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SIGNAL HONOUR IS ACCORDED NEGRO YOUTH

(By The Associated Negro Press)
Boston, Mass., July—Boston is traditionally fair in its stand upon the rights of humanity, and Mayor Curley does not propose to sidestep or backstep one iota in sustaining the traditions.

Charles C. Dogan, American, and well and yes, Colored, an honor high school student, was selected from all of the thousands of high school students in Boston to read the famous Declaration of Independence at the State House on July Fourth. Of all honors that could be heaped upon a young American of any group, none could surpass this in Boston, where patriotism is as fundamental as baked beans.

A group of three narrow minded individuals, addressing their statement from North Carolina, undertook the job of scoring Mayor Curley for naming Dogan for the honor. What the Mayor of Boston said to these individuals will go down in history as a masterpiece of "burning up" along with the famous Boston Tea Party. Said the Mayor of Boston to the alleged residents of North Carolina:

Dogan Selected on Merit

"I have seldom received a letter from any source so lacking in good manners, so devoid of Americanism, so destitute of all knowledge of the principals and practices of our Government and so offensively and stupidly impertinent. It is some satisfaction to know that this ill mannered effusion was nont written by any native Carolinian, for while Massachusetts and Carolina may differ profoundly on the race question, both are as one in recognition of the necessity for practical politeness and observing the connections of decent society in correspondence and in social relations.

"You do not speak, therefore, either for the town you live in, Charlotte, or the State of North Carolina. So they must be acquitted of the offensive, ill-bred and unwarranted meddling in the affairs of Massachusetts and Boston exhibited in your letter.

"When men claiming birth and former residence in Boston are guilty of the gross discourtesy you have committed, and its bad manners are emphasized by betrayal of the principles and an insult to the traditions of their birthplace they become at once deserving of scorn and contempt. I refuse to accept you as the spokesmen of the state and the children of the men who fought and died for human freedom at King's Mountain.

"Charles C. Dogan was selected for the honor conferred on him for excellent reasons; he has shown a competence and capacity in the generous rivalry of school life to make him a worthy choice. He is an honor pupil;

that is to say, a pupil of more than ordinary attainment. His choice has the approbation of his fellow pupils, and his selection to read the immortal Declaration of Independence is an expression of our recognition of the services of his race in Massachusetts to human freedom and democratic government.

"One of his race died in the streets of Boston in defense of human rights—Crispus Attucks—and Boston has erected a monument to his memory on Boston Common. Thousands of his race fought and died to free the Union in the war of rebellion and to make the world safe for democracy. Any man of any race, color or creed who is willing and worthy to serve the flag and die for the republic is worthy to have his place in the sun of American democracy.

"Let me commend to you three men the wisdom of reading and remembering the principles imbedded in the Bible. The Declaration of Independence, the Constitution of the United States and the Massachusetts Bill of Rights. Scriptures tell us God made man in His own image, be the envelope in which he inclosed his soul, white, black, brown or yellow. Let me also commend you the desirability of moving out of Carolina and going further afield to regions where men of your stamp may find a congenial atmosphere which I am sure is not to be found in the State of North Carolina and should be impossible to be found in any part of America."



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TEACHES BROTHERHOOD OF OF MAN IN AMERICA

(By the Associated Negro Press)
Hampton, Va., July—Dr. James E. Gregg, of Hampton, recently had conferred upon him by Williams College the degree of Doctor of Divinity. At the alumni luncheon Doctor Gregg, speaking on the problems of racial relationship, said, "Among all the clash and rivalry of the nations and races of mankind today, in Europe, in Asia, in Africa, and in our own America, what hope is there for the future if we cannot train men of trustworthy intelligence and good-will. It is an immense problem; but may we not quite as justly regard it as a glorious and beckoning adventure, as an unprecedented challenge to our democracy and to our Christianity? If they cannot meet it, if they cannot endure the test, if they cannot show men how to live and work together, then they are not what we thought they were, and the sooner we find it out the better."

He recalled Dr. Moton's speech recently in Olden Hall, Hampton, when he said, "We have got to teach the world that in the spirit of Jesus Christ there is one Shepherd and one Fold. This is hard for all people and all races to understand, hard to believe, and very hard to practice.

FRANCE PROTESTS AGAINST U. S. RACE PREJUDICE

(By The Associated Negro Press)

Paris, France, July—"Americans may regulate the social customs of their own provincial country but they must not attempt to invade France and inflict their tawdry race prejudice on us," said Gratiot Candace, the famous black deputy of Guadeloupe, in a vitriolic attack on American tourists published in one of Paris' leading daily papers.

"Complaints about the treatment accorded to Negroes have been reaching us recently," said Candace. "At Havre a colored gentleman who did his duty bravely during the war was brutally expelled from a dance hall because his presence there was distasteful to American clients.

"In Paris a colored French citizen with a university degree was refused admittance to the Montparnasse cafe on the same grounds and was obliged to summon the police to teach the proprietor an elementary lesson in French law, under which there are no distinctions of race or color for men, women, or children on French soil.

"Americans are free to institute and follow what manners they please at home, but certain habits which do not conform to our ideas of liberty and justice they must not try to introduce into France. In 1918-19 we witnessed the assassination of French Negro poilus by American soldiers at St. Nazaire, Nice and other cities. The foreigners were punished.

"Today we do not want to accept the lure of the almighty dollar over the splendid moral patrimony of France. White, yellow or black, all men who enjoy the proud distinction of being French citizens must live here together peacefully in liberty, equality and fraternity.

IS ARRESTED FOR FRAUD

(By The Associated Negro Press)

London, England, July—Dr. Mahomed, an American Negro posing as an Egyptian, was hailed to the dock last week and charged with professional fraud by the wife of a detective who testified that the wily doctor had charged her for a consultation at which he prescribed for an ailment which she was not suffering from. It was disclosed that the Negro was practicing without a physician's certificate and he pleaded guilty to that phase of the case and desired that he be given a sentence immediately. The court, however, remanded the case for a further hearing on a hint from the Chief Constable that further charges would be preferred against the prisoner.

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Editorial

EDITOR'S NOTE

Mr. Beard, Local Manager of Bell Telephone Company sent to the Dawn of Tomorrow an unsolicited and substantial donation. Three cheers for Mr. Beard and the Bell Telephone Company.

EDUCATION

We are finding out, to our regret, that 90 per cent. of our boys and girls are not finishing the public schools. The number of boys and girls entering finishing high schools and colleges are so small that we may consider that number a nonentity. This is indeed a very sad state of affairs. We find that the children of other races are being given the best education which the country affords. The public schools, high schools, technical schools, colleges and post graduate schools are crowded with them, and these are the boys and girls whom our children must compete with in the future. Can we expect them to win the race of life? Can we expect an army equipped with boomerangs and tomahawks to win against an army equipped with machine guns, aeroplanes and all of the modern inventions of war? Yet this is exactly what we are expecting. We are not encouraging our children to stay in school. In many instances we are taking them out of school as soon as the law allows us to do so in order that they may earn a few paltry dollars. How much better would it be to let the "family" shift for itself and to keep our children in school a few years longer? Would it not be far better for the children and for the race to forego a few suits of clothes, a few new dresses and hats, a few pleasures, and give the boys and girls a chance. I visited a certain city recently and while there I visited a mother who pointed with great pride to her son who had just finished dentistry. She also pointed with pride to her dress and to her husband's suit. "This," said she, "is my only dress, and that is Will's only suit, but the pain of sacrifice was nothing compared with the joy which we are experiencing since our boy has finished his course." Would to God we had more such mothers and fathers.

It is men and women with a vision like this mother and father had who are helping race building. If you would ask me why our sisters and brothers in the republic south of us are forging ahead of us I would tell you they have found the only solution for the race problem i.e. EDUCATION. Parents have forgotten their own interests in contemplating the interests of their children, the interests of their posterity. I have talked with mothers and fathers here about keeping their children in school. They have given me this answer: "What's the use when they can find no employment at which they may use their education." I have talked with white business men

upon this subject and I have told them what our people think and say. They invariably answer me thus: "The limit to the opportunity of your boys and girls is set by your own people. If they are qualified any and all positions are opened to them." Who is right and who is wrong? I know not. But the burden of proof rests upon ourselves. So let us here highly resolve to educate our children, and when shall their education cease? Not until they have crossed over the river Jordan.

RACE CO-OPERATION

I have often wondered if the mass of our people have given real thought to race co-operation, what it means, and the far reaching results if carried into operation.

We in Canada especially, spout a good deal about, co-operation and its benefits and we get together (I speak advisedly) and do nothing except blow off a lot of hot air.

We see the great need of Co-operation, religiously, politically, commercially, etc., but self interest keeps us apart.

A race of people which has the power to do things, whose individual members have the qualifications for the making of scientific men, financial leaders, commercial organizers, inventors and big men in any walk of life, who can stand shoulder to shoulder with men in like profession of any other race, and whose individual members do not co-operate as a unit, never get anywhere.

Our interests all through the community, yes all through the country are intertwined so vitally that the success or failure of one member of our group is felt by all the other members.

Co-operation means, support at all times to our boys and girls who are preparing themselves for professions, our lawyers, doctors, dentists, contractors, merchants and manufacturers.

One of the necessary elements then, is race consciousness, pride in our race, pride in our men, who by their honesty, truthfulness and unselfishness are leaders and successful men; always boosting, and thereby acting as a unit for the advancement of the whole, breaking down opposition, stifling the mob spirit, and leading to a thorough recognition of our qualities as men and women, irrespective of race or color.

A story is told of a drummer, who on visiting a southern city, was given a lift by a colored bus driver by the name of Sam. Sam was famous for his dexterity in using his yhip. Desiring to test the truthfulness of the reports of Sam's prowess, as they drove along something like the following took place between them.

"Sam, see that beetle crawling yonder?"

"Yes suh."

"Well, I bet you can't hit it with your whip."

Sam grinned, 'crack' went his whip and the beetle was no more.

A little farther down the road, a butterfly fluttered about.

"Sam, you can't hit that butterfly."

"Crack" and the butterfly was completely annihilated by the end of Sam's twenty foot lash. A little farther down the road a sort of brownish bag was noticed hanging to the limb of a tree.

"Now Sam, another try,"

Sam turned the whites of his eyes on the drummer and said, "No suh!"

"Why Sam, what's the matter?"

"Them's hornets sah and they're organized."

Sam knew that if he disturbed that nest, he would have the whole colony of hornets on him. Organized to defend their home and their lives and therefore he feared and respected them.

And so I say to the colored people of the country, organize, get together on a basis that demands respect from all people. Forget the fact that when election time rolls around there are many men travelling around there are you to arter your honor, your franchise for a dollar or two, but do not forget this fact, that when you have

done this you have lost the respect of those men and they regard you with the contempt that is your due for he knows that he can buy you whenever he wants you. Be manly men, get together, boost your own, get behind your men and women who are trying to be worth while and with this thorough co-operation the stock of the race will go up and up and there will be no limit but the sky.

Wm. H. Kelly



THE LATE JAMES JOHNSON, of London, Ont., who died as the result of an auto accident near Port Stanley. (Clean shaven).

SENTENCED TO HANG FOR THIRD TIME

(By The Associated Negro Press) Macon, Ga., July—Joe Bonner, a Negro, has just experienced the sensation of being sentenced for the third time to be hanged. His case has been carried to the State Supreme Court which affirmed the decision of the lower court. Bonner was then sentenced to hang for a second time. His lawyers secured a stay and carried the case up to the United States Supreme Court, which body refused to interfere in the matter on technical grounds and now Bonner has been sentenced for the third time to die by hanging. His chance for a rehearsing is now considered hopeless.

COLORED WOMEN PHYSICIANS, SURGEONS AND DENTISTS

(By The Associated Negro Press) Washington, D.C., July—There are 65 colored women physicians, surgeons, and osteopaths in the country, according to figures just compiled by Howard University. There are 5 colored women who practice dentistry in the United States. Also it is declared that there are more colored physicians and dentists practicing in the cities of New York, Philadelphia, Washington, Cleveland and Chicago, than in all the 16 Southern states combined, where fully 8,000,000,000 colored people live.

NO ALIENS FOR THE SOUTH

(By the Associated Negro Press) Aiken, S.C., July—"No aliens for the South," was the burden of Senator E. D. Smith's Fourth of July oration this year. The Senator said in the course of his speech: "The Negro was the best umbrella the white ever had. He was a fine substitute in the field when the sun was hot. The only immigration we want is that immigration that will be invited into the South by prosperity. Then we will get only the best for we don't want immigrants who are not of our flesh and blood. Otherwise let's get the Negroes to come back among the best American friends they ever had."

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Theatrical Notes

"SHUFFLE ALONG" CO. HAS SPLIT IN RANKS

(The Associated Negro Press)
New York, July.—Wilfred R. Bain, of the staff of the Atlantic City, N.J. Daily Times-Gazette, and special correspondent for many out of the city papers, reports that the original "Shuffle Along" company closed its phenomenal three years continuous season at the Appollo theatre in that city on June 23.

Dissatisfaction between the four principals has been growing for some time. A number of causes had been assigned, but Sissle and Blake in an interview with Mr. Bain, stated that it grew out of Miller and Lyles desire to participate in the royalties on the song numbers made famous by the show. It is reported that the latter have been engaged for a George White production. So strained were the relations between the people, that when "Auld Lang Syne" was sung at the final curtain, some members of the company walked off the stage.

Sissle and Blake have opened a "Plantation Days" Revue at the La Marne Cafe on the Boardwalk in conjunction with Roy Smith and his band. The opening performance took five encores. Mildred Smallwood, Johnnie Hudgins, and a number of the former "Shuffle" people are in the cast. Among those are Lottie Gee, Bob Davis, and Four Harmony Kings. Mr. Sissle's grandmother was a guest at the opening.

rumours and much speculation as to what Miller and Lyles would do next. It was made plain at the time of the split, early in June, that Sissle and Blake, with some members of the former management, would continue with "Shuffle Along".

On July 10, Miller and Lyles who had been quietly assembling a company that included all but about eight of the former "shufflers" and enough new faces to total more than sixty people, began rehearsals in Bryant Hall, for a show that they are producing for George White of "Scandals" fame. The production, as yet unnamed, is based upon a book by Miller and Lyles that is said to be another episode in the lives of the mayor of Jimtown and his business partner, the two characters that provided the comedy for the "Shuffle" show.

Music for the more than twenty song numbers is by James P. Johnson, the foremost Negro pianist and composer, if the recorded numbers are accepted as a standard of measurement. The lyrics are by Cecil Mack, the pen name of R. C. McPherson. Will Marion Cook is conducting the choral rehearsals and Elida Webb is staging the dances. Miller and Lyles are personally supervising the entire production.

The supporting company is a strong one, and includes Mattie Wilkes, Ravella Hughes, Blanche Deas Harris, Onions Jefferies, Paul E. Floyd, Arthur Porter, Wesley Hill, Bass Woodson, Adelaide Hall, George Stevens, Bass Foster, Ina Duncan, Bessie Allison, Charles Olden, Monty Hawley, Vernon Porter, William Andrews, Percy Colson, Arthur Ray, and a number of others that have been culled from both the Negro dramatic and musical comedy first ranks.

The show is scheduled to open for an out of town engagement early in August, after which it will be booked for the season by the Klaw and Erlanger office, with the very great likelihood of being presented at a Broadway house very early in the season.

By J. A. Jackson of the Billboard
(For the Associated Negro Press)
New York, July.—Since the separation of Miller and Lyles, and Sissle and Blake, the two teams who were the co-authors and principals in the tremendously successful colored show "Shuffle along", there has been many

American Missionary Association Work Among Negroes in Canada

(Continued from last week)

The American Missionary Association realized that there would be great difficulties to be faced in the Canadian field and some of these difficulties reflect themselves in the annual reports. The annual report for 1849 is typical of later reports in its record of obstacles to be overcome. Isaac Rice left the Association in this year to become an evangelist among the colored Baptists. Goods which were collected in both the United States and Canada for the benefit of sufferers failed to reach their destination. The work at the Dawn settlement dwindled, the managers being embarrassed by debt. Incompetent trustees had projected a college when common schools were the real need. At Mt. Hope the work in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Brooks was disturbed by the migration of their flock to a point on Georgian Bay where they had been attracted by government grants of land. There was need generally of competent teachers.

On the other hand, there were some encouraging signs. About one third of the adults had professed religion. The settlement at London which was visited this year by Rev. J. P. Bardwell was found to be making headway though the Negro community was divided between three rival sects each with its chapel or meeting house. At London there was a free school, a temperance society with 100 members, and most of the colored people were in comfortable circumstances, several being freeholders

and some in business. At Dawn, Hiram Wilson and his wife carried on two schools, Mrs. Wilson having 25 women and girls in her charge. One of these was a grandmother who learned to read and write in three months. About two miles from Dawn was another school conducted by a Miss Huntington, working under the Baptist Board.

In this year, 1849, the expenditure on the Canadian work amounted to \$650. The departure of Rev. Isaac Rice does not seem to have been regarded as a very serious loss. Of his piety there could be no question but he is described as eccentric and as having little influence with the larger portion of the colored people. The name of Rev. Mr. Kirkland appears in this report as being stationed about ten miles from Amherstburg and there is also a reference to Henry Bibb as a collector for the Colporteurs and Slaves Bible Fund.

The annual report for 1850 records the work done at Amherstburg, St. Catharines, and Mount Hope. Rev. Hiram Wilson removed to St. Catharines in this year, leaving Dawn for good. In the course of his movements during the latter part of the year he saw a good deal of the results of the Fugitive Slave Law. His estimate was that 3000 fugitives had entered Canada recently and the immigration was still continuing. "That work not only in spreading terror among the colored people of the nominally free states but in breaking up families and driving them in a desolate and forlorn condition to these

northern shores to encounter the rigor of a cold climate and an unusually severe winter." He cites the arrival of a refugee from Utica, N.Y. whose right foot was so badly frozen that the bone protruded.

Rev. David Hotchkiss was at Amherstburg this year and found some opposition from colored preachers who were continually trying to establish new societies with the usual accompaniment of appointing an agent and starting begging tours. Miss Teall continued at Mount Hope but reported that the work there was diminishing owing to the continued removal of the people.

The next year saw some additional workers in the field. At New Canaan Rev. E. E. Kirkland, with his wife and Miss Theodosia Lyon, worked with the fugitives while the name of Mary A Shadd appears as representative of the Association at Windsor. A tMount Hopt Miss Susan

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LONDON NOTES

We are sorry to hear of the death of Mr. James Johnston, caused by an automobile accident on Friday, July 14, between Port Stanley and London. Being a resident of this city for many years his unexpected death has caused the bereavement of many friends and acquaintances. Mr. Johnston was also an old baseball player and sang in many quartettes given by his team. He was given a very beautiful wreath from the team, and a quartette was rendered by four members after the prayer. Mr. Johnston leaves a father and two sisters to mourn his death.

We are glad to have our new pastor, Rev. Steward with us. We also expect to have his wife settled soon in the city.

Madam Moxley and granddaughter Helen are leaving the city to spend their vacation with her sister Madam Duncan of Oakville.

Mr. Richard R. Ball of this city is leaving to run on the boat S.S. Harmonie. Mr. Ball will assist Mr. Fraser as second in command in the dining room.

Miss Smith of Woodstock is spending her two months vacation at Port Stanley.

Mrs. John Harris has her granddaughters from Hamilton during their school holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. DeGroat Jr. of Saginaw, motored through this city, spending a few days with their aunt, Mrs. Eliza Groat.

The B.M.E. Sunday School held their annual picnic at Port Stanley, Sat., July 14. Every one reported a grand time. The girls baseball team (Elites) played a splendid game from 4 to 6 with the London Service Lamp Co., the score being 13 to 12 in favour of the Elites. Sir Adam Beck pitched several rounds and enjoyed himself. He donated \$2.00 towards the girls uniform. Col. Gartshore donated \$1.00 and Mayor Wenige 50c. The girls drew a grand crowd taking up \$15.85. The next game will be played Thursday night at 6.30 on July 19th.

Mrs. Jackson of Toronto was in the city to attend her nephew's funeral. Mrs. Taylor of Chatham was also here.

STRATFORD NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas, who have been away for some time have returned to Stratford, we are informed, with the intention of making the city their future abode.

Dr. W. J. Bent, of Toronto was a week-end visitor. Dr. Bent attended the B.M.E. Services, Sunday evening.

Mr. E. R. Hunn of Lucan, and Mr. M. Jackson, were week-end visitors.

Madam Harrison and family and Mrs. Hesson and family motored to Guelph, on July 1, to attend the B.M.E. Conference.

Mrs. J. D. Hall her daughter, accompanied by Miss Hapel Wesley went to Guelph on the 29th of June to attend the B.M.E. Conference. They report a splendid trip.

Mr. Bert Brown, who left the city a few days ago, has returned.

Mr. Reggie Hunn of Lucan, was in the city on the 7th inst. visiting Miss Hesson of Stratford Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Groat, of London, were in the city July 1st, visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mathew.

NIAGARA FALLS NOTES

Rev. Logan, Miss Beulah Smith and Miss Viola Miligan have returned from the Guelph Conference and report a pleasant time.

Rev. Logan has been called to St. Catharines and the Rev. Woodcock to Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Grover Banks and son, Leo are contemplating a trip to "Idlewood" Lakeview, to visit her mother, Mrs. R. Young.

Mrs. A. A. Johnson, Assistant Superintendent of the Sunday School has returned from a months vacation spent in Washington, D.C.

The principal topic of the day is "Are you going to the Union picnic to be held at Grimsby, July 26th."

Mr. Sydney Jones is spending a brief visit at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Jane Smith, Robinson Street.

Miss Whisnet and Miss Jenkins are American tourists at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Quarles.

CHATHAM NOTES

Death of Noted Colored Missionary News was received in the city the latter part of last week, of the passing to the Great Beyond of Mrs. Mary Branton Tull, in Monrovia, Liberia, of heart disease.

The death occurred on May 26th last and the funeral was held from the Providence Baptist Church of the Capital of Liberia.

Mrs. Tule was distinguished for her earnest Christian zeal and devotedness to the cause of the uplift of the people in Africa.

She was not one of those to parade herself as being exceptionally gifted, but on the contrary was unassuming and hopeful. She was a sister of Mrs. Walter Branton of this city.

Many people of London will remember her as it was from that city she left on her last trip to Africa.

Mrs. Pasco of Toronto, is visiting Mrs. G. W. Terrill and Mrs. Matilda Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Watkins motored to town last Sunday from Sandwich and visited the latter's father, Mr. Andrew Parker.

Miss Georgina Harding has accepted a position as stenographer and typist in the office of Mr. F. D. Davis, Barrister, of Amherstburg.

Rev. J. C. Richards, pastor of the B.M. Church is favorably convalescing after undergoing a serious surgical operation in St. Joseph's hospital.

Mr. A. Parker left this morning for Eastern points.

Master Carl Harding left last Sunday for Detroit to remain during vacation. Carl says he is not bent on pleasure but work.

Quite a number of colored tourists motored through last Saturday and Sunday.

Why not encourage the B.Y.P.U. in Sunday School on Sunday afternoons. The young people would be pleased to have you present.

Rallies were held last Sunday in the A.U.M.P., First Baptist and A.M.E. Churches.

Quarterly Meeting at Campbell A.M.E. Church, Sunday July 22nd.

The Dawn of Tomorrow may be obtained from the agent, Miss Beulah Harding, 261 Wellington St. East. Give her your subscription for a Canadian enterprise fostered by colored people.

TORONTO NOTES

Samuel Jackson, aged 56, of 54 Cameron Street, died in the General Hospital on July 11 as the result of a fractured neck sustained when he fell downstairs at his home on July 9. He was colored and a widower.

The Women's Mite Missionary Society of Grant A.M.E. Church held an interesting meeting last Tuesday evening. Inspiring addresses were delivered by Rev. A. W. Hackley, P.E. of Des Moines, Dr. T. H. Henderson, P.E. of Ontario Conference, and Rev. Wm. E. Guy, pastor of Grant Church. Mrs. M. E. Henderson presided over the meeting at the close of which refreshments were served.

Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Graine, of Turner Chapel, Oakville, spent a few days in Toronto, the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Henderson. While in the city Baby Graine underwent an operation in the Sick Children's Hospital. He is doing nicely.

Bethlehem Chap. No. 5, O.E.S. gave a splendid concert and reception Dominion Day evening at Alhambra Hall. The hall was tastefully decorated for the occasion, and seasonable viands were served under the direction of Mrs. H. Bennett, W.M., Mrs. Carrie Deas, Mrs. E. Mitchell, and Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Jackson. We left in the wee small hours.

Dr. T. H. Henderson has just returned from holding the 4th quarterly meeting at St. Paul's Church, Hamilton. St. Paul's is moving with all speed. In three weeks the foundation has been dug, and basement well under way of what promises to be the finest A.M.E. parsonage in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mitchell have moved to 116 Grange Ave.

Miss Mildred Hunton has returned from a months visit to Dresden and Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wayner, of Oakville were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Henderson last Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. H. Crawley and family are summering with relatives in Oakville.

Mrs. Marjorie Wilson of Huron St. is spending a few weeks at her home in Oakville.

Mrs. Longlad spent July 4th in Buffalo as guest of her daughter, Mrs. Johnson.

Mrs. Cora Hodge, an ardent worker in Grant Church, has moved to Boston, Mass.

Mrs. Martha Black, sister of Mrs. Chas. Taylor of Manning Ave., was buried from St. Patrick's Cathedral last Friday morning.

OAKVILLE NOTES

Sunday, June 24th, was Quarterly Meeting at Turner A.M.E. Chapel. Love feast on Friday evening. General Class. The Rev. Dr. T. H. Henderson preached at 11.00 a.m. The Rev. gentleman delivered a soul stirring sermon, and every heart was made glad. There was a goodly number out to the morning services. At three o'clock the Rev. John Holland, of Hamilton preached the communion sermon and we were made to say "did not our hearts burn within us while he talked to us by the way." The Rev. Dr. Allen and his wife, of Hamilton surprised us all at this address was unexpectedly given by Doctor Allen. The pastor, Rev. C. A. Graine, preached at 7.00 p.m. to a good full house. All three services were well attended although Sunday was the hottest day this year, so far. On Monday evening, Doctor Henderson held the fourth and last Quarterly Conference of this Conference year. At this meeting all of the Reports of the year were read and they all showed that the pastor and members had

laboured hard to bring about the success that the church has had during this Conference year. The presiding Elder was much elated with the reports. On Saturday, June 23rd, the willing workers society held a sale of home made cooking at the new Parsonage and were quite successful in selling out all of their goods. The Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Henderson were visitors over the week end, of Rev. and Mrs. Graine.

Mrs. George Wilson, of Toronto, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnson.

Mr. W. W. Crawley and Children were visiting at the home of Mrs. Crawley's parent, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Adams.

Madame Duncan was able for the first time since her long illness, to take her place in the choir.

Anyone having any news for "The Dawn of Tomorrow" please give them in to madam Duncan, not later than Monday evening so they can be sent to the reporter early enough for publication. Address P.O. Box 239, Allen St., Phone 327.

SARNIA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Gray, of Washington, D.C., the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crosby, of Sarnia, were delightfully entertained in the home of Mrs. Louise Shelby, 307 Cobden St., on Friday evening, by the Prucilla Club, which is made up of ladies only, and well serves the community interest. The honored President, Mrs. B. Rolling and Secretary Miss Helen Jones, together with a selection of the noble ladies, both of Port Huron and Sarnia are ever wakeful to the social and material needs of the time.

At the close a handsome luncheon was served by miss Mae Jackson. Guess who came just in time for refreshments? It was Rev. Seay, pastor of Bethel Church, Mr. Gray and Mr. Crosby. Introductions were made, but the sparkling smiles of the ladies had no effect on diminishing the appetite of the silent visitors.

At 11.00 p.m., the rolling up and the buzzing of the automobiles bade good night. Good luck for the mid-summer vacation.

Bethel Church and Parsonage, Sarnia, is on a lot one hundred feet square overlooking George St. on the North, and Russell St. on the West. The most unique and modernly equipped church and parsonage in the 15th Episcopal District of the Canadian division of the African Methodist Church. It only a repetition like unto its good citizens, whose faithfulness to business has not only placed them in the lead as church workers, but as successful, capable business men and women of which one should be proud. The work of the church, under the leadership of Rev. Wm. F. Seay has gone forward by leaps and bounds. His invincible courage and undaunted determination together with forceful argument accounts for the many achievements already made. An increase in membership and the raising of \$4000.00 this Conference year but proves the harmony existing between pastor and people.

The last Quarterly Meeting for the yearly term will be held July 15th. Rev. T. H. Henderson, D.D.P.E., will preside. The united churches of Port Huron with their choirs will be present. Dr. Hall, of Detroit will preach at 3.00 p.m.

Since the newly constructed basement and other additional improvements made, we find it necessary to hold a re-opening celebration beginning Sunday, July 22, at which time Rev. C. A. Graine, of Oakville will be present and will preach the opening sermon. All ministers, members and friends are invited to be present. A week end revival service will follow, at which time we expect a feast of the Gospel coming from the various Ministers of the Gospel.

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Colored Choirs To Sing At Exhibition

Toronto, Ont.—As a result of the splendid performance of the Coleridge-Taylor Chorus at the Canadian National Exhibition last year, the Music Day Committee has called upon Mr. Robert P. Edwards, last year's conductor of the Chorus, to arrange for colored singers for this year's Music Day, which occurs, Thursday, August 30th.

After a conference with the choir-masters of the churches, and this year's conductor of the Coleridge-Taylor Chorus; Mr. Edwards announces that the following choirs will participate in a "Musical Hour" at 8.00 o'clock in the evening: The Coleridge-Taylor Chorus, Mr. Isaac H. Lewis, Conductor; Grant A.M.E. Choir, Mr. Leroy Williams, Choirmaster; and Chestnut St. B.M.E. Choir, Mrs. Edna Parker and Mrs. Andrew Smith, Conductresses. The University Ave. Baptist Choir will be under the direction of Mr. Edwards. The male sections of the choirs will render a programme of Southern melodies and Jubilee songs during the afternoon. The Coleridge-Taylor Chorus, conducted by Mr. Robert P. Edwards, and Rev. Ernest A. Richardson (now pastor of the B.M.E. Church of Owen Sound) was the recipient of a special resolution of commendation and thanks from the Directors of the Exhibition for their fine concert of last year: the occasion being the first time that a colored chorus had ever participated in the exercises of the Canadian National Exhibition.

Delegates Attend Annual Meeting

The 67th annual conference of the British Methodist Episcopal Church of Canada opened its session Tuesday evening, June 25th, in Essex St. Methodist Church. A splendid representation of ministers and delegates were present, and a spiritual feast was enjoyed by all.

The general superintendent, Rev. S. R. Drake, spoke for a considerable time to the conference concerning the necessity of an increased membership in the church and emphasized the great need of entire co-operation on the part of every member of the B.M.E. Church, and a greater response from every adherent and well-wisher of the British Methodist Episcopal Church in the Dominion of Canada.

The appointments were as follows: Mrs. Mary Scott and Mrs. H. Banks, Conference Missionaries; Mrs. M. Jackson, Fort William, Conference Missionary for the West; Mrs. A. Willson and Mrs. R. Willsin, Traveling Missionaries and Financial Agents; Rev. J. F. Dawson, Windsor; Rev. R. A. Ball, Toronto; Rev. H. D. Wright, North Buxton; Rev. J. H. Edwards, Brantford; Rev. F. O. Steward, London; Rev. F. H. Jackson, Guelph; Rev. H. F. Logan, St. Catharines; Harrow and Peuce to be supplied; P. Woodcock, Niagara and Fort Erie; Rev. L. Johnson, Woodstock, Ingersoll and Stratford; E. A. Richardson, Owen Sound and Collingwood; Winnipeg, to be supplied; Conference Evangelist, to be appointed.

The Conference was divided into two districts, Rev. Stewart, Secretary of Western District; Rev. F. H. Logan, Secretary of Eastern District.

The Western District will convene in Dresden in November.

The Eastern District will convene in Fort Erie in April.

EXPERT ACCOUNTANT SPEAKS

(By the Associated Negro Press) Chicago, July—W. D. Allimona, expert accountant, formerly on the official staff of Tuskegee Institute, but now a resident of Chicago, addressed the employees of the shipping department of Rothchild and Company, department store, more than 200 in number, the majority colored, on the subject of "Personal Values in Business".

WINDSOR NOTES

Last week Rev. Dr. Jones and wife attended commencement exercises at Wilberforce University. They reported having a splendid time. Congressman Dyar, father of the Dyar Anti Lynching Bill, was the speaker.

Thursday and Friday evenings, June 28th and 29th, there was given in Tanner A.M.E. Church a "Who is Who" concert and scarf drill. Unfortunately the audience for Thursday night was small, but we were agreeably surprised to find that in the "Who is Who" we find doctors, lawyers, dentists, merchants, contractors, master barbers, etc.

Addresses were delivered by Mr. Wm. E. Walker, Mr. J. P. Bishop, of the J. P. Bishop Co., Mr. a Montear, real estate; Wm. C. Kelly, dentist; Mrs. Evonne Kirtly, the only colored woman operating a mechanical dental laboratory in Canada.

On Friday night the scarf drill given by fifteen young ladies under the direction of Mrs. Bella Moore, was excellent. The step and figures given by them could not be excelled by any.

In the baby contest, the baby of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Coates took first prize, Mr. and Mrs. L. Simpson, second, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Brown, third.

In the book contest, Mrs. Nina Jones took first prize and Mrs. Robinson, second.

Windsor and Sandwich, get in your news items to the general agent, Wm. H. Kelly not later than Sundays.

European Oil Paintings On Exhibition

(By The Associated Negro Press) Indianapolis, Indiana, July—An exhibition of European oil paintings by William T. Scott, of Chicago, formerly of Indianapolis, because of its popularity will continue in the local art gallery here several days. Much of the artist's training was received at the Julian Academy, Paris France, and with H. O. Tanner in France. His work shows a distinct individuality in color and composition. In his exhibit particularly, picturesqueness of scene and interest of color are predominant characteristics. The largest and most striking painting is "Facade Public Square in Rheims." Other subjects are "The Merry-go-round in Garden of the Tuilleries," "Brittany Smithy," "Bologne Harbor," "Beach at Dieppe," "At Barritz," Canal at Ghent," and "Bruges," and "The Quilt Maker."

TAUGHT NOT CHRISTIANITY, BUT BROTHERHOOD

(By The Associated Negro Press) Albion, Mich., July—Seven or eight years ago Parker, one of the steel manufacturers in Albion brought up from the far south 100 colored families. During the days of high prices for labor they fared exceedingly well, began to purchase houses, build two churches and to be happy. Days of famine came and Parker established Commissary Stores for them and carried them until the present days of opportunity came. Parker taught, not Christianity, but Brotherhood.

Albion established a colored school, at least there is one school in a colored neighborhood which has only colored pupils. The principal is a Prof. Robert Cable and the teachers most excellent women, one from the south and one from Michigan. Two things about this school should be known. This little colored school leads all the schools of Albion in percentage of deposits with the school savings system for 1922 and for this portion of 1923. Mattie Howard, a little Miss from Florida, leads the Junior High School in Scholarship.

EXILED KING FREED

Kabarega, an exiled Uganda King, is returning home from the Seychelles, to which he was banished. "Kabarega has existed on a small annuity paid by the British Government," says the London "Observer."

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COLORED JOCKEY WINS

(By The Associated Negro Press)

Paris, France, July—Under perfect skies, with the huzzas of tens of thousands of Frenchmen and women as well as visitors at the world's capital, Jockey Winkeld, the famous colored jockey of Kentucky, rode Bahadur the pride of French stables, to victory in the president of the French Republic stakes of 200,000 francs at the closing of the Metropolitan racing season at St. Cloud. Bahadur, who is French bred, is owned by Leon Mantocheff, a Russian, paid his backers 14 to 1.

COLORED BOXERS WIN

(By The Associated Negro Press)

Toronto, Can., July—Both Colored Boxers who participated in the Boxing tournament, held in the Coliseum last night, won their bouts. Dixie Kid, of New Orleans, and Mexican Jack Rivers fought a furious 3 rounds. At the beginning of the 4th, Dixie Kid stopped Rivers' interest in the proceedings by a right to the jaw. Jack Oakes, of Omaha stopped Cyclone Smith of Buffalo inside of 30 seconds.

BATTLING SIKI WINS AGAIN

(Special Correspondence to A.N.P.)

Siki, the noted Senegalese Battler, knocked Marcel Nilles cold in the second round of a fight that was scheduled to go 20 rounds on the night of the 8th of July.

The sudden result came as a complete surprise to the large crowd gathered to witness the contest because in the first round the white Frenchman had all the better of the contest. But Siki was evidently shamming as after taking what looked to be a terrific beating during the first minutes of the fight, he came out in the second round and quickly finished his man.

The husky Senegalese is now anxious for a return match with the Irishman, McTigue, who got the decision over him in a fight in Dublin, Ireland, during the winter. He declares he can lick the Irishman to a certainty anywhere he gets a fair shake from the referee. He naturally desires that the fight be staged in Paris should the Tigie match be made.

"Tiger Flowers" Mauls Tut Jackson

(By The Associated Negro Press)

Atlanta, Ga., July—"Tiger Flowers" mauled Tut Jackson of Court House, Ohio, all over the ring on Tuesday night in one of the best fights seen here in years. The Georgia middle-weight who recently beat Panama Joe Gans, weighed only 161 pounds, while Jackson who lost his forfeit by failing to make 175 pounds, scaled 185. No decision was rendered, it being agreed at the last moment that if both men were on their feet at the end it would be declared a draw.

Newspaper decisions, however, were all in favor of Flowers. Flowers was on the offensive in every round, Jackson electing to let the Atlantan force the issue, always with the thought of finally delivering the finisher.

Nothing but the fact that Jackson is one of the ost rugged battlers that has ever appeared in this city saved him from taking the count as early as the fifth round, for by that time he had received every legal wallop known to the profession.

In the later rounds he was the recipient of some that Tiger must have invented for this special occasion. Flowers, however, had no more chance to stop the Ohio warrior than a gnat has to bowl over Stone Mountain. Jackson, like most fighters of his type is a slugger pure and simple. He packs a right that carries murder, but the black phantom that danced in and out offered a target too elusive. Jackson spent his time brushing off taps to head and stomach and waiting for an opportunity to drive through a right that would have ended the battle abruptly.

The bout pleased the big crowd which was about evenly divided between black and white people.

REIGN OF TERROR EXISTS AT TUSKEGEE INSTITUTE

(By The Associated Negro Press)

Montgomery, Ala., July—A reign of terror exists at Tuskegee Institute! There has never been anything like it in the history of the institution. So critical is the state of affairs, that a number of the highest officials of the institution have been forced to flee for their lives.

Among those who have been forced to leave the institute grounds under threat are; Dr. Kenney, one of the best known surgeons in the country, and Superintendent of the Andrew Memorial Hospital on the Institute grounds.

John H. Cahoun, a graduate of Hampton Institute, who had been an employee in the chief accountant's office of the Institute, and who took the civil service examination recently for a position in the Disbursing office of the government hospital and was appointed, reported for duty and was threatened with his life. Friends were compelled to spirit him away under cover of night. The Ku Klux made their demonstration particularly against his appointment. He replaced a white woman.

Dr. R. R. Moton, who has been away from the institution since the trustees meeting in New York, has not returned to Tuskegee at this writing, and has been urged by his closest friends, because of ugly rumours, to remain away. This program does not suit him, however, and despite the warnings he is determined to return to the school. Mrs. Moton and the children left under advice a few days ago.

The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, with offices in New York, has been projected into the picture by sending a telegram to President Harding, calling for federal troops, since the parading of the Ku Klux. This creates a new angle that is very delicate viewed from this point, many thoughtful people believe it is difficult to see the situation clearly from New York, Chicago and other far away points. The people at the Institute, however, are determined to protect themselves and their families.

General Hines, Director of the Veterans Bureau, made a special visit to the hospital last Friday. He was met by whites from the town of Tuskegee and from Alabama who voiced their objections. He appointed a committee to work out the situation.

KILLS TO PROTECT HIS MOTHER

(By The Associated Negro Press)

Dawson, Ga., July—Joe Green, a young Negro, 12 years of age, shot and killed a white farmer named Lester Fowel last Thursday night, who attacked the boy's mother. Sarah Green, the mother of Joe, claims that Powell was beating her with a club when she called upon her children not to let him kill her. The boy, Joe, then procured the gun and shot the white man. All the Green family are in jail charged with murder.

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Better Records Than Whites

(By the Associated Negro Press)
 Birmingham, Ala., July—White people are making an inferior record for behavior here. During June more white men were arrested during the month than both men and women together of the colored race; the record shows that 1,009 white males were placed under arrest and 90 white women. 775 colored men and 142 colored women were placed under arrest. This excess of whites over blacks is possibly due, officers think, to liquor law violations, or perhaps the heat.

Ku Klux Must File List of Members

(By the Associated Negro Press)
 Atlanta, Ga., July—A bill requiring all secret organizations and societies to file a list of their officers and members and to prohibit the wearing of masks or other covering over the face or head outside the lodge room was introduced in the Georgia house of representatives today by Representative Bozeman of Worth county. The bill is aimed at the Ku Klux, but it has little chance of passing the opinion of observers here.

Large Numbers Leave Georgia

(By the Associated Negro Press)
 Atlanta, Ga., July, 1923.—228,938 Negroes have migrated out of this State during the past three years according to a report just issued by the Bankers of Georgia's Association during the past week. The acuteness of the labor shortage and the inability of the bankers to realize on their farmer's loans were the immediate causes for the investigations by the association. Discontinue lynchings and provide fair trials for Negroes in the courts," declare Atlanta Negro business men, "and migration will cease." There is a movement afoot to bring the Negro and white business interests to cooperate in an effort to remedy the evils of the present situation.

What-Not Column

Who seized the Confederate dispatch boat "Planter" in 1862?
 On May 13th, 1862, the Confederate steamboat, Planter, the special dispatch boat of Gen. Ripley, the post-commander at Charleston, S.C., was taken by Robert Smalls from the wharf at which she was lying, carried safely out of Charleston Harbor, and delivered to one of the vessels of the Federal fleet then blockading that port.

What is the first clause of the 14th amendment to the Constitution of the United States?
 Art. XIV. "All persons born or naturalized in the United States, and subject to the jurisdiction thereof, are citizens of the United States and of the state wherein they reside. No State shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States; nor shall any State deprive any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws."

Klu Klux Leaders Are Arrested

(By the Associated Negro Press)
 Springfield, Ohio, July—The growth of the Ku Klux in Ohio has been especially virulent. Formerly famous for its abolition sentiment and racial good will the state seems to have reversed sentiment and has proven a fertile field for the hooded klan. This week, W. H. Cortner, Kleagle, and 69 other members of the local klan, many of them prominent business men, were arrested as they left Ferncliff cemetery following funeral services at the grave of a brother klansman.

Arrests were made under the recent ruling of Police Judge Golden C. Davis that three or more persons appearing on the streets masked would constitute disorderly conduct. A crowd of 500 assembled in front of the jail within a few minutes after the robed klansmen marched through the main entrance. There was no disorder, although the klansmen were wildly cheered by the crowd.

Colored Surgeon Performs Operation

(By The Associated Negro Press)
 Baltimore, Md., July—A successful caesarian operation was performed by S. Bernard Hughes at Provident Hospital recently. The mother, Mrs. Manuel, 408 Dolphin Street, and her baby are living and well. Dr. Herndon White was the attending physician and he called Dr. Hughes into consultation when he found that both the life of the woman and her unborn babe might be sacrificed unless the operation was performed.

Colored Man Has Important Position

(By the Associated Negro Press)
 New York, July—George W. Harris, for a number of years a member of the board of aldermen of the City of New York, has been voted out by that body in terms of 46 to 7. The seat of Harris is given to John W. Smith, a colored Tammany Democrat, whom according to the findings of the "Committee on Privileges and Elections" in a final report, won out over Harris in the election of 1921. The Committee stated that Smith was elected by a plurality of 46 votes. An official count was necessary in the first instance to decide the election, so close was the vote; the election of commissioners finally awarded the certificate to Harris, a Harvard graduate and editor of the New York News.

The Board of Aldermen is overwhelmingly Democratic, and Harris attributes the turn of events, after so long a time, to political power of Tammany. Smith is an attorney, and President of the Pocahontas Democratic Club. Friends of Harris are urging him to become a candidate for election this fall, and he will probably run against Smith again. Harris has been independent and outspoken; has accomplished considerable for the 21st district, but not without making political enemies within his own party, Republican.

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Mr. J. W. TAYLOR, of London, Ont., who for 17 years was a faithful servant of the government. Because of failing health Mr. Taylor has asked for and obtained an indefinite leave of absence.

ODE TO CANADA.

Rise, Canada's dark children,
Ye scattered Africa's sons,
Gird up your loins and greet the dawn
In this your northern home.
Ye Islanders of Southern Seas,
Your Fathers bid you rise,
Ye freemen's sons, give thanks to God,
Let praise ascend the skies.

Chorus:

God bless thee Canada,
Land of the north
Kissed by the oceans
May you e'er go forth;
Queen of Aurora's light,
Firm stand for truth and right,
God guard thee with His might
O, Canada!

Rise, Canada's dark children,
For this your foster-land
Gave of its freedom to your sires
Who fled from slavery's hand.
Fear not children of the south,
In Canada's fair land,
Respect her laws, defend her cause,
And for the right e'er stand.

Robert Paris Edwards

SHILLINGTON-TAYLOR

At the Hill St. Baptist Church, Thursday, June 28, Muriel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Taylor of this city, became the bride of Donald Shillingford, also of London. Rev. J. T. Johnston officiated.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Irma Taylor and Miss Drake, as bridesmaids and Christopher De Weaver best man. The wedding march was played by Stanley Drake. Mrs. Hunter sang "Because". The bride carried white carnations and was followed by two flower girls dressed in pink organdie, carrying dainty baskets of roses and carnations. The bride wore a white silk crepe dress and her veil was held by a pearl head band.

The guests, numbering 75 were entertained after the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents on Nelson St. Among those present was Miss N. Brown, Detroit, wearing white crepe; Mr. C. S. Barnes and sister, of Cayuga, Ont.; Mrs. Kelly dressed in grey crepe and pink shoes and hat to match; Mrs. U Berry, grey crepe with large picture hat; Mrs. Joseph Cromwell, in embroidered silver lace over satin; Mrs. Groat in purple silk trimmed with black silk lace; Miss Mollott was dressed in a very pretty embroidered dress. Among some of the presents was an ebony toilet set, the groom's gift to the bride, electric iron, walnut serving tray, eiderdown blankets, etc.

Miss Liteborne, of St. Thomas, caught the bride's bouquet. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor will spend the honeymoon in Detroit where they will make their future home.

OPPORTUNITY FOR NEGRO NURSES

By William Pickens

(For the Associated Negro Press)

The Bellevue and Allied Hospital of New York City have decided to train Negro nurses. This is one of the best opportunities for colored young women, who have at least one year of high school training, and are between the ages of 18 and 35. It will be much better, of course, if they have a high school diploma.

The women get all their necessary living expenses from the date of entrance, and after the Probationary Period of four months, they get \$20.00 a month in addition to living expenses.

The hospital can train 72 such people, and at this writing they are in need of at least 40 more than they have. We wish to quote from an announcement the following:

"Under the laws of the Department of Education of the State of New York the minimum educational requirement for entrance to a registered nursing school is one year of high school or its equivalent (18 credits). In accepting candidates, however, the Training School gives preference to the applicant who is a graduate from high school, normal school, or college. The age of admission is from eighteen to thirty-five years. Students will be admitted in September and March of each year."

"To students who have successfully completed the preparatory course, an allowance of \$20.00 a month is allowed for uniforms and incidental expenses. The school provides textbooks, board, lodging and laundry, from the date of entrance."

Applicants may address the writer of this editorial, or better, write to Miss Anna J. Delmore, Head Nurse, Harlem Hospital, Lenox Ave., New York City.

COLORED FAIRS ARE ON THE INCREASE

(By The Associated Negro Press)

New York, July—Two years ago the colored fairs were virtually unknown beyond a very limited territory surrounding each individual fair. The summer special number of the Billboard, issued June 30, of this year contained a total of slightly more than sixty such race organizations, whose existence is known to the National Association of Colored Fairs, which organization is largely responsible for the progressive tendencies that are so evident this year.

In some small measure our fairs have learned also the value of advertising their dates and their requirements. The publicity phase has not, however, been more than scratched by the different fairs; and until the responsible officials realize that they must advertise liberally and intelligently, first for entertainment in the form of exhibits and attractions, then for patronage, their respective fairs will not achieve the maximum of usefulness and profit.

The National Association meeting, set for Washington's Birthday each year is going to prove a real instrument for improving the character and the size of Colored Fairs. The early announcement of dates will operate to attract better shows and more exhibits.

A direct outcome of the First meeting at which the H. D. Collins office was represented, has been the offering within the past week of a pair of Negro aeroplane pilots, one a parachute jumper as a free attraction. These two men, Messrs. Julian and McVey, have been flying in the vicinity of New York and on June 29, they, with their manager, Peter Jones, owner of the plane, contracted with the Collins office for our Fairs.

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