

THE SMARTER SET

High Class Race Production Makes Appearance and Is Well Received—Mr. S. T. Whitney Interviewed by Monitor.

Whitney and Tutt's Smarter Set company in Darkest Americans has eventually reached Omaha and everyone who has seen it, agrees that it is one of the best Colored shows yet produced. Not only does it harmonize the intellectual and humorous into perfect blend, but the entire production shows a reaching out for the very finest elements of dramatic art and a hint of the purpose to awaken the Negro to a sense of the beauty and delight of his own racial traditions and racial expressions.

The synopsis of the play is as follows: Dean Kelly Miller of Howard University, goes upon a voyage of archeological research in the interest of his college. Abe and Gabe Washington enter Howard under false pretenses. Dean Miller is lost. Abe and Gabe are commissioned to search for the missing dean. This search carries them to all parts of the globe and they are the participants in many exciting and ludicrous adventures. The dean is found, all return home and everything ends happily.

The first scene shows the interior of the Andrew Rankin Memorial Chapel, Howard University. The chorus under Lena Sanford Roberts renders some very beautiful numbers, among them "Sorrow Songs" and a medley of selections from well known Negro composers. The members of the chorus are exceptionally good singers and the musical numbers well chosen and excellently rendered.

The yacht scene in the second act and the Land of the Midnight Sun scene are artistically arranged and indeed pretty. Julian Costello's eccentric dance as the Snow Man is a bit of real art and secured great applause. The Mummy Dance, in the fifth scene, was most original and a creation unsurpassed by anything ever shown here by classic dancing. Miss Estella Cash in her Egyptian dance is a marvelous revelation in orientalism and so true to the Egyptian hieratic code are the various poses and physical expressions, that she may well rank among the highest exponents of the dancing art in America, none excepted. Throughout the whole the inevitable humor of Whitney and Tutt interlaced exquisitely with the theme and hardly a moment passed that was not garnished with a hearty laugh. The whole company is fine and deserve the greatest commendation.

In the interview with Mr. Whitney, The Monitor representatives had first hand history of the struggles through which the company has passed in establishing itself. It is a narrative filled with sunshine and shadow, mostly shadow, and the happy part of it all being the manner in which the company has clung together through-

out all misfortunes. There were no sacrifices too great for Whitney and Tutt to go through to help keep the company together and there were no privations so great that ever caused a single member of the ensemble to think of leaving and forsaking the company which they had learned to love. The story in itself is a drama with all the touch of human struggle, human affection and human feeling.

Mr. Whitney and the company are planning for the future greater things and The Monitor's heartiest congratulations go out to them. May their fortunes increase.

AMERICANS ALL
Letter Sent Daily News Editor

When our president spoke to congress and again in France of our soldiers and sailors, of their great achievement, their courage and loyalty, calls them our men and our boys. He speaks for all. Why should one wish him to mention color? But rather let him drop the color line, as he is aiming to do.

The fact that President Wilson called for more Colored soldiers after the first regiments were over in France was evident that they were making good. They were the stuff Pershing wanted. He said the only trouble with his Colored troops was to keep them back. They were so daring and the Huns knew it. They hated to face the Colored soldiers the worst of any, and you that have stayed at home have fought as nobly with your money and influence.

To the Colored people we say: We are proud to know that the German propaganda could not buy or coerce your press and your ministers as they have some of the whites. The Colored nurses have proved themselves 100 per cent proficient also. Don't harbor the thought that such loyalty to your country will pass unappreciated.

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ALIENS WELL TAUGHT

Citizenship Classes Enable Them to Answer Questions About American Government That Puzzle Natives.

Many aliens who enter the naturalization courts as candidates for citizenship are much better grounded in the knowledge of American government and institutions than the average native of this country. Indeed, some aliens are able to answer questions

that the judges themselves are not able to answer off-hand.

The reason for their excellent knowledge of the American government lies in the care taken by the citizenship classes, now conducted in public schools throughout the country by the bureau of naturalization, department of labor, to inculcate through familiarity with the institutions of the land of their adoption. The courses given by these classes are designed to raise the standard of citizenship by insuring a preparation adequate to meet the requirements of the most exacting state laws.

Naturalization is a somewhat complicated process at best, for not only must the alien satisfy the requirements of the state in which he expects citizenship, but he must also meet the demands of the naturalization court, which has the right to reject his application, at its own discretion.

The citizenship classes aim to make the way to citizenship as easy as possible for men and women who are willing to fit themselves for it. They cannot grant certificates of naturalization, but they are now able to give the alien evidence to show that he has a thorough drill in the prerequisites for naturalization.

The effect of the citizenship classes has been that those who have properly prepared themselves are able to pass satisfactorily almost any grilling that the court may set them. Those who are insufficiently prepared have at least the opportunity to go to school, and are generally instructed to do so by the judge.

So successful have been the classes that graduates are almost never rejected when they seek citizenship, and on those rare occasions it is seldom for lack of mental preparation.

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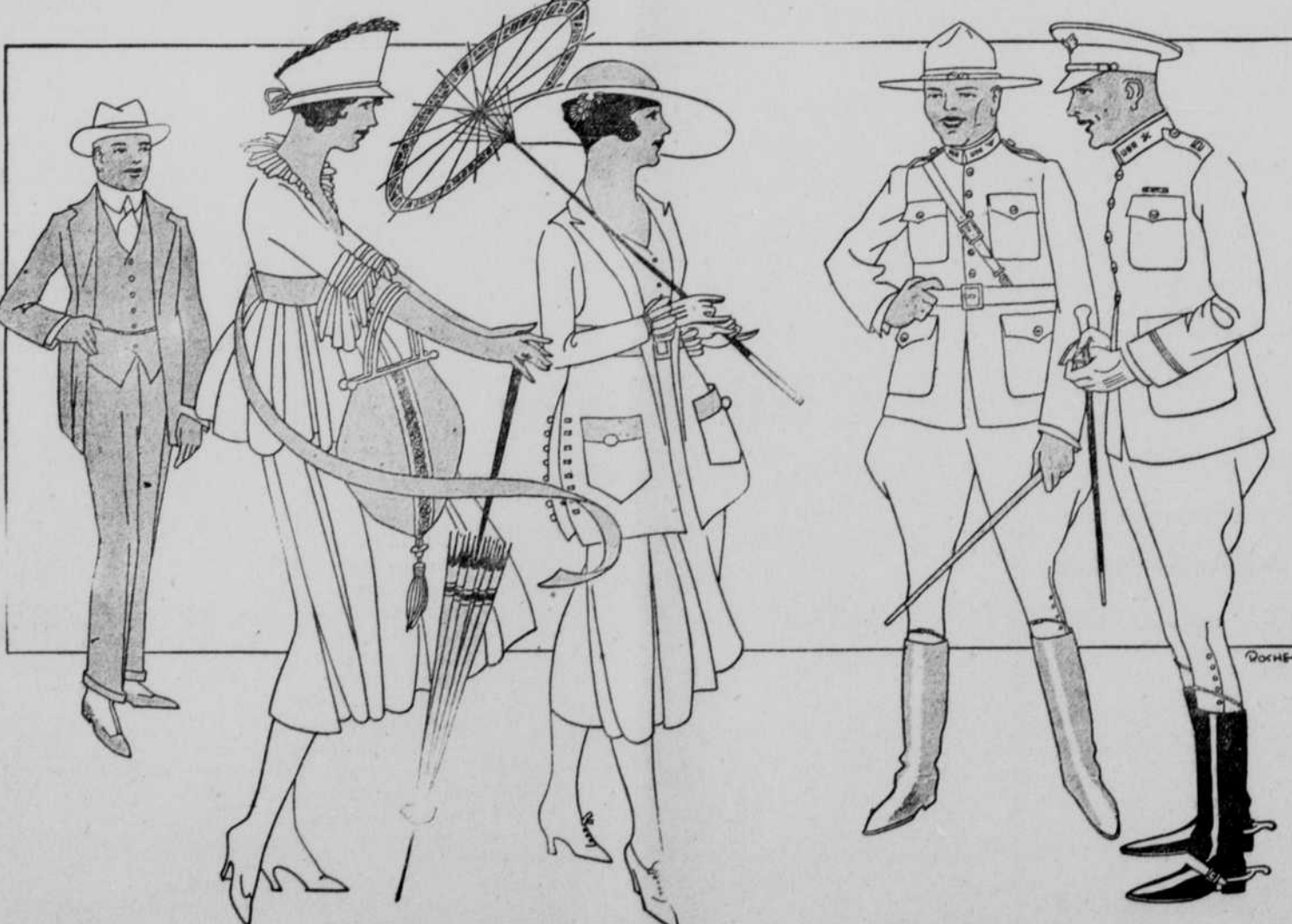
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