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UNIA IS SOLE VOICE OF A STIRRED RACE

A Determination to Press Forward to the Pinnacle of Human Progress

Fellowmen of the Negro Race, Greeting:

There comes a time in the life of every race, or history of every nation, when a decisive stand must be taken for the preservation and good and well being of that race and nation.

The world is in a state of re-organization wherein each and every group of the great human family seeks an expression of its own will.

It is in such a competition that the Negro is called upon this time to play his part. We must as a people decide for ourselves now, whether we shall go forward or backward in the competitive program of races and nations.

Once upon a time our race indulged in the security of human charity and sympathy, but today the world is void of these kind attributes, and we are forced either to do for ourselves or die in being relegated to the scrap heap of humanity.

Shall the Negro Be Exterminated?

This is the calamity of extermination that faces the Negro, and it is for that that the Universal Negro Improvement Association is organizing the world over, so that through the united course we can so settle ourselves as to ensure our permanent existence.

The cry of Africa for an autonomous place in the world is becoming louder and louder. The echo has reached the remotest parts of the world, and now men, races and nations are thinking more than ever before of the possibilities of a new African nationality.

Many have thought us crazy and unreasonable in declaring for Africa for the Africans at home and abroad, but the principle of an independent African nationality for Negroes is not one that has been originated by the Negro himself, but only copied from the other races in their cry of Asia for the Asiatics, Europe for the Europeans, America for Americans.

Nature Made Us Masters of Our Own Destiny

The Negro seeks liberty in the truest sense and fullest meaning. The world must know that the son of Africa is no longer disposed to be crushed, ignored and relegated to the back seat of human society.

May I not inspire the millions who have not yet come in touch with this grand and glorious movement to now link up and join hands with us in carrying out the program of race emancipation and national redemption? May I not beseech the scattered sons and daughters of Ethiopia to rally to the glorious colors of the future African State—the Red, Black and the Green? May I not point you to the hope of a new born day, wherein the Negro shall see the light of his own future happiness and the glory of his own risen race?

Evolving a New Civilization

The Negro at this time is called upon to evolve a new civilization and establish firmly a culture of his own. We must be original, we must be productive, we must be creative.

The white world may try to rob and discredit us of the things in history we claim as our own. They may tell us that the ancient civilization of Egypt and the Pharaohs was not of our race, but that does not make the truth unreal.

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The Negro World In Its Expansion Welcomes S. R. H.

Renowned Dramatic Critic Is Secured for Readers

THE NEGRO WORLD, in desiring to give its readers the best that money can procure, has secured the services of S. R. H. to open their new department of Broadway events and happenings, under the title of "Broadway Parade."

S. R. H. has been known from coast to coast by his writings of opening nights and snappy pert discussions of plays and players. That the 35,000 readers of the NEGRO WORLD shall know that the NEGRO WORLD is spared in making its paper interesting, as well as instructive and that a recommendation from each reader to a friend will be appreciated.

Let S. R. H. discuss your favorite picture, play and player in your own parlor.

British Free Trade Is Dead

LONDON.—The swan song of the British free trade was sung in the House of Commons tonight when it passed, by a vote of 442 to 62, the bill imposing a 10 per cent duty on all imports into Great Britain, with certain notable exceptions.

Isaac Foot, Liberal Minister of Mines, and Sir Stafford Cripps, one of the Labor party's leaders, made final bitter speeches against the tariffs before the bill passed the third and final reading.

Cries of "Resign! Resign!" were shouted at Mr. Foot when, forty-five minutes before the bill had to be out of the way, he arose and arraigned the imposition of tariffs. He declared that once a country adopted tariffs it had "sweet blood" before it could get rid of them.

When the government majority of 380 votes was announced, members of the House of Commons rose and cheered Neville Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer. In a sense it was a family victory, since his father, Joseph Chamberlain, a generation ago had fought so long but vainly to make Britain a protectionist country.

Several ships raced to English ports in the week just past with goods to unload before the imposition of the first duties Tuesday. Among them was the Berengaria with a cargo of tinned goods.

Among the imports exempted from the 10 per cent tariff are cotton, wheat, corn and coal.

Indians Start Training

NEW ORLEANS.—The Cleveland Indians opened their baseball training season today as sixteen pitchers and three catchers started honing their muscles under a bright sun.

It was a light workout, as Manager Roger Peckinpaugh and his coaches, among them Sluie O'Neill, regular Cleveland catcher for years, kept guard to prevent sore arms. O'Neill, manager of the Toronto International League team last year, is a guest coach with the Indians.

Hitler to Run Against President Hindenburg

BERLIN.—Adolf Hitler tonight was formally proclaimed the Presidential nominee of the National-Socialist party following an announcement that Colonel Theodore Duesterberg, Deputy chairman of the Steel Helmet League, has been selected as the joint candidate of Dr. Alfred Hugenberg's Nationalist party and the Steel Helms, which comprise former service men.

West Indies Plan Mission to Canada

KINGSTON, Jamaica.—A move has been started for the British West Indies to equip a trade exhibition ship for a visit to Canada next year.

D. Hancock Opposes Freedom For 'American' Negro in Africa

To Seek New Attucks Honor

BOSTON, Mass.—Boston is still as seldom ever for "Attucks Day," for America's first martyr, more elaborately than ever as a challenge to omission of the Boston massacre by the George Washington Bi-Centennial Commission. A new official recognition is to be sought by the National Equal Rights League, Boston branch and national headquarters, and citizens. Besides exercises held at the death-spot, grave and monument, a monument has been started for a law to have March 6 proclaimed annually by the Governor for observance of Crispus Attucks' death. A petition is to be presented to the Legislature.

In a final appeal to all churches, fraternal, civic, literary and patriotic bodies of the race to publicly observe March 6 (March 5 coming on Saturday) as "Attucks and Citizenship Foundation Day," the league claims that if properly utilized, Attucks and his death can be made the most effective of all propaganda for advocacy of full citizenship. The race is urged to thus make it known that a colored man conceived, led and gave first life-blood in, the first organized strike at British rule, the first event to incite the colonists to fight for independence, founding the republic on our race blood.

Warns of Bloodshed If Negroes Go Back South

Warning of starvation and bloodshed if Negroes should be returned to the South, as suggested in a despatch to the Herald-Tribune from its Washington correspondent, Mark Sullivan, reputed to be close to the administration, a Southern clergyman has written a frank letter to the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. The clergyman, who writes from Alabama, says in part:

"We that are here can't hardly get bread. Our wages are as low as 10 or 15 cents an hour, and very little of that to do. And, very little of the thousands already here in the Southern towns and the farmers don't want them because they would have to advance them. Then where is any room or food for the hundreds of thousands coming from the North?"

"To ship them down here, and turn them loose naked-handed in this depression, you might as well knock them in the head up there, for they are not wanted here by the Southern white man because many of them will try to sustain Northern rules when they come back South, which will cause great bloodshed between white and colored here."

Caucasiators Encouraged by China

OTTAWA.—The proposal of Canadian flying officers to organize two squadrons of fighting planes together with personnel for service in China has been favorably received by the Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Chinese government, Dr. Li Tchiun, Consul General here, announced today.

A cablegram from Nanjing today expressed interest in the proposition and demanded more details.

El Centro Lauds Negro Who Foiled Post Office Robbery

EL CENTRO, Cal.—Probably that Melron Perkins, El Centro post-office janitor, who shot and killed an ex-convict bent on robbing the postoffice here February 4, will receive a handsome reward for his bravery loomed large as newspapers and townsmen continued to praise him for his unexampled courage in the face of the robber.

The robber, who was later identified as Alvin Slef, 28-year-old escaped convict of Arizona, entered the post-office through a window and was busy ransacking the place when Perkins came on duty at 5 a. m. The thug had obtained a gun from one of the drawers and forced Perkins to throw up his hands.

Obtaining a piece of cord, the thief marched the janitor to a post and was

Freed of Charge, "Giving Cancer To Natives" in Porto Rico

SAN JUAN, P. R.—After Attorney General Ramon Quinones had reported that his investigation had proved unfounded a charge circulated by nationalists that Dr. Cornelius P. Rhoads had sought to carry out a United States plot for the extermination of the Porto Rican race, Governor James R. Beverly announced today that the incident was closed.

Dr. P. Morales Otero, representative of the Porto Rican Medical Association, and Dr. E. Garrido Morales, representing the Commissioner of Health, supported Senor Quinones' findings after a long review of the medical aspects of the charges.

No evidence was uncovered to support a statement contained in an unnamed letter written by Dr. Rhoads that he had killed eight Porto Ricans and transferred cancer into several others or to show the commission of any crime by Dr. Rhoads, the Quinones report said.

Dr. Rhoads, an associate of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research who spent six months in the study of anemia at the Presbyterian Hospital here, had sent from New York the explanation that the letter was "a farcical and playful composition written for my own diversion and a parody on the supposed attitude of some American minds."

The medical investigators assisting in the Quinones investigation reported that Dr. Rhoads and his fellow-members of the Rockefeller Commission had treated 257 patients for anemia during their stay here, of whom thirteen died. They examined the case records of all these before joining in the report absolving Dr. Rhoads.

The baldoni, a young technician employed by the research workers, who turned it over to Pedro Albizu Campos, president of the Nationalist Party. Photostatic copies of the letter were widely circulated by the Nationalist group as proof of their favorite charge that the United States is hostile to the Porto Ricans.

Sandino Will Expel Hangmen

MEXICO CITY.—Dr. Pedro Jose Zepeda, foreign representative of General Augustino Sandino, Nicaraguan rebel leader, made public a statement today which said General Sandino had built up his army to 2,600 men, with thirty-six machine guns and plenty of rifles and ammunition.

The statement, purporting to come from General Sandino, also said he was now ready to launch a drive on Managua, the Nicaraguan capital.

Most of the troops were in the northern provinces, the statement added, and it also quoted General Sandino as saying:

"Nicaragua will be freed only with bullets and at the cost of our lives, and for that reason our army proposes to end the farcical elections and drive out the hangmen in control of the country."

Soup Kitchens Serve White Collar Men

MADRID.—The republic has gone to work in earnest to prove the new state a "democratic republic for workers of all classes."

Soup kitchens, which hitherto have been run for the sole benefit of manual laborers, have been expanded to care for poverty-stricken white collar workers.

More than 6,000 free meals are distributed daily in Madrid alone to unfortunate men who include many musicians, artists, lawyers and doctors.

U. S. Sentiment Alarms Japan

TOKYO.—Since Ambassador Katsujirō Delmich's interview with Japanese correspondents in the United States, the emphatic messages sent by correspondents from New York have shocked newspaper readers into realizing how strongly American opinion is swinging against Japan.

Even the man in the street has begun to talk about the possibilities of an economic blockade.

A leading Japanese paper, "Hoichi," warns as follows:

"But the situation precludes optimism on the part of Japan, in view of the steadily increasing trend of world opinion against Japan and in view of the dangerous attitude that American opinion can assume, as revealed at the time of the World War. The Japanese government would be well advised to reap its future policy with the idea that America might apply economic sanctions, instead of disregarding the possibility as an idle dream."

"While we want Japan to act with caution, we must warn the powers to be prudent in contemplating the possibility of economic sanctions. Such measures inevitably would culminate in the use of armed force. Article 16 of the League of Nations provides for military cooperation to enforce economic sanctions. An economic breach is bound to lead to war soon or late. Economic sanctions should not be advocated unless the advocates are prepared for war."

W. I. Negroes Alone Seek It!

RICHMOND, Va.—Dean Gordon C. Hancock of Virginia Union University last week sent an open letter to the Virginia State Legislature strongly protesting against the colonization bill recently introduced into the Legislature. The bill, which was referred to the committee on federal relations, proposes memorializing the United States Congress to make some arrangement for the voluntary emigration of the American Negroes to Liberia or some other part of Africa or the West Indies and thus solve the race question in America.

Dean Hancock lashed bitterly the proposed bill and stated that it not only did not have any support among our people but that it was utterly condemned by them. A part of Dean Hancock's letter is as follows:

"As a citizen of Virginia and of the United States I take this occasion to protest against the Negro colonization bill which was recently placed before the House Committee on federal relations and resolutions. The sponsors and advocates of the bill intimate that they are acting in response to persistent demands of the Negroes themselves. Their supporting evidence is not conclusive, for the basis of the petition is laid in the Garvey movement, which, by six or seven years ago, has since been abandoned."

"Moreover, the Garvey movement is not new, and never was a movement of American Negroes, but of West Indians. The sentiment, therefore, of the Garvey movement cannot be construed as the sentiment of American Negroes, upon whose demand alone should a colonization scheme be launched."

"If a million West Indians, led by Marcus Garvey, wish an African empire, it is no matter for the Negroes of American birth and citizenship, and if the General Assembly of Virginia proposes to provide an African empire for British subjects, let that be so understood."

Mexican Asks Anti-China Campaign Be Stopped

MEXICO CITY.—A request that the anti-Chinese campaign being conducted in some Mexican states be stopped as a gesture of sympathy for the Chinese republic was made today by Deputy Jose Maria Davila of the northern district of Lower California in a public statement.

"Mexico whose entire revolutionary structure is anti-imperialistic," the deputy said, "should in the present case of unjustified Japanese aggression upon China, demonstrate its friendliness and sympathy to the latter, which, despite its weakness, has valiantly endeavored to defend its soil and homes."

El Await Death in Alabama Prison

MONTGOMERY, Ala.—Fourteen race men are waiting their doom in the new death house at Kilby prison. This is the largest population the death house has ever had. In it members of the race in Alabama are supreme.

Eight of the occupants of death cells are the Scottsboro victims, boys ranging in age from 14 to 20 years. An appeal for a new trial was made in behalf of them before the State Supreme Court last week. These boys are Charlie Weems, Clarence Norris, Heywood Patterson, Otis Montgomery, Andrew Wright, Eugene Williams, Willie Robertson and Ozie Powell. These boys were all convicted of a criminal attack on two white girls.

The others in the black house of death are Charlie Williams, Lee Ferguson, Dave Ballard, Isaac Mims, Percy Irvine and Robert Strickland. All of the men have appeals pending before the Supreme Court except Charles Williams. He was given a death sentence even though he only killed a colored woman.

DePriest Fights for Howard U. \$600,000

WASHINGTON.—Representative Oscar DePriest and Representative Strong of Kansas, debated the appropriation item for Howard University on the floor of the House Tuesday. Mr. DePriest said he would not offer an amendment, "because I know I could not have it adopted; I know in hopes the Senate will restore the proper amount to complete the heating plant and library" at Howard. This remark brought applause from the members.

Russia Is Missing 50,000 Troops

MUKDEN.—Fifty thousand Soviet troops are reported missing on the Siberian frontier, ready to intervene in Manchuria, and Moscow has refused permission for Japanese troops to use the Chinese Eastern Railway.

Hauptmann, German Poet, Arrives in New York

Dr. Gerhard Hauptmann, Germany's most distinguished man of letters, arrived in New York aboard the Europa of the North German Lloyd Line.

GARVEY'S MESSAGE

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wherein lived men of the highest learning and the highest accomplishments.

Shall we lose hope because we were once slaves? Surely not. We shall, like the rest who have been slaves, like the Britons, lift ourselves from the state of degradation to the height of progress. As the British slave was able to redeem himself out of the fall of Rome, so will Africa and Africans redeem themselves out of the fall of many of the waning powers of today.

What the Future Holds in Store

Let us therefore as four hundred million people look forward to a better time, the time when the Negro will no longer be a serf, but when he will be regarded as a full grown man, demonstrative of the best in the human race, capable of holding his own against all and sundry.

The Universal Negro Improvement Association is working toward the accomplishment of all these things, and, therefore, we are asking every Negro to lend his moral and financial aid to the great cause. Opposition is but a stepping stone to the achievement of greater things. The world's successful men will tell you that their successes were based upon opposition they encountered, and so we of the Universal Negro Improvement Association can account for our success in organizing the world over through the opposition we have received from the different enemies who have tried to destroy us. We have established a record of service, we are fighting a battle, the like of which the race has never experienced. Therefore, it is for each and every one of us who is a patriot, who is a lover of race and self, to help put this gigantic program of the Universal Negro Improvement Association over for the betterment of all.

With the very best wishes, I have the honor to be
Your Obedient Servant.

President-General, Universal Negro Improvement Association, August, 1929, of the World.

P. S.: From reports made to me it is clear that The Negro World cannot continue to be published for longer than a few weeks at the most without PROMPT and REGULAR FINANCIAL SUPPORT from all our Divisions, Chapters and Garvey Clubs and members. I STRONGLY URGE upon them all to determine to SAVE The Negro World. Without it we will be lost.

All agents must pay their bills promptly in their own self-interest. Send all contributions directly to The Negro World, 355 Lenox Avenue, New York City.—M. G.

Powers Protest Jap Troop Landing

TOKIO.—The British, United States, French and Italian ambassadors asked the government not to land Japanese reinforcements at the International Settlement in Shanghai. The ambassadors also asked that Japanese warships be moved further down stream in the Whangpoo River at Shanghai to lessen the danger to the International Settlement from Chinese firing at the fleet.

WASHINGTON.—Reports from the Far East indicated that Japan will gather an army of 100,000 men at Shanghai and that the operations will be largely extended.

General Ma Killed As Traitor to China

SHANGHAI, Thursday.—Chinese dispatches from Harbin, Manchuria, reported today that General Ma Chen-shan, Chinese hero of the battle of Nonni River Bridge last Fall, had been assassinated in Harbin.

From a national hero, General Ma fell low in Chinese public opinion recently when he called on General Jiro Tamon, the Japanese commander at Mukden whose forces General Ma's army opposed at the Nonni River, and said he regretted having caused General Tamon "inconvenience."

Japanese Volcano in Eruption
TOKIO.—The volcano Asama, near Karuzawa, northwest of Tokio, went into violent eruption this morning for the third time this month, scattering ashes and stones over a wide area, setting fire to forests and damaging houses in villages near by.

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CLUB Tit-Tats.

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booking manager for said studio. He should prove an asset to this club, for "Tommykins" is in the "know," and hasn't got the name of "Tommy" for nothing. Skat you kiddy-cat.

The Yeah Man Boys made their return at the Quite Ride Studio on Sunday, Feb. 28th. Music by Jimmie Miller and his Bally-Hoo Boys. Thought at first that Sir Thomas had his finger in too many pies, but one can readily see that he knows his racket.

EXTRA—EXTRA—WUXTRA! LABON JOHNSON vs. NEGRO WORLD. Complaint:—One Brand New Large Hat.—To Fit Head That Has Suddenly Expanded, due to Flattering on the part of the party of the second part.

Verdict:—Labon Johnson loses suit, as it is found that head is the same normal size, as he knows how to take praise modestly. We knew we could not be wrong, as 50,000 Frenchmen can't be wrong.

Well I guess we ought to welcome March, as we said adieu to February. On March 5th, when March is still quite an infant, The Amity Boys will step out with their Nite in Loveland, at the Elk's Auditorium. You should teach babies such naughty habits. For shame Amities.

Just found out why the clubs were afraid to get the halls on holidays. It is because they were to be charged much more than usual, and what they pay usually is too much, so I am glad to see that the clubs are wise.

Have you a little fairy in your home (soap)? More later.

The Flapperettes entertained at the residence of Miss Beatrice West on Thursday evening. Among some of those present were representatives of the Bronx Hi-Steppers, The Diplomats, and members of the Ideal Travellers. The Most Noble Father, Mr. Clarence Abbot, found time to leave Jamaica, and make his appearance. (Tattle), Mr. Irvine (Jimmy) Hines, of the Age, made the evening more complete with his presence. That's one guy that hasn't let popularity run away with common sense. Miss Beatrice West, Flapperette, is one charming girl, and knows how to entertain. A delicious repast was served. Sorry I had to depart so early, but next time, I will remain until the very end. While on the subject of Flapperettes you must not forget their coming affair known as "The Holy Garden," at the Imperial Hall, on Saturday evening, March 12th. It is worth going to see just to meet Miss Mettrix Rice and Beatrice West. (I'm all sold on the two of them. And boys, I am hard to please. So they must be good).

Where is your photograph, Mr. George Smith (Lone Star)? Ask a cute little Flapperette? Good taste, son.

Those Bronx Hi-Steppers are certainly stepping out here of late, since their great success at the Witoka two weeks ago, they have just been getting around, and how. Methinks The Bronx is too far away for such charming folks. Let's make a drive to bring them down to sweet Harlem, for we are missing too much.

Mr. Milton Bates, a charter member of The Ideal Travellers is another person, you must put down, as one you must meet. Girls with his views and theories on various things he is worth listening to.

The Jolly Five Social Club wishes it to be known through this column, that their President, Miss C. Peterson, has been very ill, and they are wishing her a speedy recovery. Miss M. Taulor and Miss L. Quarles were guests of the Exclusive Four Friday evening, Feb. 19th. An evening of enjoyment was spent by all. I'll say the Exclusive Four knows how to make things hot and snappy.

The Jolly Five Social Club were guests of the Alba Rose Club at their first affair on Saturday evening, Feb. 20th, at the home of their president. If you wish real cooperation get in touch with the Jolly Five.

Since the "Voice" has come down to within my means, I can enjoy same better. Speaking of new rags, it does seem that half of Clubdom is interested in some way or other with the papers: If you doubt me take a squint at the following: The "Voice," George B. Smith, Lone Star; The "Voice," Legrande James, Beau Ideal; The "Voice," Louise Peterson, "Flapperettes"; The "Club Life," Curtis Luck "Duke," Meteors; Ideal; Labon Johnson, "Club Life," Legrande James, Club Life, Beau Goucho's; Chas. Hill, "Club Life," "Ziegfeld Sporting Club"; Muriel Coleman, "Club Life," Flaming Youths. And an unknown from the One could go on and on naming them. Wish them all luck. Amity Club.

Also on Saturday evening the Colonial Social Club fairly packed the Witoka. This group is fast becoming one of the most popular clubs in the Harlem sphere. The officers of this club are as follows: Fred Richardson, President; Joe Berkley, Vice-President; P. Brathwaite, Fin. Sec.; A. Blackman, Rec. Sec.; A. Burt, Treasurer; Gerald Wilkinson, A. Earle, Publicity Managers, and G. Young, Advocate. This club will have to give their next affair in a much larger place, if they want to cater to all their public. Some popular group, I'll say.

CHAS. FLEMING.

What very handsome and popular President of an equally well-known club thinks he is a privileged character, to crash all dances, free of charge, along with anyone he desires to bring? When in turn his club just gave an affair not so long ago and could one crash it? Is that fair? You should set the example as you are a leader. Snap out of it.

The Royal Buddies Tea at T. E. Studio, on 127th street, on Sunday phia, Favorites, Idealistic Debs, Twilight Strutters. These boys kept on

NEGRO IN AVIATION

By CAPT. EDISON C. McVEY

Returning to New York in 1922, I decided to give up aviation as my people or rather Negroes did not encourage me to keep up this work in the race. I contacted some of the best-brained men of our group as to the prospects of future aviation among Negroes. Each one discouraged me so much so until I decided that it was not worth the try.

One evening in New York City, in 138th street, I saw a very large crowd going into a building. Being attracted by this tremendous crowd I decided to investigate and see what it was all about. The first thought that struck me was there was some kind of a show, perhaps a good prize fight was being staged. As I approached the door and glimpsed on the inside, only to be disappointed as to my expectations. I inquired as to what it was all about, and was informed that a great man by the name of Marcus Garvey, a great genius was to speak.

I decided to listen in on him and see what he was to talk about. When the hour arrived for his address to begin I was in suspense as to know what he was to talk about. After listening to him as he spoke, in one of his remarks he stated that "black people must participate in every walk of life that has a tendency to elevate them to the standards of other races of the world."

This remark went a long way deep down in my heart, and after the speech was over, I too, agreed with the multitude that heard him. To me he was a renowned genius. A new fire was kindled in my heart for aviation, and I decided that I would make another try at it, but I promised that I would not go through with the hard tasks that I had already experienced, for some of the things that I had gone through I did not figure the burden was worth undergoing for a race that was unappreciative as this race of mine.

A few weeks passed without my giving aviation a serious thought, till one day in this very same hall where I had listened to the great Garvey speak, I met a colored girl, yet in her eyes she told me that she was an aviatrix. So stunned and shocked was I, after examining her thoroughly in aeronautical science. Looking over her credentials I found her to be a real "aviatrix." Then wondering to myself, was it possible that a woman was going to lead her men folks in every walk of life? At least, it seemed that way to me! Right then and there I doubled my determination to further the aeronautical science in my race.

Later it was to my glory and honor that I witnessed a flying exhibition by this girl aviatrix, Bessy Coleman. For six years she toured America with her airplane, flying her way into the hearts of millions of people. I can truly say that Bessy Coleman, in her short career did more to promote aviation among colored people than all the Negro aviators in the world combined. Truly her work in this field has been my inspiration to reach the utmost.

Like all good things there is an end to them. It was to the sorrow of the nations of the world when she crashed in Jacksonville, Fla., in 1926, ending a most brilliant career. Just as she lived, she died—daring, fearless, courageous. True to the traditions under the sign that she was born, and the state from whence she hailed, Texas. (In this column next week, our hero, Colonel Hubert Julian. Don't miss it!)

Japan Afraid of The Word "Boycott"

TOKYO.—The police censor deleted the word "boycott" from a George Washington playlet presented tonight by members of the American communities of Tokyo and Yokohama. He said it was dangerous, in view of the Chinese situation.

Samuel Walter Washington of Charlestown, W. Va., a direct descendant of George Washington's brother, Samuel, played the role of the first President.

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By CAPT. EDISON C. McVEY

Returning to New York in 1922, I decided to give up aviation as my people or rather Negroes did not encourage me to keep up this work in the race. I contacted some of the best-brained men of our group as to the prospects of future aviation among Negroes. Each one discouraged me so much so until I decided that it was not worth the try.

One evening in New York City, in 138th street, I saw a very large crowd going into a building. Being attracted by this tremendous crowd I decided to investigate and see what it was all about. The first thought that struck me was there was some kind of a show, perhaps a good prize fight was being staged. As I approached the door and glimpsed on the inside, only to be disappointed as to my expectations. I inquired as to what it was all about, and was informed that a great man by the name of Marcus Garvey, a great genius was to speak.

I decided to listen in on him and see what he was to talk about. When the hour arrived for his address to begin I was in suspense as to know what he was to talk about. After listening to him as he spoke, in one of his remarks he stated that "black people must participate in every walk of life that has a tendency to elevate them to the standards of other races of the world."

This remark went a long way deep down in my heart, and after the speech was over, I too, agreed with the multitude that heard him. To me he was a renowned genius. A new fire was kindled in my heart for aviation, and I decided that I would make another try at it, but I promised that I would not go through with the hard tasks that I had already experienced, for some of the things that I had gone through I did not figure the burden was worth undergoing for a race that was unappreciative as this race of mine.

A few weeks passed without my giving aviation a serious thought, till one day in this very same hall where I had listened to the great Garvey speak, I met a colored girl, yet in her eyes she told me that she was an aviatrix. So stunned and shocked was I, after examining her thoroughly in aeronautical science. Looking over her credentials I found her to be a real "aviatrix." Then wondering to myself, was it possible that a woman was going to lead her men folks in every walk of life? At least, it seemed that way to me! Right then and there I doubled my determination to further the aeronautical science in my race.

Later it was to my glory and honor that I witnessed a flying exhibition by this girl aviatrix, Bessy Coleman. For six years she toured America with her airplane, flying her way into the hearts of millions of people. I can truly say that Bessy Coleman, in her short career did more to promote aviation among colored people than all the Negro aviators in the world combined. Truly her work in this field has been my inspiration to reach the utmost.

Like all good things there is an end to them. It was to the sorrow of the nations of the world when she crashed in Jacksonville, Fla., in 1926, ending a most brilliant career. Just as she lived, she died—daring, fearless, courageous. True to the traditions under the sign that she was born, and the state from whence she hailed, Texas. (In this column next week, our hero, Colonel Hubert Julian. Don't miss it!)

Japan Afraid of The Word "Boycott"

TOKYO.—The police censor deleted the word "boycott" from a George Washington playlet presented tonight by members of the American communities of Tokyo and Yokohama. He said it was dangerous, in view of the Chinese situation.

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Stork Surprises By Bringing Twins

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Edwards and their two sons, seven and eight years old, sailed from the United States on October 2nd for Liberia. Mrs. Edwards was expecting the stork to arrive at Liberia in December, but unexpectedly, the stork arrived at Cadiz, Spain.

They had a very tiresome trip, after sailing out from the United States. They reached Havre, France, on the 10th, from there took a train to Paris, which lasted for four hours. Changing to a bus for Iran, they took a train at Madrid, Spain, changing again for Cadiz, Spain, arriving there on the 14th.

The stork arrived with two sons on the 17th at 12:30 a.m. Mother and new arrivals were doing well until the 20th. At 11:30 a.m. one passed away and was laid to rest in Cadiz, at which the couple were very much grieved.

On this very date they had to sail from Cadiz for Liberia, arriving at Liberia on the 31st of October. Both mother and new arrival were in good condition. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards regret very much that their sons were not born in Liberia. The disappointment was caused from the tiresome trip, hence, the stork arrived at seven months.

Those of us here in Liberia congratulated Mrs. Edwards for her courage, and hope that she will be an inspiration to other mothers, who can see with her, to build an independent future for her children, that when they have come to maturity, they will be able to reap the good from the sacrifices that she has made.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Edwards and their children to their own, their native home, and wish them all the blessings of life.

AMELIA SAYERS ALEXANDER, Reporter, Monrovia, Liberia, West Africa.

Hitler Is Ordained A German Citizen

BRUNSWICK, Germany.—Adolf Hitler was duly ordained a German citizen today through his appointment to the post of Attache at the Berlin Legation of the State of Brunswick.

A decree authorizing his enfranchisement was signed by Dr. Kuechenthal, the Premier of Brunswick, who belongs to Dr. Alfred Hugenberg's Nationalist party, and Dietrich Klages, the Minister of the Interior, one of Herr Hitler's chief aides.

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