

THE JIM CROW CARS.

Argument on the Constitutionality of
the Separate Car Act.

Assistant District Attorney Adams
and Mr. J. C. Walker Argue
a Motion to Quash

In the Case of the State of Louisiana
vs. Homer Adolph Plessy.

The Criminal Court Sits En Banc
and Takes the Matter Under
Advisement.

Last July Homer Adolph Plessy, colored, bought a ticket over the East Louisiana Railroad, from this city to Covington. He refused to ride in the negro car, and tried to force his way into the white car. He was put off the train, and later arrested and charged with violation of the separate car act, passed by the general assembly of 1890.

Information was filed in section A of the criminal district court, and argument was heard with Judges Ferguson and Moise sitting en banc, Assistant District Attorney Adams and J. C. Walker, Esq., appearing respectively for the state and defense, on a motion to quash, brought by the defendant.

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