hour.

For years Mrs. Lomax has been engaged in a business where she has met and aided numbers and numbers of her people who were out of luck with the gods, wish-

Local News.

Mrs. C. D. Saxon organized a Woman's Federation last Sunday at Gadsden.

Miss Ruth Penn is at home again after teaching five months at Lugoff.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Anderson spent Sunday in Savannah visiting her mother and sisters.

Dr. Ruth Carroll is sick with typhoid-pneumonia at her home in Kendalltown.

Mrs. E. E. Sightler made a flying trip to Hopkins Sunday and spent the day with her sister, Mrs. Sarah Johnson.

Mrs. Catherine Harper after spending six weeks here, the guest of Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Smith, left for Chicago her home last Tuesday.

Dr. G. K. Adams of Laurens, en route for the meeting of the Palmetto Medical Association, spent a day with the Southern Indicator Co.

The ladies literary and art club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sightler 2304 Lady street last week. After the transaction of business a salad course and ices were served.

The meeting which has been going on for three weeks at the Second Calvary Baptist church has been increasing in interest. There were seven accessions during last week.

Mrs. J. R. Bingham of Chattanooga, Tenn. is in the city to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Suber, 409 Marion street. Mrs. Bingham looks the picture of health.

Mrs. Margaret Stevenson who had been very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Redelle Adrms, is improving. She is anxious to hear from her nephew, Mr. Robt. Williams of Spartanburg.

Mrs. Sarah Ward of Rutherford N. C., paternal grandmother of Alexine, the little granddaughter of Editor Scott, arrived in Columbia on Wednesday to make a visit and was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Scott.

Miss Annie Davis died at Washington, D. C. last week. Her remains were brought to her parents, home in Sumter where the funeral services were held. Her death cast a gloom over the entire community.

Mr. Thos. Entzminger appears to be as proud over his two months old baby, his eight child as he was over the first, and Mrs. Entzminger is just delighted. She is a sweet little girl and must be in the baby show that will soon take place.

The Board of governors in the endowment department of the state grand lodge, Samaritan met here this week in the office of the grand secretary and treasurer, and after examination, reported that they found his accounts in excellent shape. The secretary and treasurer is our popular townsman, W. H. Rutherford.

From every viewpoint the Y. W. C. A. meeting at Wesley last Sunday night was a success and an inspiration. Mrs. Susie Butler, the vice president presided. The speakers of the evening were Mrs. C. D. Saxon, Reverends C. C. Scott and L. Morgan, Messrs Isaac Leevy, Joseph Pelot and W. E. Green. Every one said something worth hearing. The offering was a liberal one.

out one thought of gain or fame, and it is these people who spent hours in prayer for her and now join in lamentations over her death. Her suffering had been long and severe, but with patient fortitude peculiar to christians, she bore it until the end, when death came, not as a monster, but as an ambassador from God, to welcome her to the City of Pure delight. Her funeral services were held from Zion Baptist Church, of which she was a long and useful member, being conducted by her pastor, assisted by Reverends C. C. Scott, C. F. Holmes, and G. F. Dilliard.

Professional Notice.

Dr. B. A. Everett will be absent from the city from April 22d to May 13th. 4t

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The following is the standing of the contestants in the Grafonola Contest for the week ending Wednesday, April 29th, 1914:

No. 3	45,925
4	50,000
6	123,000
7	40,000
8	76,460
9	50,000
10	77,520
11	64,285
15	45,000
18	55,000
17	65,000
18	50,000
19	50,890
30	72,075
31	40,670
32	45,970
33	35,250
35	40,885
36	50,670
38	70,550
42	35,265
43	72,275
44	45,065
45	27,415
50	45,215
51	67,450
52	46,085
55	55,000
60	65,115
61	56,065
62	57,500
79	55,740
81	48,285
82	66,165
83	59,215
96	58,220
109	85,505
112	55,395
113	62,460
114	35,000
115	65,215
121	54,765
122	36,415
137	45,420
138	75,215
145	67,210
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