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Superior Attitude Of White People Must Be Stopped

Pacific Coast News Bureau.

Los Angeles, June 24.—Speaking on "War and Common Sense," before a banquet of 100 members of the Women's International League and their guests at the general branch of the Y. M. C. A. here, Rev. E. Burdette Backus, pastor of the First Unitarian Church said that there was no connection between the two. "America must take her place in the leadership of international peace and she cannot do this unless she is loyal to the racial groups. The attitude of the white people has been one of superiority," he continued. "We have been looking down on other people. The question of race antagonism is of intense interest. Unless we, the people of the United States can live together as brothers, there can be no peace in the world; if we cannot keep together, side by side, as peaceful members of the same family, we cannot expect economic peace."

Ignorance Great Curse of Black Man

Pacific Coast News Bureau.

San Francisco, June 24.—Tearing down the pretty fallacies surrounding the plantation cabin, and the emancipation proclamation, Mrs. H. L. McCrorey, colored mission worker among the race in Charlotte, So. Carolina, speaking before a gathering of Presbyterian women (white) in the First Congregational Church recently, said, "in many places of the south virtual slavery still exists. Plantation owners go into the courts pay the fees for Negroes accused of misdemeanors and take those Negroes to their plantations to work out the debt. Through one pretext or another, they keep them down there for years."

"The little log cabin of the Sunny South isn't what it's pictured in song or story," she declared. "It's unsanitary and breeds immorality; nor all the honeysuckle 'round the door, nor even the mellow guitar twanged on the low door-step can make it aught else."

"Ignorance is the great curse of the black man," said the mission worker. "Here we have a Negro boy who wins first prize in a poetry contest, there one who is setting to music the spirituals of his people, but innumerable others who cannot read, write or cipher."

EDWARD T. WARE DIES.

Pacific Coast News Bureau.

Claremont, Cal., June 24.—Edward T. Ware, president emeritus of the Atlanta Institution, recently died at the family home, 133 West Ninth street here, following a long illness.

The noted educator had been actively engaged all his life in educational work in behalf of the Negro.

100,000 Acres of Land Available in Arizona

Pacific Coast News Bureau.

Phoenix, Ariz, June 24.—Homesteading lands in the far west are fast becoming a thing of the past. But there still remain many thousands of acres available to the colored people of the United States; the latest tract of which is to be thrown open for public entry being that of 100,000 acres of land in Maricopa, Yavapai and Mohave counties, Arizona.

This vast tract of land was declared open to entry beginning July 11. Persons claiming prior settlement rights might file for 110 days beginning then. Veterans of the World War come next, also from July 11, while the others may file beginning Oct. 11.

According to a recent letter published in a Western publication and received from a Negro homesteader in Arizona, there is a wonderful opportunity available to any Negro who desires to secure a tract of land in the state of Arizona.

Parties interested will be given the full details on request if they address their inquiries to the Pacific Coast Service Bureau, care of this journal, and enclose a 2 cent stamp for reply. No charges to readers of this newspaper.

Colored Women's Clubs Meet In Portland

Pacific Coast News Bureau.

Portland, Ore., June 24.—The tenth annual state convention of the Oregon Federation of Colored Women will convene in this city June 29th.

The section of the Oregon constitution denying Chinese, Negroes and mulattos the right to vote was discussed, and at a meeting of the legislative department of the federation in June, the date to be announced, steps will be taken to campaign for a repeal of the section. Arrangements were made also at ration in June, the date to be entered by the O. F. C. W. in the rose festival parade, and for entering the drill team of Dahlia Temple.

NEGRO PLAYWRIGHT DIES.

Santa Monica, Cal., June 24.—Early Thursday morning, after having placed a carnation in the buttonhole of his employer's coat and bidding him goodbye, J. G. Braye took suddenly ill and in less than five minutes died in the arms of his employer, Frank Sebastian, owner of the Sebastian Cotton Club, Culver City, Cal.

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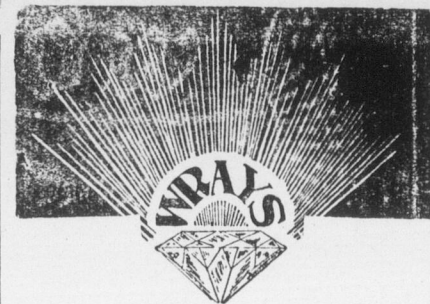
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