# General Race News

#### CLEVELAND WANTS NEGRO LABORERS ORGANIZED

Cleveland, O., Nov. 16.—The executive committee of the Cleveland Federation of Labor voted here recently to urge organization of southern Negroes as a solution of the labor problems that have arisen from their importation in large numbers to Cleveland and other northern cities.

They will urge organization to President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, through Secretary J. G. Owens and Representative George Hauhn. In only one case, the committee reported, have Negroes been brought to Cleveland as strike breakers. Railroads have been the largest importers.

#### SAVED WENDELL PHILLIPS.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 16.—Thomas P. Taylor, who died in a local hospital, has just been buried after funeral services in the Charles Street A. M. E. church. For some years he and Frank B. Sanborn had been the only survivors, it is said, of the rescuers of Wendell Phillips when the latter was mobbed as an Abolitionist at the Jey Street Colored church, before the Civil war. Taylor was on board the U. S. S, Vandalia, when it was wrecked in a hurricane in 1889, at Samoa.

#### PITTSBURG RAISES \$15,000.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 16.-The campaign to raise \$10,000 among the colored people toward a new Young Men's Christian Association, came to a close Monday night, when a total of \$15,317.70 was reported. Congratulatory addresses were delivered by International Secretary J. E. Moorland, who directed the campaign; Ralph W. Harbison, F. B. Shipp and Hezekiah Anderson.

#### NEGRO FARMER GETS HIGH PRICE FOR COTTON

Eufala, Ala.,-A Negro farmer got Eufala's record-breaking price for a bale of cotton and the seed. Both brought \$166.32. The bale weighed 770 pounds and was the largest brought to the city this year. The lint, at 161/2 cents per pound, brought \$127.05, while the seed, at the market price of \$51 per ton, brought in \$39.27.

#### BRAITHWAITE'S ANTHOLOGY.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 16 .- Wm. Stanley Braithwaite, the literary critic, has to an old Colored musician of the about completed his "Anthology of Poetry for 1916." This work is regarded as an authority by lovers and critics of poetry. Mr. Braithwaite published in the Transcript two weeks ago a review of poetry during the

#### FOR COLORED CONSUMPTIVES.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 16.—The state of Virginia has practically closed a deal for a tract of 350 acres of land in Nottaway county, which will be used as a sanatorium for colored consumptives.

#### SEGREGATION IN COURT HOUSE.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Nov. 16 .-"Jim Crow" seats now obtain in the city court room, according to signs placed there a few days ago.

#### BROWN BEATS YALE.

It was a sad blow to Tad Jones and other Yale coaches who had visions of a victorious year for Yale, something missing from the New Haven institution for a long time. The Jones smile was in evidence, but that was before Pollard, the colored halfback of Brown began to run rampant over the Eli cacklers. The persistent Pollard was the big thorn in the Yale side. As he dived into and through so many men on his dashes toward victory he left Yale warriors strewn all over the field.-New York Sun.

Wilberforce University is to have two new buildings costing \$100,000. One is to be used as a recitation building and the other as a gymnasium.

Dr. G. W. Hubbard, of Nashville, Tenn., was formally inaugurated president of Meharry Medical College on October 9th.

A new High School, named in honor of Dunbar, and costing \$550,000 has just been opened in Washington, D. C.

Sunday, November 14, a year ago, Booker T. Washington passed away.

For the first time in twenty years Colored girl has succeeded in becoming a member of the High School orchestra of Washington, Pa. She 13 liss Monzella Walters, age 15, and a violinist of ability.

Fred Pollard, half-back on the Brown University Football Team, scored two touchdowns after sensaional runs through broken fields, in the Brown-Vermont game recently, rd was widely mentioned throughout the press. It was because of Pollard that Princeton refused to play Brown, and Brown quickly scratched them off the visiting list.

The Cuban Stars and Brooklyn Royal Giants are playing ball in San Juan and Porto Rica.

Twenty-two Colored miners lost their lives in a mine explosion in Allama on November 7th.

Liliuokalani, ex-queen of Hawaii, is very ill at Honolulu, and her death is momentarily expected.

David Mannes, famous violinist, makes the statement in the N. Y. Evening Post, that he owes his success l'enderloin, who first taught him

Six-year-old Lillian Smith, sidnapped in Washington, D. C., April 10th, has been located in Philadelphia and returned to her parents.

Major General R. R. Jackson, of hicago, has been re-elected to serve in the Illinois legislature.

Dr. R. R. Moton, of Tuskegee, is advising the Colored people to stay in the South for the reason that they will be unable to stand the climate of the North. It seems, however, that little attention is being paid to his ad-

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