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W. Munroe Trotter Heads Bolting Faction at Fourth Annual Meeting

BOLTERS ABE OPPOSED TO ROOSEVELT

election of J. R. Clifford as President

(Special to The Afro-American Ledger.)

Philadelphia, June 10.—Taking their cue from the followers of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, W. Monorel Theodore Roosevelt Guardian, and five or six followers (Special to The Afro-American Ledger.) ored students lodigng in Hartley next month to name Colonel Roose- newspaperman. have seceded from the National Independent Political League and or-ganized a similar race rights securThe New England Conference of The authorities at the university begun to heighten. ing body. The split came last Fri- the A. M. E. Church came to an have always granted colored studay when Editor Trotter and several end Monday night with the an- dents access to all the privileges of other gentlemen left Zion Baptist nouncement of the appointments by the dormitory, but this year the With C. D. Hilles as chairman of young men of the race who are be- ger, "the race has nothing to fear Church, where the league was Bishop Evans Tyree. The next Southerners made such a determined holding its fifth annual session, and session will be held at Lynn, Mass. stand that the authorities wavered. dorse any presidential candidate, Rev. Dr. W. H. Thomas presided. finding accommodations on the out-

rights of the race. ing the discharge of the 167 soldiers ness.

for conversation at the meeting of Dira Brown, of Baltimore, were dents claim that they are not fullythe league Friday night. It as as- among those that attended the ser- satisfied with this arrangement. serted by some that Mr. Trotter had vices. The pallbearers were Messrs. Among the colored students stayintended deserting if the league John H. Lemmonds, Marshall John- ing in the hall are: Ralph W. refused to be dominated by him. son Philip Moore, and John Ennis. Reckling, Ralph V. Cook, Carring-It was pointed out that he was opposed to the re-election of John R. cester, Mass., was among the visi- of Baltimore; Professors H. C Clifford as president, and the Presi- tors to the A. M. E. Conference. | Scurlock, T. M. Greogry, John Lodent's friends assert that had not Mr. Trotter tried to displace him Miss Curtis, of New Bedford, Mass., and University, Washintgon. as president that he would not have entered the fight for re-election. Were the guests of Mrs. Hattie Mallory, of 101 Benedict street. Editor Trotter strongly opposed the the conference. admission of Archibald H. Grimke,
James H. Hayes, Dr. W. E. B. DuBois, and Granville Martin as Wheaton street.

Mme. Sisseretta Jones is spending a few days with her mother on
Wheaton street. members, giving as his reason that these men were all strong men and may, therefore, share in some of the honors that the members may

only Federal office-holder to speak Misses Dorothy and Sarah Chest-taining a big auditorium seating W. Anderson, of New York; and about a definite organization of ed to the piaza of Miss James' beaubefore the convention. He is a nutt, of Cleveland, O.; Messrs. R. 3,000 people, a banquet hall to hold others will be on the firing line for Liberia. These officials have since tiful cottage where they spent an strong Taft worker, and in an ad- J. Bunting, Calvin Brown, David 1,200 diners, a roof garden and Taft. mirable address scored unfair con- Richardson John Richardson, Hen- courts on two exposures of the The leaders of the Roosevetlt who had been accused of creating a ments were served. ditions which the South places up- ry Drew, Norman Jones, P. L. building are among the features. campaign will not neglect the col- ferment and taken them to Mon- Among the guests were visitors on the Negro. He declared that Wood, John E. Poulson, C. G. The building and grounds afford ored voters, and it is expected rovia, where they were awaiting from Atlanta, Ga., Kansas City, Congressman elected from disticts Sampson, R. B. Smith. B. Frank the colored people the only place that the Colonel will get a big col- trial. thrugh the disfranchisement of the Christopher, J. B. Johnson, Rev. F. in the city for big affairs, which ored vote in the North and West. The suavity of the members of N. Y., Washington, Baltimore and race, are loudest in their criticism J. Handy, Messrs. John E. Poulson, a white man does not control. of the Negro. Peonage and unfair and Mrs. R. J. Bunting, of Phila- The building and equipment will DEMOCRATS WANT COLORED land's ruffled feathers and Liberia Boston, Mass. agricultural laws were also criti- delphia, Pa.; Dr. and Mrs D. H. cost in the neighborhood of \$100,

R. H. Armstrong, and James E. A. Polk, W. B. Nelson, Ira Hall, the foresight of Gibion Young, who support that they have ever made. Churchman, who was elected na- Mrs. A. W. Claphan, and Miss has made a succes in business in At the headquarters in New York, tional organizer in place of J. Mary Clifford, of Camden, N. J.; Harlem. He is a native of Ken- it is said, several colored men will Dr. J. L. Hawkins Milton Waldron, who was elected Drs. O. M. Waller, Roland R. tucky and has a wide circle of be employed whose work will be to the same position by the bolting Johnson, E. G. Trimbell, Mr. Ray rfiends. faction, also spoke at the closing B. P. Waller, Mrs O. M. Waller, The Douglass Coal Company is Attorney James L. Curtis will di-

Rhode Island; W.D.Johnson, Massa- Brooklyn, N. Y. chusettes; Rev. W. H. Jernagan, Oklahoma; J. M. Summers, J. G. sergeant at-arms.

The officers of the seceding faction are: Rev. Bryon Gunner, New York, president; W. D. Johnson, Massachusetts, vice president; W. ponding secretary, and W. W. Wilkinson, treasurer.

#### Will Be Allowed to Vote

Richmond, Va., July 10.-For the first time in the history of this old "rebel" city, the colored voters are to be allowed to participate in the coming primary eleetion, and this regardless of former affliations. The first primary is to nominate a candidate for Congress to be folowed in September by Trotter Was Opposed to the Re-lone to nominate members of the city administrative board.

### New England

went around the corner and organ- At the public welcoming services At first the authorities said that ized another league. The bolters on the evening of the opening day, all of the colored students would declared that the leading spirits in addresses were delivered by Gover- have to vacate, and when pressed the league were at heart for Roose- nor Pothier, Mayor Fletcher, Bish- for a reason, they said in effect, for the President. velt. The older body refused to en- op Tyree, and Bishop W.H. Heard. "we have no prejudice but your

preferring to have a committee find | Rev. P. Moore Brown, who was side would make it easier for all the views of each regarding the found guilty of trying to organize concerned. We are anxious to asan Episcopal congegation while still sist you in finding such accommoda-After electing officers, the new a minister of the A. M. E. Church, | tions."

Bishop Tyree was the guest of \$100,00 Casino One man said that when the league Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Jones during

Mme. Sisseretta Jones is spend-

#### Guests at Hotel Dale

cized by him. Anderson, of Chicago, Ill.; Messrs. 000.

### Death of Mrs. Roberts

this Saturday morning.

# HARTLEY HALL

Southern Whites at Columbia With Hilles in the Saddle, Taft University Object to Colored Lodgers

WITH THEM.

dents Removed From the **Building Fails** 

Conference Adjourns (Special to The Afro-American Ledger.) (Special to The Afro-American Ledger.)

Rev. E. George Biddle, of Wor. ton L. Davis, D. O. W. Holmes, all Rev. and Mrs. L. C. Curtis and gan, and W. Robinson, all of How-

Robert B. Scott.

# BUSY THESE DAYS J. H. Atkins May Get a New Trial-

Campaigh Is Ready to Start In Earnsst

ON THE JOB

Attempt to Have Colored Stu- All Parties Will Make Strenuous Effort To Corral Colored Brother's Vote

velt, interest in political circles has She has been a teacher in the lo- Alexander Walters, who arrived in

authority that a big effort will be string of papers.

claim that the managers of the Taft some fraudulent real estate | way matters pertaining to racial there would be a reversal of the ropolitan Merchantile and Reatly will regard the races as did Grover Southern policy of the present ad- Company has been granted a cer. Cleveland. Mr. Taft started out to body adopted resolutions condemn- was reinstated by begging forgive- The matter was finally compro- ministration toward the colored tificate of reasonable doubt. He is placate the South, and we can conmised, after the colored students re- people. The stiff fight at Chicago endeavoring to sceure a new trial. fidenty expect that Mr. Wilson, a Funeral services for Mrs. Israel fused to agree to such, by their and the fact that the colored deledorsing the Democratic candidate Jackson, wife of Rev. Jackson, were being segregated on the tenth floor. gates from the South voted almost for the Presidency Woodrow Wilson. held Tuesday at the Church of the The accommodations on that floor are nomination will it is will be a man for the President's re-The bolt was the chief topic Assuptation. Mrs. Rosa and Miss regarded as excellent. The stu- nomination, will, it is said, result prominent Federal appointments in the South, and one is expected Attacks on Boundary Garrisons Draw to be announced shortly. This will be done to try to keep Colonel Roosevelt and Woodrow Wilson from getting a big slice of that element of the colored vote that has been hitherto the main-

#### stay of the Republican party. DOING MISSIONRY WORK

New York, July 12.—With the line last week, when he attended herself.

The Democrats are planning to of reforming herself. Rev. E. W. Moore, L.G.Jordan, A. W. Claphan, U. G. Claphan, C. The enterprise is the result of make the biggest fight for colored primarily among the colored voters. Mrs. Roland R. Johnson, Master one of the latest race enterprises rect the fight among colored voters Atlantic City, N. J., July 10.—

## Daughter of T. T.

Many Prominent Visitors Ih the City

New York, July 12.—Prof. R.R. Wright, of Georiga, was in the city this week. He reported that his bill for an appropriation to aid in celebrating the fiftieth anniversary OCCUPYING SAME BUILDING FEDERAL OFFICE HOLDERS of the Eamncipation Procalmation AN INTERVIEW WITH BISHhas many supporters in Congress. Bishop and Mrs. Aleaxnder Walters left Tuesday for a short stay in

> Asbury Park. Miss Mamie Sorrell, of Baltimore, is visiting friends in New York and Jersey City.

> Attorney J. Frank Wheaton, has returned from a two-week stay in Baltimore and Washintgon.

cal public schools a number of years. the city this morning. Many men who want to see Taft Rev. A. J. Carey and Thomas "From what those close to Govreclected express themselves as be- Swann, both of Chicago, were in ernor Wilson say," he told a repreing doubtful about his chances. the city this week. Among the sentative of the Afro-American Ledthe Republican National Committee, coming widely known as newspaper from his elevtion to the presidency. the Taft forces are already laying correspondents is Cleveland G. Al. He, as most men of the race do not their plans, and it is said on good len, of this city who writes for a know, has given assurances that he

made to line up the colored vote John H. Atkins, who was fined and also says that he is willing to

A Sharp Warning From Great Britain

rowly escaped chastising at the the editorial statement in a Baltihands of England recently. The more weekly that Vardaman and work of England and France in de- other members of the committee limiting the frontier angered a sec- on resolutions bad treated them To Recorder of Deeds, Henry tion of the population. Attacks with contempt when they asked for Lincoln Johnson will fall a large on the English and French garri- the insertion of a race plank in the share of the missionary -work sons, the removal of the boundary party platform. He says that his To Open Next Week among colored voters, especially posts and other acts caused Eng- delegation was treated with every those who are disposed to vote land to send a warning that if order courtesy. (Special to the Afro-American Ledger) against Taft. He is a good mixer was not preserved she would be and showed up to advantage in that obliged to interfere and do the job

formal opening within the next ten the sessions of the National Inde- The embassy at London got busy Wianno, Cape Cod, Mass., July 12 days of Young's Casino, 134th St. pendent Political League at Phila- and pointed out that Liberian -Summer visitors to this resort and Park avenue, New York will delphia. Assistant Attorney Gen- things were in a mess; that the were elaboratey entertained at the Cape May, N. J., July 8.—The have the most costly casino and eral William H. Lewis, James A. offensive acts complained of had home of Miss Georgia E. James, of following persons are guests a Ho- park run by the race anywhere in Cobb, Register Napier, W. C. Mat- occurred before the American offi- Baltimore, Md., on the Fourth of Henry Lincoln Johnson, Recorder tel Dale this week:

of Deeds at Washington, was the Mrs. Chas. W. Chestnut, and the A handsome brick building conformassachusetts; Collector Chas.

this country.

A handsome brick building conformassachusetts; Collector Chas.

Constabulary and generally bring works on the pier the guests repair

is to be given another opportunity

Defeoted for Commissioner

J. R. Clifford, Martinsburg, W. Barette Johnson, Misses Bernice here. It has connections direct with in the East, andhe will have the as. Dr. P. L. Hawkins was defeated for Va., president; Rev. J. H. Wiley, Trimbell, and Edith Brayxton, of the coal mines and a track of the sistance of Robert N. Wood, head one of the five commissionerships L. and N. railroad runs into the of the New York United Colored yesterday, receiving the lesat numyards of the company at Jackson Democracy,; Cornelius A. Hughes, ber of votes polled by any candiand Knapp streets.

J. Frank Wheaton, Ferdinand Q. date. He made a strong fight, how-Burrell, vice presidents; Abel P. New York, July 11.—Mrs. Mol- The board of directors is com- Morton, and other leading spirits ever and a number of prominent Caldwell, Philadelphia, correspond- lie Roberts, wife of Dr. F. P. Rob- posed of the following well-known among the Colored Democracy of men, including Henry Lincoln Johning secretary; Jas. L. Neill, Wash- erts,; of 248 W. 53 street, died citizens: W. T. Merchant, presi- New York; Napoleon B. Marshall, son and Thomas L. Jones, both of ard of Manitoba Ca. was one of the ngton, recording secretary; Rev. at her home Tuesday night after a dent. G. P. Hughes, J. A. Emer- of Washington; James W. Howard. Washington, spoke in his interest, winners on the first day of the Olym-James E. Churchman, New Jersey long illness. Funeral services will son, E. D. Whedbee, T. T. Haw- of Harrisburg. Pa., and James A. The defeated candidate is a brother pic games. He is regarded as one organizer, and John Clinton, Jr., be held at St. Mark's M. E. Chruch kins, H. E. Hall, J. F. Gray and Ross, of Buffalo, the later having of John R. Hawkins, financial sec- of the best athletes on the American charge of the work in the West. retary of the A. M.E. Church.

## Fortune a Bride RACE HAS NOTHING TO FEAR IN WILSON

(Special to The Afro-American Ledger.) Has Giyeu Assurance That He He Will Do As Much As Other Presidents

OP WALTERS

Democrats Will Have Large Colored Following at Coming

Election (Staff Correspondence.)

a big, but fruitless kick against col- party, which will meet in Chicago of T. Thomas Fortune, the veteran of the race should he be elected President is the opinion of Bishop

> will do nothing against the race, Southerner by birth and a Northerner by adoption, will try to placate the North. The growing intelligence of the race and the increas-At Little Liberia ing liberality of views on the part of many white men make it most certain that Democracy will at length have quite a following among colored people, and there is no better time for us to begin than

London, July 11.—Liberia nar- The bishop also strongly denied

#### Baltimoreans at Cape Cod

#### Jay Gould at Saratoga

-New York Sun. | Saratoga Springs, N.Y., July 9-Jay Gould, well known throughout. sporting circles in this and other eastern sporting centres, is rusticating at his place after having spent sometime visiting in Canada.

> It is reported that Mr.Gould won large sums of money on the recent Johnson-Flynn fight at Las Vegas, New Mexico, betting 2 to 1 that Johnson would win inside of 15

#### An Olympic Winner

Stockholm July 11.-J. A. How-