

Legal Notice

PROBATE NOTICE

In the matter of the estate of Joe P. Camper, deceased, notice is hereby given, that the creditors of said deceased will meet the administratrix of said estate, before me, County Judge of Douglas County, Nebraska, at the County Court Room, in said County, on the 11th day of June 1934 and on the 11th day of August 1934, at 9 o'clock a. m. each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustments and allowance. Three months are allowed for the creditors to present their claims, from the 11th day of May 1934.

Bryce Crawford, County Judge.

PROBATE NOTICE

In the matter of the estate of Martha J. Roberts, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that the creditors of said deceased will meet at the administratrix of said estate, before me, County Judge of Douglas County, Nebraska, at the County Court Room, in said County, on the 11th day of June 1934 and on the 11th day of August 1934, at 9 o'clock a. m. each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustments and allowances. Three months are allowed for the creditors to present their claims, from the 11th day of May 1934.

Notice of Administration.

In the County Court of Douglas County, Nebraska, in the matter of the estate of Evelyn Davis, Deceased. All persons interested in said estate are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in said Court alleging that said deceased died leaving no last will and praying for administration upon his estate, and that a hearing will be had on said petition before said court on the 12th day of May 1934, and that if they fail to appear at said court on the said 12th day of May 1934, at 9 o'clock a. m. to contest said petition, the Court may grant the same and grant administration of said estate to Henry Black or some other suitable person and proceed to a settlement thereof.

LEGAL NOTICE

Ray Lawrence Williams, Attorney. Room 200 Tuchman Bldg, 24th and Lake St. IN THE COUNTY COURT OF DOUGLAS COUNTY, NEBRASKA, In the matter of the Estate of David Allen, Deceased. TO THE HEIRS AT LAW, AND OTHER PERSONS INTERESTED IN SAID ESTATE:

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in this Court, on the 17th day of April, 1934, by Georgia Allen, wife of deceased, alleging that David Allen, died a resident of Douglas County, Nebraska, on the 15th day of December, 1932, possessed and of which he was seized or had an interest or equity therein, real estate situated in Douglas County, Nebraska, consisting of an estate of inheritance in:

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That the interest of said deceased in said real estate is a Homestead and wholly exempt from attachment, execution or other means process and not liable for the payment of the debts of said deceased and asking that the regular administration of said estate be dispensed with and that a decree be entered naming the heirs at law of said deceased, together with their place of residence.

You are therefore notified that a hearing will be held on said petition on the 12th day of May, 1934, at 9:00 A. M. o'clock and if you fail to appear at said time and place and contest said petition, the Court may grant the same, enter a decree of heirship and dispense with further administration of said estate.

Notice of Administration

In the County of Douglas, Nebraska in the matter of the estate of Edward Addison, deceased. All persons interested in said matter are hereby notified that on the 7th day of May, 1934, Joseph D. Lewis filed a petition in said County Court, praying that his final administration account filed herein be settled and allowed, and that he be discharged from his trust as administrator and that a hearing will be had on said petition before said Court on the 2nd day of June, 1934, and that if you fail to appear before said Court on the said 2nd day of June, 1934 at 9 o'clock A. M., and contest said petition, the Court may grant the prayer of said petition, enter a decree of heirship, and make such other and further orders, allowances and decrees, as to this Court may seem proper, to the end that all matters pertaining to said estate may

be finally settled and determined. Bryce Crawford County Judge

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MEMPHIS CITIZENS ASK JURY SERVICE

Memphis, Tenn.—The program of the Memphis branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People will doubtless be a reckoning force in this city and Shelby County during the coming election this summer. The program calls for the selection of Negroes for jury service in the criminal and civil courts of the county; the erection of a junior high school; the erection of a library where the colored citizens will have access to the best books available, and the appointment of Negro policemen and firemen.

The officers of the Branch are M. S. Stuart, president, general manager and vice president of the Universal Life Insurance Company; Attorney W. H. Bentley, vice president; Lewis O. Swinger, secretary, editor of the Memphis Journal, and member of the Home Loan Advisory Committee, and Rev. C. M. Davis, treasurer. There are two strong junior N. A. A. C. P. branches in Memphis, that of LeMoyn College sponsoring a citizenship forum at which noted speakers have spoken. The forum was organized by Mrs. Daisy Lamkin, regional Field Secretary, during the recent annual membership drive here.

MICHIGAN MAN WINS PAROLE AFTER TWO-YEAR FIGHT

New York City—After a stiff two-year fight for freedom staged by his relatives with the assistance of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, Frank L. Roberson, walked out of Michigan State prison recently on parole. Imprisoned on a grand larceny charge as a fourth offender, Roberson had been sentenced to a very long term. Competent legal defense enabled him to establish his eligibility for parole by proving that the records in two of the four cases were in error.

N. A. A. C. P. APOLOGIZES TO CRAWFORD ATTY. FOR CRISIS EDITORIAL

New York City—Expressing it "pro-colored man, went to the Pole with

MUTT AND JEFF—Jeff Lost His Sea-Legs And Mutt His Sea-Head



By BUD FISHER

found regret at certain implications in the editorial on the Crawford case in the May issue of the Crisis," the committee on administration of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in a letter to Crawford's lawyers: Messrs. Charles H. Houston, Leon A. Ransom, Edward P. Loveti and James G. Tyson of Washington D. C. assures them that "this editorial is personal expression of the editor, of the 'Crisis' and is not official pronouncement of the N. A. A. C. P."

"Dangerous Work" Lauding the brilliant legal quartet for its "difficult and at times, dangerous work" for "the labor involved in securing the qualifications of some 300 Negroes of Loudoun County for jury service," for the "brilliant attack upon unconstitutional exclusion of these citizens from juries" and for "skillful and courageous defense of Crawford in that four-day trial," the Committee commends the conduct of the case as "a significant step in the race relations... where the odds were 11 against you" and praises the lawyers for their sacrifice in serving without fee, "with the utmost loyalty, and with brilliant strategy to assure justice to a penniless, friendless defendant."

Raise Jury Issue Declaring that the raising of the jury issue in the Crawford case "has had wide effect as is seen in the fact that five southern states have placed Negroes on juries since Judge Lowell's decision," that "For many years the N. A. A. C. P. has sought to utilize the services of colored attorneys whenever circumstances permitted" and that "your fine work in the Crawford case will enable us to increasingly do this, even in the deep South," committee on administration assures the Crawford lawyers that "We regret that there should be any question of completeness of that service and of the high idealism, integrity and ability with which that service was rendered."

WRITER LAUDS MATT HENDERSON AS BEST MAN FOR POLAR DASH

New York City—Lauding Matt Henson, Peary's Negro as "a better man" than any of the North Pole discoverer's white assistants, Donald McMillan, noted polar explorer, in his recent published book "How Peary Reached the Pole" (Houghton Mifflin Co., N. Y. 1934) pays a remarkable tribute to the colored man on page 289. He writes:

"One question I have been asked again and again during the past years is, 'Why did Peary select a colored man to accompany him to the Pole rather than one of his white assistants?' "Matt Henson first went over the Greenland Ice Cap in 1893. He was with him on his long trip over the Greenland Ice Cap in 1893. He was with him when he rounded the northern end of Greenland in 1900. He was with him off Cape Hecla in 1902. He was with him when he broke the world's record in 1906. He was the popular man aboard the ship with the Eskimos. He could talk this language like a native. He made all the sledges which went to the Pole. He made all the tows. Henson, between the Atlantic and Indian ocean drainage areas is rarely more than

Peary because he was a better man than any of his white assistants. As Peary himself admitted, 'I can't get along without Henson.'

"After his many failures, Commander Peary owed to himself, his family and his loyal backers, his country, to take the most effective man to use the most serviceable. And this he did. And he won!"

Mr. McMillan was one of Peary's white assistants.

What Others Say About Us

"It is not possible, either as a working political formula, or as an anthropological theorem, to justify a generalization that there is any political or human function for which colored persons are by their African blood disqualified." Sydney Olivier—White Capital and Colored Labor."

What Negro Editors Are Saying

"The color of our skin is not primarily the cause of jim crowism in the United States. We are discriminated against by white Americans, because our ancestors were once in chains.

"It takes the white people of our country a long time to forget that our forefathers were once slaves. Do they remember that all races at some time in their remote history have been bondage?"—The Tribune Independent, April 28, 1934.

Looking Back By Videtta Ish

"Leaving the Home Nest" righteous living. It is well known that

It used to be that when young people "got married" they went to live by themselves. The groom prepared a place, as indicated in the parable of the ten virgins; and he took the bride to her new home. In many cases the home was humble and lacking in many respects, but it was a home.

To themselves, depending on themselves, these young people developed self-reliance and became schooled in economy, in meeting responsibilities. Now, the matter of getting along with the girl's parents is one of the chief considerations.

The effect of this generally is detrimental to the newlyweds. They indulge themselves; they depend on mother for work daughter ought to do. Son-in-law doesn't feel the responsibility as he should. Both are inclined to be extravagant because of the benefit of reduced expense. And it is manifestly unfair to the parents to be compelled to share their living with grownup and married children—and often with their grandchildren. When people get married they ought to go!

Lola Stewart's Column Rivers of Africa

"About one-third of the vast continent of Africa sends no rivers to the sea. Lake Chad, in the west center, receives much of the waters of these inward flowing streams. Another third of the territory drains into the Atlantic Ocean, and the remainder into the Indian Ocean or the Mediterranean. The dividing line between the Atlantic and Indian ocean drainage areas is rarely more than

500 miles from the east coast, except in the Zambezi basin.

"Africa's four great rivers are the Nile, the Congo, the Niger, and the Zambezi. Of the world's rivers the Nile is second in length only to the Missouri-Mississippi system, and the Congo ranks second only to the Amazon in the volume of water it discharges. The Nile, which rises in the southeast, is the only large river, which empties into the Indian Ocean; others include the Limpopo, the Rovuma, the Rufiji, and the Juba. In the west, north of the Equator, the Niger and the Senegal, emptying into the Atlantic, are the important rivers. Further south the Congo drains a larger territory on its way to the Atlantic Ocean and the extreme southern tip of the continent is drained by the Orange River, which also enters the Atlantic."

Quotations from Negro Authors

"Strike lightning to the road, my feet, for hearts are like wells. You may not know they are dry 'til you question their debts. Fancies clog the way to Heaven, and saints miss their crown." —"The Way-side Well"—Joseph S. Cotter, Sr.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL RIGHTS LAW GIVEN NEW TEETH

Boston, Mass.—The Massachusetts civil rights law was given added teeth last week when the state legislature amended it so as to raise the minimum forfeiture in case of discrimination from \$25 to \$100. It is

believed that the penalty will halt the growth of color discrimination in places of public accommodation here by encouraging an increasing number of suits by colored citizens against places attempting to bar them on ground of color. The amendment was sponsored by the Socialist Party, New England District, of which Alfred Baker Lewis is secretary. The Springfield branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People lent considerable support to the amendment and sent a representative to the hearings in Boston.

Social Sins

By Dr. A. G. Boarer (Hypocrisy)

(For The Literary Service Bureau)

Text: Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites!—Luke 11:44. Whore corruption and sin are prevalent, there hypocrisy will be found. One reason is that most people want to have the respect of their fellow-men. Another reason is that hypocrisy enables one to dupe his neighbor and secure certain benefits which would be denied if the truth were known. 1. Sin Against Self. The individual who practices deception will so degrade his own character that the practice will become habitual and almost impossible to overcome. Deceiving others he will eventually become self-deceived and unable to judge the true from the false. 2. Sin Against Society. It is a sin to deceive. It is injurious to others. Discovered, it has the tendency to weaken the faith of an individual in all others. Hypocrisy is the most subtle gent in defrauding a person. And all of these are included in the consequences of this crime against society. 3. Polliw and Futile. It is foolish to deceive oneself in regard to such conduct. Futile are the efforts to

hinder revolution of the truth; for well founded is the declaration, "Be not deceived, God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap;" means certain punishment for wrong.

"Be sure your sins will find you out."

C. M. E. Church Wires Pres.

St. Louis, Mo., May 16—The general conference of the Colored Methodist Episcopal Church in session here on May 2nd wired the following resolution to President Roosevelt: —"The General Conference of the Colored Methodist Episcopal Church, now in session in St. Louis, Missouri, extends greetings to you personally and prays for the successful working out of the Recovery Program initiated by your administration... We recall with great appreciation your strong deliverance against lynching before a recent convention of the Federal Council of Churches. We desire to ask your special consideration of the Costigan-Wagner anti-lynching bill now before the Senate, and sincerely trust that you will urge its passage before the closing of the present session. This Conference represents 3,500 churches, with a membership of more than 325,000, located in all parts of the nation."

The special resolution was presented by Dr. Channing H. Tobias of the Y. M. C. A.

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