REDEDICATION OF DOUGLASS MONUMENT
AT HIGHLAND PARK, SEPTEMBER 4th, 1941

National and Local Speakers

Douglass Celebration Committee Co-Operates with City Sponsored Program

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HIGHLIGHTS OF THE REDEDICATION CEREMONIES

For the past four years the Frederick Douglass Celebration and Exposition Committee have been carrying on the work of J. W. Thompson, founder of the Douglass Monument, and George Scholes, civic leader. This year we have what is known as the rededication of the Douglass Monument in its new location in Highland Park, sponsored partially by the city and other community organizations.

Among the honored guests will be the relatives of Frederick Douglass, Mrs. Fredericka Douglass Perry, Mrs. Roselle Steiner Jones, of Kansas City, Missouri, Mr. and Mrs. Halsey Douglass, and daughter, who will unveil the monument; Mr. and Mrs. Fredericka Douglass Perry, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Sawyer and son, Mrs. Joseph Douglass of Washington, D.C.

The speakers will be Mr. Samuel B. Stewart of Evansville, Indiana; chairman of the Frederick Douglass Memorial League; Mayor Samuel Dicker, general chairman of the Committee of Frederick Douglass Monument; Congressman Frank Van Lare, sponsor of the resolution to remove the monument; Walter White, secretary of the N. A. A. C. P.; J. F. Walker, President.

Walter White

The groundwork was done by this group to make the celebrations possible each year but the irony is that the "powers that be" did not see fit to include its members. Yet let us double our effort to trade with those who appreciate our dollars. Let us keep our dollars working—rolling in to our advertisements—then back to us in again in good jobs and quality merchandise.

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THROUGH THE EDITORS EYES

CONGRESS OF UNITED STATES
Mr. Howard W. Cole
446 Clinton Street
Rochester, N. Y.

Dear Howard—I received your very kind letter of July 10th and I would consider it an extreme honor to have my name placed on your regular sponsor's celebration list. Please extend my compliments to all the boys, and every good wish to you.

Sincerely yours,

JOSEPH O'CONNOR

CITY OF ROCHESTER, N. Y.
Mr. Howard W. Cole
446 Clinton Street
Rochester, N. Y.

Dear Sirs—As a Chairman of the Committee for the Frederick Douglass Monument, the Frederick Douglass Monument Committee, and in behalf of the French and the Negro Congress, I have appointed me to the Executive Committee and hereby declare that you will be able to serve.

Sincerely yours,

S. R. DICKER, Mayor

The Negro Housing Survey—Highlights of Last Year's Activities

Avenue triangle, for on Sept. 4 the statue will be transferred in a big ceremony to the place hallowed for 42 years by the great Frederick Douglass, who was one of the leading exponents of the Anti-Slavery Movement, and who in 1859 became the father of the National Negro Congress. This year the Congress will have the last event of the Central Avenue Triangle, and the Negro Congress will have its 30th anniversary, which had recently been completed. The program was climaxing the first year of Negro Congress activities, and the 30th anniversary was celebrated by a three-day celebration. The main address was delivered by the Hon. W. F. C. D. Dickerson, who is also the state chairman of the Negro Congress.

ODD FELLOWS PLACE WREATH

The program was again held at the Grand Lodge, 446 Clinton Street, and the keynote speaker was the Hon. W. F. C. D. Dickerson, who is also the state chairman of the Negro Congress. The main address was delivered by the Hon. W. F. C. D. Dickerson, who is also the state chairman of the Negro Congress.

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LOOKING BACK OVER THE YEAR

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PROGRAM — CELEBRATION OF REDIEMICATION OF THE DOUGLASS MONUMET IN HIGHLAND PARK SEPTEMBER FOURTH

Song—America

Prayer—William Ashley—His House

Mary Samuel Dickerson

Music—Rochester Park Band

Unveiling of the Monument—Carol Dallas

Music—‘My Name Shall Live Forever’-Douglass Monument Chorus

Address—John W. Thompson—by Rev. James E. Ross, D.D

Music—‘Stray Away’—Chorus

Address—Rev. David R. Williams, D.D.

Music—‘Let us Cherish the Weary Traveler’—Chorus

Address—E,F. Wilson, the Grand Exalted Ruler, BPOE.

Music—‘Run to Jesus’—Chorus

Address—Frederick Douglass—Howard Coles

Address—Representative of the Colored Women’s Clubs

Music—‘Listen to the Lambs’—Sicke, Mr. William Allen.—The Chorus

Address—C.D. White, Executive Secretary NAACP

Address—Frank T. Garrett, Editor, Rochester Newspapers

Music—‘Lift Every Voice and Sing’

Benediction—Rev. Frank Brown

God of our weary years,

May we forever stand,

Thou who hast brought us thus far

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May we forever stand,

Thou who hast brought us thus far

Men of the years that are

God of our weary years,

May we forever stand.

Thou who hast brought us thus far

As we march on to victory.

Our Father’s embracing arms and

God of our weary years,

May we forever stand.

Thou who hast brought us thus far

As we march on to victory.

THE NEBBO NATIONAL ANTHEM

Composed by James W. Johnson

LIFT EVERY VOICE AND SING

I lift every voice and sing,

All earth and heaven rejoicing,

With the harmonies of liberty

Let us join the song.

High as the sounding spheres,

Let it resound: "Onward, Christian soldiers"

Sing a song full of faith that

Onward! Forward! Onward! Onward!

The present has brought us

Facing the rising sun.

Out of the gloom, past

Where the white gleam of our bright star is east.

Our song of victory

Let us march on to victory.

God of our weary years,

May we forever stand,

Thou who hast brought us thus far

As we march on to victory.

THE NEGRO NATIONAL ANTHEM

Stony the way we’ve trod,

Have not our weary feet

Out of the gloomy past,

Triumphant we come.

God of our weary years,

Thou who hast brought us thus far

God of our weary years,

May we forever stand,

Thou who hast brought us thus far

As we march on to victory.

God of our weary years,

May we forever stand.
DOUGLASS CORNER STONE LAID IN HIGHLAND PARK
DIGESTIONS OF NEGRO MAUNUS OFFICIALS AT THE RITAE

On Aug. 22nd black-crooked dignitaries of the colored international Masonity and red-turbaned Shriners, who formed a circle around a slab of grey stone in Highland Park and re-erected a scene 54 years ago in one of the most unusual corner stone laying ceremonies in the city's history.

The granite slab is to support the statue of Frederick Douglass, the Rochester Negro abolitionist, and the placing of the cornerstone by the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons, Prince Hall, under the leadership of Past Grand Master Chas. W. Quarterly of New York, was a prelude to the redemption of the monument on a new site next Thursday.

Only once has a statue been placed in any of Rochester's most notable parks—that to Edward Morse, the founder of the city’s black-frocked dig—

and the colored delegation, which made a pilgrimage from their convention in Buffalo through the most of an ocean into which they could bring music, prayer and ritual.

Setting Sun Appropriately Fourty-two years ago the colored Masons had the contracte for the original placing of the Douglass monument on Central avenue, a fact recalled by the Rev. James E. Rose, D.D., a member of the delegation, which made a pilgrimage from its convention in Buffalo through the most of an ocean into which they could bring music, prayer and ritual.

A nation-wide survey shows twice as many women use new, quick Lux for underthings, stockings (other nice things, too) as use any other brands, clothes, beds.