R. WEST TALKS

Jares He Is Not Ready Let To Take Up Question "Of Asst. Supt.

thousand colored chilof the city await the nine o'clock bell next Tuesday morning than a razor in a duel in a house announcing the opening of the at 34 North Spring street, last; ablie schools for another term. Registration for the first week

considerably over this figure. Buildings in many sections of e city are being made ready this on their rivalry in a friendly way. Boardopurchased the dwellings at then they returned to their Spring schools, repeating accusations

taken brief vacations following Friday the two men got into an in the hands of superintendent of their attendance at the summer argument and Oliver ordered Clasthe schools, and as long as I am school. There are several changes sen out of the house. faculties of the elementary As far as can be learned, Classen hand of the superintendent. French. It was not known Wed- the Northeastern district.

Dr. West, new Superintendent of wards gave himself up. Schools in place of Mr. Koch, an- Classen was taken to St. Joseph 1919 to hang, will hang September week with a good attendance. nounced this week that he is much Hospital, and the attending physi- 10, 1920, unless President Wilson er in favor of extending the vocation- cian reports although seriously grants a respite. The murderess son al work in the colored schools as hurt, he may recover. Mrs. Oliver was sentenced June 7, at which coming at Lorely, a.d., Sept. 5th. Hè had not been able has not yet been arrested. he declared, to establish a Junior colored high school, or to A PRIMER FOR take up the matter of appointing a colored assistant superintendent in charge of colored schools. Principals will be at from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. Friday and Saturday of this week to register

answer questions of parents. DID NOT

Tenth Warders Defer Action Until Next Tuesday Night, Atwood

And Knickman Speak

meeting of a number of try? Color? Precinct or election St., N. W., have returned from a sick is much better. apoint voters of the 10th Ward District in which applicant resides? visit to Lynchburg, Virginia. conday night, when he charged County or City Legislative District Mrs. Rosie Henry, of 1725 11th that the colored voters of this city in which applicant lives? State? street, accompanied by Mrs. E. Bellevue, Md., Sept 9-The choir had been vainly expecting a fair Whether a qualified voter? Date Porter, of Memphis, Tenn., has of Asbury A. M. E. Church, Chester, treatment from white Republicans of Application for registration? returned to her home from a visit Pa., under the leadership of Wm. H. The meeting was held at 1416 E. time to vote and some people are Winans. Madison street, and both W. O. At- advising an independent spirit I am The Amphion Glee Club of Bal- evening, August 29th at St. Luke M.

didates spoke. Duke Stewart brought out Mr. our first love or is it advisable at ecilton, Md. September 9-The and C. Bell, Mrs. E. Delph, Mrs. M. Price's criticism when he eulogized this particular time to forsake the Republicans and wanted the party that has always done the hibited at Union Bethel Church was a fine production and a grand success. Rev. John T. Bond and all reported a delightful time and extends to the residents of ras referred until next Tuesday offers no inducement, but after family moved from Worton to the tend many thanks to the residents of when a permanent organiza- election day has so often sought to parsonage at Cecilton and Monday Bellevue for their kind hospitality. John Brown was elected tempor- guaranteed us by the constitution. received.

LOOKING FOR

TRAIN HERO Mrs. Chissell next week. Engineer

unconfirmed story about a live the Afro. worker at Mount Clare, who apped his coat around his head d tried to save the life of a white is being told by brakemen or e Baltmore and Ohio Railroad. It happened Wednesday, when a Miss Geneva E. Harper is spending contract marriage. There is no secomotive at Mount Clare explod- the late summer in Hartford. New Mrs. Robert Brown of Havre de scattering oil and burning seven was accompanied as far as New York Grace will please refrain from men-William Cousins, 1528 Carter Master Lloyd A. Harper is spending us william Ballard, 708 Tyson some time in Wilmington, Del., with to the Afro. reet, neand John Hamilton, 828 his uncle. Hampson street, were among those Mrs. Rachel Wright and daughter.

Cousins, when approached by a was buried from St. James A. M. E. representative of the AFRO-Church. Rev. F. L. Hertzfeld, the AMERICAN at Franklin Square pastor, and Rev. Charles Johnson, Hospital Thursday, where he was Mt. Zion Baptist Church, officiated. The deceased was well beloved by old for burns about hs face, neck, and young and was an asset arms and chest, said the survived by a faithful with nes so enveloped him that he daughters and one son, besides to not see anyone perform a grandchildren. roic act. He admitted, however at he had been told that such

John G. Baker, white, independent candidate for Congress in the ourth District, asserted that therad such a rumor, and, if the man should receive rnegie Hero Medal.

GREENSPRING

Washington

ing His Home

Near Tragedy Protect-

cover From Gash In

The Head

the public schools last year ability of Clarence Classen, 30 howed an attendance of 11,286 years old, to realize that his rival It has resulted in the crowding of Southside, had as thei guests Southside, had as thei guests Southside, had as their guests Southside, had a guest Southside, h

Classen did not believe the Mr. Smith was sharply replied + Teachers are also ready for the couple were married and still con-by the president of the board, who work, many of them having tinued his attentions to Mrs. Oliver. said: "That the matter was now

schools, and at the high school then secured a razor and made , Chief Justice Smyth, of the Dis- services at Fallston. Md. Charles Woodford has been ap- after Oliver who grabbed an axe trict Court of Appeals has refused pointed teacher of machine work and let him have it. Glassen was a petition to carry the suffrage w and mechanical drawing, and Miss left for dead on the floor where he issue to highest tribunal for de-Paula Ray, teacher of English and was discovered by a patrolman of cision until after November elec- her home in Philadelphia. After striking the blow, Oliver went to work as usual, but after-

ducted by Mrs. Augusta T. Chissell, their annual picnic at the Zoologi- Winfield Richardson, a member of the Colored Women's cal Park last Friday. A large spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Suffrage Club of Maryland, for the number attended, and the kiddies David Gwynn and family. new pupils, issue transfers and benefit of women who wish to in- had a dandy time. form themselves in regard to their newly acquired duties and priv- day in the Nation's Capital" was Union Chapel and Monkton schools. ileges as voters and citizens. Ques: Dunban Gamma at the Baltimore after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Brown and Mr. Wayman ENDORSE G. O. P. rected to Mrs. Augusta T. Chissell. care of the AFRO- AMERICAN.

wood, regular Republican candi- thinking of supporting the Demo- timore, will appear at the local E. Church and a musical concert at "Y" 12th Street Branch Sunday at Gardner's Hall. So successful was the

candidate, were there. Both can- ANSWER. Here the question naturally arises, should we cling to remove those rights and privileges the 30th, he and family were cordially

ary president and Charles Stewart. It seems to me of the two evils Sunday was communion day and Chase, Md. September 9-Mr. Glendi the Republican party is certainly quite a few worshiped with us all Scott of Washington, D. C. was home

Congratulates Afro.

'Afro on its 28th anniversary.

HAVRE DE GRACE

These men were at work Miss Georgie Jones have returned from

the track as the locomotive a pleasant trip to Virginia. Mr. Isnac' Jackson, an old resident

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schools to the board for its ap- and Mrs. George Carter.

with other cities has Mrs. Isalah Johnson. as the population has increased; consequently, we are consituation has affected the educa-

It has resulted in placing Children week, and will be the guest schools on part time, thereby de- Somerset, for several weeks. priving them of a full day's edu-With the natural increase William Oliver had actually beaten 45 or even 50 pupils into a single evening for dinner a motoring process. ad the enrollment of children in him out by marrying Miss Martha class room under one teacher. The consisting of the Misses F

During the summer Hill to steal away with him to Rev. eastern Citizen's Association re- Catherine street, have returned from nonths walls were freshened and J. A. Barnes, 1315 E. Monument newed attack on Roscoe C. Bruce, a very enjoyable camping and fishing wood work painted. The School street, where they were married, assistant superintendent of colored to

in this chair no one will force the

victed of murdering a woman here her parents. time a respite was granted by the Mrs. Josephine Davage and daughter of Justice until have returned from Atlantic City. August 9th, a second respite was Misses Helen Davage has returned granted until September 10.

The Sunday School of the Peoon- ples Congregational Church had Mrs. Samuel Richardson and Miss Mamie Chatman and Frances A colored photoplay entitled, "A Hawkins have been reappointed to home." Monday evening.

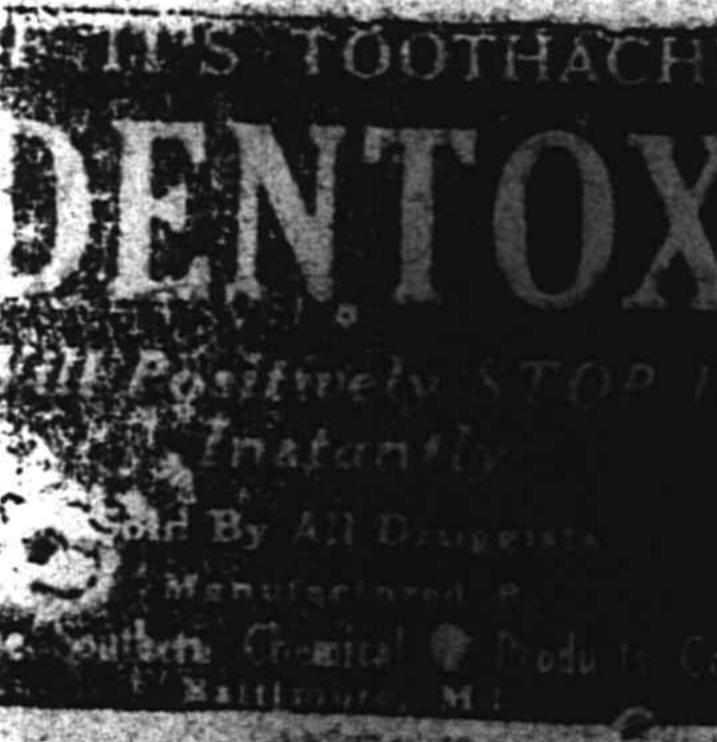
Mr. Jas. M. Mahoney, of 1541 T tournament at Glenarm Sept. 15th. street, N. W., has returned from a Mr. Amos Harvey i on the sick list. to Cambridge last Friday "What question visit to Ridge, Md., where he atwill be asked men on registration tended St. Peter Clavier annual part of her vacation in Atlantic City. entertainment. ANSWER. Residence? Name in Mrs. Gratel Davis and little Preachers' Meeting on Monday. Daniel Price threw a bombshell full? Age? Party Affiliation? Coundaughter Josephine, of 1463 Small Mr. John Cromwell, who has been

QUESTION. As this is my first to relatives in Baltimore and Mt. Gardner, who is a product of this

Should a woman register as an with an airplane and quite a few Mrs. Mabel Johns was in Baltimore Sunday afternoon a number of per- Mr. Howard Brown was in the city sens motored over to Oliver Hill to on business.

Frederick, Md. Md. She does not take any trips Thomas Green. with her husband, Robert Brown of Havre de Grace. The courts have Havre de Grace, Md., Sept. 9th .- not given either party the right to using my name in his futue reports

BESSIE BROWN, 417 West Biddle St.



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the public only after a thorough proof of its

WILL NOT BEISTER THE GUMS

Mrs. L. B. Neil of Washington, D. C., at Buffalo and Niagara Fall, N. Y.

Mr. George Carter spent Sunday in

Bundy of East Somerset, will have of the District of Columbia. This her guest this week, her sister, Mrs. S. C. Thomas of Tyrone, Pa. tion of the children in two ways. Kansas, is expected in the city

the reception of the On August 26th, Oliver got Miss journ Geo. C. Smith of the North Mr. and Mrs. George. N. Folster of

LONG GREEN

Md., Sept. 9-Rev. W Baker preached at Mt. Zion Church

Josephine Berry, who was con- to Germantown, Pa., after a visit

es Alberta Boston and Mildred Johnfrom a visit to friends in Virginia. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wheatley Mrs. for the North Carolina

The Knights of Pythias will give a Miss Ardilla Harvey will spend a the dance. Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Baker attend-

date for Congress, and Dr. Walter cratic ticket, what think you?— "Y" 12th Street Branch, Sunday at affair on Monday night that a short concert was given on Tuesday night

On behalf of my many customers Randall at 3 P. M.

Bond filled the pulpit for Rev. Rev. Thomas of Baltimore visited Mrs.

E. Hoke who is slowly improving the annual meeting. Rev. John T. Mrs. Edmonia Burrell and M E. Hoke who is slowly improving at the frome of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mrs. Robert Brown resides at Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Ford, and Mrs. K. E. BRUNER. 417 W. Biddle street, Baltimore, Lillian Bailey visited Mr. and Mrs.



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Jr., and Mr. Nelson Harris, of Vir-cobra-de-capello is at once un-stomach, were covered with the thought suddenly struck me, and Miss Bertha L. Webb and Miss Meta pleasant and dangerous, and the cold, scaly proportions of the rep- with a quick impulse which I could be cold, scaly proportions of the rep- then ascribe to nothing short A. Redden, of Baltimore after spend- idea of having one of these repand a couple of weeks at Easton and sation of shuddering repugnance. "What Sallsbury, Md., left Wednesday for Yet such a thing has occurred, and made up of abhorrence, dread, and Lascar!" "Sahib" was the instant Mr. and Mrs. Julius Fisher of East the man lived to tell his experience. speedy death that must follow any beat quicker at the success of Crange, N. J. are visiting her parents The cobra-de-capello of India and movement on my part I can never attempt, I lay still again, for the

Buffalo and New York City, Miss Georgia Pritchett has return- alone. ed after a very pleasant trip to Phila-Dela, where she will take charge of with a suggestion of blue under-ness becoming gradualy (so it better to start up at once and

The Villiage Camp has begun Mrs. Woodley and daughter Pear are visiting out of town. Mr. Theodore Poney home from Philadelphia Atlantic City, after a delightful tirp. told, but the following thrilling ex- and I felt, to my increased dismay, tinct accents which arise from to

Mrs. Katie Blackwell is in Washing Ars. Harriet Turner is improving Mrs. Mattie Wingate left for Balti-

more after spending a week here.

at night was Missionary Raily Friday as the guests Mrs. Charles Boston. Mr. Howard spent three days in town.

Mrs. Wilmina Lewis and daughters have returned from Atlantic City after spending sometime there. Mr. Bosley, of Baltimore is visiting his sister Mrs. Elijah Truxson.

Mrs. Sarah Horner spent the weeks end with her daughter Cora Chase. Miss Marrie Bailey is Mr. Joseph Thomas returned home last Sunday from Chester, Pa Mr. Pliny Lewis, of Chester, T The lawn parties given at Mr. Dora | was a thick, heavy, cold, creeping Miss Beulah Myers has returned to Bailey, Mrs. Wheeler, Mrs. Triblett, week were a success.

went through it, is probably to agitate my limbs!

here that if the eyes of a watcher are til all was again quiet. Had its steadily fixed on the countenance time the slumberer will be sure to start up-wakened by the mysterious magnetism of a recondite Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fisher are principle of clairvoyance, so it was that, with shut eyes and drowsed NEGRO YEAR BOOK conferred upon me to detect the living from the presence of danger near me, to see, though sleep-blind the formless shape of a mysterious horror crouching besides me: and, , thing upon my chest, I stirred not. nor uttered a word of panic. Danger and fear may occasionally

culties, but they more frequently

sharpen both, and ere I could wink

aware that, coiling and coiling it- would have been over, but appar self up into circle of twists, an ently it was once more asleep, as A story from Barbadoes Times enormous erpent was on my breast. presently I heard the Lascar mon When I tell you that the whole of ing about undoing the fastening An adventure of any kind with a my chest, and even the pit of my of the tent and striking a light.

tiles as a bed fellow creates a sen-been one of considerable size. so providential I uttered, in a low my thoughts were—so but sepulchral tone: Ceylon is the most deadly of all hope to tell in language sufficiently reptile, evidently roused, made home after visiting the following venomous snakes the natural mor- distinct and vivid to convey their movement, and its head, as I supfull force. It was evident the pose fell on my naked arm. loathsome creature had at length God! the agony of that moment thousand human beings in India settled itself to sleep; and I felt when suppressed tremor almost thankful that attracted by my gave way to madness! breath, it had not approached the with myself whether I should again

came quite still, and its weighty the Kulasi or remain slender and of a brownish color, pressure—its first clammy chill- quiet, or whether it would not neath. When angered or excited seemed to me) of a burning heat, shake the disgustful burden from and about to strike, the cobra lifts and the odious, indescribable odor me. But the latter suggestion A third of its length from the which exhaled from its body and at once abandoned, because o' ground and spreads the nuchal pervaded the whole air so over- assurance I felt that it would proribs until the neck expands into a whelmed me, that it was only by a fatal; impeded by the heavy confi appearance. Numerous stories of from shricking. As it was, a cold less from excitement, I could by exciting adventures with cobras in sweat burst from every pore, I escape its fangs. Again, therefore lowland jungles have been could hear the beating of my heart I spoke with the hollow but

"It will awake," thought I, "and agh. (Lascar, a lantern!) "Lati "I might have slept some four the nall is over." At this juncture, own Sahib!" (I am bringing t or five hours, and a dreamless and something, it might have been a sir.) There was then a sound satisfying sleep it was; but certain wall-lizard or a large beetle, fell clanking metal-light, advancing it is-let sociologists say what they from the ceiling upon my left arm, flashes across the roof of the ver. will, and skeptics throw doubt by which lay stretched at my side. anada, and at the noise of handfuls on the assertions of meta- The snake uncoiling its head, coming steps, lo! one after anoth physicians—that, before I awoke, raised itself, with a low hiss, and its terrible coils unwinding the and in my dreamless slumber, I then, for the firt time, I saw it, grizzly monster gilded away from had a visible perception of peril— saw the hood, the terrible crest my body; and the last sounds the consciousness of the hovering glistening in the moonshine. It struck my sense of hearing were presence of death! How to was a cobra-de-capello. Shading "Ya illahi amp!" (Oh God, , describe my feelings I know not; my eyes to exclude the dreadful snake) of the Lascar: for I fainted d but, as we all have read and heard spectacle, I lay almost fainting, un-away for the first time in my life

perience, related by the man who that the palsy of terror had begun throat when the speaker is afrage to move a muscle: "Kulassie, Chi

broad shell-like hood of terrifying severe struggle I preserved myself of the creature, weak and nem week

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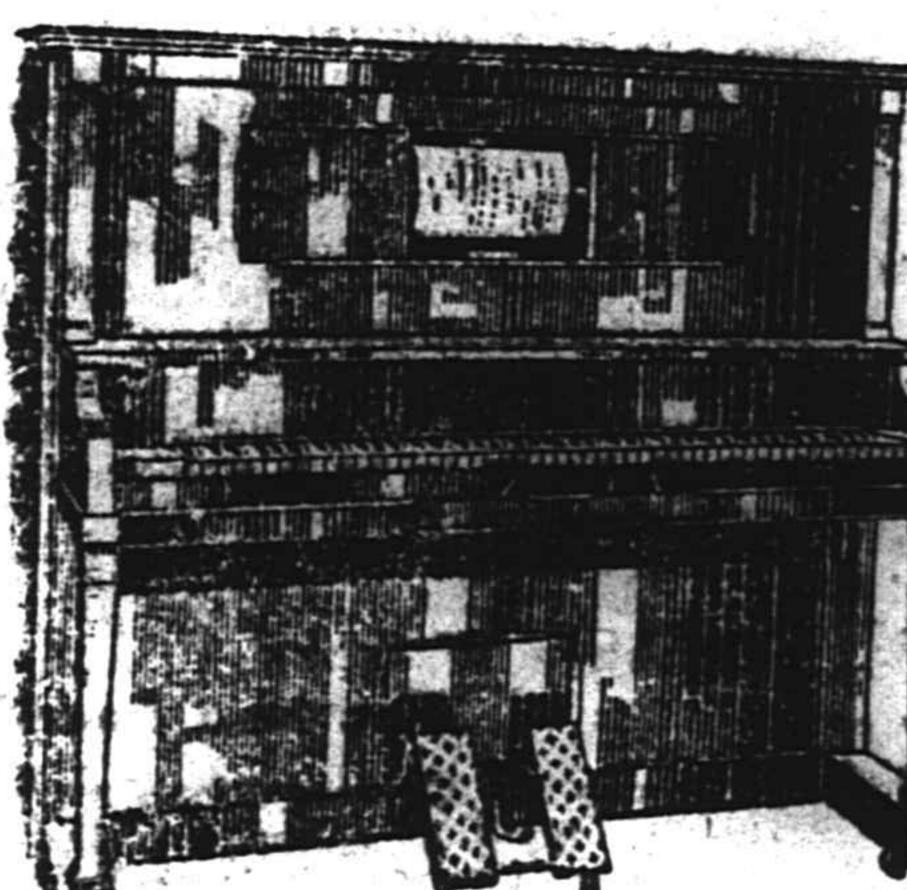
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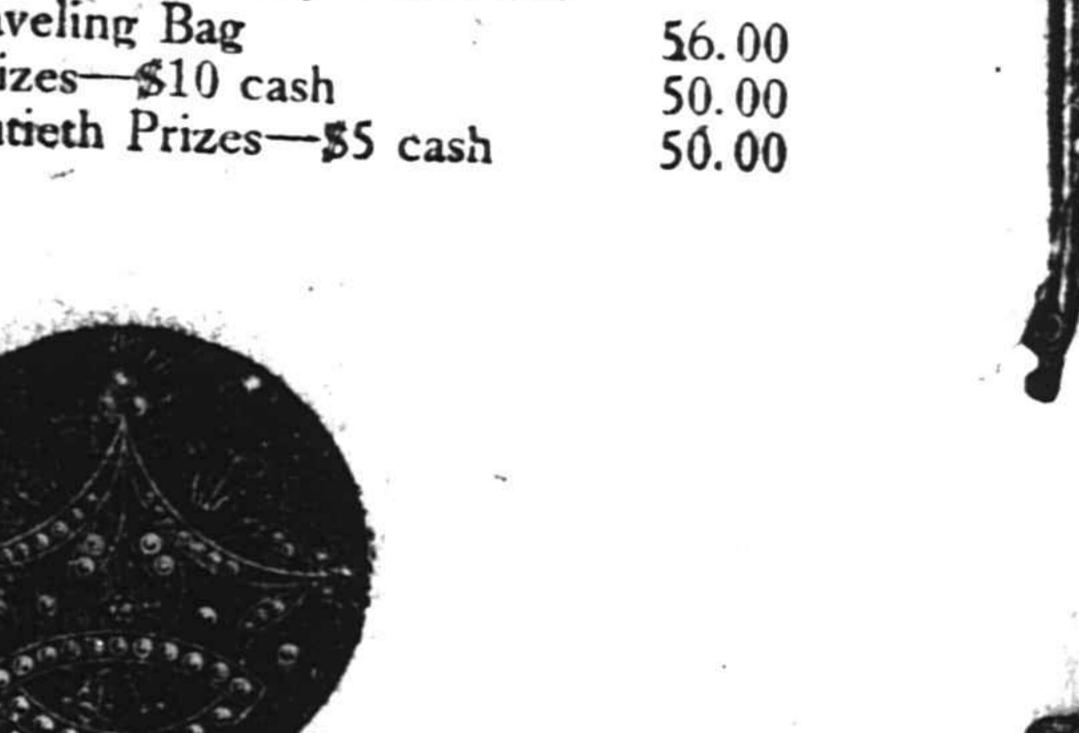
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