

STUDENTS JOIN DRIVE ON JIM CROW BASEBALL

New York, April 22 (CNA) — students of DeWitt Clinton High School, The Bronx, this city, took the lead this week in picking up the rapidly growing campaign to end jim-crowism in organized baseball.

During the same week "Friday" a new weekly picture magazine, took up the fight for recognition of Negro baseball stars in a smashing article entitled "Baseball Needs Them." The article quotes big league managers and players who have testified that many Negro stars belong in the majors, and cites figures showing the amazing success of Negro stars in post season exhibitions against the big league's best.

"The addition of the battery of Satchell Paige and Josh Gibson to any of the first division American League clubs would make the Yankees the best second team in the history of the game," the article says.

Petitions circulated at DeWitt Clinton High School met with an immediate response from the students of the world's largest high school. The petitions were issued jointly by the Frederick Douglass Club, the American Student Union and the Shofar Society.

Petitions quote the big league managers and players who asked for an end to Jim Crow last summer and say:

"In the name of true sportsmanship in the American tradition, we, the undersigned, add our voices in demanding an end to Jim crowism in Major League baseball."

Among its immortal athletes of all races, Clinton has had many great Negro sports heroes. George Gregory was captain of one of its greatest basketball teams and went on to become Columbia University's first Negro Captain. The present crack football and basketball team have Negro stars of high caliber. The sensational Negro Golden Gloves winner of the past two years, Buddy Moore and Ray Robinson, are both Clinton boys.

The addition of the high school petitions will add momentum to the tremendous campaign launched this year by the Trade Union Athletic Association, with 33 local AFL and CIO unions and a membership of 300,000. The unions have set up a Committee to End Jim Crow in baseball which is starting a campaign for millions of signatures on a national scale. The trade union and youth movements on the Pacific Coast already have begun cooperation.

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FRED DOWNER DISCOVERS 'GENIUS' DOLLY MORGAN



Chicago, April 27 (Atlas News Service)—South Parkway at 4025 lives Dolly Morgan, a seventeen-year old high school girl and her widowed mother, Roberta. Dolly was born on Friday the 13th. Since Dolly was a small child she has liked the various weird tones of soft sweet swing music, but never had an opportunity to attend a music school because of the limited income of her mother. After Dolly finishing her daily chores, she would take a seat at her fourth floor window and watch the traffic go up and down the great South Parkway, day dreaming and wondering if and when her dreams would come true. At night, she would lie asleep and dream of a song, even the arrangement of the rhythm; upon awakening she would write the music down on the nearest thing to her, which happened to

be shoe box tops most of the time. For more than three years Dolly was discouraged from writing swing music, but upon the advice of her cousin, Steve Thornton, she soon began to compose.

**SEEKS OUTLET**  
Fred Downer, Pittsburgh Courier Chicago sports reporter discovered Dolly. He helped her contact several Band leaders, and has sent several compositions to them.

"INK SPOTS" are looking over one of her pieces "BLAME THAT THRILL", Woody Herman is waiting for her fourteen piece arrangement of "YOU'RE STILL ASLEEP."  
Duke Ellington says her "PRELUDE TO A DREAM" is tops, and promises to record this number for her. Mr. Harold Turner, pianist for station WGN offered to air one of her songs "LOVE

HAS A THOUSAND MOODS." Her latest composition "SUMMER SAYING GOODBYE" is more on the sentimental side. Out

of all these outlets we are hoping that little Dolly's dreams will come true.

What Do You Know About Health? By FISHER BROWN and NAT FALK

1. HOW DID AMOPHELES KILL OLIVER CROMWELL?  
2. WHAT IS "LONDON BLUE"?  
3. WHY DO SOME MEXICANS WEAR BELTS MADE OF RATTLESNAKE SKIN?

Answers: 1. He died of malaria, which is transmitted by the amopheles mosquito. 2. It is the name ascribed to milk sold in London during the 19th century. The term refers to the characteristic watery-blue color of the milk which was caused by frequent adulteration. The present U.S. milk supply rates among the best in the world. 3. In Mexico some of the natives believe that wearing a belt made of rattlesnake skin will protect them from being struck by lightning.

Social Security Officials Confer



Paying of claims for old-age and survivors insurance and placement activities in the Employment Service resulted in this conference of Federal and State officials. On the left is Dr. Charles L. Franklin, analyst expert for the Social Security Board in Washington, (center) J. E. Stamps, Manager of the Board's 47th Street Office, Chicago, and Samuel B. Danley, Illinois Employment Service Office Manager.

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Present for the switching on of the power at the new substation were officials of the public district and Nebraska Power company.

The contract between the Nebraska Power company and Loup River public power district calls for delivery by the district of 5,000 kilowatts of power after July 1. During a brief period, however, only a small amount of power will come into Omaha from the Loup River plants. This will be increased as the operations between the two systems are coordinated.

By the terms of the mutual purchase agreement, Nebraska Power company will take additional power from the district as the needs of its customers increase and as such power can be supplied by the district.

In addition, the Nebraska Power company's steam plant in Omaha is made available to the public power district during off-peak hours to protect its system against water shortage or other failures.

U. OF MARYLAND DEDICATES 3 NEW BUILDINGS FOR NEGRO STUDENTS

Princess Anne, Md., April 25—(ANP)—Three new buildings for colored students were dedicated here Friday at the University of Maryland. Built under the direction of the Public Works Administration, this provision for Negroes at the university marks a new step in educational democracy.

MARYLAND PARLEY HITS LYNCHING; ASKS PROBE

Baltimore, April 25 (CNA)—A sharp resolution condemning the Dies Committee and calling for an investigation of the Ku Klux Klan by the City Council was passed at the week end Maryland Youth Peace Conference here.

Delegates from Negro, trade union, youth church groups and social clubs participated in the parley which also mapped a campaign to spur the passage of the Youth Act.

Ed Lewis, executive secretary of the Baltimore Urban League, led the panel discussion on civic liberties and peace. Leo Alpert, white, chairman of the Maryland Democrats was co-leader.

Recent attempted lynching on the eastern shore was discussed in the panel and it was voted to press for the passage of the anti-lynching bill in congress.

Special steps were urged to guarantee the right of Negroes to shop in all Baltimore stores.

Lindsay Field, representative of the UER, MW, CIO radio and electrical union, made a special plea that the delegates send letters to their congressmen oppos-

ing any amendments to the Wagner Labor Relations Act.

Conference members enthusiastically voted to support the coming third National Negro Congress and to cooperate in sending a large Maryland delegation to the sessions.

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Calvin's Newspaper Service TESTED RECIPE

By Frances Lee Barton WHAT tastes better on a cold evening than a dish of steamed spice pudding for dessert? I can't think of a suitable answer and don't believe you can either. So here's a recipe for just that kind of pudding:

Steamed Spice Pudding 2 cups sifted flour; 2 teaspoons double-acting baking powder; 1/4 teaspoon soda; 1 teaspoon salt; 1 1/2 teaspoons ginger; 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg; 1 1/2 teaspoons cinnamon; 1/2 teaspoon cloves; 1/2 teaspoon allspice; 4 tablespoons butter or other shortening; 1/2 cup brown sugar, firmly packed; 1 egg, well beaten; 1/2 cup milk; 1/2 cup molasses. Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, soda, salt, and spices, and sift together three times. Cream butter, add sugar gradually, creaming thoroughly. Beat in egg. Add flour, alternately with milk and molasses, stirring well after each addition. Turn into greased molds, filling them 3/4 full; cover tightly and steam 2 hours. Serve with your favorite sauce. Serves 10.

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