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Big Job in Big Way Dadicated to the task of doing a big job in a big way, The Chicago Defender has bored-in when boring in was necessary. Its handling of the Ethiopian-Italian war has been

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Pursuant to its custom of many standing years, The Chicago Defender this week presents its summary of the most important events during the past year. Although both were hurtled from their pinnacles as kings, Haile Selassie and Joe Louis, whose names furnished the biggest news during 1935, yet the two internationally famous fighters furnished material for much discussion throughout the year just closed.

progress of the Race in many fields have been noted, as will be evidenced by the incidents recorded in this summary. It will be observed that many outstanding individuals died in 1936. The year also saw the birth of the National Negro Congress, which held its initial meeting in Cl (cago.

The Chicago Defender, which has gained international prestige as a chronicler of news, continued to be the champion crusader for the rights of the Black man the world over.

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RACE FIGURES IN BIG EVENTS DURING 1936

The Defender's Files Record World News

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In the field of promotion The Chicago Defender has kept pace with the Race. Its Bronzeville affairs, Billiken parties and sports, and social events reached a high point both in attendance and interest during 1936.

Continues Fight Against

Jim-Crow Practies

The battle against te jim crow, and insidious policy of the Cook County Nurses thome in denying Race students norted has kept up. For many individuals and institutions the year 1936 was a successful one. Tall she as better one. But for his time being let's look back and mentious Ethiopian victory on the Northern front, Halle Selassie in Addis Ababa availed himself of thopportunity to offer a five point program of peace terms. Striking deep behind the Italian line, Ethiopians scattered the enemy forces, cut off their retreat and their communications with the strategic city of Makale. The Italians were routed leaving behind 100 dead.

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weekly newspaper, which had locked out employees during a strike, is sold.

JANUARY 11 — American Racc group takes cue from Brazil; maps drive to shake off shackles in 1936.
Girds forces to destroy color stigma. In Paris, France, French black people near revoit.

Decatur, Ala., contending that hostile feeling toward the nine. Scotts boro boys charged with having raped two white women prevented an impartial hearing here. Defense attorneys motion for a transfer of the rettrial of the case from the Alabama state court to the Federal Court.

For the first time in the history of Kentucky, a black man raised his hand in the House of Representatives at the state capitol in Frankfort, Ky. He is Hon. Charles W. Anderson Jr., brilliant attorney of Louisville, the only Republican in that city to claim a victory in a Democratic landsilde.

Senator Frederic Van Nuys, Indiana Democrat says in Washington, D. C., that he would introduce a resolution calling for the investigation of the 14 lynchings in the U.S. since last May first.

Judge Armand W. Scott, Washington, D. C., a member of the firends. In company with Robert S. Abbott, editor and publisher of The Chicago Defender, and Committeeman Joseph Tittinger, Judge Scott pays official visit to Mayor Edward H. Kelly in city hall.

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Phi Beta Sigma fraternity in 21st anniversary convention in Atlanta.
Ga. names Jesse W. Lewis as president.

Felix J. Kirkpatrick Jr., from the United States Military Academy at West Point, N. Y., tells Chicago Defender reporter why he was dispersion.

FEBRUARY 22—Kansas City, Mo.

This city is crowded with high of-

at West Point, N. Y., tells Chicago
Defender reporter why he was dismissed. Charges it was unwarranted.
Washington. D. C.—Zeta Phi Bela
sorority with 68 delegates representing 41 chapters, retained as grand
basileus Attorney Violette N. Ander-

basileus Attorney violette it. Anderson of Chicago.

Omega Psi Phi fraternity ends its 23rd grand conclave, selecting as basileus, William B. Augh of Indianapolis, Ind.

ntion. December 1937.

The Silver convention of the Alpha Phi Alpha fraternity closed in Nash-ville, Tenn., with Los Angeles, Cal.; being selected for the next biennial

convention, December 1937.

JANUARY 18 — Decatur, Ala. —
Everything is in readiness for the
beginning of the trial of the nine
Scottsboro defendants, January 20. delegates. FEBRUARY 29—Des Moines, Iowa

-Miss Alice B. Piper, white, a nurse, files suit for \$10,000 against Dr. J. Alvin Jefferson charging breach of

Scottsboro defendants, January 20. Haywood Patterson will be the first to face Judge W. W. "Speed" Callaban, the Alabama jurist whose impatience with the slowness of justice led to his being nicknamed "speed" at the last trial for the youths. Clargue Norrie is scheduled to stand Atlanta, Ga.—They buried Dr. John Hope, one of the most outstanding educators of the race and president ence Norris is scheduled to stand of Atlanta university while thou-rial on January 23.

Paris. France, a call for an inter-men from all walks of life stood

rial on January 23.

Paris, France, a call for an international congress of all black and Mohammedan peoples throughout the world has been issued by the French international committee for the defense of Ethiopia. This congress, according to the committee secretariat is to take place in Paris, February 17, 1936 in the sumptuous hall of the committee's general headouarters.

Sands of students and men and women from all walks of life stood with nowed heads on Morehouse campus.

Paris, France—See holy war as March 7—Geneva, Switzerland victory for Ethiopia seen as league issues new ultimatum demanding Mussolini to end conflict.

Chicago—Pick jury to try Jack

February 17, 1936 in the sumptuous hall of the committee's general headquarters.

Walter Merguson. Paris Chicago Defender correspondent and political observer, gives analysis of the Ethiopian-Italio status.

Addis Ababa—Rain, malaria and swift attacks under the cover of darkness have brought Italian military operations to a dead stop. Il Duce's men scurry back to Adigrat. Washington, D. C.—For the first time in the memory of many persons present, the justices of the U.S. Supreme Court appeared Friday to be greatly shocked at the revelation of the "trial" of three Race. share-croppers from Kemper county, Miss. Earl Brewer, esq., Jackson, Miss, who argued the case for Ed Brown, Yank Ellington and Henry Shields, the convicted men condemned to death for murder, made a masterly presentation of his case.

Jackson. Tenn.—For the first time in the history of Madison county, a true bill returned arginat a member.

hailed as a classic, while its coverage of Joe Louis, particularly the Schmeling fiasco, has been regarded as one of the best news beats of the entire year, and will remain a standout as long as the world talks of prize-fights.

JANUARY 25—Decatur Ale

the mythical Ethiopian allairs.
Miss Hattie Butler, well-known school-teacher of Savannah, Ga., and relative of Robert S. Abbott, editor and publisher of The Chicago Defender, is buried.
Casper Holstein, New York Race

This city is crowded with high of-ficials of the AME church here to attend the funeral of Bishop H.

Blanton Parks, who died in Oak-land, Calif. National Negro Congress which

closed its session in Chicago was called upon to attempt to meet the problems of black America. Djibouti, French Somaliland-One hundred thousands dollar reward of-fered the aviator who can kill Haile

Twenty-six states sent delegates to National Negro Congress meeting in Chicago. Colonel Hubert Julian, self-styled "Black Eagle," booed by

vestigation of the expose of "fixed" rade.

army on northern front to great victory.

St. Louis, Mo.—Mrs. Luanna Jarmon charged with poisoning husband, is freed after jury debates four hours on verdict.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—Pittsburgh fights typhoid in wake of flood. Serum rushed by planes to flooded area. Eddyville, Ky.—The first white man ever executed in the state of Kentucky for murder of a Race man died in the electric chair here last Friday. The man was Erline Whitehead, who was convicted for his district.

Senator William E. King, Republican committeeman of the Second ward, sponsors victorious campaign of Ex-Congressman Oscar DePriest for nomination to Congress and also pushed the victories of other candidates of this district.

MAY 2—Addis Ababa—His Majety Emperor Haile Selassie whose whereabouts have keen kept a secret while the Italian forces from the north sought to ferret him out, has returned to Addis Ababa. He states that 30 armoured planes are ready to engage the Italians.

Royston, Ga—Lint Shaw, a farm-

APRIL 4—Cleveland, Ohio—Alon-o Johnson, Jr., 13-year-old Central

High school student, perishes in flames in futile attempt to save Birm ngham, Ala.—Snatched from

row Wilson and Ira Jolt, suspects in the slaying of a white girl, are safe behind the bars of the Madison county jail here. Addis Ababa—Ethiopians invade Eritrea as Italians burn Harrar. De-

struction of old city irks Moslems. Real story of Colonel John Rob-inson's rise to aviation fame is told by Janet Waterford, Chicago avi-

atrix.

APRIL 11 — Memphis, Tenn. —
Scores dead, housands homeless in wake of Dixie tornado.

Indianapolis, Ind.—Madam Mae Walker Perry, lone heiress to the Walker millions, passed her second milestone in divorce annals when Judge Smith in Madison Circuit court at Madison Ind. wrote finis court at Madison. Ind., wrote finis to her marriage to Atty. Marion R.

Perry.
Addis Ababa—Ethiopia not defeated, says Halle Selassie. Armies continue to prepare for war.
Countess Marie Permoyne, writ-

last Monday which "outlawed" the numbers game.
Addis Ababa—Emperor Haile Selassie moved 300,000 of his fierce warriors into defensive positions across northern Ethicpia, thus halt-

ing the Italian march.

The primary battle in Illinois attracts attention of the nation. Flareups in wards mark early vote. Depriest fights to get back his seat in

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registration books.

MARCH 21—Addis Ababa—Report says that Emperor Haile Selassie and his war council have been virtually lost at the war front for five days.

Nashville, Tenn.—James Ballard, school-teacher and former Fisk university athlete, charged with conspiracy to violate state's registration laws, is convicted.

Cora (Mother) McGowan, spiritualist and fortune teller, Houston, Texas, sentenced to 35 years in the state prison for being the "brains" of a local murder ring.

New York City—African Methodist Episcopal church official prepare for quadrennial session of the general conference.

Nw York City—The trial of Clarence Norris, second of the Scottsboro defendants, which was scheduled to have taken place in January immediately following that of Haywood Patterson, has now been set for April 14.

Atlanta, Ga.—Incensed over the lynching Friday night of 33-year-old Philip Baker at Bark Springs, Ga, members of the interracial commission here this week demanded immediate federal action to curb mob

ready to engage the Italians.

Royston, Ga.—Lint Shaw, a farmer, who was snatched from a jail and saved from a lynching, is finally mobbed.

Core and With the attempted.

assassination of Grice (Ham) Chandler of Gary and East Chicago early Monday, warfare between policy and gambling racketeers is expected

to break out at any time.

A sensational tragedy was nar-rowly averted last Tuesday morning in Denver, Colo., when the home of

were asieep.

In Chicago Robert S. Abbott, editor and publisher of The Chicago Defender in observing the 31st anniversary of his institution, re-af-firmed his faith in service to his race and country and pledges himself and institution to continue to carry on until every American citizen enjoys those privileges which the Constitution guarantees. Edi-tor Abbott is jubilant over the 31st birthday of his institution.

birthday of his institution.

MAY 9—New York City with 15,000 delegates and visitors from 96 conferences throughout the United States, Canada, Africa and West Indies and South America, the quedrennial session of the general conference of the AME church opened here Wednesday morning in Bockland Palace. Misuse of funds

Rockland Palace. Misuse of funds and election of bishops are the big topics at th Methodist confab.

Columbus. Ohio—Methodist Episcopal church holding its session here goes on record as favoring jim crow set-up; vote 470 to 83 for unitage of these groups. Base to the

velt's record. Support for anti-lynching bill sought. The 28th Bahai convention closes

moo. Six of the wonter-be synthe-ers were themselves killed. New York—Secretary of Com-merce Daniel P. Roper, pinch-hitting for President Franklin D. Roose-velt, brings greetings to African Methodists in session here; resolu-

MAY 30—Chicago—Twenty thousand persons of both races join in grand welcome to Col. John Robinson, the "Brown Condor" of Ethiopia upon his return to the city.

Lakewood, N. J.—Al Monroe, Chicago Defender sports editor, makes first prediction that Joe Louis is not up to par in his training for his match with Max Schmeling. Monroe says Bomber looks sluggish.

Philadelphia—The murder of the Bay G. Wilson Beeton, noted evan-

Rev. G. Wilson Becton, noted evangelist, still remains a mystery.

der, 21 years old, is acquitted of rape on white woman. Nashville, Tenn.—Nineteen-year-old E. K. Harris dies in chair on rape charge.

JUNE 6—Cleveland, Ohio—Oper

Captain C. Udell Turpin of Chicago is left one dollar by father, Judge Charles H. Turpin of St. Louis. He

charles H. Turpin of St. Louis. He threatens to break will.

Lakewood, N. J.—The heavy-weight championship of the world became the big news Monday afternoon, replacing the Louis-Schmeling noise when a report here that Jimmy Braddock, was about ready to be the ratio Modison Square Car-

Greensboro, N. C.—AME Zionists in session here pick three bishops, namely: Revs. E. L. Madison, W. C. Brown and J. W. Brown. Gordonsville, Va.—William Wales and sister, Cora, perished in the flames of their cottage here Friday night after holding at bay a lynch mob. Six of the would-be lynchers were themselves killed.

New York—Joe Louis, the sensational Detroit Brown Bomber, is knocked out the sensational Detroit Brown Bomber. president of Shaw university.

New York—Joe Louis, the sensational Detroit Brown Bomber, is knocked out by Max Schmeling.

Probe report that he was doped. Charge drugs, not fists sent Bomber down for count.

Dallas, Texas—Dallas daily papers insult visitors to Texas Centennial Exposition of Juneteenth.

Americus, Ga.—Bishop W. Decker Johnson, presiding bishop over the seventh Episcopal district. South

persons are hurt.
Dallas, Texas—Race is jim-crowed

at Texas—Race is jim-crowed at Texas Centennial Exposition on Juneteenth.

JULY 4—Perry Parker, Pullman official, dies in Chicago.

Al Monroe, Chicago Defender sports editor, says big money backs Joe Louis "dope" probe. Every angle being weighed carefully.

Geneva—Haile Seiassie pleads at Geneva: threatens new war. Em-

tary.
Washington, D. C.—Mrs. Mary M.
Bethune appointed to high position
in National Youth-Administration.

ment of Colored People.

JULY 11—Chicago Defender wins jim crow fight at Texas Centennial

London-Haile Selassie condemns London—Haile Selassie condemns League of Nation rule; throws na-tions into turmoil. Plea for aid turned down by delegates. New York—Joe Louis arrives here.

rongin the diversion of hospital supplies.

Topeka, Kans,—Alfred M. Landon, Republican candidate for President of the United States, gives his views on the race question in interview with A. N. Fields, political writer for The Chicago Defender.

Nachylla, Topus—Ira Rayant fights

for The Chicago Defender.

Nashville, Tenn.—Ira Bryant fights to keep his post as secretary-treasurer of the AME Sunday School Publishing House.

Owensboro, Ky.—This backward little town in the heart of the Blue Grass region is preparing for a Roman holiday July 31, the day set for the hanging of Rainey Betaea convicted on a charge of attack-ing a middle-aged white woman. ing a middle-aged white woman.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Robert L. Vann, Pittsburgh publisher, is op-

Vann, Pittsburgh publisher, is opposed by Democratic committeeman
upon appointment as co-director of
campaign among Race people.

JULY 25—Topeka, Kans.—Thousands jam city for notification of
Gov. Alfred M. Landon as Republican nominee for President of the
United States; leaders are ready for
celebration; party heads optimistic,
see smashing victory next Novemher.

governor to sign bill.

Ira T. Bryant, militant AME church leader and secretary-treasurer of the Sunday School Publishing House at Nashville, Tenn., wins right to retain post against Prof. E. A. Selby.

Springfield, Ill.—Governor Henry Horner holds fate of Sam Bennett. Executive will decide on extradition at end of vacation.

New York—Joe Louis, the Brown Bomber, will fight Jack Sharkey on August 18; Schmeling probe goes to accourt.

big Ethiopian armies are converging on Addis Ababa, former Ethiopian capital now occupied by the Italian troops. This news is contained in a telegram from the Egyptian consulate at Addis Ababa to the

Egyptian consulate.

Berlin, Germany—Joe Jefferson,
Chicago Ymca boys work secretary,
writing on the Olympics, says Race athletes get big welcome from Germans. NEW ORLEANS-Harry Wills.

the man that Jack Dempsey refused to fight, and one of the most color-ful fighters to don the mitts, gives exclusive interview to Chicago Defender reporter of his impression of Joe Louis. Columbus, Ohio—Gov. Martin L.

School Union, almost came to with Henry with the control of the co

Rainey Bethea must hang August 14 at Owensboro, Ky.; launches final

appeal.

Berlin—Having crowned himself with glory, Jesse Owens, the Ohio Express, is seriously considering turning professional and getting a part of the \$100,000 which awaits

"go and sin no more," Judge Benja-min C. Atlee last week was per-mitted to retain his seat as Lancaster county judge when the judiciary committee of the House of Repre-sentatives voted 16 to 14 to accept the minority report of the subcomthe minority report of the subcommittee demanding an apology in preference to the majority report calling for impeachment. Judge Atlee made a statement from the bench insulting the Face.

AUGUST 22—New York — Joe Louis batters way back to glory with smashing rights: knocks out Jack Sharkey in third round at Yankee Stadium.

Yankee Stadium. Yukon, W. Va.—Eighteen merry-makers, men and women, were ruth-

were covered with paper.

New York—Citizens of Manhattan
headed by Mayor Fiorella LaGuardia are preparing a mighty welcome for Jesse Owens and other outstand-ing Olympic winners upon their re-

olympic winners agon the re-turn on September 3.

Owensboro, Ky.—Twenty thou-sand men, women and children cheer as Rainey Bethea hangs; citizens tear body apart as souvenirs, woman sheriff gets cold feet. Turns over job to veteran hangman. New York—Max Schmeling may be Joe Louis' next opponent. See chance for Louis to get revenge for

New York-Joe Louis, recent

New York—Joe Cours, recent conqueror of Jack Sharkey, will unfold the second episode in his comeback drama September 22 when he tackles Al Ettore, the battler who halted the march of Leroy Haynes in Philadelphia. Cleveland—Cleveland and the State of Ohio outdid themselves here

Cincinnati-The 11th annual convention of the Independent National Funeral Directors association was held here August 18 to 21. All officers re-elected in a harmonicus

New York-Jesse Owens' parents jim-crowed in New York; Bojangles Robinson may manage "Ohio Ex-press" (Jesse Owens).

press" (Jesse Owens).
Chicago—Edward D. Green, veteran secretary of the Knights of
Pythias, distinguished legislator.
author of the state anti-lynching
law, died early Sunday morning in
Hot Springs, Ark.. following an illness of a year. The body arrived
here Tuesday morning.
Philadelphia—The National Medical Association closed its 42nd annual session here last week.

confab.

Renews plea for huge loan.

Springfield, Ill.—Gov. Henry Hor ner last week wrote the final note

sociation of Railroad employees, filed this week in the District Federal court a mandamus proceeding seeking to compel the National Railroad board to hear their complaint.

McAmy in Dalton, Ga., seen as a Georgia election plot. Claim Talmadge enemies engineered disgrace to embarrass him.

Detroit—Joe Louis off to Pompton Lakes to train for fight with Al

Al Monroe.
Philadelphia—Police on guard to prevent kidnaping of Louis by gangsters before Al Ettore fight.
Indianapolis, Ind.—Four persons seriously injured as Bill Carson captures 100 mile automobile classic.
Cleveland. Ohio — Thousands of war-time buddles are gathering here for the annual American Legion.

M. Landon was nominated as Republican candidate for President.
Atlanta, Ga. — Two-weeks-old lynching in Atlanta comes to light; brutal slaying of nespital orderly is laid to police.
Cleveland. Ohio-Foreign war vets reject jim-crow plan at American Legion convention. Proposal of Southerners turned down flatly.
OCTOBER 3—Chicago— William James McGraw. aged Municipal

pital. Little Rock, Ark.—Slavery in its worst form, surpassing by far con-ditions which existed before the signing of the Emancipation Proclamation, was uncovered here last week as the result of an investiga-

gers arrived here Tuesday morning to start training for the ten-round fight with George Brescia, the Ar-gentine whirlwind, at the New York

man typist.

Jackson, Miss. — Sharecroppers saved by U. S. court; step nearer freedom: grant writ of habeas cor-

OCTOBER 10—Chicago—Joe Gibbons, taxi driver, whose name was linked with Joe Louis' wife is slain. Lexington, Ky.—KKK springs to life. William H. Brown, rector of St. Andrew's Episcopal church receives threatening letter.

Windsor, N. C.—Dennie Thrower. 30, a respectable citizen of this city wrote his own anti-lynching bill here Sunday when he refused to be

here Sunday when he refused to be ynched without some kind of protest. He shot 15 and held mob (Continued on Next Page)

Gary, Ind .-- With the attempted

C. C. Martin, prominent citizen, was bombed while he and his family

ing of three groups. Race to be segregated into one jurisdiction while five for whites.

Chicago Defender carries exclusive photo showing the actual lynching and the lynchers of Lint Shaw in

ing and the lynchers of Lint Shaw in Royston, Ga.

Addis Ababa—Chieftains desert Haile Selassie as Italy's invading army marches into the capital.

London, England—The British cruiser Enterprise arrived at Jerusalem with his Majesty Emperor Haile Selassie accompanied by Empress Quizzero Menen. The 12-yearold Prince, Makonnen and Crown Prince Asafa Wosan and a few faithful members of the official family accompanied him.

New York City—The NAACP in a report says that 72 lynchings stain President Franklin Delano Rooseyelt's record. Support for anti-

address to the senior classes in the schools of journalism and business. New York City—After a stormy opening in which two high church dignitaries, Bishop William Allen Fountain of Atlanta, Ga., and Ira T. Bryant, secretary of the Sunday School Union, almost came to blows, ministers and delegates have finally settled down to business as the 30th quadrennial of the AME church entered its second week here in Rockland Palacc. The Right Rev. W. T. Vernon is reinstated; was ousted four years ago.

Greensboro, N. C.—AME Zion delegates here. Bishop Wall's Mother's day address urges churchmen to live up to Christ's teachings. This address was one of the high points of the 30th quadrennial AMEZ conference now being held in Greensboro.

Jerusalem—His Majesty Emperor

soldiers.

MAY 30—Chicago—Twenly thou-

Chicago Defender announces scholarship starting May 29.
Corddonsville, Va.—Race hatred inflames region as heroic Virginia mob fighters, William Wales and his sister, Cora, are buried.

Birmingham, Ala.—Charles Render 19 per play a grouilted of range and his acquilted of range.

fight for GOP seats at National Re-publican convention here. Delega-tion from South under fire. Tradi-tional contest of Lily Whites begun.

Jimmy Braddock, was about ready to break with Madison Square Gardens and meet Joe Louis for the title late in September.

Detroit—How he was kidnaped, flogged into insensibility and left for dead on the banks of the lake, was revealed here Friday by Walter.

Raval Academy at Annapolis, Md. Spots cuttle with white white Bark and thought about Louis-Schmeling day school and ByPU Congress to quadrennial session held at Rockland Palace here. Stormy session comes to close after spectacular to the session and thought about Louis-Schmeling day school and ByPU Congress to get under way here June 24-28 with many high dignitaries of the Baphic Schmeling and thought about Louis-Schmeling day school and ByPU Congress to get under way here June 24-28 with many high dignitaries of the Baphic Schmeling and thought about Louis-Schmeling day school and ByPU Congress to get under way here June 24-28 with many high dignitaries of the Baphic Schmeling and thought about Louis-Schmeling day school and ByPU Congress to get under way here June 24-28 with many high dignitaries of the Baphic Schmeling and thought about Louis-Schmeling day school and ByPU Congress to get under way here June 24-28 with many high dignitaries of the Baphic Schmeling and thought about Louis-Schmeling day school and ByPU Congress to get under way here June 24-28 with many high dignitaries of the Baphic Schmeling and thought about Louis-Schmeling and thought about Louis-Schmeling

Dallas—Race is praised on prog-ress at Dallas Centennial Exposi-tion, Fifty thousand dollar hall of "Negro" life is dedicated. Carolina, was buried Tuesday in Archery, a small town near Plains. Ga., which he founded about 24 years ago. He died Wednesday

Geneva: threatens new war. Emperor in warning to Captain Anthony Eden, British foreign secre-

xposition. NAACP ends annual meet at Bal

one time head of the United States Veterans' hospital here, was in-dicted along with 13 others by a fed-eral grand jury on charges of con-spiracy to defraud the government through the diversion of hospital

nual session here last week.

New York—One killed, four wounded as Harlem cheers Louis' return to fistic glory.

Cleveland—AUK and D. of A. re-elects Mrs. L. C. Taylor as head. Picks Dayton, Ohio as site for next confab.

SEPTEMBER 5—Chicago—Assistant City Attorney Roy Washington this week is nursing a wounded right shoulder and a bruised Liumb

right shoulder and a bruised thumb as a result of a near fatal encounter with one Ernest Hamiel, 36 years of age, 4942 Dearborn street.

Columbia, Mo.—The spirit of jim crow still rules the University of Missouri. Lloyd Gaines of St. Louis is denied admission as student.

Washington—Clifton E. Taylor, a WPA teacher, faces death in attack case; 48-year-old man named by two little girls.

London—Haile Selassie turns to League of Nations in effort to regain empire. Empror asks ruling plans to take over unoccupied area. Renews plea for huge loan.

the former sharecropper alleged to have attacked a white foreman on an Arkansas plantation several months ago.

New York—Another huge welcome awaits last contingent of Olympic stars returning from Ger-

plant.

SEPTEMBER 12—Washington—
The Baker brothers, Edward and
Clarence, convicted as embezzlers,
get probation after year in penitentiary.

Atlanta, Ga—Lynching of A. L.

Manua in Dallon Ga seen as a

for the annual American Legion convention which opens in Public auditorium, the hall where Alfred M. Landon was nominated as Re-

James McGraw, aged Municipal Court balliff, for many years a figure in South side Democratic politics, was shot down early Sunday morning in an altercation in a South Parkway love nest by his 24-year-old paramour. He died on an operating table at Frovident hospital.

tion by a governor's commission and the federal grand jury. Pompt'en Lakes, N. J.—Joe Louis and his party of trainers and mana-

Columbus, Ohio—Ohio legislature passes measure for Paul Laurence Dunbar memorial. Citizens through out the country united in appeal to governor to sign bill.

in the Sam Bennett extradition case when he flatly denied the applica-tion of Arkansas for the return of

Chicago—Attorney Nelson M. Wil-lis, counsel for the International As-

gentine whiriwing, at the New York Hippodrome October 9.
Atlanta, Ga.—Bishop R. R. Wright is scored for his change in politics. Washington, D. C.—Silk threas under finger nails trap Norman W. Robinson as slayer of white wo-man trait

pus to trio charged with farmer's death. OCTOBER 10—Chicago—Joe Gib-

killing John Allen.

Janet Waterford, Chicago aviatrix, writes article on race interest in aviation.
Dr. E. A. Welters of Chicago threatens to sue University of Chicago clinic, charging "jim crow."

an angry mob just as they were about to be lynched Sunday Eugene Hambrick, James McCalley, Wood-

Countess Marie Permoyne, writing from Paris, France, says Mussolini invents victories to appease growing Italian unrest.
Citizens' league in New Orleans launches fight for race's rights.
APRIL 18—Washington, D. C.—Fearing that the U. S. government may take a hand in the numbers racket, policy barons plan confab in Cleveland, Ohio. This action followed close on the heel of a decision of the U. S. Court of Appeals last Monday which "outlawed" the

U. S. Congress.

New York City—Word has been received here by defense attorneys

Atlanta. Ga.—Incensed over the lynching Friday night of 33-year-old Philip Baker at Bark Springs, Ga., members of the interracial commission here this week demanded immediate federal action to curb mob violence in the south.

MARCH 28—Addis Ababa—Emperor Haile Selassie leads Ethiopian army on northern front to great victory.

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Kansas City. Mo.—Train wrecks en route to National Baptist Sunday School and BYPU confab. Twenty

Ballimore—Secretary of Interior, Harold L. Ickes' speech officially opens annual convention of the Na-tional Association for the Advance-

court.
Richmond, Va.—NAACP aid is sought in fight on Virginia murder verdict.
AUGUST 1—Cairo, Egypt.— Two

Harrisburg, Pa.—Admonished to

lessly mowed down by machine gun fire here early Monday in a mys-terious attack from a speeding au-tomobile, the license plates of which

licking taken from German.
Philadelphia—National Medical
Association opens its annual session

Tuesday when efforts were made to show Jesse Owens the high esteem and rare appreciation felt by the citizens of the Great Lake metropo-

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of 2,000 at bay for two hours before he was killed.

Dakar, Africa—Prince Marc Kod-jo, known here as Prince Kojo, heir successor to the throne of Dahomes is dead. Death recalls his visit to the United States and his marriage

to a Chicago singer, Mme. Roberta
Dodd-Crawford.
Roosevelt, with Congress under
his thumb. fails to push anti-lynch
bill, says Robert S. Abbott in edi-

Austin, Tex.—Texas Race educational system is condemned here. Leaders say whites given edge over

other students.
Washington—J. Finley Wilson, grand exaited ruler of IBPOEW, has refused to issue a special dispensation to national capital lodge for an election of officers to oust incumbent

Jr., former Provident Hospital interne, now a prominent physician in Hot Springs. Ark., was jailed this week because of failure to pay his ex-wife back alimony.

Chicago—Visitors to TuskegeeWilberforce football game last Saturday set dizzy social pace.
OCTOBER 31.—Chicago—Chicago
grid fans make plans to welcome
second grid classic; Alabama State
Teachers will meet Kentucky State
college gridders Saturday at Soldier
Field.

DECEMBER 5.—Toledo, O.—J.
Elliott Douglass, dreamer of colossal schemes and without a peer in
staging food store and other spectacular promotions, is dead.
Washington, D.C.—Perry Howard
named in damage suit for \$2,500:
D.C. bank receiver goes to court to
college gridders Saturday at Soldier
Jonesboro. Ark.—Turning down

Field.
Chicago—Thirteenth, Fourteeqth,
Fifteenth amendments to Constitution to be abolished? Landon's election will end onslaught on our basic New York, N.Y.—Plans have been

completed here for the reopening of the local office of the Chicago Defender, World's Greatest Weekly, November 1, it was announced this New Orleans, La.—Feeling is run-

New Uticans, La.—recting is fun-ning high here and is increasing with the spread of a report that a white clerk in a local grocery had attacked Mrs. Phileman Washing-ton, 71 years of age, when she re-fused to accept some undesirable articles.

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London—Bud Harris, internationally famous theatrical star and journalist, to cover John Henry Lewis fight here on November 9.
Columbus, Ohio—Democrats import southern speakers to tell Race how to vote for United States President.

Cleveland Auditorium here in ten

round bout.

New York, N.Y.—The trials in the famous Scottsboro case which were to have been resumed on Novem-ber 2 before Judge William Wash-ington Calahan at the state of

ington Calahan at the state of Alabama have been postponed until December or January, it was announced this week.

Richmond. Va.—Mrs. Elsie Edwards Mayfield denies being the mother of Father Divine.

Chicago, Ill.—Police contine probe into murder of Joe Gibbons, former sweetheart of Mrs. Joe Louis.

Hollywood. Calif.—New contract

sweetheart of Mrs. Joe Louis.
Hollywood, Calif.—New contract establishes Louise Beavers as movie star: first member of Race to gain this standing in film world.

NOVEMBER 14—Los Angeles.
Cal.—His mind suddenly becoming deranged, in a fit of anger, Eddie Williams, well known chauffeur and man about town, cut to death Mrs. Lauana Martinez Woods, then screaming loudly he fired a bullet

an election of officers to oust incumbent.

OCTOBER 17—Chicago—Dr. I. H. Holloway. prominent physician, is clected Mayor of Bronzeville in a contest sponsored by The Chicago Defender.

Clarksville, Tenn.—A love affair between a married woman and a roomer ended rather abruptly last week when the husband shot him to death during a quarrel in their home. Lovehart Warfield, the husband is charged with the slaying.

New York.—Thirty-seven candidates for Congress sign pledge to support anti-lynch bill: 44 more make own pledge to fight jobs. relief discrimination.

Topeka, Kans.—Kansas educator comes out for Landon; cites his record of fairness.

Chicago—Mother of Joe Gibbons demands probe into the slaying of her son, who was former sweetheart of Mrs. Joe Louis.

Litchfield, Ill.—Lynching overlooked by the Rev. A. L. Crown, pastor of Union Avenue Christian church as he named "World's Worst Sin."

Topeka, Kans.—Gov. Alfred M. Landon, Republican presidential nomince is outspoken on lynch question at conference before newspapermen.

Chicago, Ill.—Dr. Ellis A. Kendall Jr., former Provident Hospital interne, now a prominent physician in Hot Springs. Ark. was jailed this work because of failure to pay his

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Dallas, Tex.—October 17 to 19 will see the gathering of Alphas Kappas and Omegas, three fraternities which are to hold their regional confabs here.

Washington, D.C.—The appeal of Angelo Herndon against an 18 to 20 Angelo Herndon against an 18 to 20 wetting of the American Federation.

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Washington. D.C.—The appeal of Angelo Herndon against an 18 to 20 year sentence on the Georgia chain gang under a pre-Civil War slave insurrection statute was on the calendar of the U. S. Supreme Court for the second time when it opened its fall session on October 5.

Chicago—Sixteen nurses received diplenas from Provident Hospital Training School.

OCTOBER 24—Chicago—Death closed the career of Mrs. Elizabeth Davis Carey, widow of the late Bishop Archibald James Carey Sunday afternoon. She died at her home. 4730 South Parkway, after an illness of six weeks.

Chicago—Policeman Earl Wilson of Wabash avenue station who killed Joe Gibbons, former sweetheart of Mrs. Joe Louis, is held on manslaughter charge.

Chicago—Oze Simmons. sensational football star from the University of Iowa. plans to enter Northwestern university after strike with team mates.

Cleveland. O.—Spingarn's Stand Cleveland. O.—Spi

D.C. bank receiver goes to court to collect unpaid note.

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Jonesboro. Ark.—Turning down
a jury's recommendation for clemency. Judge John E. Martineau in
federal court here last Wednesday
isposed a fine of \$3,500 and sentenced Paul D. Preacher, planter
and citizen marshal of Earle, Ark.,
to two years in prison. The white
man was guilty of violating an ancient anti-slavery statute.

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St. Louis, Mo.—Stark tragedy stalked the Vashon-Sumner football game here Thanksgiving day when Harold Lumpkin and Herman Byndon were killed.
Addis Ababa.—Gore, second Ethiopian capital, was captured this week by the Italians after two months of intensive campaigning and guerilla warfare that finally routed the very inadequately armed native Ethiopians.

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Cleveland, O.—The Joe Louis-Johnny Risko fight is called off. Eddie Simms will substitute for Risko for the scheduled bout on

Columbus. Ohio—Democrats import southern speakers to tell Race how to vote for United States President.

Chicago—Col. Roscoe Conkling G.O.P.; nation hears great orator outline political issues.

Chicago—Robert M. Jones and George A. Johnston appointed to United States Military Academy by Cong. Arthur W. Mitchell.

Greensboro, N. C.—The 63rd anniversary of the founding of Bennett College was celebrated Wednesday with a special program in Carrie Barge Chapel.

Washington, D.C.—The case of Angelo Henndon, Cincinnati youth who is seeking to escape a sentence of from 18 to 20 years on a Georgia chain gang. is back in the lap of the U.S. Supreme Court.

Chicago—Congressman Arthur W. Mitchell once more defeats Oscar DePriest for U. S. seat from first congressional district. DePriest was only able to amass 28.182 while the incumbent polled 35.330.

Washington, D.C.—Entire nation goes Democratic.

New York, N.Y.—In the Demoratic tidal wave which swept President F. D. Roosevelt into office for the scheduled bout on December 14.

Chicago—Mrs. G. E. Shaw, wife of Bishop Shaw, died.

Washington, D.C.—U.S. Supreme court decided lost Monday to review for the second time the conviction of Angelo Herndon, youthe ful communist in Georgia courts on a charge of attempting to incite insurection under a Georgia of Alphon of Emperor Haile Selassic at Bath Estate in England.

Chicago—J. H. Wainwright sings for Hampton Institute 30 years; feted by Chicago alumni headed by Editor Robert S. Abbott.

DECEMBER 12—Detroit, Mich.—The notorious Black Legion underwent another sickening jold here last week when Judge Donald Van Zile, sitting in Recorder's Court. Soll World War veteran, to life in the state penitentiary of Southern Michigan and the prison at Marquette.

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Chicago—United

Northwestern university after strike with team mates.

Cleveland, O.—Spingarn's stand for Roosevelt draws fire of Cleveland NAACP; Chester K. Gillespie pens telegram to Secretary White.

Baltimore, Md.—Calvin Douglas is second Race student to enter the University of Maryland; will study law in night school.

Toledo, O.—Ohio CME conference endorses Governor Alfred M.
Landon for president; church reports that annual meet shows prog-

gruesome event of the kind to be seen in these parts.

Marshall, Texas—A new era in racial understanding and good will is predicted by observers here if plans for the proposed post-season football game at Oakland, Calif., between Bishop College Tigers and a team from one of the white colleges on the coast materialize.

DECEMBER 19—Cieveland, Ohio—Joe Louis, the Brown Bomber, back in good money after a record win over Eddie Simms, Detroit fighter, floors his man in 18 seconds.

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Nashville, Tenn.—Editor R. C.
Barbour, Baptist leader, raps churchmen; says "Jesus never had a chance at Baptist convention at Chattanooga, Tenn."
Raleigh, N. C.—Deadly fumes of lethal gas snuffed out the life of 22-year-old Martin Moore, hotel boy in North Carolina gas chamber here.
He was executed for the killing of Helen Clevenger in Asheville last July.

July.

New York, N. Y.—Bill (Bojangles)
Robinson, world's greatest tap dancer and star of both stage and screen.

cer and star of both stage and screen, celebrates his 50th anniversary in show business.

Los Angeles, Calif.—Dr. Jack Smitherman, socially prominent, seized by police after girl patient dies following "illegal operation."

Hampton, Va.—Robert Sengstacke Abbott, editor and publisher of The Chicago Defender, gives three oriental rugs to Hampton Institute library.

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ers a merry Christmas.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Trapped like rats, six persons were killed last Saturday night and 21 were injured when two South Philadelphia tenement houses at 517 and 19 S. 15th street collarsed.

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Moscow, U.S.S.R.—Paul Robeson, internationally famous singer and stage star, enrolls his son, Paul, Jr. in Russian school.

Whitesburg, Ky.—A minister, once a member of the race, has turned white and freak of nature was due, the Rev. A. H. Mädison says, to his fervnt prayers asking God to make him white so he could preach to both the members of the race and the whites also.

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only able to amass 28.182 while the incumbent polled 35,330.

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New York, N.Y.—In the Democratic tidal wave which swept President F. D. Roosevelt into office for the second time, emerged two Race winners, Robert W. Justice and William T. Andrews. These men will sit in the New York General Assembly.

Cleveland. O.—Joe Louis, Brown Cleveland. O.—Joe Louis, Brown Homber, will seek his 30th knock.

Cleveland. O.—Joe Louis, Brown Homber, will seek his 30th knock at charges of D. Cleveland. O.—Joe Louis, Brown Glown on Monday night, December 7, when he meets Johnny Risko in the Chicago-Gangsters' guns roured

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