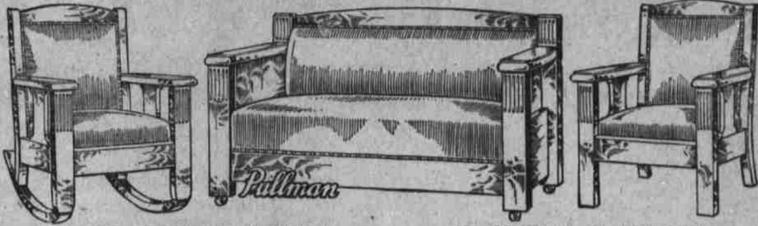


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IN NINTH HOUR CLUBS IN TEXAS COLORED LEAGUE ARE GETTING TOGETHER. STRONG CLUBS TO REPRESENT THE ORGANIZATION. DALLAS OPENS APRIL 30TH WITH WACO.

Famous Austin Reds First Gun of Nineteen With Samuel Huston College, Scores 2 to 1

By J. Alba Austin.

The Texas League season will open in Dallas, Sunday, April 20th with Waco Black Navigators. The Dallas Black Giants will in the meantime name their own account of their few weeks of careful training for a tough season. The Navigators will this season present fans of Texas with practically a new club with exception of a few veterans whose faces are familiar to fans and with the installation of new blood in their line-up it is rumored Waco, should be quite a formidable outfit for the coming season.

The line-up is as follows: Catchers, Henderson, Samuel; pitchers, Hicks and Davis (Steel Arm); first base, Jackson; second base, Jones; short-stop, Washington; third base, Blackmon; leftfield, Wade; centerfield, Golden; rightfield, Smith and Henry Flus, captain.

John Richardson, alias Black Son looks as fine as a fettle this season and predicts he will have the best season of his career. Son says all is well and the sound of the song will be sweet music to his ears.

Harry Scott, the fleet footed outer garden guardian is booked to make Rome howl this season, the Galveston kid is shooting 'em around with rapid fire action and looks good to the casual observer.

Will Jones, a star infielder of many seasons is raring to go as Bill is a goer of the first water.

Eddie Douglas is here yet, and a Giant uniform would be very becoming to him.

The Giants presents the following line-up for the season: Catchers, Riley, Black Son, Spearmin; pitchers, Dave Brown, Cornelius Rector, Andrew Cooper, Hudson and Tom Arnold; infielders, Will Jones, Dave Johnson, Lynn Mallory, Chas. Elder and Naman Washington; outfielders, Rob. Scott, Bobby Sloan and Bennie Collins.

Reserve list: Nathan Green, Glen Brown, Chas. Calico, Louis Spencer and Robt. McCleary.

The Austin Reds makes their first public announcement in this week's issue of the Express. According to the line-up the public can draw upon its imagination the relative strength of the club. The team is under management of W. B. Patterson, a veteran of the game whose ability was responsible for an association of Austin Colored men setting together with sufficient backing in furnishing this city with one of the strongest clubs in Texas.

A following line-up: Daniels, catcher; Black Tank, pitcher; Buck Alexander, pitcher; Tom Calloway, 1st base; Larry Jones, 2nd base; Dick Walker, short-stop; Lawson Perry, 3rd base; Joe Goodrich, left-field; DeWitt, right-field; Taylor, center-field; and Jerry Lewis,

catcher. Austin claim this bunch will make anything in Texas hustle to win. Most of the stars in the line-up are familiar figures around the loop and has set this league on fire in former years.

The Austin Reds defeated the fast Samuel Huston College club Friday by a score of 2 to 1 with Black Tank Stewart pitching. The game was very stubbornly fought.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Saturday evening at 3:30 o'clock, April 5, a birthday party was given for Katie B. Stewart. She celebrated her eleventh year birthday with the invited guests, Ethel Jackson, Helen Hancock, George Nathan, Annie Mae Smith, Arletha Stewart, Fannie Morris, L. Morris, Mattie Dansted. Menu: Handie orange basket, Cocktail, salted almonds, rose bud cakes, potted ham sandwich, dainty almonds, birthday cake, ice cream, candy cross cake. Instrumental music.

### OAK CLIFF.

Oak Cliff, Sta. A, Dallas, Texas, April 10.—Shiloh Baptist Church, Rev. S. G. Guster, pastor. Sunday school was well attended as usual, the teachers are striving earnestly for the banner each Sunday and also putting great stress on the lessons. At 11:30 Pastor Guster preached a noble sermon from Rom. 13:8, subject "Pay Your Debts." It was an interesting sermon. At 5:00 p. m., the B. Y. P. U. met as usual with the pastor. Sister E. Jordan, E. Jackson and had good lessons taught by the teachers and also three new joiners. At 8:30, the administering of the Lord's supper. Proceeds \$45.32.

### MUNGER AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH.

Pastor Lofton was at his post all day Sunday beginning in Sunday school at 9:30, he proved to be a Beacon light in his gentle and mild tone of explanation and advice. We are proud of our pastor. At 11:30 he preached from 1 Jno. 1st chapter. Note—Our pastor has begun a series of sermons in the Book of John during each service at 11:30 and it will be of benefit to all who will avail themselves with their presence at said hour.

At 5:30 B. Y. P. U. pastor said he would join the weakest group so No. 4 was lucky in that she was weak, but was made strong by the pastor, John B. Y. P. U. over the top financially and spiritually. Collection for the day \$65.03. Addition four.

Monday night, Corporal Welch just back from over sea, gave an interesting lecture and exhibit of his experience and heroism. He exhibited a German gas mask, helmet, gun and ammunition. He also told of his trench life and how they went over the top which was very thrilling and then he carried us along beside the Alps, whose beauty can't be described with her sky blue streams and green foliage of both trees and grass which makes up the back ground. Corporal Welch is preparing to enter school and we hope him much success along all lines.

### PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

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### NEW MT. MORIAH, N. B. CHURCH.

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Rev. Wm. L. Jordan, Pastor. Sister Lorine Polk, Supt., held an interesting Sunday school at 10 a. m., lesson was good and four persons were added to the band. At 11:30 a. m., the pastor preached from a subject "Power of Prayer." At 4 o'clock p. m., the pastor preached the Mission sermon, he spoke from a subject "Women's Service." Rev. Jordan, preached a sermon that will forever live in the hearts of those who heard him. Rev. E. D. Bigsby, preached at 8:30 on a subject, "Liberty" he preached a powerful sermon. Collection, 19.20. One addition to the church. SISTER ADDIE LEACH, Church Clerk.

### MACE DONIA BAPTIST CHURCH.

The Sunday school was largely attended. This department is busy trying to raise its pro rata of the \$3,000.00 for the 3rd Sunday in April. The Laymen's Association is making every effort to raise its pro rata for the rally. Bro. G. T. Smith is sparing no pains to make the men come up to the standard.

The B. Y. P. U. was largely attended. The President Mr. James L. Turner is making desperate effort to raise its pro rata for the rally. The W. H. M. S. It is safe to say will go over the top in the rally effort under the wise leadership of Mrs. B. E. Reynolds, General President.

The morning services were given over to testimonies and many testified for the Master.

The pulpit was filled by the pastor at the night services. The pastor preached from St. Jno. 12:34, subject "The Wounds of Jesus."

At 3:00 p. m., Prof. W. O. Bundy, principal of Colored high school of Ft. Worth, Texas delivered an address, subject "The League of Nations and its Benefits to the Race." Prof. Bundy made a sterling address upon this occasion. He said "There would be no Special Providence Made in the Covenant of the League of Nations for the American Negro, and that our benefits could

only come by the Southland and a Great Portion of the North be converted."

This meeting was under the auspices of the Laymen's Association.

### Monday Evening.

Miss Myrtle B. Anderson of Los Angeles, Cal., the matchless young woman orator again held an immense audience spell bound with her eloquence as she spoke from the subject, "The Rejected Stone." Miss Anderson pictured the Negro race as the rejected stone of the Temple of Solomon. She said: The Negro fought for all of the rights of a man, for freedom, for protection, for his women and children, and yet having given himself the altar of sacrifice for his country, is still rejected.

The writer feels safe in saying that the entire Negro citizenship of this city wishes her success in her life's work. This young woman is taking a course in law at the University of Chicago. We only need hundred or more young women of her courage.

### Baptist Ministers.

The Baptist Minister's Alliance met at Macedonia Baptist church and was called to order by Dr. E. Arlington Wilson, presiding. After the minutes were read and adopted the Alliance proceeded with its regular routine business. The report from the churches were called for. A number of the pastors were absent, but partial reports showed an increase in members of the churches. Prof. M. M. Rodgers was a welcomed visitor at the meeting. Prof. Rodgers was present in the interest of the entertainment to be given to returned soldiers. All the ministers especially pastors were asked to give their influence to this affair.

New Pastor Rev. W. M. Lofton, the newly elected pastor of Munger Avenue Baptist church was present during the meeting and by vote was made member of the Alliance. Dr. W. H. Johnson of Houston, Texas, who has called to the pastorate of the Mt. Rose Baptist church was introduced and made remarks and was also by vote made a member of the Alliance. The Alliance hopes that Dr. Johnson will accept the



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A check for \$200.00 was handed Friend Lula Johnson, his wife at 3 p. m. This is the way the Order does things. It was first on hand with cheer and comfort, yet saddened in heart from the loss of so worthy a Friend. Our heartfelt sympathy goes out to the bereaved family and relatives.

Supreme Senate, Golden Chain of the World. W. HUNT, Supreme Sec'y.

### CELEBRATES HUSBAND'S BIRTH DAY.

Mrs. Henry J. Polk, 3408 Munger Avenue invited a few of her friends to celebrate the 48th birthday of her husband, Mr. Henry J. Polk, Tuesday evening, April 1st.

Music furnished by Miss Rosetta Jackson was a royal treat. After listening for a time to sweet strains of music, covers for twelve were laid and a nifty little five course luncheon was served to the delight of the twelve who wished for many happy and eventual years to the life of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Polk.

### THE VALLEY GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH.

Went over the top Sunday, the pastor preached from Joshua 20th chapter and 2nd verse. He preached in the evening from 2 Tim. 2-3. Dr. R. R. Chapin of Searsville, C. M. E. church preached a great sermon from Mat. 4th chapter and 2nd verse. We raised \$175.55. We are going over the top with God to help us with our noble leader and pastor, Rev. I. M. Cordell.

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