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## ARTICLE XIV, CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES

## **Citizenship Rights Not to Be Abridged**

1. All persons born or naturalized in the United States, and subject to the jurisdiction thereof, are citizens of the United States and of the State wherein they reside. No state shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States; nor shall any state deprive any person of life, liberty, or prop-erty without due process of law, nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws.

ACCIDENT OR DESIGN, WHICH? | this with our own people? \$61,250 a year is a pretty tidy sum. Think

FROM certain things that have hap- this over. Buy some of your clothpened an impression prevails among ing from the small firms we have some of the girls attending Central and help them grow. High School and their parents that

Miss Williams, teacher of domestic art in that excellent institution, is not altogether fair in her attitude NORTH CAROLINA has set a wor-towards the colored students. Mak-

ing due allowance for over-sensitive- the South in her effort to more adeness upon the part of many of our quately provide for the education of children, it must be admitted that Negro children. That she has inthere is some ground for this im- creased her appropriations within the pression. Two or three incidents have last eleven years by 1,500% shows been brought to our attention which how woefully inadequate her proviwe must reluctantly admit gives color sion for the education of her black to the impression. The most recent citizenry was and since North Carowas this: The art work of several lina has always been far in advance of the students was placed on exhib- of other Southern states in this matition in the Pattern Shop at Sixteenth ter her efforts at improvement disand Farnam streets. Among these close the criminal negligence of other were three exhibits by Madeline Ship- Southern states in the work of eduman, a hat and two bunches of flow- cation. The dual system of educaers. She had received A plus for her tion is expensive and since that is work and felt quite proud that her so, the dominant race yields to the articles were deemed worthy to be temptation to be unjust and give the placed in the exhibit. Each girl's weaker race a mere pittance for their name was placed on her exhibit, with educational needs. It is to be hoped ONE NOTABLE EXCEPTION, and that other southern states will follow that was Madeline Shipman's. Her North Carolina's lead. name was left off of ALL THREE ARTICLES. Mrs. Shipman interviewed the teacher who claimed that Shipman politely stated that it was ONE of the greatest menaces to the exceedingly strange that her daugh- United States is the divorce evil, ter's name should have fallen off all three of her articles, while all the the minds and hearts of even Chrisother girls' names remained on their's. tian people. They do not seem to real-It does look a little strange, doesn't ize that the breaking up and separait? It may have been accidental, but tion of families is a dangerous and

tal sorrow that these accidents court. I am sure that no driver would, often the wife must become "bread- tubercular. who is sane, knowingly destroy a hu- winners." This, of course, makes an your share. Be more sane, live long- Israel left Egypt-seeking freedom and the Y. M. C. A. er and happier. NEGRO CITIES-ATLANTA

(By Jessie O. Thomas, Field Secretary, Urban League)

(For the Associated Negro Press) steadfastne Atlanta is effected by migration a definite very much like the lirge northern incial, econo dustrial center or urban community. In an address delivered at Kansas 227,000. T City before the Urban League Indusis 75.666. trial Conference during October, 1923, the writer made the following statement. "It is as far from Jasper county to Atlanta or some interior point in which N of Alahama, to Birmingham, or some follows: rural sections of Louisiana, to New stores, bal

Orleans, as it is from Atlanta to New York, Birmingham to Washington, or real estate New Orleans to Chicago. Geograph- draying, j ically, of course, this is not true. It ies, studie is true economically, educationally, tailoring, and politically. The relative degree dealers, p of greater freedom in the larger cities of the South as compared with the smaller towns and rural sections is

on a parity with the larger freedom gained by Negroes leaving larger centers of the South for the larger cities of the North.

southeastern section of the country years during the period of the exodus. This is indicated by the degree of in-6,629; 1920, 8,318; 1923, 13,104.

The migrants from the rural of the Atlanta the property holdings value southern states to the larger cities react quite awkwardly to the demands of their urban environments as the

which seems to rest so lightly upon readily absorbed in the new social it looks very much like deliberate de-sign upon the part of somebody. where there are children. In all cases where there are children. In all cases

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nine. The parents of these children chanical processes of the new com- the Working Girls' Home. should warn them to keep a sharp munities and become very productive. The Neighborhood Union cond lookout for approaching automobiles. They have large families usually, and free clinics for adults and pre-sch This precaution will save many avoid- the earning capacity of the head of age children. able accidents. It will prevent many the family, because of the lack of The Anti-Tuberculosis Associa a doctor bill, undertakenr's bill; in training, is insufficient to provide conducts a free health clinic for

fact, it will prevent much of the men- adequate support. Therefore, the ma- children under weight and for those already progressive midst. jority of the older children and very whose diagnosis show them to be pre-

man life. Many of the automobile unfortunate moral situation because for the deserving Negro families. accidents are due more to careless- the children are left at home unsuper- The Orphanage performs the duties Cleveland at 2268 E. 55th street a ness on the part of the injured party vised. These people come, of course, common to institutions of its kind. modern, well equipped beauty parlor, than to the drivers of the cars. Do for the same reason the children of This is also true of the Y. W. C. A. school and distributing agency has

from political and economic slavery, peonage, mob violence and all of its Association provides the only kinder- ent instructors and every facility for While they bring to our city social the city of Atlanta, with the excep-

and economic problems, a majority of tion of what is done at Atlanta Uni- Tracy avenues, Kansas City, Mo., them also bring ambition, man-power, versity.

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business, beauty parlors, e, furniture stores, public ewelers, plumbing compan- os, safe moving business, banking, coal and wood ublic stenographic offices, companies, fraternal organ- employment agencies, pool	Before the sweep tide Shall fall each creed, Of birth, of v false pride; Their fall shall freed.
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Atlanta like many other strategic are holding positions are as follows: points is the "gate-way" from the Department stores, coal and wood yards, brick masonry, employment ofto the north and west. It is a sort of fices, stock yards, grocery stores, an assembly point for the migrants manufacturing, fraternal organizacoming from Florida, eastern Ala- tions, hotels, laundries, florists, railbama, western South Carolina, cen- road yards, bridge building, dry goods tral and south Georgia.. While we stores, music studios, furniture stores, have had a large number of Negroes banks, insurance companies, pool leave Atlanta going to northern and rooms, automobile business, transfer western sections, our population has companies, building and contracting constantly increased for the past five concerns, and real estate offices. The Negro property holdings assessed valuation for 1914 was \$145,-

crease in our school population: 1914, 680 for Fulton county (outside of the city of Atlanta) and for the city of

was \$1,900,720 in the year 1914. For the year 1923 the county taxes

were \$227,290 and for the city of At-Negro who goes from a southern city lanta it was \$4,130,560. This shows to a northern community. They bring an increase of \$132,290 in county with them, therefore, many social and holdings and for the city \$2,129,840. economic problems growing out of an This indicates that the Negroes have effort of re-adjustment. A large per- practically doubled their property centage of them, however, become holdings in nine years.

The white employers are favorable and economic fiber of their new en- toward having Negro employees in vironment. In many cases they be- certain traditional industries. Necome articulate in the industrial and gro employees are making good in fraternal life of the southern cities these industries where they can find

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- pon the world from Los Angeles, Cal., and Indianapolis and make a total of 70 branch parlors l of man, transcend-
- ing dream, Thru undreamed universal scenes United States. shall mount.
- No earth-bound, craven future for this race

In which the spark of God's own avenue, last week by illness. spirit burns;

The will to rise shall guide it to that place

- Beside His throne, for which its spirit yearns.
- From this high vantage point, as back we gaze Upon our past-the present where
- we dwell-Our hearts shall fill with wonder and
- amaze That, with such obstacles, we did
- so well. Then, turning toward the future,

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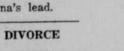
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## BE PLEASANT

TSN'T IT easier to be pleasant than radiator of the car. grouchy? Certainly a grouchy will be richer for your influence and hour for automobile traffic. The example. Cut out grouchiness. Be automobile contained a whole family, pleasant.

THINK THIS OVER

An automobile accident occurred on 24th, near Cuming street, Wednesday at 4 o'clock. Considerable dam-age was done to the front end of the The accident was due to slippery person must be a most unhappy be-ing. Cultivate cheerfullness and ban-control of the car and ran it into a ish grouchiness. You will be better lamp post to avoid a more serious and feel better for it and the world, accident, as this was a very busy

part of each one to do the right thing

intact. Marriage by too many is re-

garded lightly and divorce easily fol-

lows. Divorce should be discouraged,

not encouraged.. It is a serious men-

**RAG'S OBSERVATIONS** 

not one of which was injured in the accident

Many accidents usually occur dur-ing the season of ice and snow. Many THE 14,000 colored people in Omaha of these could be avoided by the efdress well. They spend on an forts of those who are injured and

Suppose we spent only 5 per cent of curred. But a stitch in time will save

THE NEGRO'S CONTRIBUTION NOT NEGLIGIBLE

A moment's thought will easily convince open-minded persons that the contribution of the Negro to American nationality as slave, freedman and citizen was far from negligible. No element of American life has so subtly and yet clearly woven itself into warp and woof of our thinking and acting as the American Negro. He came with the first explorers and helped in exploration. His labor was from the first the foundation of the American prosperity and the cause of the rapid growth of the new world in social and economic importance. Modern democracy rests not simply on the striving white men in Europe and America but also on the persistent struggle of the black men in America for two centuries. The military defense of this land has depended upon Negro soldiers from the time of the Colonial ars down to the struggle of the World War. Not only does the Negro appear, reappear and persist in American litera-ture but a Negro American literature has arisen of deep significance, and Negro folk lore and music are among the choicest heritages of this land. Finally the Negro has played a peculiar spiritual role in America as a sort of living, breathing test of our ideals and an example of the faith, hope and tolerance of our religion.—Du Bois, "The Gift of The Falt "

more readily than is correspondingly employment. Women are employed of divorce, there is generally some true when they reach northern cenfault on both sides, and if there is an ters from the south. honest and sincere desire upon the

This is due to the fact that 99 per cent of the Negroes in the southern can be adjusted and the family kept cities are southern, to the "mannerborn" and, therefore, are more sympathetically disposed toward the newcomer and give him a more cordial welcome than he is likely, generally, to receive in any northern section.

more largely in the laundries than they are in any other industry. The other leading organizations in

of the Y. M. C. A., the Colored branch group in no small way.

of the Y. W. C. A., the Leonard Street Important among the new estab-While they have labored for the Orphanage, the Carrie-Steel Orphan- lishments being opened from time to most part in agricultural industries age, the Gate City Free Kindergarten time are the parlors and supply staprior to coming to industrial centers, Association, the Kindergarten Train- tions of the Madam C. J. Walker many of them quickly learn the me- | ing School, Atlanta University and Manufacturing Co., of Indianapolis,

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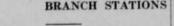
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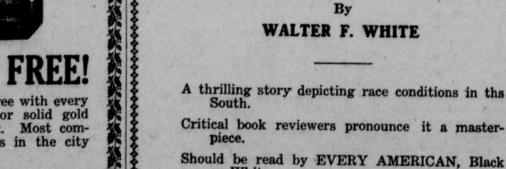
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