

to secure a separate street car law for the city of Memphis.

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The Freeman is not alone in holding up some of the racial foibles. The press generally is doing the same thing. It is becoming a necessity. The race may not heed the admonitions, but one thing is certain, it will pay the price if it does not. Any one with a modicum of sense knows that all of this late persecution is not born out of envy. Envy of what? There is natural prejudice of course, but it is being heightened by the Negroes' own actions.

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The new Negro is causing considerable trouble in this country. He is simply getting beside himself. Something must be done and quickly done at that if the race is not to be swallowed up in general contempt. They are often too abusive, too violent in language. The minor morals, the little morals and, as the French have it, les petite morales are absolutely wanting