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OA—I want to know if there is a job for me anytime soon. My step mother would have already had me a job if it wasn't for my father? You helped me once before.

Ans: Yes—there is a job for you and very soon too. Your step mother has her eyes open and she will see that you have something to do shortly. Your father just can't seem to want you to go to work—he still believes you to be a baby.

EMOD—Is my husband dealing fair with me like he says and shall I continue with the work that I was having done and will it be a success?

Ans: You have nothing to fear—your husband is just as true to you right now as he was the first week of your marriage. Don't put too much faith in the work that you are having—it can't help you too much.

FT—My son and his wife keep me upset all the time. I want to know if she have got him messed up or not and please let me know what to do?

Ans: They are just having a few spat that will amount to little or nothing as time goes on. Your daughter in law has not caused your son any trouble of any kind and the less you see of them both the better off they will be. Don't take sides with either one of them for they are both in the wrong.

SY—My stepfather is in the bed sick and he talk out of his head all the time and I wonder if someone on the job understood him. Let me know as soon as possible what we should do?

Ans: Get a doctor and do so immediately. No one has tried to harm him—he has just allowed himself to get in a run-down condition and is the victim of sick-

ness right now.

FLHB—I am terribly anxious to get a job in the tobacco factory near us and I wonder if there is a chance for me?

Ans: Sure there is a chance—place your application immediately in this company. Also try to meet several of the people who live near you that have found employment in this company and they could give you information how to go about the job. It will pay well.

IT—Does the boy I am going with mean me any good and tell me about the boy that I used to go with?

Ans: This boy doesn't care any more about you than your ex-boy friend. You will find yourself jilted again in a few months so don't allow yourself to think too much of the boys you go around with. Your ex-friend will never mean anything more to you.

PW—Is this job the one for me to take? Can I get my Astrology Reading from you now? What you have been looking for?

Ans: The job is just exactly what you need for the past three years—or in fact every since you began your study as an undertaker. Take it by all means. Yes, if you will send a quarter you may secure one of my Astrology Readings and opinions on three questions. Be sure to send birthdate and correct name and address.

ET—Is there going to be some sad news in my family and let me know about my madam?

Ans: No sad news is scheduled ahead I don't think and it is rather foolish for you to worry about trouble before it reaches you. Your madam will not quit her job anytime soon—you have nothing to fear about work.

# PRESIDENT'S PROPOSED ARMAMENT INCREASE HELD DANGEROUS TO NEGRO

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16—(ANP)—President Roosevelt's request for an added appropriation to take care of a huge increase in armaments is considered by many observers to be especially dangerous to Negroes because of the added possibility of a foreign war.

After the World War, it is generally understood that plans made by the War department called for all Negro units to be either service or labor battalions. This would mean that colored soldiers would bear the brunt of battle with virtually none in military positions of comparative safety.

Foes of increased armament appropriations point to public statements made by such high army and navy officials as Rear Admiral W. W. Phelps, Admiral W. S. Sims in command of the American fleet during the World War, Gen. Johnson Hagood and Gen. Smedley Butler, who say this country cannot be successfully attacked across either ocean and that no such navy as the president proposes is needed for defense of America's shores.

The only other alternative, say these opponents, is that a huge navy must be for foreign use as was the case of the World War. They point out the administration's attitude toward Japan

in the Chinese crisis and rumored understandings with Great Britain, adding that if America does interfere in Asiatic problems, colored soldiers will be shipped there to take part in a conflict meaningless to them and from which they can expect nothing. To avoid so arming the U. S.—that it could make war, thousands of miles from home and thus kill off thousands of Negroes, defeat Roosevelt's plan has been urged in congress.

Also singled out for condemnation is the Hill-Sheppard bill, putting into effect the Army's Mobilization plan, designed to prevent profiteering, but which actually would provide for a military dictatorship of the entire nation. This bill gives the president power, in case of war, to fix prices, rents and wages and to license certain industries and control supplies of materials.

This would mean, observers say, Fascism, for supplies to any paper opposing governmental policy could be withheld or so delayed as to paralyze publication, thus halting freedom of the press. Since jail terms or fines of \$100,000 are authorized for violation of any regulation, this would also mean that working men could be forced to work or go to jail, thus depriving labor of the right to bargain collectively.

## LINCOLN CHORAL GROUP IN SUNDAY BROADCAST

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 16—(ANP)—The fourth 1933 Sunday afternoon radio broadcast by Lincoln University was presented by the Lincoln Choral Club, Mrs. Antoinette Gurnes, director. The other three programs were offered by the Lincoln University band.

Mrs. Gurnes sang two solo numbers, Handel's "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth" and Gounod's "Ave Marie." The Choral group offered four numbers, Gurnes' "Salvation," Franz' "Dedication," Periss' "Invocation to Orpheus," and Handel's "Where'er You Walk." Miss Dorothy, a student of piano under Miss Marie Ford, director of music, played Chopin's "Polonaise" in A Flat Major.

## WESTMINSTER CHOIR IN APPEARANCE AT N. C. COLLEGE

The world famous Westminster Choir, under the direction of Dr. John Finley Williamson, presented a program in the B. N. Duke Auditorium of this institution on February 7. The program was made possible through the cooperation of the city school system and the North Carolina College. Among the numbers presented by this outstanding organization was William Dawson's "O WHAT A BEAUTIFUL CITY, OLMAN RIVER," described by Dr. Williamson as being one of America's most musical numbers, was received with a thunderous applause.

## Roosevelt Confers With Minister Lester Walton

Pleased With Progress of African Republic Walton Proves To Be Master Diplomat; Secretary of State Hull Cooperative

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16—(ANP)—President Franklin D. Roosevelt received the American Minister to Liberia, Hon. Lester A. Walton of New York City, in his White House offices Wednesday afternoon and listened to the envoy's report of progress being made in the African Republic. The president is said to have evidenced the most lively interest in the affairs of Liberia, and to have expressed enthusiasm over the success which President Barclay is meeting with in putting over his three year plan, designed to establish needed reforms and to rehabilitate the country economically.

Minister Walton, who arrived from Monrovia this week, spent considerable time with Secretary of State Cordell Hull, as well as with the president. Secretary Hull has been one hundred per cent cooperative, minister Walton said in the few remarks which he could be persuaded to make.

"The finances of the Liberian Government are in the healthiest condition in the country's history," said Mr. Walton. "In 1933, the budget was balanced; the receipts and revenue reached a new high record, and there was

a surplus amounting to about one quarter of the total budget. The result was larger appropriations than those of the previous year by twenty two per cent. "For the fiscal year 1933," he continued, "the appropriation for the country's ambitious road program is 152 percent over 1932; for sanitation is 72 percent greater; for education 120 percent, and radio communication 88 percent."

President Roosevelt is said to favor giving Liberia as much technical assistance as is deemed expedient in Liberia's effort to promote its economic development and in conducting a more intensive health and sanitation program.

The State Department is said to be tremendously well pleased with the diplomatic acumen displayed by Minister Walton, who is learned from sources close to the department, has negotiated several important and far-reaching new treaties.

The Firestone Company's program for the expansion of its rubber plantations in Liberia is progressing satisfactorily, and is receiving the whole-hearted cooperation of the Liberian Government. While in America, Minister Walton, who was welcomed home by his wife and two daughters, will attend the marriage of his eldest daughter.

## NATIONAL DENTAL ASSOCIATION PLANS SILVER ANNIVERSARY

CHICAGO, Feb. 16—(ANP)—The annual mid-winter session of the executive board of the National Dental Association and the session of the national committee chairman will be held Friday and Saturday, Feb. 18-19, at the S. Parkway Branch YWCA, 4559 South Parkway, Chicago, Illinois. Dr. E. W. Taggart, Birmingham, Alabama, chairman of the executive board will preside. Business of the meeting will center around the plans for the Silver Anniversary Convention of the NDA to be celebrated August 9, 10, 11, and 12 in Chicago, and the reports of last year's Washington meeting.

Major topics to be presented to the officials will be State and Socialized Dentistry in its various forms as advocated by some lay groups. Dr. R. E. Beamos, Cincinnati, national president will designate outstanding members of the society to investigate and study these proposals and to report to the August Convention. The Lincoln Dental Society of Chicago has planned a luncheon and smoker in connection with their scientific program for visiting dentists.

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## Stepin Fetchit Walks Out On Show; Erskine Hawkins And Band Carries On

MEMPHIS, Feb. 16—(By Jas. H. Purdy, Jr., for ANP)—Stepin Fetchit and His Harlem Hit Parade with Erskine Hawkins and his orchestra closed a very successful engagement at the Orpheum theatre on February 4. The show proved such a tremendous hit that the manager re-booked the show for an additional three days run on Feb. 8 to 10. But Stepin Fetchit walked out.

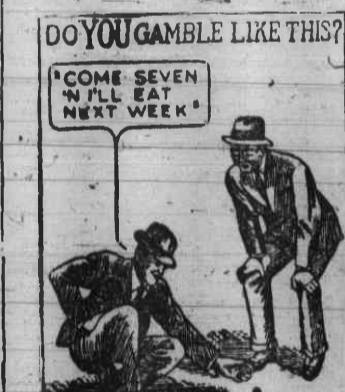
On Friday the entire company was preparing to go to Little Rock, Ark. for a dance engagement and floor show. Before leaving Memphis, Step had a misunderstanding with his chauffeur whom he discharged. The Consolidated Radio Artists road manager was traveling in the car with Step. When Step discharged his chauffeur he also demanded that he get out of the car. The chauffeur left and went to the bus that Hawkins and band was traveling in. The actor then allegedly asked the road manager

to get the chauffeur out of the bus, but the latter refused. When the manager returned to Step's car, Step drove off striking and bruising his knee and tearing his trousers.

The engagement was filled at Little Rock, and the entire cast returned to Memphis. The argument was partially settled and the theatre advertised the show for a return business. Step remained in Memphis until Saturday and left for Detroit or Chicago. On Tuesday about two hours before the first curtain, a wire was directed to Nate Evis stating that owing to a wreck, Stepin Fetchit would be unable

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