## FACTS WORTH KNOWING ... 4 Oliver Cabana, k. A LEADING NATIONAL

The greatest foe of the farmer is the rat. Rats eat or destroy more grain, eggs, poultry and game birds, than do all birds of prey and predatory animals combined. Natural enemies of the rat, as hawks, owls, skunks, coyotes, weasels, dors, cats and ferrets, should at all times be preserved that they may continue to assist in the ridding of a farm of rats.

Tooms or containers. Waste or garbage should always be kept in tightly covered containers.

"The eradication of the rat is both an individual and a community problem," according to United States Health Service, in an appeal for a continual, aggressive crusade against the pest. "In the final analysis, however, the individual is responsible for the rats residing in a community."

Food is an important factor in all rat infestation. A shortage of food limits the number of rats premises will sustain. Lack of available food also reduces rat breeding. Foodstuffs should be stored in rat roof buildir, where and tory me Regular use of Rat-Nip will rid

in a rented house at 221 South

until 1932, when it moved into a

small home of its own at 305

South Plain Street. This building

was razed in 1936 to make way

Thirty organizations that co-

at the dedicatory exercises.

C.arence W. Post, Deputy Ad-

ministrator of the Works Pro-

New York State, will formally

for the new home.

zations.

## Mrs. Roosevelt To Dedicate **WPA** Community Center

rew community center, built by The South Side Community Cen-WPA workers in the heart of ter was established shortly after, Ithaca's South Side, will be ded:cated Thursday, February 17; by Plain Street. There it operated Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

The center, completed early this month, is the first to be constructed in this section of the city, which is thickly populated by Negroes. It will provide space for supervised leisure-time activities for every resident of the community, old or young.

Residents of the southern section of the city have long felt groups, lodges and civic organilic benefactors had provided such facilities for other sections, but it was not until the advent of the Works Progress Administration gress Administration of New in 1935 that any real progress adequate South Side Center.

The-house is of simple Geor- ing will be presented to Isaiah an experiment in social welfare Jubilee Singers. which it is hoped will constitute a significant contribution to democratic living.

The new building is the outgrowth of the work and idealy of members of the Francis Harper Women's Club, a group of colored women who have attempted to meet some of the needs of Ithaca's Negro population. This club acted as co-sponsor with the city's Common Council in securing WPA assistance for construction of the center.

The club was organized in 1927 for the purpose of promoting civic enterprises that would be



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NEW YORK, N. Y. February part was free, so now it is not 16, 1998— The 27th Annual possible fo rone part of the popu-Meeting of the National Urban lation to have economic pros-League was held on Wednesday, perity and anoter part to be thies of the descendants of the February 9th, 1938, at the Rus-doomed by economic desuetude."

tive Board, presided. Eugene Kinckle Jones, Executive Secretary, in his report of the work of the League during the year 1937, said in part as

year depression, and that all that flood disaster of the early spring. was needed was a little stimulation in the durable goods' industries homebuilding, perhapsand away merrily we would be going along America's vaunted prosperity road. If those who have the responsibility for America's economic welfare care to group as follows: dence of our national economic trend, they should never overchange in his thinking, a change tenancy and farm ownership. look the social plight of the Negro as a never failing barometer of the nation's economic condi-

"When the Negro hegins to lose employment in ever increasnumbers, the first evidence of lowering business activity has appeared. When white men and women begin to secure jobs and to pass dividends to investors, the Negro, as a group, receiving and appreciable surcease from their economic disabilities it is their economic disablilities, it is no time for the nation to rejoice. Just as in the days of Lincoln, it was not possible for one part of the population to remain in physical slavery while another SOUTHERN COLLEGE HEAD

COLUMBIA, S. C., Feb. 16-(ANP)-President E. H. McGill of Allen university, appeared as operated in making the new cens guest speaker Tuesday before a ter a reality will be represented large group of students from the University of South Carolina and These include social clubs, church Columbia college, at Washington Street Methodist church. Dr. Mc-Gill spoke of the service Allen university is rendering the state and stressed the need of more sympathy and considration of Negro problems by white people. was made toward providing an present the center on behalf of His address was well received. In-

the WPA. The key to the build- teresting excerpt: 'We are not worried about nor gian design. It contains a full- Murray, Chairman of the Board are we agitating social equality. sided gymnasium, a demonstra- of Managers, by Mayor Joseph In fact, there is more fear to tion kitchen, rooms for sewing b. Myears. Alfred Edgar Smith, come from social identity than and occupational club work, a Administrative Assistant, will re- from social equality. As I see it, lodge room, a billand and game present the Federal WPA on the the Negro's urge for social equalroom, a children's room and a program. Nrs. Robert E. Treman, ity is only to become parallel in library. With these vocational president of the sponsoring club, his social improvement to the and recreational facilities the will preside. Incidental music white people whom he imitates community is prepared to launch will be furnished by the Utica and whose civilization he has be-



New York, N. Y.—"IT'S \_ RUE! that Rita Johnson, M.G.M actress seen in 'My Dear Miss Aldrich', has rigged up an indoor game which permits her to practice golf putting in her apartment," says Wiley Padan. "Always ready for fun, she recently surprised film folks at a symming party, by submerging and then drinking a bottle of soda pop while under water. She says it's just a metter of breath control."

## NATIONAL URBAN LEAGUE MEETS IN NEW YORK

sell Sage Foundation, Lexington Avenue and 22nd Street , New York City. L. Hollingsworth Wood, Chairman of the Execu-

abolitionists. But today the Ne-Mr. Jones further cited the gro is seeking to better his condiactivities of the organization in tion by another method, which its work of vocational guidance requires neither apology for his for colored youth; a study of racial identity nor masked chahousing condition of Negroes in grin for his racial status. New York City; efforts to atimu-Mr. Elmer Anderson Carter, problems. These problems are and 590. Editor of Opportunity- Journal those that arise out of povertyof Negro Life—and recent an the unequal distribution of wealth. They are problems of \$745,691 was certified for paypointee by Governor Lehman to wages and hours and economic ment to 23,538 claimants workthe Unemployment Insurance Appeal Board of the State Departhealth and the use of leisure and the estates of workers who ment of Labor, addressed the time. And in the rural areas,

dergoing a change. A profound are problems of and tenure and

in the method of his approach to

a solution of his problems. For

element in the community. He based his appeal on pity or tolerance or the vanishing sympa

FOR LUMP-SUM PAYMENTS

late interest of Negroes in Civil see his problem in the light of today. Six months ago, in Aug., death claim certified was for we the citizens of the United Service examinations; the publi-cation of its magaine, Opportu-and to seek their solution not which level it climbed steadily "Last year, we thought that well as service to the sufferers in all in the group with diff. through September, October, Since the Government's old we were passing out of the eight the Ohio and Mississippi Valley segment of a larger group which successive average daily rates for effect on banuary 1, 1937, \$3. essentially must solve the same each month being 228, 363, 381 023,207 has been

> During January a total opportunity- of housing and ers who reached the age of 65 WALTON REPORTS TO "The Negro in America is un- especially of the South, they each payment was \$31.68, or almost double the average of \$17 for all claims paid up to the end of August.

> > ed the list in number of claims State, War and Navy building, his family.

of money went to New York where \$96,175 was distributed among 2,768 cialmants. The state with the highest average 439.24 ator Joseph F. Guffey of Penn-

payment to 76,775 claimants. Each of the claims paid amounts of to 3 1-2 percent of the total wages paid to wage earners.

WASHINGTON- (C) -Hon.

SPEECH

WASHINGTON- (C)- Sen--was New Jersey, where 1,144 sylvania took the senate floor Tuesday and made a strong inder the old age insurance plan . The largest claim that has been speech supporting the anti-lynch of the Social Security Act were certified went to an employee bill, now pending. The master, certified during January at the who reached the age of 65. He heckled by southerners, declared rate of 942 per working day, the received a lump sum payment in that: "No country on earth dis-States, are the originators of the most dastardly erime on earta."

NEW YORK-(C)-(Ben Johnson, captain of the Columbia university track team, and famed sprinter, won the Millrose meet Saturday by running 60 yards in six seconds, and wah voted the Millrose trophy by a jury of 8 writers. He broke the world re-

Lester A. Walton, Minister to Monday. Mr. Walton arrived in Liberia, reported in person to New York last Friday aboard the Pennsylvania with 2,929 head. Secretary of State Hull at the SS. Hamburg, for a vacation with

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News Boys And Girls Circulation Contest

First Prize

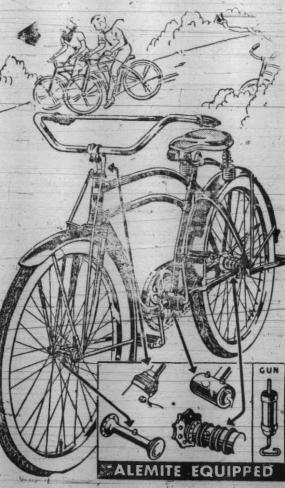
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