DOCTORS REJECT

New York Physicians, According to The World, Declare the Discovery to Be a Failure

(New York World.)

formalin as a cure for blood poisoning | tality. He says: ts now declared by New York physicians to be a failure.

to have shown that formalin is only a social morality. I do not believe that ed it impossible for the negro to assi to formalin treatment died several man's low vitality, his susceptibility to fected and not placed under the treat- | we must look to those social conditions

Dr. George F. Shrady said yesterday | MOTHER'S BURDEN TOO GREAT. that he regarded the result of the tests conducted by Dr. W. H. Park, the bac- causes of our excessive infant mortaliteriological expert of the Health De- ty, namely; the frequency with which partment, as confirming his view and the partial or the entire maintenance that of many others of the profession of the household devolves upon the that the formalin treatment was a fail- mother, and especially the impaired

regarded very highly by the medical hood. "It has gone the way of many other | are is more criminal than the illiterate.

monstrated proof.

Dr. Shrady enumerated many sensationally advertised cures that had white people pay out for negro educaand said that of many that had been more than the entire negro taxes paid announced in late years he considered in the State. Many occupations formthe most promising and valuable to be erly open to negroes are now closed. nounced by two Berlin physicians.

Dr. Park and Dr. W. A. Payne, both | cleanliness bacteriologists of the Health Department, began experiments soon after the first cure of blood poisoning by north and west, where we should ex-Dr. Barrows was announced. Two dozen | pect it to be the best, is, in fact, even rabbits were inoculated at the same worse. In the north the death rate of the streptococcus germ. An hour later and, but for immigration, the black a dozen of the rabbits were subjected man would disappear from that see to an injection of romalin. In every tion. This is partly due to the climate which formalin had been used died and partly to more degraded family from twelve to twenty-four hours be- life. The negro is about three times

treatment was tried showed symptoms times more criminal in the west. of temporary relief. It was declared ence to the bacteria.

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usually runs away, works at odd jobs, arms himself with a razor and pistol, loafs about brothels, drinks and gam-

In view of the loose family life of the negroes it is not surprising that they should deteriorated physically. The mortality of the negro, especially infant mortality, has steadily risen until it is now from 25 to 300 per cent. higher than that of the whites. The most serious diseases are consumption, pneumonia, typhoid fever and syphilis, all of which are still on the increase.

Professor Harris, a negro of Fisk university. Tennessee, has correctly The widely heralded discovery of interpreted the cause of this high mov-

"I am convinced that the sine qua non of a change for the better in the Tests which they have made are said negro's physical condition is a higher temporary check to the growth of the his poverty or his relation to the white germs, and in the long run proves an people presents any real impediment injury to the patient. Rabbits infected to his health and physical developwith blood poison germs and subjected ment. For the causes of the black hours sooner than rabbits similarly in- disease, and his enormous death rate, which he creates for himself.

"I have already referred to the social chance for life which a debauched and "Dr. Park's experiments are always immoral parentage bequeaths to child- paration for citizenship is necessarily

profession," said Dr. Shrady, "In this In the next place, the criminality of case they seem to carry considerable the negro has very much increased force as bearing on the effectiveness of since his emanicipation. Negro crime formalin as a cure for blood poison- increased in the south 26 per cent. from 1880 to 1890, and the educated ne-

suddenly heralded cures. When it was | Industrially the greatest drawback first announced it struck the medical to the negro is a disposition to work profession with wonder that such a only long enough to eke out a bare simple remedy should have so long subsistence. He works with irregularbeen overlooked. That had much to do ity and in a slipshod manner. Notwith the scepticism with which it was withstanding the accumulations of a few of the better class, the negro per "Science can afford to go slow. Its capita wealth is only about \$15, and the attitude is judicial and it waits for de- race as a whole is far from self-sup-

For illustration, in Virginia, the quickly been demonstrated as failures. tion, crime and lunatics about \$500,000 the serum cure for scarlet fever an- This is chiefly because of his inefficiency, instability, dishonesty and un-

CONDITION NORTH EVEN WORSE. The condition of the negro in the ime with the germ of blood poison- the negro is higher than the birth rate. case save one the dozen rabbits on partly to more intense competition. more criminal in the north than in The rabbits on which the formalin the south, and about three and a hall

In Chicago the negro is more crimi that the result of the experiments nal than in any other city, and his showed that while formalin coagulated crime in that city has increased three the bacteria and stopped the blood and fold in the last twenty-five years. The seriously impaired the cells. The for- race prejudice which operates against malin also lessened the power of resist- the negroes in the south also operates against them in Boston, New York Philadelphia, Chicago, Indianapolis and wherever they exist in considerable numbers. This prejudice consigns them to the slums, where their family life is worse, and where the temptations to vice and crime are the great-

In New York city there are fer houses that a negro can rent. The maxim "once a negro house always a negro house" is familiar to all real estate men. Jacob Riis tells us that the landlord draws the color line and does it with an absence of pretense, a frankness of disposition that is nothing but brutal. Where he permits them to live they go; where he shuts

the door they stay out. The New York Sun says that "white Americans won't work with a black man; neither will foreign laborers. It he has to pay 25 cents for a 10-cent drink, a device which works almost a well as the forbidden one of refusing to serve a negro." In restaurants, too the waiters say, "We are busy," and the negro may look at his empty plate. f he will, from 6 o'clock until midnight, and the excuse will be the same Professor Du Bois (himself a negro). n his book on the "Negroes of Philaielphia," states that "wherever there s a trade, where good negro workmen are comparatively scarce, each union steadfastly refuses to admit negroes and relies on color prejudice to keep up the barrier.'

Professor Du Bois recites many instances showing how the negro is discriminated against in the matter of house rent, forcing him to live in the slums and charging him a higher price for the same house than is charged th white man; how he is discriminated against in the trades, in the schools, harities and other lines. He shows also that a less per cent of negroes now own property in Philadelphia

than before the war. CONDITION IN CHICAGO WORSE In Chicago the economic condition of the negro is worse than in any other part of the country. So the race preudice is not confined to the south. earning money instead of spending it, poisoned blood through veins and arteries. he negro is better treated in the south. Dr. Parkhurst admits, with admirable troubles were to be traced to the kidneys

like the negro any better than the all constitutional diseases have their beginsouth. People who live on the outer ning in kidney trouble. circle of negro populations are too apt sectionalism from this problem it soon realized. It stands the highest for its would be much easier solved.

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what to some societies is the breath of bottle.

NEGRO UNFIT FOR CITIZENSHIP. | life becomes to others a deadly poison and that a society in which the individual has not yet developed and left the bonds of clan, cast, or family. would have its morals utterly destroy ed and he reduced to calamitous confusion by the introduction of western

ndividualistic institutions." So in the tropics, as in the southern states, the white man has learned from bitter experience that the black man is not yet prepared for the responsibilities of citizenship. So if we aim at the welfare of the negro and not the persecution of the white man we should give our sanction to a suffrage limitation, applicable to both races alike, which shall exclude the riffraff and most degraded classes of negroes

from participation in politics. The ballot has been a "deadly poison" to the vast majority of the race and has done more to accomplish their ruin than all other causes combined. it has only widned the breach between the whites and the blacks, and render-

milate the white man's virtues. Let me assure you that the southern people have no war to wage against the respectable class of negroes. A helping hand is extended to all who aspire to any moral, industrial, or intellectual advancement. As fast as any number of negroes properly qualify themselves for citizenship, the whites will cheerfully admit them to its privileges. In North Carolina at the last election an attempt to defraud a qualified negro of his vote met with prompt and severe condemnation from the press and the people. Because of the negro's unfortunate phylogeny his prea slow process. The empirist and impatient reformer only makes the task more difficult, if at last they do not make it impossible,

Our next duty is to give the negro more practical education. Without losing any avenue to higher education we must make more general that moral and industrial training which is having such notable success at Hampton and Fuskegee. Unless the negro improves his efficiency in the occupations which are now open to him, he has no possible chance for survival in the ever ntensifying struggle for existence, and unless the masses can be freed from political fermentation and professional gitation, they will never feel the nocessity of improving their industrial and moral life.

Booker Washington is deing more than any other man for the welfare of the negro, and for a good understanding between the races, and between the north and south. In his gospel there s hope for an early turn for the better n the progress of the negro race. When the negro improves his moral life an efficiency as a laborer the many doors of employment which now close against him, north and south, will reopen, and he will find an abiding and LET SECTIONS EXCHANGE TEXTS

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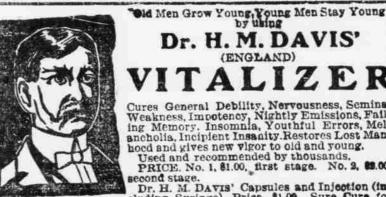
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