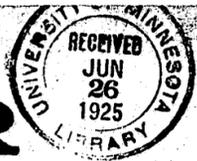


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MARCUS GARVEY IN ELOQUENT MESSAGE TELLS NEGRO WHY HE IS NOT RESPECTED

Fellow Men of the Negro Race, Greeting:

Though I am not well physically, I am glad to be able to say that I am greatly cheered in my prison cell by the news of the uncompromising manner in which you, the membership of the Universal Negro Improvement Association, are conducting the fight for African Redemption and a place in the sun. Stick to your guns, and do not for a moment harbor the thought that anything but complete success will crown your efforts.

My imprisonment and suffering, as you all know, has come to me for helping others, but I rejoice that I can make the sacrifice in my earlier years and be free to review, in my old age, with a lively sense of satisfaction, the trials and tribulations through which I passed in my endeavor to serve this downtrodden race of mine.

The Nakedness of the Negro

This week I shall speak to you on "The Nakedness of the Negro in Modern Civilization."

The progress of man is measured by what he has accomplished. The world judges races and men by what they have done. Modern civilization is very exacting. It divides races and nations into groups. The progressive groups are honored and respected; the non-progressive groups are despised, ignored and, in many cases, rejected. Among the despised and rejected groups of humanity the Negro stands out prominently. The question is, why? And the world answers, "Because the Negro has done nothing, has accomplished nothing."

Why the Negro Is Not Respected

It is all well for a race to flatter itself into believing in the broad love of humanity, but when we come to a serious study of the human problem in the materialism of today we realize that brotherhood is not regarded and respected and admitted, unless that brotherhood represents progress. The Negro is kicked and tossed about in all parts of the world today because he represents nothing progressive, because his contribution to modern civilization is practically nil.

We of the Universal Negro Improvement Association admit that the Negro has made

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BEHIND THE ORGANIZATION**

little independent contribution to modern civilization; we know and realize it; and it is because of this that the Association reaches forward to this higher accomplishment; that is why we adopt the high ideal of the founding and establishing of a nation for the Negro race, in pursuance of which a mighty structure will be reared and a civilization of our own given to the world. Until the Negro makes such a contribution, until the Negro demonstrates progress along independent lines, he will never be able to lift himself in the appreciation of the world higher than he is at the present time.

What the Unthinking Will Exclaim

The vainglorious Negro will tell you, "I am educated, I represent the highest in modern intelligence; I am a graduate of the best schools and colleges of America, of Europe and other parts of the world." The conceited financier of the Negro race will say, "How dare you say I have made no progress when my banking institutions represent so many million dollars?" The average Negro will say, "I have my home; I have my family; I have so many dollars in the bank; how dare you say I have made no progress?" And the answer of the Universal Negro Improvement Association to the Negro is that there is no progress that you have made, there is no state or condition to which you have attained at the present time that cannot be torn

to shreds or negated by those who hold the upper hand.

Living on Borrowed Goods

The Negro is living on borrowed goods. The Negro is but consuming and using that which someone else has fashioned for his own comfort, for his own happiness, and to satisfy his own desires. So long as you wear the clothes of your neighbor you are naked, because that neighbor may require you at any time to return that which you borrowed. And so it is nakedness of achievement that causes the white race and the other races of the world to despise the Negro at this hour.

Every race has a culture of its own, has a civilization of its own, whether it be China, whether it be Japan, whether it be the countries of Europe or the countries of Asia. The Easterner feels satisfied with his turban, his fez and his flowing garment; he is happy with his ideals. The white man is similarly satisfied with his. But the Negro—he is contented with nakedness and borrowed goods.

Independent Contribution Must Be Made

The time has come, I repeat, for the Negro to make his independent contribution, and we are going to make that contribution, not by singing and praying, but by building up one of the greatest nations and empires in the world. And when you have laid successfully the foundation of government, when you have built substantially the pillars of empire, there will be no more segregation ordinances, there will be no more jimcrowism, there will be no more lynching, there will be no more disrespect shown to us on the pretext of race or color.

Line Up Behind the U. N. I. A.

This is my message to you, and I trust that Negroes the world over will see now the stark necessity of lining up solidly behind the Universal Negro Improvement Association and assist the race in the speedy attainment of a position of respect and regard among the groups and nations of the world—a position which alone will insure our survival as a distinct race amid the manifold rivalries and the materialism of the age.

I have the honor to be,

Your obedient servant,

MARCUS GARVEY,
Founder and President-General.

European Pirates Who Introduce Dire Disease in Africa Discuss Methods Of "Developing" the Native Backwards

Belgians whose hands still Reek with the Blood of the Congo Now Make "Enlightened" Recommendations About Development of Central Africa

As European Capitalist Opens Up the Country, He Opens Up New Channels for Diseases, Says Noted Writer in the London Daily News—His Coming a Scourge

By H. WILSON HARRIS In the London Daily News (June 2) Some four or five years ago I spent a singularly interesting Sunday afternoon with a party composed of the Belgian Minister for the Congo, the Colonial Minister for the Congo, the Colonial Minister for the Congo, the Colonial Minister for the Congo...

WHEN THE MOORS RULED HAUGHTY SPANISH PEOPLE

To Restore the Glory of Alhambra—Work on Palace Done with Great Care—Destruction in Granada—Old Moorish Buildings Make Way for Street

London—The Alhambra is now free from disfiguring scaffolding that clung long like a hideous growth to many of its towers and halls, writes the Madrid correspondent of The Times, the restorer of the Alhambra, and the remains of the unique miniature drawings in the little Parlor room have been rescued from destruction, scattered ruins of the Court of the Harem and the Machuca Palace have been collected and re-erected.

At this moment a great opportunity has been offered to the world. The Ormsby-Gore Commission has advanced the raising of a £10,000,000 loan to be used for the reconstruction of the Alhambra and the restoration of the Moorish buildings in Granada.

Moroccan Women Fired On by "Civilized" Spanish Troops

TANGIER, June 18.—A number of Moroccan women were shot by Spanish troops today in the city of Tangier. The women were protesting against the Spanish occupation of the city.

DISURBANCES IN SHANGHAI TO THE BRITISH

British Controlled Police Fired on Body of Student Boys and Girls Protesting Against Brutal Treatment of Worker—70 Killed, 300 Wounded

NEW YORK (A. N. C. L.)—The British controlled police in Shanghai fired on a body of student boys and girls protesting against the brutal treatment of workers in the city.

The SPOTLIGHT Fanaticism in Religion When White Is Black The Race Problem Waxes

What a terrific din! The voices of men and women raised in ear-splitting bedlam. Yells and shrieks and the pounding of feet; hysterical laughter, moans and groans. Our nerves are frayed. We peer from windows in the direction of the disturbance and can see nothing but other heads thrust forward inquiringly. There is a raucous crescendo; the window panes rattle; ever and above the din, in nerve-racking tenor, is heard the name "Jesus".

A PARABLE OF PROGRESS

By J. M. STUART-WYNG, Onitsha, S. Nigeria, W. C. Africa There once lived a philosopher of African extraction who spent his life in the study of the progress of his race.

U. S. Barbarian: Lynching Negroes Fights Him as Executioner

BROOKLYN, N. Y.—A cable from Europe published in the Brooklyn Times states that a barbarian, who is fighting him as executioner, is the lynching of Negroes in the United States.

WHY NOT EARN MORE MONEY WORK SHORTER HOURS BETTER YOUR CONDITION? LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE

The problem of racial antipathies waxes. Listen to the general as he sums up: "I fear that it will always be so with Negroes wherever they are in contact with whites. This thought and my experience led me to this conclusion. If you need comb and hair, and especially if you need them in a hurry, don't put your time on Negroes. Soldier making and fighting with him, if there are any white or racial people near, will be swamped in the race question. If racial white or racial people are near, they will be swamped in the race question. If racial white or racial people are near, they will be swamped in the race question."

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INTERNATIONAL RALLY STARTED TO PROVIDE FUNDS FOR PARIENT BODY TO CARRY OUT ASSOCIATION PROGRAMME

ANNOUNCEMENT OF RALLY IS ENTHUSIASTICALLY RECEIVED BY LIBERTY HALL THOUSANDS WHO RESPOND TO EVERY APPEAL FOR FINANCIAL SUPPORT IN MOST INSPIRING MANNER

Executive Officers Back From Tour of Divisions Tell of the Splendid Spirit Which Animates the Membership

HON. G. E. CARTER SPEAKS CONVINCINGLY ON THE RESPONSIBILITY OF LEADERS IN THE UNIVERSAL NEGRO IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION—THERE MUST BE AN ACCOUNTING, FIRST, TO THE FOUNDER AND LEADER, THEN TO THE MASSES, AND THEN TO CONSCIENCE

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Liberty Hall was filled to capacity and listened attentively to the various speakers. Hon. G. E. Carter, Secretary-General, and Lady Henrietta Vinton Davis, Fourth Assistant President-General, who have just returned from a tour of a few divisions of the association, evoked enthusiasm as they told of the splendid manner in which they had returned from a tour of a few divisions of the association, evoked enthusiasm as they told of the splendid manner in which they had returned from a tour of a few divisions of the association.

ADD-EL KRIM TELLS HOW FRANCE FORCED WAR UPON THE RIFTS

Imperialistic France for Two Years Rebuffed His Representatives, and When He Was Fully Occupied with Spain Aggravated the Situation by Encroaching Upon the Rights of the Rifians—The War Will Be Disastrous for France

TANGIER, Morocco, June 21.—After a series of adventures I have arrived in the Rif where I have met Emir Abd-el-Krim, whose war against France and Spain is disturbing the peace of the Mediterranean and consequently Europe itself.

States His Demands I was first received by Abd-el-Krim on June 9 in the city of Agadir, where he directed the war on the frontiers of the Rif. He has asked me in Spanish what brought me to the Rif. At this the conversation took place in French through an interpreter.

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"A CRUST OF BREAD AND A PLACE TO SLEEP"
BY MARCUS GARVEY
In The Negro World (June 20).

I AM appealing to you in all parts of the world to drop your sentiment and face the world with facts, because you are living in a practical world. The fight is for your loaf of bread. It is fight and struggle to the end if you must eat, if your children must eat, if your grandchildren must eat and if your posterity must eat. And if you don't lay the foundation now for preserving their part of the wheat and the meat when they come, they will have nothing but the chaff and the bones."

IMPOSSIBLE TO INDICT THE NEGRO SOLDIER AS A COWARD AND RAPIST

GENERAL ROBERT LEE BULLARD, who held high command in the World War, and who had the misfortune to be born in Alabama, and to be a graduate of the West Point Military Academy, has been writing his impressions of the war for a syndicate of newspapers. He displays a querulous and critical cynicism in dealing with the highest and lowest, from President Wilson down to the poor black soldier with a pick, and he must have been a very unsatisfactory person for his equals and for those in subordination to him in the way to have to cooperate with. We may say he shows that he may have the big head, a disease which has destroyed the usefulness of many good men—the disposition to find faults in others because he has so many faults in himself.

General Bullard, in the course of his memoirs, made the statement that the Negro troops in France had no business to be there, that they were failures as officers and soldiers and that he could not insure French women against their lust. He singled out the Ninety-second Division, one of the newest and rawest in the Negro forces, for his wrath and denunciation. He thinks the Negro is a failure as a citizen and as a soldier. According to him Negro officers in the army are unthinkable.

It may seem a good purpose that General Bullard has uncorked the vials of his race venom. It often happens that way. The friends of the Negro soldier, of his own race and the white race, have come to his defense in such a splendid way that General Bullard is refuted by the record and the personal experiences of their white officers upon every allegation he has made. Even the poor untrained Ninety-second which he crucified is shown by the record to have been a great deal better in action than could have been reasonably expected of it. Even in the matter of raping French women the record shows that white soldiers were more guilty than black ones in France, just as white Americans are more guilty in the United States. That is a fact not generally admitted. Wherever he goes among the darker peoples the white man, by force or guile, leaves his mulatto bastards for the black mothers to raise and educate. In this matter he is the most consummate brute of the human species.

The best answer to General Bullard and, therefore, the best defense of our soldiers in France, was made by Dr. Emmett J. Scott, special assistant to the Secretary of War during the World War. Dr. Scott was in a position to get and keep the facts during the war and he did so. He wrote a history of the Negro's part in the World War, and in that and in his additional facts gathered since the war, he made out a case for our soldiers which may not otherwise have been made, so the average person could have it. General Bullard had not undertaken to do the impossible, as every person does who goes out to make a case when the facts are all against his viewpoint.

It is impossible to indict the Negro soldier as a coward or rapist. In all the wars of the Republic he has made an enviable record for loyalty and valor and for as much virtue as the average soldier is expected to have.

FRANCE AND SPAIN JOIN FORCES AGAINST ABD-EL-KRIM

AFTER his return last week from his airplane trip to Morocco, where he found the Arab Rif tribesmen holding their own against the French forces, and it appears to us, making some advance, Premier Painleve of France, announced that he had reached an understanding by which the Spaniards would co-operate with the French in driving the Arabs out of French and Spanish Morocco. They have a very difficult job on their hands and they realize it; so does a large part of the French people. The party divisions are so sharp and strong that it is feared the Fainleve ministry may be forced out of power. At most the French Chamber of Deputies in any crisis is a very cranky and uncertain force.

It must be peculiarly humiliating to the proud Castilian to have to admit that he was unable to conquer the Morocco rebels in the Spanish zone and that to save what he can out of the wreck he must assist the French so that they may assist the Spanish. For three hundred years the Arabs ruled Spain and left in the country much of their blood and culture and valor. The Spaniards, therefore, have in their Morocco-Protectorate—which the French have not in theirs—a pride in ruling those who once ruled them. And it should be borne in mind that there are many half-Arab-Spaniards both in Spain and Morocco. There is a community of interest between

WHAT IS THE BIG IDEA IN DECRYING WEST INDIAN AMERICANS?

WE have never seen a good reason why there should be so much talk about the relations of West Indian and American Negroes being other than the most cordial and helpful, nor in the disposition in some quarters to jeer at West Indians and insist that they are "aliens," "unassimilated" and "with no abiding interest in the country of their adoption." The wiser and more helpful course would be to help harmonize any such differences as may appear to prevent a good understanding, and to organize and encourage those who have not taken out their naturalization papers to do so. In the first and last analysis the interests of the two are the same.

The New York Age has again offended in seeking to create strife between West Indian and American Negroes. It appears that Mr. United States Poston and Mr. E. L. Gaines have a little political machine of their own and that they have been cataloging West Indians abiding interest in the country of their adoption." The wiser and more helpful course would be to help harmonize any such differences as may appear to prevent a good understanding, and to organize and encourage those who have not taken out their naturalization papers to do so. In the first and last analysis the interests of the two are the same.

Laborer View of Negro Efforts to Get a Foothold

From The Chicago Daily Worker
President Coolidge in his speech to the American Society in the Twin Cities made no statements that could have come from any lad of color. It does not ask white folks for contributions for its support nor advice for its guidance.

THE WAR IN CHINA

ARE you interested in China, and the war in China, and why there is war in China? Of course. You are interested in everything human, because "all are but parts of one stupendous chain," and what affects people in one corner of the globe affects them in every part of the globe. There has been brought about by linking up the globe with wireless and radio communication, by transportation and by economic dependence upon each other. We call it civilization. It is like a huge machine which grinds the life out of millions that a few may have more than they want. There is much that is defective in the production, transportation and marketing of the necessary things of life, and the struggle of the wise man now is to see how to correct the defect that each shall be able to get his share of production and to prevent a few from getting more than theirs.

The war in China is the outgrowth of the fact that China has no nationalities of her own. She has, and that is 600,000,000 people in among the worst governed and poorest in the world. The immediate cause of war is the outgrowth of foreign concessions and extrajurisdictional in which foreigners live and have their own government, and the strike of Chinese workmen against British and Japanese manufacturers and their ways. Chinese students joining with the strikers against existing conditions. The Chinese hate all foreigners but especially Japanese and British because these are the most grasping and tyrannical.

The troubles in China may compel the foreign powers to join in restoring order, as they call it, as in the Boxer rebellion of a few years ago, but it will be for the purpose of protecting their interests at the expense of the interests of the Chinese. The situation is aggravated by the fact that the Chinese are divided into two factions and are warring among themselves. The disposition of weaker peoples is general to fight among themselves when foreigners within and without are taking advantage of every such division to take and hold additional advantage.

Like the other people of Asia and those of Africa the Chinese have too many irreconcilable tribal differences among themselves to successfully make headway against their foreign enemies. Those who cannot unite among themselves for their mutual defense and protection are at the mercy of those who can unite and want to despoil them.

EDITORIAL OPINION OF THE NEGRO PRESS

The Arabs of Africa and Asia do not consider themselves to be Negroes, but between these people that cannot be described by our long-distance friends. It is a personal matter; it is a choice of things. Anybody who has black skin and crisp hair, and that goes a long way, and go no further, like the Chinese in their growth—Norfolk Journal and Guide.

The Star has always tried to impress the fact on the minds of the people that it takes men of superior thought and vision to do unselfish things for their fellow men. This thing is not new, and cannot seem to get out of certain sort of grooves. The great mistakes the public makes in branding these sort of men as "Niggers" is that they conveniently do. What a pity!—Newport News Star.

At this time it becomes our duty to voice our solemn, unqualified protest against the principal's actual practice of charging the parents of the school, the colored children of Silverport, an admission fee to witness the graduation exercises of our public high school which should be absolutely free to every citizen, old and young—Silverport Star.

The Herald is being heartily in such an effort. We realize keenly that the time has come for concrete action on the business life in Cleveland. This nibbling, to which we have accustomed, cannot survive. We must take hold, and by joining hands with the white business men of the way for the generations that shall follow—Cleveland Herald.

If the white people of the South wish to honor their ex-slaves and their faithful servants, there should be no objection. There is a relation existing

AFRICAN FUNDAMENTALISM A RACIAL HIERARCHY AND EMPIRE FOR NEGROES

Negro's Faith Must Be Confidence in Self—His Creed: One God, One Aim, One Destiny

The time has come for the Negro to forget and cast behind him his hero worship and adoration of other races, and to start out immediately to create and emulate heroes of his own. We must canonize our own saints, create our own martyrs, and elevate to positions of fame and honor black men and women who have made their distinct contributions to our racial history. Sojourner Truth is worthy of the place of sainthood of Joan of Arc; Crispus Attucks and George William Gordon are entitled to the halo of martyrdom with no less glory than that of the martyrs of any other race. Toussaint L'Ouverture's brilliancy as a soldier and statesman outshone that of a Cromwell, Napoleon and Washington; hence, he is entitled to the highest place as a hero among men. Africa has produced countless numbers of men and women, in war and in peace, whose lustre and bravery outshone that of any other people. Then why not see good and perfection in ourselves?

We must inspire a literature and promulgate a doctrine of our own without any apologies to the powers that be. The right is ours and God's. Let contrary sentiment and cross opinions go to the winds. Opposition to race independence is the weapon of the enemy to defeat the hopes of an unfortunate people. We are entitled to our own opinions and not obligated to or bound by the opinions of others.

A Peep at the Past
If others laugh at you, return the laughter to them; if they mimic you, return the compliment with equal force. They have no more right to dishonor, disrespect and disregard your feeling and manhood than you have in dealing with them. Honor them when they honor you; disrespect and disregard them when they vilify treat you. Their arrogance is but skin deep and an assumption that has no foundation in morals or in law. They have sprung from the same family tree of obscurity as we have; their history is as rude in its primitiveness as ours; their ancestors ran wild and naked, lived in caves and in branches of trees, like monkeys, as ours; they made human sacrifices, ate the flesh of their own dead and the raw meat of the wild beast for centuries even as they accuse us of doing; their cannibalism was more prolonged than ours; when we were embracing the arts and sciences on the banks of the Nile their ancestors were still drinking human blood and eating out of the skulls of their conquered dead; when our civilization had reached the noon-day of progress they were still running naked and sleeping in holes and caves with rats, bats and other insects and animals. After we had already unfathomed the mysteries of the stars and reduced the heavenly constellations to minute and regular calculus they were still backwoodsmen, living in ignorance and blatant darkness.

Why Be Discouraged?
The world today is indebted to us for the benefits of civilization. They stole our arts and sciences from Africa. Then why should we be ashamed of our race? Their MODERN IMPROVEMENTS are but DUPLICATES of grander civilization that we reflected thousands of years ago, without the advantage of what is buried and still hidden, to be resurrected and reintroduced by the intelligence of our generation and our posterity. Why should we be discouraged because somebody laughs at us today? Who to tell what tomorrow will bring forth? Did they not laugh at Moses, Christ and Mohammed? Was there not a Carthage, Greece and Rome? We see and have changed every day, so pray, work, be steadfast and be not dismayed.

Nothing Must Kill the Empire
As the Jew is held together by his RELIGION, the white races by the assumption and the unwritten law of SUPERIORITY, and the Mongolian by the precocious development of his BLOOD, so likewise the Negro must be united in one GRAND RACIAL HIERARCHY, OR UNION MUST KNOW NO CLIME, BOUNDARY, OR NATIONALITY. Like the great Church of Rome, Negroes the world over LET PRACTICE ONE FAITH, that of Confidence in themselves, with One God! One Aim! One Destiny! Let no religious scruples, no political machination divide us, but let us hold together under all climes and in every country, making among ourselves a Racial Empire upon which "the sun shall never set."

Allegiance to Self First
Let no voice but your own speak to you from the depths. Let no influence but your own route you in time of peace and time of war. Hear all, but attend only to that which concerns you.

Your allegiance shall be to your God, then to your family and country. Remember, always, a Jew; the white man is first a white man under all circumstances, and you can do no less than being first and always a Negro, and then all else will take care of itself. Let no one inculcate you with evil doctrines to subvert your own convictions. There is no harm in being before that which starts with yourself. "Charity begins at home." First to thyself be true, and "thou canst not then be false to any man."

We Are Arbiters of Our Own Destiny
God and Nature first made us what we are, and then out of our own creative genius we make ourselves what we want to be. Follow your own path that great law. Let the sky and God be our limit, and Eternity our measurement. There is no height to which we cannot climb by using the active intelligence of our own minds. Mind creates, and as much as we desire in Nature we can have through the creation of our own minds. Being at present the scientifically weaker race, you shall treat others only as they treat you; but in your homes and everywhere possible you must teach the children of your race the science of your children and be sure to develop a race of scientists par excellence, for in science and religion lies our only hope to withstand the evil designs of modern materialism. Never forget your God.

Remember, we live, we are, we are for the establishing of a great and binding RACIAL HIERARCHY, the founding of a RACIAL EMPIRE whose only natural, spiritual and political limits shall be God and "Africa, at home and abroad."

There are only two Negro motorists on street railways—C.P.B. and M. G. H. (M. G. H. is a white man who has been riding on street railways—C.P.B.)

Read five pages of one of these books and I warrant you that you will go to bed tonight with one of two appetites. The first is one which is so voracious that the rest of the family will have to go to bed hungry. The second appetite is the one which you will have made to you by the sampling of place by your pictures of the woods and—Homeless for whom? Oh, man! The time is coming soon. Get ready. Make your plans. There is no one in the world so strong, so robust, so wise or so resistant that he should care to be what he does not need a vacation every year. To the one who tells you that he can get along without the sun, just say, "So, what? I have heard of people like you! They say that more than a hundred years ago, when they were out their lives with heart disease and overwork and—Good-by, I am GOING."

You are the one who shall return with brown skin, iron muscles, ravenous appetite, clear brain, plenty of energy, and the full and winter weather. You are the one who needn't mind no more at all.

MARCUS GARVEY

SHIPS! SHIPS!

We Must Have Ships
Help Create a Black Cross Reserve and Operating Fund

Fellow members and friends of the Universal Negro Improvement Association, greetings!
Our ship, the Booker T. Washington, has returned to New York, having completed its maiden trip to the West Indian Islands and Central America.
Another contribution has been made to Negro history. Many thanks to you who have made this possible, but the largest contribution is yet to be made, and we now appeal to each and every race-loving patriot to do his or her duty.

The trip just ended has taught us much. We have found competition keen and encountered a mountain of prejudice toward Negroes doing business on a large scale. The initial trip has been a costly one, because we were compelled to depend wholly upon the other fellow for cargoes. We failed to get business from him, and in consequence our ship was operated at a loss. It is, therefore, our first care now, in the light of our bitter experience, to make business for ourselves.

We must have steamships, and still more steamships, regardless of the cost, because these are the backbone of African redemption. But to own and operate ships in the face of the existing prejudice toward the Negro and the opposition to the Universal Negro Improvement Association it is necessary that we establish our own buying and shipping agencies, our own distributing and coaling stations. While this will require a greater outlay, greater benefits will eventually accrue, for additional jobs will be furnished thousands of our people and the revenue of the corporation increased to an appreciable degree.

To do the things outlined above WE HAVE LAUNCHED A GIGANTIC DRIVE.
Every member and well-wisher of the Universal Negro Improvement Association, every lover of the race is called upon at this time to contribute ONE DOLLAR A WEEK FOR TEN WEEKS to the Black Cross Navigation and Trading Company.

To every member of the race who completes his or her ten weeks' contribution a beautiful medal bearing the inscription, "Negro Patriot," will be given. In addition to this the name of every recipient of a medal will be recorded on our honor roll of African patriots and published in The Negro World.

Those who can be asked to contribute more than one dollar a week, but each and every one is expected to give at least one dollar.

Now is the time to show by your deeds that you are determined to secure liberty and independence for your children and your children's children. Pledge yourselves this very moment to give one dollar a week for ten weeks. We have received many letters from members and friends suggesting that we launch this dollar drive, so that every member may get a chance to support the Black Cross Navigation and Trading Company. The opportunity now is yours.

Send in your dollar today. Acknowledgment will be made through The Negro World every week. See that your name is on next week's list.

If every member does his and her duty at this time the success of the Black Cross Navigation and Trading Company is assured.

Address all letters to the SECRETARY OF THE BLACK CROSS RESERVE AND OPERATING FUND, 56 West 135th Street, New York City.

For service,
WILLIAM L. SHERRILL,
Acting President-General, Universal Negro Improvement Association.

Address all mail and money orders to
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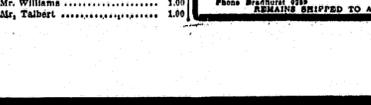
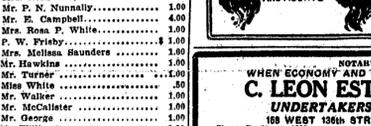
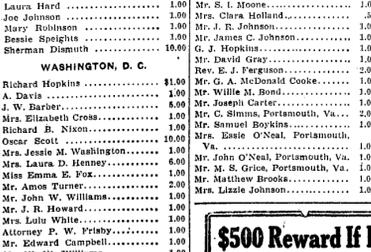
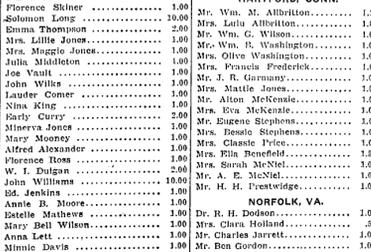
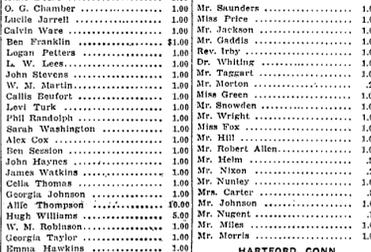
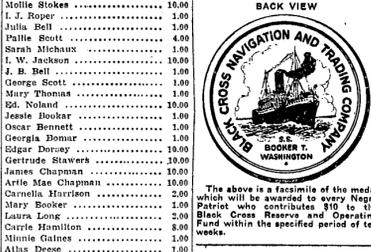
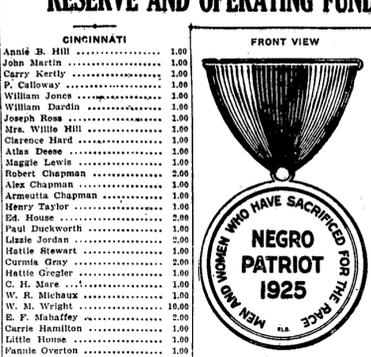
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