Heroes of Fort Wagner Hear Stirring Addresses at Old Faneuil U-11 maii.

"You will get your rights when you take them. You will not take them until you are fit to take them" 'said Albert E. Pillsbury, a Boston lawyer and defender of the Negro race, addressing the hundreds of Negroes who thronged Faneuil Hall last night in celebration of the 50th anniversary of the battle of Fort Wagner. In that pattle the 54th and 55th Massachusetts volunteer regiments, Negro troops, suffered terrible losses, and Col. Robert Gould Shaw, their leader, was killed. "No friend of the Negro," con-

tinued Mr. Pillsbury, "advises them to look to the white men for When the Negroes have developed a get-together-feel ing, however, they will get their rights. At present they do not act as one individual, but as several. Ten million Irish or Jews would not stand for the iniquities but would work as one man, and if until then."

several minutes.

a veteran of the battle at Fort necticut G. A. R. and the Rev Wal-Wagner, stirred the audience in ter MacClane. saying: "We don't want social equality. We do not want laws that will tell us into whose parlor

ed the distinction between white several addresses detailing the work and black as shown in the South by that the association is doing. the jim crow'cars and in the North The colored citizens of Buffalo, by separate restaurants, hotels and N. Y., held a massmeeting Monday institutions. Even here in Boston night and adopted a resolution ask- will also meet. there is a separate settlement house ing the Perry Celebration Commit- The present officers are: Charles

for the Negroes." Introducing Councillor James A. honor the Commodore. Watson, another speaker, Mr. Trotter, expressed his resentment at Wesley Matthews, a salesman in Rev. O. P Dickerson, Barclay, Gov. Foss's neglect to attend a meet a S. Louis piano house, is trying to Md., grand prelate, Ambrose Ross, ing held previously in the day. win a \$200 diamond ring, which grand master of exchequer; A. B. "Mayor Fitzgerald," he said, will be awarded the salesman sell- Brown, Ridgely, Md., grand "was unable to appear tonight, ing the highest number of pianos master-at-arms; Augustus Prestand he sent substitute, the Hon. before September 1st. James A. Watson. I thank him for that and for having the flags on the public buildings at halfmast during the day. When he sent two veterans of the 54th and Business League will be held here 55th regiments to escort Gov. has been arranged. M. M. Lewey, Visitors to Afro-American Office street of the Shaw Memorial monu-ment, this afternoon, however, he will preside. refused, and did not even send a substitute to represent the state Emergency Baptist officially. He said he had a sore

The meeting opened with the 'assembly' sounded on a drum by The first annual session of the Maj. Alex. H. Johnson, who was a Emergency Baptist Association drummer boy in the 54th regiment, came to an end last Friday night and who was the model for the lead- at Morning Star Baptist Church, ing drummer boy in the group of West Saratoga street. A large soldiers on the Shaw Memorial.

THOSE WHO SPOKE Following an invocation by the iliary will be organized at Psalm-Rev. Samuel A. Brown of St. Mark's ist Baptist Church, Riggs avenue Congregational Church, speeches and Woodyear street, next Wednes- is reported. Quarters will be prowere made by William H. Jackson, day night. A Sunday School Con- vided there in for the Home of the Lieut. William H. Dupree, of the vention will be organized at Anti- Good Shepherd. 55th regiment; Councillor James A. Watson, the Rev. E. George Burt G. Wilder, M. D., a surgeon for the 55th regiment; Maj. Wesley J. Furlong of the 54th regiment

and Albert E. Pillsbury. climax of a series of meetings held veterans of the two original regi-ments stood bareheaded on Beacon Other public places street before the statue for nearly from New York and Pennsylvania to attend the ceremony.

The principal speaker was Rev. vast difference," he said, "be-tween Gov. John A. Andrews and samples to Gov. Eugene Noble Poss. The difference is as great as the flight of an eagle."

wreath, presented by Miss L. A. Ophey, was placed on the figure of



DR. CHARLES H. FOWLER

Who was reelected Grand Medical Examiner of the Knights of Pythias at their session in Cambridge this week. Dr. Fowler, in his report, urged that more attention be paid to cleanliness and santary conditions in the home and lodgerooms. that the Negroes have put up with,

necessary pull down the govern- Col. Shaw by C. S. Winter, Jr. ock Baptist Church early in Sepment When you have learned that Other speakers besides the Rev. tember. lessen your cause is won, and not Mr. Davis were M. F. Hunter, The present officers are: Revs. Rev. W. H. Thomas, of the Charles Junius Gray, president; R. T. Wind, Mr. Pillsbury, as he finished, re- Street A. M. E. Church, Frank T. Williams, vice presidents; A. ceived applause that continued for Sanborn, Israel H. DeWolfe, Rev. B. Callis, secretary, and C. B. Mr. M. A. N. Shaw, Commander Jones, secretary. Previously Rev. E. George Biddle, William H. Douglass, of the Con-

WEST. al Association for the Advancement of Pythias Eastern and Western harsh hair more pliable, glossy and William Monroe Trotter, presid- of Colored People, was in Minneapoing officer at the meeting, protest- lis this week, here he delivered

next week. An elaborate/program editor of the Florida Sentenel,

number of delegates attended the session and over \$600 was raised for mission work. A woman's aux-

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to Hold Session. Rev. Dr. M. C. B. Mason, cor- annual session of the Maryland and Ford's Hair Pomade, the old, reliable Hemispheres, will be held here

next Wednesday and Ihursday. Among the prominent visitors expected is the supreme chancellor, The Grand Council of Calanthe Chicago, Ill.

tee to in clude the race in its plans to Horsey, Middletown, Del., grand Mme.L. C. Parrish chancellor; Elwood Little, Middletown, Del., grand vice chancellor, widge, Baltimore, grand keeper of records and seal; W. S. Murphy, Jacksonville, Fla., July 25.—The annual meeting of the State Negro Business League will be held here Isaac Gleaves, grand outer guard.

Among the callers at the office of the Arfo-American Ledger this week were Rev. Norman W. Brown, of Norfolk, Va.; J. C. Overton, Association Meets of Petersburg, Va.; C. C. Thomas, former resident of Providence, R. I., and W. C. Nelrock, of Norfolk, Va.; The last named is buyer for Charles Carter, tailors an haberdashers of Norfolk.

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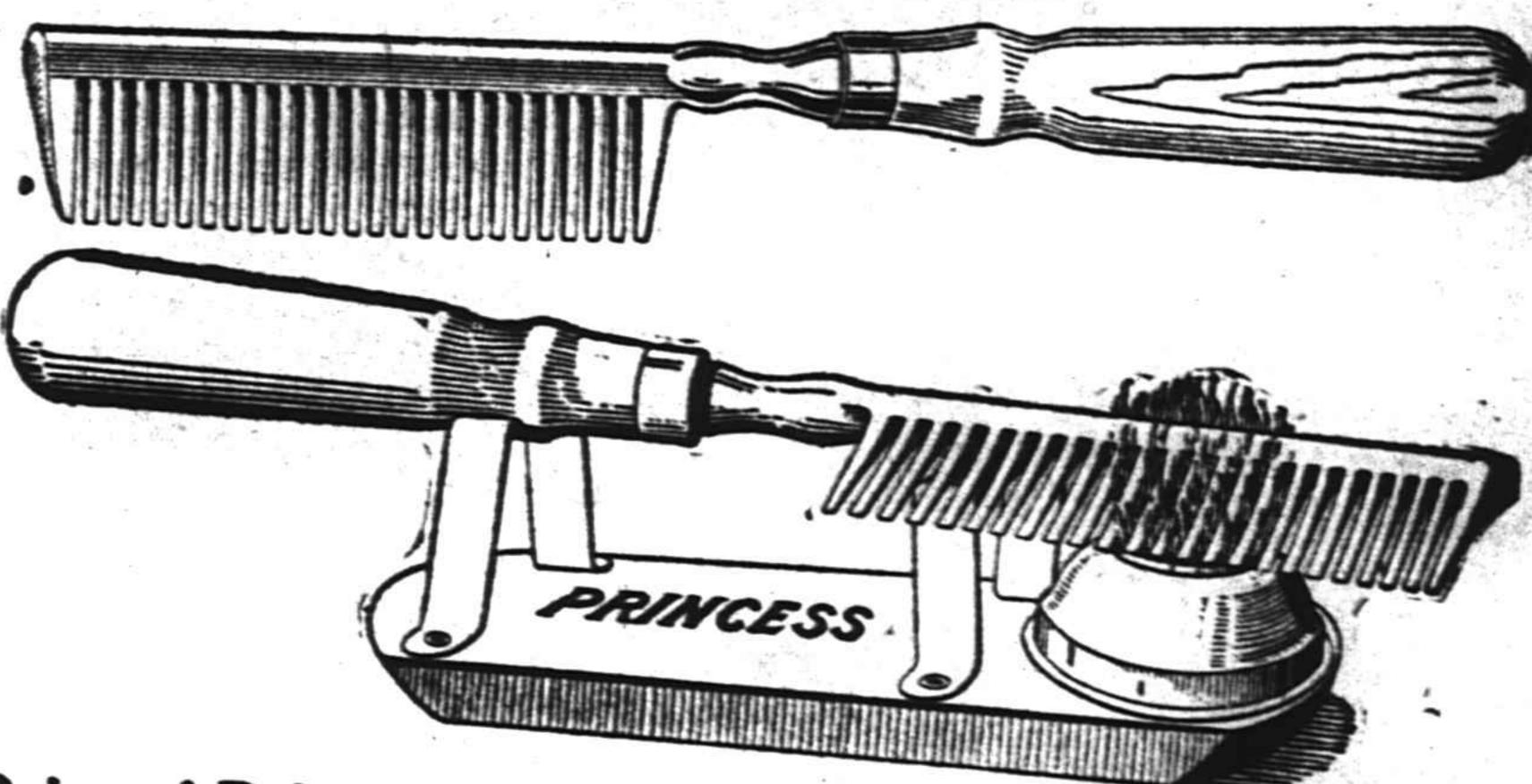
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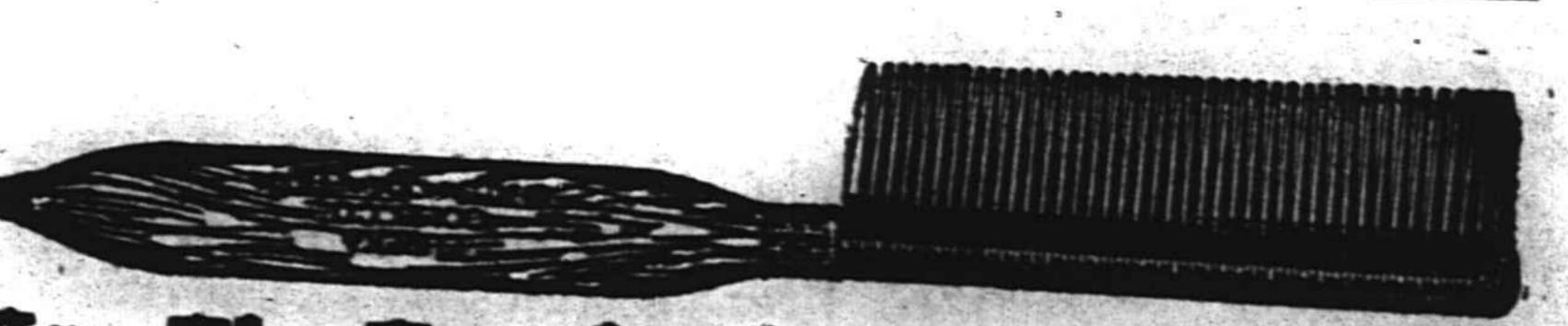
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