The recent lynching of a Negro in Mississippi by a mob of his own race furnished a sad commentary upon the condition of affairs down there. The law is the only protection a poor man has and even though it secures in many places, very little protection to Negroes, they should never be the ones to violate it. It is to be deplored that cooler judgement did not prevail and thus avert such an occurrence in this case.

The importation of 1000 Negro workmen to take the places of strikers in the Carnegie mills in Pittsburg is a warning to the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel workers and other labor organizations, that it is sheer foolishness, on their part, to debar the Negro from membership. So long as we are prevented from sharing the benefits accruing from membership in Labor Unions we can not do otherwise than join the ranks of their enemy.

[illegible] an appointment and whether he ever does or not he will find us in line for democracy. We are for tariff reform, for sound money and against wild cat schemes and theories of all sorts. There is one thing we insist upon. Mr. Cleveland will please appoint Negro democrats to office who are gentlemen. Do not appoint Negro drunkards and blackguards to office simply because they voted the democratic ticket.

We are with Mr. Cleveland and his administration and we trust that the Negroes appointed to office under him will be men of whom we can speak without hanging our head in shame. One thing we ought to explain. We said: Mr. Cleveland has never given us an appointment, that is, he never sent our name to the senate. He named us during a recess of the Senate for Liberia but we resigned it before the Senate met.—

THE EDITOR.

March 27th 1893.

Aunt Sally has announced her self an independent candidate for mayor and a warm contest is likely to ensue between them.

The snowfall of Monday is said to have been 7 inches.

Mrs. Laura M. Johns lectured Wednesday evening in the interest of Woman Suffrage. She also organized a League.

The Colored ladies are cordially invited to take part with Woman's suffrage in the city.

Miss Anna B Shropshire, of Hannibal Mo., is visiting Mrs. C. H. J. Taylor.

Miss Shropshire is well pleased with our city and may remain for some time.

The Populist have decided to take no part in the election this spring.

Bishop Handy and wife took their departure for Washington D. C., Wed-

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KANSAS CITY MO.,

AMERICAN CITIZEN.

FRIDAY EVENING MARCH 31. 1893.

THIS
THAT

Dare to be true.

Occasions like clouds, pass away.

Every day is the best day of the year.

To-day is ours; What do we fear?
To-day is ours; we have it here.

Miss Ida Overall was able to resume her duties in the schoolroom, Monday.

Prof. Damel is rejoicing over a new arrival at his home, t is a darling baby boy.

tation as a caterer for high toned receptions and Balls than any Negro in this section.

That the railroad passengers agents will hereafter refuse to issue clergymen's half fair permits to any except those ministers who have regular congregations.

That "the tri—wee (a) kly" is again a candidate for public favor.

That every body appreciates common decency even in a newspaper man.

That the snowflakes that fell here last Monday were the largest ever seen by

By the Favorite and celebrated Mad. Reder. 12, Tableau. Pocahontas saving the life of John Smith. Pocahontas miss S. Jordan Capt. Smith, mr. J. [illegible], manhattan mr. L. Jordan, [illegible] C. Brown, Jno. Cummings, Ernest Jones, morris Segar, Jno. Snipes. 13, Tableau. The Angelus, miss A. Sommers, and mr. Bousfield. 14, music Fagnie Quartette madames N. Lee, miss Thompkins, m. Benton, C. moore, mad, m. Teeters, Accompanist. 15, Tableau. Scene from Virginius, Virginius. mr. W. Fairfax, Virginia miss L. moore. 16, Pantomeme. School is out. Katie Jordan, Theresa Bluford, Arminta Gabbart, Laura and mabel Williams, Leila Garner, Alvin Jordan, Walter Johnson, Roy Gibbs, Dorsey Brown, Geo. Gamble, minor Williams. 17, music. Dancing o'er the waves, high School Choir. 18, Tableau. Rock of ages, miss Dovie Wheeler. 19, Tableau, Joan of Arc burning at the Stake. miss Ruth DeLonch. 20, music mush-a-bye-baby. The people's favorite, Prof. T. n. Price, known all over the U. S. as the "Black Emmet" mme. F. Greene, accompanist. 21, Tableau. Sugar in the Wilderness miss mabel Lucas and marry Coles, 22. Tableau, Woman's Rights, Miss E. Thompkins, and Mr. Chas, Bogy. 23, Tableau. School of Vestal Virgins. Misses Annie Sommers, Josie Drake, Maybell Lucas Ruth DeLonch. Mamie Jones, Sallie Jordan, Lizzie Moore, Eliza Thompkins, Mattie Henderson. Katie Jordan, Mattie wiley, Mary Bass, Dovie wheeler, Dora Heard, Ida Bluford, Ma d and Anna Jones, Josie

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