

# IN THE SHADOW OF THE STARS

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YOUNGEST MENTALIST ON THE AMERICAN STAGE



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Worried.—He says he loves me and will some day marry me. When I am working everything is fine. When I am not working he gets mad and says all kinds of mean things. Do you think I should leave him?  
 Ans: I do. There is no doubt but what he is fond of you—but it isn't love. When you work and plank your earnings down, all is fine. But if you fail to work, he starts fussing and nagging. That is proof enough that he doesn't love you or intends to marry you.

S. M. F.—Help me. Will I go to Washington the later part of this month as I am planning?  
 Ans: I'm afraid not. It is indicated to me that you will not be able to make the journey—you won't have the money, nor can you borrow the sum that you

know to be necessary for the journey.  
 A. A. S.—Will my husband forever help his own people and never have anything left to help me with? Will my children be safe with my people?  
 Ans: For some unknown reason your husband doesn't see the importance of helping his own little family first—he allows his own folks to talk him into giving them what he makes. Your children will be safe with your people—get out and get employment and take care of them.

J. S. H.—I am planning a vacation this summer and wonder if I should take it. One of my girl friends close friend told me that my husband was in love with her and that I was a fool but I don't believe it. Will going away throw us apart?  
 Ans: Take the trip as you have planned. It will do both of you a world of good. Your husband might ramble around a little while you are away, but I'm sure that he will be mighty glad to see you when you return. The girl you mentioned is trying to FLATTER HERSELF—your husband isn't in love with her.

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# IN TROPICS AFTER DARK



**THEY'RE IN "TROPICS AFTER DARK" AT EXPOSITION**  
 Some of the nation's leading stars will be found in the production, "Tropics After Dark," a major entertainment feature at the American Negro Exposition opening at the Chicago Coliseum on

the 4th of July. Included in the cast are Pops and Laurie, top left, comedy dancing team; Johnson and Grider, lower left, sensational ballroom dancing duo, and Sweetie Pie De Hart, lower right, whose specialty number "Dance of the Moods" is slated to be a hit. Top

right shows part of the cast as it was being rehearsed by Teddy Blackman. Other headliners in "Tropics" include Mitzi Mitchell, Dick Montgomery, Rubie Blakely and Fats Patterson, along with a chorus of brown beauties.

## OBSERVATIONS by Fred C. Williams

### THE PAST WILL NOT DIE

Down in Tennessee, near the town of Brownsville, the body of Elbert Williams was found floating in the river, the victim of a mob that is unalterably opposed to Negroes enjoying the 'right to vote'.

State to free Negroes under carpet bagging rule.

T. Montgomery, was honest in his purposes and trusting his associates, willingly gave his support to the bill, but alas, too late he awakened to the truth, that he had been misled by the explanation given him and had aided an abetted the infamous disfranchisement act that robs his people of their franchise, and left them without the protection of the ballot, and made them political and economic slaves.

## SOCIAL NEWS

### RUTH WHITLEY WANTED!!!

Anyone knowing the whereabouts of the former Ruth Whitley of South and North Omaha, please communicate with Mrs. Paul Scott, 1014 Woodland ave., K. C., Missouri.

### JOLLY TWENTY PICNIC

The Jolly Twenty Picnic on the 4th of July was carried out in characteristic Jolly Twenty fashion attended by more than five hundred merry making Omaha citizens from all walks of life. This club organized some ten years ago. Each year this outing at the club members' expense is given for the enjoyment and pleasure of their hosts of friends who are anxious to get relief from the sweating heat of our city and each year it gets "bigger and better." Too much praise cannot be given these public spirited citizens for their wonderful foresight in perfecting such an organization. This we can say is a striking example of what good organization can accomplish and such cooperation is much needed among our group. The club is headed by Pres. Richard Gaskin, vice pres., P. Jenkins, Secy. Walter Seals, Treasurer, Myers. More power to the Jolly Twenty, Jasper Cole, reporter.

### Small Investors Lose Savings

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### THE PASSING OF THE DISFRANCHISING ACT IN MISSISSIPPI SET A PRECEDENT THAT WAS SOON FOLLOVED BY THE REST OF THE SOUTHERN STATES.

We write this article for the simple purpose of pointing out that what began down in Mississippi through the methods of betrayal gradually became the principle and purpose of a program to prevent Negroes from arriving at the place where they could stand on a level with all other races of the United States and demand the full protection of the Constitution. History is replete with the program such as we have described by the long record of barbarous burnings and lynchings by such organizations as the KluxKlan, the Community Patrol, the Night Riders, the V. G. Lants, the Silver Shirts, Nights of the Flaming Sword and the so-called Christian Front.

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## KNIFE WIELDING, GUN-PLAY HEAVY IN GA. SUNDAY

Georgia, July 14.—The knife and gun went back to bloody action over the week-end in a vicious outburst of disturbances in almost every sector where colored citizens reside. Out of the welter of altercations and misunderstanding came the knife death of a young girl only 19 years of age and a long list of seriously maimed patients for Grady Hospital attendants to mend.

Lottie Cofer, 19, of 442 Mitchell street was found in an alley near the intersection of that street and Davis street. She was rushed to Grady where physicians announced her as dead on arrival. Police are on the watch for Willie Cook, 25, who works at a Davis street address.

Clarence Hampton, 25, 230 Lexington avenue, was stabbed between the shoulders at 2 a. m. Sunday by a man reported to be Murray, waiter at a well known local white hotel. Murray is supposed to reside above a five and ten cents store on Auburn avenue.

L. W. Thomas, 23, 569 Terry street, was cut over the left eye and across the chin at 5:25 p. m. Sunday, and in most of Sunday's affairs, police were seeking his attacker. They want Homer Carter, 32, of a South avenue and

Primrose street, address. Carter woke Thomas up against the will of the latter's household, cut him then threw bricks into the house.

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