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In memory of Katie-Martin-Axtell

[To the Editors]. Will you please print the following poetry. The last time Katie was home she cut it out of a paper, and it shows where her thoughts were, and we feel that some day we will understand why we must bear this heavy burden.

Mrs J W Martin

Some day we'll know, and we'll understand,  
Heart of my heart, in a lily-sweet land;  
Some day the mystery and meaning will shine,  
Heart of my heart, both for your eyes and mine;  
Some day we'll know why the worry and care  
Have come for our hearts and our shoulders to bear.  
Some day we'll know of the rest that we dream,  
And the cool of the grass and the charm of the stream,  
Low in the valley and high on the hill,  
Where the heart beat of time trembles softly and still;  
Some day we'll know all we hunger to know,  
Heart of my heart, in the land where we go;  
This that is trouble and worry and pain,  
Shall fall from our lives like the mist after rain;  
Some day we'll know it was sweet to have borne  
Our share to the shores of the land of the morn.

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Wasco, May 21st, 8 p m

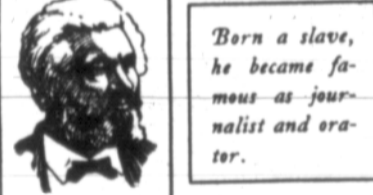
You are cordially invited to be present and hear the issues of the day discussed.

By order of Central Committee

### TWO MINUTE SKETCHES

### Frederick Douglass.

By ROBERTUS LOVE.



Born a slave, he became famous as journalist and orator.

THE first American negro who achieved a wide fame was Frederick Douglass. Born a slave at a place in Maryland bearing the odd name of Tuckahoe, the name first conferred upon him was Frederick Augustus Washington Bailey, truly an abundance for a pickaninny with apparently no prospects in life other than those of a bondman serving a master. But Frederick Augustus Washington was different from the ordinary pickaninny. Nature had conferred upon him a large head containing gray matter which could not be kept behind in life's race by the handicap of a dark skin. When Fredrick was a small boy he was sent to Baltimore to work in a shipyard. There he managed to get a little schooling.

Not always is a little learning a dangerous thing, though in Frederick's case it did prove dangerous to his owner from a commercial point of view. Healthy, hefty slaves in those days were worth a matter of a thousand dollars apiece. The little book learning acquired by the slave boy put into his head the determination to become free. He escaped in the disguise of a sailor and made his way to Massachusetts, where he read and studied to such advantage that when he reached the age of twenty-four he was able to deliver a lecture at an antislavery convention in Nantucket which brought him an invitation to go to England and deliver lectures on the slavery problem in America. He had changed his name to Douglass when he ran away.

In England Douglass raised \$1,200, with which he formally purchased his freedom from his southern owner. Then he settled in Rochester, N. Y., and became widely known as a journalist and orator. His paper, the North Star, later changed in title to Frederick Douglass' Paper, pleaded for many years the cause of the slave. Douglass had three sons in the Union armies. He was a presidential elector in 1872, United States marshal and recorder of deeds successively from 1876 to 1886 and became minister to Haiti in 1881.

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