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# PROTEST AGAINST

MASS MEETING HELD AND 13. RESOLUTIONS PASSED FOR ACTION BY THE GOVERNOR.

Architect Lankford a Member of Ladies' Home Journal Architectural Staff-Former Register Lyon Visiting In The Cap New York Will Be Headital City - Colored Man Gets quarters For New Mag-Clerkship Appointment in the War Department - Mr. Whitfield McKinley Now on the Job at Georgetown. designed to play a great part in cre-

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meeting was held Monday evening at with September by the Association appointment of a campaign commit- excursion and the visitors to the Nathe Metropolitan Baptist church to for the Advancement of the Colored tee of nine members to meet Sept. 28 tional Political Convention taxed the protest against the wanton murder of People. power to bring the criminals to just tious affecting them. dron, I. N. Ross. A. C. Garner and the editor of the publication. others. A large and enthusiastic au-

dience was present. Work has been resumed on the Y. M. C. A. building.

Miss Elizabeth Cook, instruction of domestic arts at the A. & M. College, Normal, Ala., was the guest of Miss A FARMERS' PICNIC Arsine E. Jones, 1918 11th street this

Former Register of the Treasury J. W. Lyons, is in the city. He expresses confidence that the bill to reimburse the depositors of the Freed men's Bank will be passed by Congress at the session next winter. Councilman H.S. Cummings, of Baltimore, attended the banquet of the National Negro Press Association here last Saturday night.

architecture. Prof. L. B. Moore, Dean of Teach- Those who participited were: ers' College, Howard University, has Lawyers C. C. Fitzgerald and the Western University at Unindaro, No. 115, of Baltimore.

Missouri.

position in this office. His appear The proceeds amounted to \$40.50. ance there last Monday morning is said to have caused no little consternation among the bourbons in the of- THE GENTLEMEN'S RALLY. fics, but after a consultation with the chief clerk, order was finally restored and at last accounts, Mr. Stauntou The Men Get Together And Raise \$17

was stili "on the job." Mr. Whitfield McKinlay has assumed his duties as Collector of Cus- (Special to the Afro-American Ledger.) Esq , of Ohio. toms at Georgetown. D. C. He was cordially received by his subordinates all of whom are white.

### NEWS FROM WINCHESTER

Death of a Prominent Odd Fellow-Personal Notes.

(Special to The Afro-American Ledger.) kins, who have been on the sick list- i tion on Monday night. are improving. Mrs. Eugene Carter has gone to the sick list.

Harrisburg, Pa. W. Var, is visiting in this city as the Grove on the 19th inst.

### the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Joseph Fletcher, has gone to Char-BREAK AWAY ton took place at St. Paul A. M. E. Church, on last Thursday afternoon, FROM BOTH Rev. J..H. Ross, officiating. He was a prominent member of the Odd Fel-

f Baltimore, are visiting in the city.

azine In Interest of

The Race.

(Special to the Arro-American Ledger.)

ating sentiment for the race, as well

New York, August 10-A magazine

DUBOIS WILL EDIT

Myra Smith.

The largest excursion of the season, to this place came in last Sunday and brought over 300 people to spend the WOULD BE A guest of the latter's mother, BLESSING FUR THE Mrs. Wallace Strange who has been COLORED MAN

> The National Independent Political League Meets In Atlantic City-Public Sessions Held In Price Memorial A. M. E. Zion Colored Church And Large Audiences Were Present-The Proceedings Were Not Cut-And-Dried

-A Ripple Was Caused When; Prof. Du Bois' Name Was Announced For President.

(Special Correspondence.)

as to present racial questions without Washington. August 11-A mass bias will be issued monthly beginning Atlantic City, Aug. 6.-With the Suhday in August. The Pittsburg in Washington by the first meeting of first class accommodation to the limit. Negroes at Palestine, Texas, and other The magazine will be known as the the new executive committee the Among the callers during the past places. The addresses, while strong "Crisis" and will have as contributors third annual meeting of the National week at the Afro-American headand manly, were couched in conservatione of the best known writers of Independent Political League with 40 quarters were Mr. 1. H. Porter, of tive language, and resolutions were both races. From mouth to mouth delegates from many states present New York; Editor Wm. Trotter, of adopted expressing confidence that there will also be a summary of lead- ended Aug. 6, at noon, and the league the Boston Guardian; Bishop Alexthe Governor of Texas and his official, ing events, those which have some had started on the first part of its ander Walters; Mr. A L. Alford, of

Dr. W.E.B. DuBois, the sociologist. tion of 1910. Drs. S. L. Corrothers, J. Milton Wal- secretary of the association, will be and a strenuuos one with entire ab- and Mr. S. P. McDonall. of Philadel- riages but we desired to take a taxicab E. League; R.v. E. T. Addison. the editor of the publication.

The publication office will be at 20 sence of the cut-and-dried. There Mr. Judge Hail, of Washington, is that goes without a horse, but makes on the Mission of the A.M.E. chu Vesey street, in the building occu- was full freedom of speech and some spending his vacation here. pied by the Evening Post, a paper wordy contests, especially when Prof Miss Maria Lockwood, a teacher at I had telegraphed for a room in the Records. which has long been friendly to the Du Bos, head of the Niazara Move- Media, Pat is the guest of her auut. Strand Palace hotel, Dr. Robinson, ment, became a candidate for the Mrs. Grooms, 710 Arctic avenue. presidency. But harmony always Mr. W. H. Parker, of Washington Leeds, so went to the hotel, and found eventually prevailed. The two public is spending his vacation here. evening sessions at the Price Memo- Mrs. Charies Hamilton and grand- only, while the other room for Dr. dience. rial A. M. E. Zion church, where all daughter, of Pittsburg, are stopping Robinson could not be had. This is one AND DEMONSTRATION the sessions were weld, drew large at the Indiana Cottage. audiences which packed the audito- Mr. S. W. Ruthertord, general man- advertises "No tips" rium and applauted the speakers until ager and secretary of the National Now to find a room for Dr. Robinson

> was as bid as the Democratic in that ed him a reception. Rev. S. L. Corrothers, who elequeutly | Emory. denounced Pres. Taft's policies and urged defeating Republican congressman; and N. B. Marshall, Esq., junior | THE PARENTS MUST HELP counsel for the soldiers, who reviewed intimidation, unfairness, partiality, improper proposals, protect on of per-Several interesting base ball games jured government witnesses, etc., by Recorder of the Court How and, and;

W. F. S. Cook, sou of Capt. Cook, minds of the people and parents of this. I went in after a long walk, had turned from the Galilean Fisher who was hung with John Brown; Dr. | children the important duty of keep | lunch and in the afternoon I went to Convention, which was held in mended Gov. Harmon; Francis H. porting their efforts to obtain the best you are posted on this wonderful build. Dr. Harold M. Norwood, of former, on 'History of Political In- colored high school has been a suc- cutting out all historical events. Al- tice his profession. He will dependence;" Mr. E. Walling of New cess in many ways, under the leader- ready some of my friends have been 215 N. 4th street. the Colored People, who said his or consisting of courses in carpentry, it in order and let me have it. I am son and won every one of the ganization simply wanted to help Col- designing, cooking and millinery considering this wonderful offer and it , ored organizations, and that the labor- This work is commendable and should may fall my lot to comply with their by his wife and Mr. a ing classes were moving for political be supported by the people of this request. independence; and J. M. Summers, central community.

with other bodies.

Rev. L. G. Jordan, Louisville: Ser- tact with a live wire.

geant-at arms, Rev. J. F. Moreland, CALLS AT THE Atlantic City.
Vice-Presidents-Rev. Byron Gunson, Ohio; W. T. Furguson, Washington, Rev. J. H. Wiley, Providence; Wm. D. Johnson, Boston, Mass., and W. F. S. Cook. Maryland. A new constitution was adopted

PARTIES A new constitution was adopted making local leagues the units. Each state and territory has a member of state and territory has a member of the National Executive committee is director of the local work. Mrs. Givens of Louisville, being chosen for Kentucky. Boston was chosen for the 1911 con-

## ATLANTIC CITY

Tax Hotel Accommodations in the Annual

August Rush.

Bureau of the Afro-American Ledger. 1908 Arctic Avenue.

Atlantic City, August 11-The crowd here last Sunday, was the largest the city ever entertained on the first

it acquie-ced in what the southern A very fine banner was presented some of the men to see Richard II. Democrats did and that unless one of to Patriarchie No. 78 by the Leah which was being played by a young man Mite Society of the Baltimore these parties changed colored men Lodge, Household of Ruth on last named Evans. You see I am a good terence

made amazing revelations of attempt- By Sending Their Children And Supporting The Work

(Special to Afro-American.)

# MINITINIAL FINITION I

AND AMBASSADOR WHITE-LAW REID GLADLY RE-CEIVES THE "GENTLE-MAN FROM AMERICA'

Arrives In London And Stops At, A Hotel Which Advertises "No Tips."-Finding A Room For Dr. Robinson Was A Task. Attends A Performance Richard III To See How It Is Played In London-Attends Divine Service In Spurgeon's Tabernacle.

Col. J. O. MIDNIGHT.

London, England.—Here I am today in the largest city in the world, and i think it is getting time that I will have to bring my letters to an end, for it | will take a long time to publish them all unless Editor Murphy will be able to put them together.

was Saturday about 10 o'clock when we fort. got on the Midland carriage for Lon- Excellent papers were read by don. I tell you that train did do some associates will do everything in their bearing on the colored races and questions affecting them.

year's work, the congressional electric Marietta, O.: E. L. Barrett, of Media. running. Made the 198 miles in four ditions; Rev. J. W. Morris, on the colored races and questions affecting them. Pa.: Mr. William A. Ridly, a wealthy hours, and did not seem tired. When sions; Rev. F. S. Dennis, on Pa tice. Among the speakers were Rev. wno has just assumed the duties of Rawhide, Nev., we got in London there were many car- Schools; Rev. J. N. Still, on the or something like that It is a thing Sunday Schools; Rev. C. A. Willia good time just the same. We got in and Rev. J. H. Bunday, on Ohi thinking that he would spend Sunday in was preached by Rev. C.A. Wild that they had reserved the one room | Still preached to an appreciative of the first-class hotels in London, and

> Benefit Society of Washington, and was a task, because it seemed that all Rev. John Hurst. Financial Secre The speakers Thursday night were his wife, were the guests of Dr. and the hotels were crowded, but at last I Pres. A. Walters, who in his annual Mrs. N Waters, at their villa, the found him one but a short distance from Stepteau, Prof. Jordan, of Kill address declared for political emanci- Sylvester, last week After inspect where I was, and then tha was settled. College: Revs. C. H. Young, D. pation, saying the R-publican party ling the local work, the office tender- I took an upstairs car and went out Hill, F. A Seaton, A.L. Gaines. sight seeing, returning, I went with K. Bertha Hurst, of Washington; have been to one in America It was respect of the entire district. an enjoyable evening.

Returning to the hotel. I met some friends who desired to have me go out CAMPMEETINGS for a ride with them, and I accepted the invitation. It was a fine ride, and I enjoyed it very much. It was joy to get the cool breeze. Returning to the Are Practically Surrounded By hotel we had lunch, and then I went up' for a bath, getting through, I went to

sleep until Sunday morning. ers' College, Howard University. has The Ladies' Aid of Howard Chapel said this would be exposed in the next Salisbury, Md., Aug. 10.—The lead-Sunday morning we went to Spursurounded with compmeeting Colored High School at Columbia. the assistance of Miss Maggie C. Duf- ing for Foraker's return to the senate ters and the ministers of the several God preached. The church was not so Crisfield are practically forsake. denominational churches of the com- much crowded. It is not what it was On Filday night the speakers were munity hope to impress upon the at one time, and the people all realize ing and Taylor O. Wilson has I. Johnson, of Ohio, who com- ing in school their children, and up- Westminster Abbey. I am sure that risburg, Pa. Warren, E.q., editor of Detroit In- to be had along educational lines. The ing, so I need not enter into it. I am ington has come to this city York, executive chairman of the Na- | ship of Prot. Finland. Gordy, princi- after me to write a book, they say if I !, tional Association for the Welfare of pal. The industrial departments will give the information they will put has played thirteen games the

It would be hard for me to tell you Walter Wailes, oldest son of Lur H the whole Sunday experience. I went Easton, Md., Aug. 9.—The several. Governors Harmon of Ohio and De- Wailes, met with a serious accident to call on some of the dignitaries, and church services of Bethel A. M. E. neen of Illinoi-, were commended for at Jackson No. 3 saw mill, this city, even went to see the American Embascourch were well attended through- their course against lynching, har- in the box department while cleaning sador Hon. Whitelaw Reid, and he out the day last Sunday. Presiding mony among the race-rights organiza- out a saw-dust pipe under the edge- made me welcome for a few minutes. I Head of Princess Anne Acad Elder Jordan was with us and preach- tions was urged and a hearing for Rev. ing table. Walter carelessly lifted his felt that I was some pumpkins, and did ed a most excellent sermon at night. Harvey Johnson on his Texas pur- hand too high, badly sawing his hand not get to see all that I desired to see. He was unable to remain to hold quar- chase plan urged. A committee of causing the lost of his middle finger. Monday morning I started out for terly conference because he was com: seven was appointed on the 50th an. District quarterly conference was Belgium, France, Germany and other pelled to attend the funeral of. Dr. E. niversary of Emancipation to confer held at St. Paul. A. M. E. Z on churcu places. After breakfast I called a taxi-Monday evening, Rev. E. H. Carey. cab to tote me to the stable to get in The Gentlemen's rally was quite a The election of officers resulted as presiding elder, led in the usual order the carriage, but behold that fellow Prof. Frank Trigg, who have carried me to the wrong place, and past eight years been princip idith Armstead end Miss Sarah Gas- ladies tendered them a grand recep- Walters, New York; Organizer, Rev. Dr. G. W. Roberts is rendering good when I found it out it was too late to Princess Anne Academy, and the same of the princess Anne Academy, and the princess Anne Academy, and the same of the princess Anne Academy, and the pr J. M. Waldron, Washington; Rec. Sec. service and is certainly appreciated make the train, hence I had to return on account of ill health. to the hotel, and have my lunch, then succeeded by Rev. T. B. W. M. Trotter. Boston; Treas. M. W. It is reported that Postmaster Hum- take in other places. After lunch I prominent minister of The pastors of the two churches Gibbs, Ark.: Fin Sec., Rev. S. L. phrey's brother was killed at Laurel, went around to see some of the town. Conference Rev. Kiste and Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, of Cass, will give an excursion to Brown's Corrothers. Washington; Chaplain, Del., accidentally by coming in con- At 2:20 I was on the train off for Do- ing a summer course at 18. ver. I changed my ticket from second Versi y.

class to first-class, for reasons which will not explain in this letter. Belgium. I selected to go to Belgi

A man grabbed my suit case and sc toted it on the boat. I got on and loved around and found that all provision had been made for sea sickness. ple are expected to be sick when the cross the English channel, because i so choppy and always rough. Plen vessels for sickness and the like. I go a seat and called or got around me 8 Continued on page 5.

# DISTRICT CONFERENCE

Questions of Interest Affel ing Church Work In Western 'Maryland Discussed.

(Special to the Afro-American Ledge Frederick, Md. Aug. 12-The gerstown District of the A. M. Church, assembled in District Con erence, Wednesday in Quinn Chur Rev. C. H. Murray, presiding eld The district comprises eighteen tors, about thirty churches and n ly three thousand members. The conference organized by

election of Rev. David Johnson In my last letter I was in Leeds, get- retary. The opening sermon ting ready to start for London, and it borland and it borland and it borland

On Wednesday night the seri

and on Thursday night, R-v. J.

The financial reports for both th District Conference and Sun School Convention were satisfact The visitors to the conference of the A. M E. Church: Rev. C. M.P. Hill, President of the Won

## CLOSE CHURC

Meetings -- Crisfield Notes

Crisfield, Md., Aug. 11-We of as a result of which our churd

The Uristield Corkers baseb Spriggs, has returned from visit to his former home. is

### PROF. TRIGG RESIG

Poor Health-Rev. Kiah W. His Successor.

(Special to Afro-American L Princess Anne, Md, Au

The Farmers Of Montgomery County midnight. Hold An Open-Air Demonstration In Interest Of Howard Chapel.

(Special to the Afro-American.) Brookville, Md., Aug. S.-Saturday August 6. Howard Chapel M. Architect J. A. Lankford has been church celebrated its first grand picdesignated as a member of the staff nic of the season. The picnic proved would join with other men for a new Thursday evening. The presentation old Baptist and do not believe in going Rev. Murray, who is completing of the Ladies' Home Journal, and has to be one of the finest affairs in the T M Woldson on Why Colored by Miss to theatres, but I went this time, and fifth year as presiding elder of been given an assignment on the Ar history of the church which was chitectural Department. He will largely attended The proceeds were Should Be Independent in Voting;" banner was delivered by Capt. George not be considered much harm since I marked success, and with the his chitectural Department. He will largely attended. The proceeds were present eight specimens of modern for the purpose of renovating and re-

pairing Howard chapel M. E. church. returned from an extended lecture Ashbie Hawkins, of the Baltimore bar; tour in the West and Southwest. Prof. Prof. Joseph H. Lockerman, principal ed all the Brownsville inquiries and Moore is prominently mentioned in of Colored Training School, Mr. Howconnection with the presidency of ard E. Young, vice principal of Schoo

been etected elected principal of the Mrs. Alice C. Duffin, president, with congress. Many Ohioans are clamor- ers and teachers in educational mat- geon Tabernacle to hear the word of the Mrs. Alice C. Duffin, president, with congress. fin and Mrs. Sadie Howard King work- next March. Mr. W. H. Stanton, of Pittsburg, ed hard for the success of the picnic. has been appointed to a clerkship in Mr. W. II. McAbee, chairman an the office of Chief of the Signal Corps Mr. George B. Murphy, secretary War Department, and is the first col- deserve great credit for the interest ored man to be designated for such a they have taken in Howard chapel.

For The Church.

Winchester, Va, Aug. 8-Mrs. Mer-success. They realized \$118. The follows: President, Bishop Alexander of service. There are still several persons on W.C. Neill, Washington; Cor. Sec, by our people.