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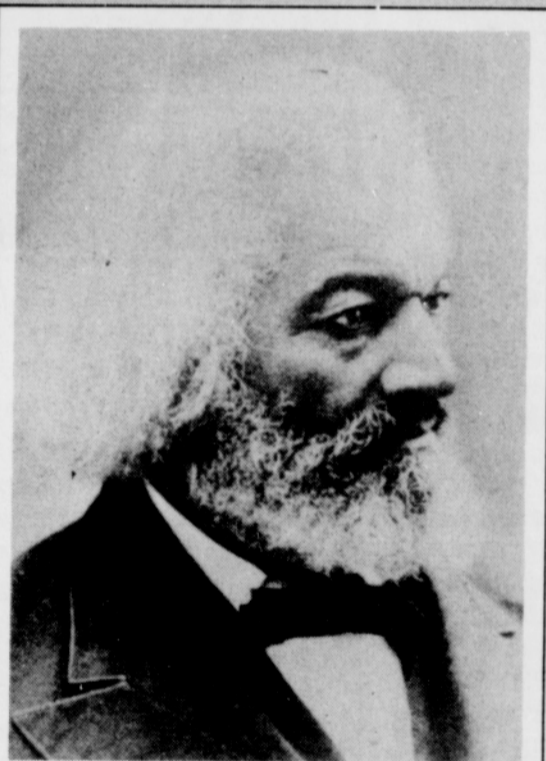

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Freedom cannot function without the free expression and communication of ideas. We salute the men and women of the Black Press and their noble profession. Perhaps Langston Hughes said it best...

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