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# KES RACE EQUAL

ACCUSE METROPOLITAN Father Serves As Butler To Son

Digesting . . . .. The News

A DICTATOR NEEDED

We can well imagine that if human life one some other planet could look down upon us through a powerful telescope, observing in detail our every action, that such observers would reach about the same conclusions as this columnist, whose observations are made purely by reading our many

weekly "exchanges", releases, etc.,

occasionally supplemented by perti-

nent correspondence.

. . . Many governments have, and are, bestowing dictatorial powers an and YUUIHFUL JUMPER in the hands of thier rulers because experience has taught them, at leastthat without a unification of purpose nature's human individual greed will wreck the very best of plans.

groes are sadly in need of an unsel- of the 10th Olympiad will now serve declaring: fish, conscientious and all-wise dicta- as background for the tall lad as he "Mr. Stuart is a Victorian termed as fairs, if we are not to perish through ifn. wasted energy in fighting each oth-

week-or rather the news as it reach- ed 6 feet 31/2 inches. A season later he the friction he desires. ed me during the past week. Judging won the title at 6 feet 41/2 inches. avowed purpose.

life is snuffed out by electrocution while the two organizations battle. is about to occur. In Tennessee, Georgia, Alabama, Oklahoma and Michlgan, a hot and wordy battle is beplish the same end.

In the field of business the situation is even more ridiculous. In many a rooming house at 1946 Williams ave., communities we read of, and record, had a fight last Thursday with Ervin tions-all seeking the same end but ment about politics. Johnson, it seems geles, figured in an auto accident on speak with him. not realizing that in individualizing got the worse of the scrape as he was the Pacific highway near Medford on their efforts they are wasting the as- arrested charged with disorderly con- last Sunday. It is said to have escaped with minor Delegates were elected to the nationto harmoniously unite their interests was treated at the emergency and at Kelles and Mr. Francis are said to covery for all of them. so that something really constructive Saint Vincent hospital. Mrs. Moseley have sustained serious injuries while and worthwhile can be accomplished. was charged with assault.

Even in our field of journalism we could use a dictator. How foolish it is to prate in editorials about the poor condition of the down-trodden race when in the advertising columns of the very same publication we find dozens of paid advertisements, which the earmarks of a gentleman and a Gragg had his tonsils removed in a if responded to will, forever, make scholar, faced vagrancy charges on recent operation. "suckers" out of the readers and the

Indeed, A dictator is Needed!

#### STORY OF JORDAN TOLD AT POLITICAL CLUB MEET

Tacoma, Washington, Mar. 25-The Colored Women's Political Club of Portland. this city held their annual election of officers this week and elected the follrome Franklin, secretary, lowing: Mrs. Anna Laura Buck, re elected president; Mrs. Fannie Bradshaw, vice-president; Mrs. Callie B.

principal speaker and gave a very in teresting talk on the Jordan Case of Portland, Oregon and in particular in the interest of the Jordan Defense

## AFRICAN NATIVE REBUKES PREJUDICED BRITON SOLON

London, March 19— (By ANP) —The condemnation of conored people be- Company has promised to investigate ing received in society here on the part of James Stuart, formerly assistant the alleged existence of separate ofsecretary for Native Affairs in South Africa, aroused the ire and drew a fices for Negro policy-holders in va- It is reported from London, England, severe rebuke from Obu, a native of the Gold Coast in West Africa, here rious cities of the country. Although that the Reamer Stanleyville, left last week. Mr. Stuart in an address at the Royal United Services institu- the company could have answered at Blyth, Northumberland, Monday, Mar. tion, decried the practice of Europeans receiving native Africans and people once whether separate offices were 6, for Japan, carrying a crew of Neof color of all parts of the world in society and entertaining them while maintained, as the NAACP has been gross determined, they said, to join the visiting this country. After describing the life of the natives at home and told, K. C. Ringer, superintendent of Japanese air force. The ship was dropthe impression made upon them by the treatment as equais as accorded agencies, has written Roy Wilkins, ping over the horizon when a delegathem by Britons, Mr. Stewart declared:

"It is nothing to hosts and hostesses and their daughters, that a few promising to investigate the specific arrived in taxicabs bearing 200 pounds months later, the guest will be back in his polygamistic surroundings, and aelwbtih European garments cast aside, rushing off in scantiest garb to every available beer drinking, witch doctor's 'smelling out' performances, or faction fight, within reach. All t hat impresses is the monetary appearance refusal of the North Grand Boulevard ence in London when a member an-

CVCC can brother. This listless attitude I receive a premium payment from Mrs. the Stanleyville, a Belgian ship sold complain of and seeming lack of poliregard, if not remedied one day will react on Great Britian."

torial board to regulate all racial af- campaigns for the 1936 games in Ber- an expert on South African Native Affairs. He did not, however, confine In 1931, Johnson opened his fumping himself to South Africa but made a career by figuring in a three-way tie sweeping statement afainst all colored for the city championship at 6 feet, peoples of the Empire a dangerous pro-Let us digest the news for the past Before the year was out he had clear- cedure which will, I am sure create

tional A. A. U. champion, at 6 feet 5e burden.

In Oregon, precisely the same thing FORMER PORTLANDERS ESCAPE ored whether clad in rags or broadcloth and the nobility of a manly nature will not always be estimated ac-Mr. and Mrs. J. X. Tronjeau and cording to the color of his skin. Mr. ADDRESSES WILLAMETTE ing engaged-not as to the correct their four children escaped injury in Stuart's idea that a man's skin, black procedure to assist worthy cases but Watts, California when their house or brown, though he be a British sub-Mrs. Estella Moseley who conducts minded individuals."

Miss Freeman who was operating the

METROPOLITAN LIFE COMPANY INVESTIGATES SEPARATE OFFI-CES FOR COLORED PATRONS

a letter of complaint from the NA-ACP, the Metropolitan Life Insurance the NAACP letter.

ored business here". The NAACP ask- jobs. And, thinking along the same line, two-year campaign which took Corne. Mr. Stuart as a prejudiced and un-

#### SOCIALIST PARTY URGES MORE all night, but arrived too late. MONEY FOR LEVEE PROBE

national executive committee of the Socialist party in a two-day confer-"What strikes me forcibly is that ence here passed a resolution March its prominence by the amout of news. From there Johnson went right on Mr. Stuart retains and advances his 12th urging an increase in the appropaper space consumed we are primari- to the Olympic games, winning the ancient ideas of Victorian Days and printion for investigation of labor con- ey Molders Defense Committee, thru ty attracted by the battle for supre- Southern California and California seems to have overlooked the fact that ditions in the Mississippi levee camps a local provisional committee, thru que, he proved that the white race kindly Mistress. She, however, found ditions in the Mississippi levee camps a local provisional committee set up have just as many characteristics in out that this young singer who was macy waged between two national or championships en route. The Pacific out of seven members of our great Emfrom \$1,000 to \$10,000. The resolution for that purpose, at the Central Librapire, five are darkskinned people car- calls the exploitation of Negro labor ry Sunday afternoon, Dawn Lovelace. cept public contributions for the same Walter Marty, Fresno college and narrying their full share of the Empire's on the levees "one of the outstanding member of the Jordan Defense Comscandals of the present time." Claren- mittee and local writer, gave a talk scandals of the present time." Claren mittee and local writer, gave a talk academic quibbling of the scientists, sit with her as an honor guest. It was nowly be resulted to the scientists at with her as an honor guest. It was nowly be resulted to the scientists at with her as an honor guest. It was nowly be resulted to the scientists. In just one week's time what do Bob Van Osdel in the final trials at upon the color of a man's skin to the party, has snt a copy of the reso-conditions surrounding Jordan's concept as they reflect upon the contemp- not know what to do or to say, but figure 1. we find? In South Carolina, a human Palo Alto, clearing 6 feet 6 7-8 inches. make his deductions, forgetting that lution to the NAACP and to Senators viction and sentence to death and tible, cowardly methods of the white pally accepted the invitation and

#### UNIVERSITY STUDENT BODY

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sets and energies of the race, or if duce after being bitten on the left hit by one driven by Dr. Sars of Port. injuries. Friends of the victims in al FREE MOONEY congress to be even the liberal-minded white people. so many years, had the experience of they do realize it the make no efforts arm and stabbed on his right side. He land and completely demolished. Mrs. Portland are hoping for a speedy re- held in Chicago, Illinois April 30 to

# JOIN JAPAN'S

assistant secretary of the NAACP tion of the British Anti-War Council complaint from St. Louis, cited in the with which they hoped to induce the

discontinuance of the voyage The NAACP complaint related the The Anti-War Council was in conferand the novelty of welcoming an Afri-Robert P. Watts, wife of the secretary to the Japanese government, was precy or active friendly concern in this tion. Mrs. Watts was told to go to a guarantee sufficient funds to keep its nother office as "we don't handle col- members until they could find other

in light of current facts, we must con- lius Johnson, 18-year-old Los Angeles informed individual. Mr. Obu champiclude that the race of American Ne- boy, to fourth place in the high jump oned the rights of the entire group,

ed in a few minutes. Delegates from the meeting left at once for Blyth in taxicabs and rode

### Indianapolis, Ind., March 23- The JORDAN CASE DISCUSSED BY

At a conference called by the Moon genius, talent and virtue will be honored whether clad in rags or broadGarner.

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tible, cowardly methods of the white nally accepted the invitation, and
ruling classes in suppressing the vicwhen the crowd applauded and Mrs. pression.

"Jordan has placed his life squarely

represented by delegates.

May 2nd.

NEGRO AVIATORS Story of George Garner's Rise To Fame Reads Like Fiction

WILL MAKE PUBLIC APPEARANCE IN PORTLAND ORE. NEXT MONTH

INSTALLMENT TWO (Continued from last week) By DAWN LOVELACE

up biological "facts" and "data" to sub- music world. stantiate the deliberate device of "George Garner is another story of white-t-an's rule to keep the oppres- romance— the story of a son of a butsed 12 million Negroes in America in her, who, by dint of hard work and subjection. The "scientists" called to long years of study, lifted himself out the defense of white supremacy are of the class of mediocrity into the very clever in their blending of fact highest field of culture to the point with lies, producing a concoction of where he is paid honor and homage by logic that convinces the guilible. One the rich and the poor, the titled and of the popular methods of logic is the the powerful. statement that the Negro race is not He grew up on the south side in far progressed from the anthropoid Chicago- selling papers, carrying ape as the white race, as proved by rolls, working as a bellboy, studying, the "sloping forehead" and full lips of studying, seeking better things until

ity, nevertheless.) The late George Dorsey, a white be given that honor. WELL KNOWN WOMAN WRITER his books, "Why We Behave Like Htt- mous old families of Chicago, that of

common with the anthropoid ages as creating It is just one of the methods used to he cried. in the hands of the white and Negro keep the fires of race hatred smolder. Mrs. Blackstone did not stop with masses. He did so after following the Scottsboro case, and realizing that it

was enthusiastically received by the an has appealed to all of us to unite being to shudder. But, because of the before when visiting his father? This he was the guest at lunch of the Al- The hall in which the conference not. Lynching episodes from the south housekeeper and quickly answreed. labor union locals and fraternal groups roble outrages can be perpetrated a- ened the doors of the famous old mangainst members of the Negro race with sion to millionaires and great ladies, Just a few months ago in a Southern announcing his own son as an invited 3, 226 "illegal" lynchings of Negro rope to further his studies. victims in the United States. Did any Then followed a series of triumphs murder charges, or even misdemean- such as seldom follows any individual. or charges grow out of these lynch- He was feted and honored everyings? Yet the perpertrators have been where; he appeared before the Royal known. Between 1889 and 1925 there Family of Great Britian; he toured as is a record of 90 women lynched in soloist with the London Symphony Orthis country. James W. Ford, who was chestra; he sang at the Westminster mentioned in last week's article of Abbey, St. Paul's Cathedral, at many this series, had white supremacy burn- social affairs of the titled -Lady Ased on his young mind when he witnes- tor. The Dowager Lady Swaythling. sed his grandfather burned alive in a Lord Beaverbrook, Sir Harry and The pile of railroad ties -a victim of Lady McGowan, Sir Thomas and the white man's power. Although protec- Lady Beecham and many others. tion of white womanhood -a stock A few months ago, he sang at a benphrase used by the mongerers of race efit concert at the Chicago Civic Ophatred -is commonly accepted as the era House for the benefit of the unemreason for most lynching, such is not ployed of his race. The house was the case. Out of 2,522 lynchings, 900 packed and many hundred disappointwere accused of murder, 477 with rape ed people were turned away -rather 237 with attacks upon women, 253 with an unusual occurrence in these days. crimes against property! and 303 with

> "miscellaneous" offenses. I submit the fact that the nine Scotts- him! boro boys have been threatened with lynching if they are released by the court! Legal lynching, of course, is of terrorizing the black race..

Portland was honored this week by the presence of George Garner, of Chicago who was here on Thursday looking after business in connection with his recital which he will no doubt sing in Portland the middle of April. Mr. Garner arrived Wednesday Plant and left in the afternoon on Thurs 'ay for Seattle.

The following excerpt from the Chacago Daily News of February 11, 1935 gives an interesting account of his Portland, Oregon, March 25-White early struggles for recognition and for "science" has been, for years, digging the lofty position he now holds in the

the Negroes. (Personally, I never saw he won the contest of the Society of an ape with other than thin, very Nor- American Musicians and the right to dic lips, but the "logic" is employed sing in Orchestra Hall with the Chicaby scientists to prove white superior- go Symphony Orchestra, Frederick Stock conducting, the first Negro to

compiler and popularizer of anthropo- In the meantime, the father, who logical and biological information, de- had faithfully served as a butler for voted considerable space in one of over forty years with one of the faman Beings", to a refutation of the Mrs. Timothy B. Blackstone, quietly propaganda spread by fanatical Nor- continued his duties, saying nothing dics. With a deft and amusing techni- of the aspirations of his son to his have just as many characteristics in out that this young singer who was her butler. She reserced a box at the But we are concerned here with the concert and then invited her butler to tims of their mercenary slave-traffic. Blackstone herself stood up to applaud

Lynching . . . the word, with George appear at the front door or efficiency of white propaganda, it does delicate question was referred to the

state, a Negro, accused of an attack guest, and of serving him at luncheon. on a white girl, was taken by an or- Out of that day and the concert came ganized mob of "superior" whites, and Mrs. Jacob Rambo Custer's and Mrs. burned to death on the roof of a school Blackstone's aid, which made it possihouse. From 1885 to 1927 there were ble for the young Negro to go to Eu-

candidate for legal lynching. And as The slogan of white supremacy he so well realizes, as evinced by his seems to be. WHAT THE COURTS statement and appeal to the white and WON'T DO, THE LYNCHING MOB Negro masses, it will b the combined WILL! I do not exaggerate -as proof protests of those masses that will save

(Continued next week)

Please come in and pay your subbetter than anarchistic mob violence. smription to The Advocate. We must But the two coordinate in the work insist on you doing so as we have many obligations to meet in conection Theodore Jordan is and has been a with upublishing the paper each wek.

### Local News Events

Monday in muny court. He had a library book from Tacoma library, and Leo Canada of Corvallis, Ore., was bank had been pried open.

INJURY IN QUAKE AREA

Young Colored Democratic Club of among the sick. Oregon at its meeting held last Wedlected to attend the State convention rome Franklin in Irvington. to be held on Jefferson's birthday in

Campbell.

Mr. E. D. Rawlins who underwent an Mrs. G. Davidson and Mrs. Dolly Parioperation for the amputation of his es. at Saint Vincent hospital.

Morton Brown, 22, colored, who had | The small son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy

a savings bank, issued in Tacoma. The a guest in Portland over the past week

Fifteen new members joined the Mrs. J. D. Patton is still numbered

nesday night at the Williams Avenue | The Bahai's met on last Tuesday Y. W. C. A. Three delegates were e- night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Je-

Mrs. C. H. Binford celebrated her Charles Adams is president and Je- 79th birthday anniversary March 20th. She has lived in Portland for as years with her husband who is nearly 83, Mr. loas, of San Francisco, Califor- and she has never suffered a sick day nia was in the city Thursday and ad- druing all that time. Mrs. Binford was Matthews, secretary; Mrs. Ella DuPre dressed the Bahai meeting at night, overjoyed at the courtesies extended treasurer; Mrs. Hattie Chavis, Chap He left on Friday for Seattle and will to her on her natal day and wishes to lian; Mrs. Pearl Lewis, Sgt. at Arms; return on Saturday. Saturday night he thank her church, the Mount Olivet Mrs. Minnie Miller, Parliamentarian will talk to a group of Bahai friends Baptist for its donation of money and Mr. W. R. Cayton of Seattle was the at the residence of Mrs. Myrtle W. the following ladies for their personal gifts: Mrs. L. Scott, Mrs. R. D. Lusher.

> leg. is reported to be doing fairly well Mr. and Mrs. Binford reside at 1492 , Winona street.

