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SIR R. TOBY ADDRESSES THE TORONTO U.N.I.A.

On Sunday, April 20th, a very interesting, inspiring and brilliant address was given by Sir Richmond Hilton Toby, High Commissioner of the U.N.I.A. Hall at 553 Jueen Street West, beginning at 9 p.m.

The Hall was crowded with expectant people, as it was rumored that the speaker was a good one, and a world-wide traveller.

The subject of this discourse was "The Greatest Movement of Modern Times, Its Policy and Its Growth."

He spoke on this subject under the following headings: Its Commercial Policy, Its Educational Policy, Its Religious Policy, and its Social Policy.

He very truly said, that often the aim and object of the association have been misconstrued, and that it has been caused by several reasons: 1—Those who misunderstand the meaning of what is said or done and in talking about it in the wrong way cause others to stumble. 2—Those who think they know it all and can be taught by nobody. 3—The efficient ones neglecting to do their duty and causing the nonefficient ones to mislead others.

He explained the last trouble of Marcus Garvey thus:—The U.N.I.A. made an arrangement to purchase a new ship. While Marcus was in the West Indies, the head officers of the association, found out through detectives, that the shipbuilders were about to sell them an inferior vessel instead of the one they expected to have. Hence, they cancelled the contract, and neglected to take the advertisement out of the paper, "that the said ship would make a tour at a specified time." Some jealous negroes notified the U.S. Government about the aforesaid error, and therefore caused Marcus to be brought up for "Defrauding Through the U.S. Mail." He, however, without the aid of any lawyers, spoke so intelligently, that out of eleven charges, he was able to bring them down to one. That about "Defrauding". The Government also soon found out that Marcus in prison, was stronger than Marcus out of prison by the ready support of the people in raising \$35,000 in a

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OWEN SOUND COLORED ORCHESTRA

Supt. S. R. Drake Replies To Editorial On Co-Operation

To The Editor,
The Dawn of Tomorrow.
Dear Sir:—

This is my first letter to your well edited paper since its inauguration, therefore I must pay my respects to you as Editor. From my own observation, and I take it to be the opinion of many others, you have given general satisfaction from every viewpoint, and have helped the race by your splendid, sane editorials. My hope is that a greatly increased subscription will enable you to carry on on even a larger scale. Several letters and editorials have appeared in The Dawn on the question of Co-operation among the race in Canada in some business enterprise. These editorials and letters have all been very suggestive and should awaken a new interest and give a new outlook on the possibilities of our race in the business world.

There have been one or two hints of calling a Convention that further time and study might be given to the development of a plan or basis as a starting point. I think this is a splendid idea, and I offer the following suggestion. The Dawn of Tomorrow will soon be a year old. I

don't know the exact date. Why not Mr. Editor, have an Anniversary, as the Observer did, under Mr. Whitney some years ago, and at the same time call a Convention of those interested in launching some scheme of Co-operation in the business world. With those who would gather in the interest of The Dawn, and these interested in Co-operative work, it ought to result in a representative gathering.

S. R. DRAKE

AMERICA'S OLDEST WOMEN DIES

Hayti, Mo.,—With the death of Mrs. Maranda Cate, the claim is being made by residents of this town that the oldest woman in America has passed away. There was documentary evidence to prove that Mrs. Cate was 130 years old. Like many other old persons she was said to remember many of the men and events of the period soon after the revolutionary war. She came to this town during the recent migration and was able to care for herself until within a few years of her death.

NEGRO EDUCATOR MILLIONAIRE.

(By The Associated Negro Press)
Greensboro, N.C.,—According to report, Dr. D. C. Suggs, president of Livingstone College, is the richest Negro educator in the world. His property and other holdings in this state and in Washington, D.C., are conservatively valued at \$1,285,000.

HARRY COURSEY WINS THREE TRACK EVENTS

The first weekly twilight track meet of the East London Athletic Club was held last night with Mayor Wenige acting as one of the judges, at Jueen's Park. Fast time was made, especially in the 600-yard run, which was negotiated by Harry Coursey in 1.13 2-5, being only split seconds from the Canadian Record.

Ken Hunter, on the scratch in this event, ran a strong race, but failed in the stretch, while Wanless, 10 yards out, finished in a long sweeping stride and was not nearly run out.

The 50-yard sprint was thrilling. Wanless won the first heat, from scratch, in 5 2-5 seconds. In the second heat Coursey, with a yard handicap, won in the same time. Coursey proved the winner by inches in the final, Wanless and Harry Reynolds finishing a dead heat for place.

Coursey, the colored athlete, made a clean sweep of the card when he also won the broad jump, in a fine leap of 10 feet and one-half inch, with a four inch handicap. Armstrong, a 15-year-old, placed.

L.E.A.C. officials are more convinced than ever that Coursey is the man they will send to Montreal for the Olympic trials in the broad jump.