A CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

1720 - 1923

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To

My Wife, Ida,

and to

My Children.

Whose Help and Companionship are a Constant Inspiration
PREFACE

Demands for literature by Negro authors are rapidly advancing from two quarters; from the increasing public of educated Negroes and from those growing numbers of white people who earnestly desire to know what the Negro is thinking, and what are his accomplishments. Very recently a book by a Negro author reached a circulation of 80,000 within a few months. When we consider such demands, when we reflect further that there are 500 newspapers and magazines and other publications by Negroes, it can be readily seen that the need for some sort of formal list of this branch of American literature is imperative.

This Chronological Outline of Negro authors and their works, together with dates and works significant in the literary life of the Negro in America, was prepared at the suggestion of the Department of English of the University of Kansas. As is true in many literatures, the exact dates of birth and death of authors, as well as dates of publications, are frequently missing, even after laborious search.

An undertaking of this kind is almost endless. Like Goldsmith's Circle, it "lures from afar, yet as I

follow, flies"; that is, new names, new dates, confusion of dates, questions sometimes of the race identity of authors, continually offer new paths of pursuit, paths that could lead on endlessly. However, where authors and race identity are not known, usually the author has not been of primary significance, but rather the book written. With real ranking authors in Negro literature, dates, names, titles, and race identity can be, in general, ascertained, with a fair degree of accuracy.

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Crisis; the book review section of the Southern Workman; and the Journal of Negro History, volumes I, II, III, IV, V, VI.

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I. Significant Dates, 1619 - 1720.

1619. First cargo of slaves, Jamestown, Virginia.
1620. First public school in Virginia for Indians and Negroes.
1633. Massachusetts entered the slave trade.
1640. John Punch condemned to serve for life.
1641. Massachusetts' Bodies of Liberty declared against slavery.
1700. Judge Samuel Sewall published tract against slavery.
1701. Boston instructed representatives to end slavery.
1704. Founding of school for slaves in New York City by Elias Neau.
1705. The Rev. Samuel Thomas taught slaves in South Carolina.
1711. The Quakers condemned slavery in Philadelphia.
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1712. Louisiana adopted the "Black Code".

Pennsylvania imposed heavy duties (20 pounds) on imported slaves.

1713. Birth of Anthony Benezet, anti-slavery leader.

1716. New Jersey and Rhode Island Quakers declared against purchase of slaves.

1718. William Burling of Long Island issued a tract against slavery.

II. Chronological Outline, 1720 - 1923

1720

1. Charleston, South Carolina, slave insurrection.

The American Mercury (Philadelphia) advertised for runaway white and negro slaves.

Slaves outnumbered whites in South Carolina.

Transportation of slaves to Louisiana by the Law Company.


Birth of JUPITER HAMMON.

# The Arabic figures indicate as follows: 1, historical events; 2, deaths; 3, births; 4, non-Negro publications; 5, books by Negroes; 6, Negro periodicals.

## Hereafter, all names of Negroes are capitalized.
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1721

1. The American Mercury (Philadelphia) advertised for runaway slaves who spoke good English.

Delaware accorded legal recognition to slavery.

The Law Company sought legal precedents for dealing with slaves.

1722

1. Insurrection of slaves along the Rappahannock River, in Virginia.


1723

1. Board of Trade in England allowed duty on slaves provided it be collected from purchaser and not from seller.

Negroes and other slaves plot to burn Boston to get freedom.

Philadelphia American Weekly Mercury (June 20) advertised for a lost negro girl of 16 and a boy of 14 speaking good English.

The same paper advertised for a man of thirty who "speaks very good English".

Virginia Free Negroes deprived of further right to vote.
1724


A document issued "Encouraging the Christian Education of Indian, Negro, and Mulatto Children" at Lambeth, Virginia.

Mulattoes and free Negroes in Louisiana won decision of court in capitation tax suit.

1726

1. The Rev. Mr. Wetmore succeeded Elias Neau as teacher of slaves.

1727

1. Bishop Gibson of London issued appeal to colonists exhorting masters and mistresses to promote instruction of Negroes in Christian faith.

Slave traffic in Massachusetts reached its height.

1729

1. Decision of York and Talbot that slaves might be held in England as well as in colonies.

Gov. Perier of Louisiana armed a band of slaves to fight Choctaw Indians at Chouchas.

The governor of Virginia and the state assembly granted freedom to a slave for the discovery of a wonderful herb medicine.

Ruling of Lords Hardwicke and Talbot that slaves transported to free territory were not free.
Solicitor-General of England declared that baptism in no way changed the status of slaves.


1730

1. Cherokee Chiefs carried to England by Sir Alexander Cumming to make treaty concerning the return of all runaway slaves.

Le Petit recorded instruction was given to boarders, to the girls who lived without, and to the Negro women in Louisiana.

Slaves of Louisiana accompanied white men in exploration up the Mississippi to aid Illinois settlement.

Marriage of ROBERT and MARY BANNEKER.

Negroes of Williamsburg, Virginia, plotted insurrection for freedom.

Rebellion of slaves in South Carolina.

2. Death of Samuel Sewall, author of *The Selling of Joseph*.

1731

1. Rhode Island Negroes plotted uprising for freedom.

The Quakers of North Carolina opened schools for slaves.

3. Birth of BENJAMIN BANNEKER, noted astronomer.
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1732

1. British Board of Trade made slaves equivalent to money or property in settling debts.

The Rev. Mr. Charlton succeeded Elias Neau in teaching Negroes in New York.

Georgia Colony chartered without slaves.

1736

1. Anthony Benezet, Quaker, came to America.

1737

1. BANNEKER'S father purchased an estate.

Benjamin Lay published treatise against slavery.

1741

1. North Carolina enacted a law punishing by cutting off ears any "Negro, Mulatto, or Indian found to testify falsely".

1745

1. School established for Negroes in Charleston, South Carolina.

1746

3. Birth of ABSALOM JONES.
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1750

   School established in Maryland for Negroes and poor whites.

3. Birth of GEORGE LEILE, Negro preacher, in Savannah, who established a Baptist Church in Jamaica.

1753

1. BENNEKER invented the first American clock.

3. Birth of the REV. LEMUEL HAYNES, First Congregational Minister among Negroes. He was also a pastor of white congregation.
   Probable birth date of PHILLIS WHEATLEY.

4. First part of Some Considerations on Keeping of Negroes, by John Woolman, published.

1754

1. BENJAMIN BENNEKER began literary activity.

1757

2. Death of BENNEKER'S father.

1759

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1760

1. JUPITER HAMMON began his literary activity.


5. HAMMON, JUPITER. An Evening Thought. Long Island.
   "     "  Salvation by Christ. "

1761

1. PHILLIS WHEATLEY brought to America and sold.

1762

4. Last part of Considerations on Keeping Negroes by John Woolman, published.

1763


1765

1. Massachusetts census shows Negroes in all but three counties.

1766

4. A Caution to Great Britain and her Colonies by Anthony Benezet.
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1767


1770

1. PHILLIS WHEATLEY began literary activity.


1772

1. Erection of Elliott's Mills near BANNEKER'S home.

2. Death of John Woolman, anti-slavery agitator.

1773


5. WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Poems on Various Subjects, Religious and Moral. London and Boston.

1774

1. Governor of Massachusetts attested genuineness of PHILLIS WHEATLEY'S poems.

1775

5. PHILLIS WHEATLEY addressed letter and poem to George Washington.

1776

1. George Washington wrote a letter to PHILLIS WHEATLEY, praising her poem.

3. Birth of JAMES FORTEN, who with two other men raised 2,500 colored volunteers to protect Philadelphia.

   Birth of JOHN GLOUCESTER, first Negro in Presbyterian Church educated for leadership.


1778

5. HAMMON, JUPITER. An Address to PHILLIS WHEATLEY. Hartford.

1779


1780

3. Birth of Lot Carey, first missionary to Liberia and one of the leading spirits in rounding that colony.
1782

1. Beginning of divergence of North and South on Slavery, in framing of the Constitution.

5. HAMMON, JUPITER. A Winter Piece. Hartford.

1783

1. The Rev. GEORGE LEELE founded a church in Jamaica.

1784

2. Death of PHILLIS WHEATLEY.
   Death of Anthony Benezet, anti-slavery leader.


5. WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Elegy Sacred to the Memory of Dr. Samuel Cooper. Boston.
   WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Liberty and Peace. Boston.

1786

1. Colored Baptist Church organized at Williamsburg, Virginia.

   Birth of DANIEL WALKER, first Negro to attack slavery through the press.
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1786

1. George Washington referred to slaves being helped to freedom by Quakers. (First known reference to the "Underground Railway").

   New York African free school established.

5. WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Reprint of Works. Philadelphia.

1787

1. Elliott loans BANNEKER tables and Ferguson's Astronomy.

   RICHARD ALLEN and followers organized "Independent Methodist Church" at Philadelphia. (A.M.E.)


   HAMMON, JUPITER. An Evening Improvement, including the Kind Master and Dutiful Slave. Hartford. (Possibly 1782.)

1788

1. First African Baptist Church organized at Savannah, Georgia. ANDREW BRYAN, a slave, first pastor.

   Slaves published articles against slavery in American Museum.

1789

1. BANNEKER appointed one of the surveyors of the District of Columbia.
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1790

1. African Baptist Church organized at Lexington, Kentucky.
   Franklin presented petition to Congress against slavery.

1791

1. ABRAHAM JONES founded St. Thomas' Episcopal Church at Philadelphia.


5. BANNEKER addressed a letter to Jefferson on the question of Negro freedom.

1792

5. BANNEKER. First Almanac.
   LETHE, GEORGE. Letters on establishment of church.

1793

1. Springfield Baptist Church organized at Augusta, Georgia.


5. WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Reprint of Works. Albany.
18

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1795

1. PAUL CUFFEE took cargo of corn from Massachusetts to Maryland.

   Birth of G. M. STROUD, author.

1796

1. African Methodist Episcopal Zion denomination began the organization of Colored Methodist Church in New York City.

1797

1. Ordination of RICHARD ALLEN as Deacon.

   PAUL CUFFEE built school house for Negro and Indian children in Massachusetts.

1798

1. Kosciuszko Fund for Negro education established.
   Negroes of Boston established a private school.

1799

3. Birth of GEORGE HORTON.

1800

1. The Abyssinia Baptist Church organized in New York City.

ROBERT PLEASANT, of Virginia, left by will a school house and 350 acres of land for benefit of Negro children.


1801

1. JOHN CHAVIS, Negro preacher and teacher, sent out by Presbyterians as missionary to Negroes.

5. WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Reprint of Works. Philadelphia.

1802


Birth of Lydia Maria Child, author and lecturer.

1803

1. Miner's Moralist Society School established by seven free colored men in Charleston, South Carolina.

1804


WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Reprint of works. Hartford, Connecticut.
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1805

   Organization by JOSEPH WILLIS of first Baptist Church west of the Mississippi.

3. Birth of Marie Becroft, noted teacher in District of Columbia.
   Birth of William Lloyd Garrison.

1806

2. Death of BENJAMIN BANNEKER, noted astronomer.
   Probable death date of JUPITER HAMMON.


1807


1808

1. The African third of the John Parish Educational Fund first separately appropriated.

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1809


Birth of George Livermore, author of Historical Research Reflecting Opinions of Founders of Republic on Negroes - as Slaves, as Citizens, as Soldiers.

1810

2. Death of HARRY HOSIER, preacher pronounced by some the greatest orator in America at that time.


Birth of IRA ALDRIDGE, the greatest Negro actor.

Birth of THOMY LAFON, teacher, business man, philanthropist, in New Orleans.

1811

1. PAUL CUFEE landed in Africa and organized The Friendly Society in Sierra Leone.

CUFEE visited Thomas Clarkson and William Wilberforce in London.


Birth of BISHOP DANIEL A. PAYNE. (Born free.)

Birth of Harriet Beecher Stowe.

1812

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1813

5. WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Reprint of Works. Halifax.

1815

3. Birth of HENRY GARNETT, noted educator and preacher.
   Birth of LEWIS HAYDEN, first colored office holder before the Civil War.

1816

5. WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Reprint of Works. ("New England.")

1817

1. First Convention of Free Negroes held in Philadelphia.
   Slaves liberated in New York.
   SOJOURNER TRUTH, abolitionist and lecturer, set free.
2. Death of PAUL CUFFEE, colonizer.
3. Birth of FREDERICK DOUGLASS.

1818

3. Birth of ALEXANDER CRUMMELL, one of the founders of the Negro American Academy.

5. HAYNES, REV. LEMUEL. Sermon against Universalism. Manchester, New Hampshire. (Widely quoted.)
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1819

1. France abolished slave trade.

1820

1. American Colonization Society issued Memorial to Congress.

   Maria Becroft opened school for Negro girls at Georgetown, D.C.

   Missouri Compromise.

1821

1. Genius of Universal Emancipation established.


1822

2. Death of JOHN GLOUCESTER, noted preacher.


1823

1. Louisa Coston established school for Negro children at Washington, D.C.

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1825

3. Birth of FRANCIS E. WATKINS HARPER.

1826

1. EDWARD JONES graduated from Amherst College.
   
   JOHN BROWN RUSSWORM, first Negro college graduate, graduated from Bowdoin College.
   
   THEODORE S. WRIGHT graduated from Princeton Theological Seminary.

1827

1. Miss Becroft made principal of Seminary for Colored Girls in District of Columbia.
   
   5. HORTON, GEORGE. Verses in Raleigh Register and a Boston newspaper.

1828

2. Death of LOT CAREY, first missionary to Liberia.
   
   6. First issue of Negro publication Rights of All, New York City.

1829

1. Imprisonment of William Lloyd Garrison for anti-slavery sentiments.
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2. Death of DAVID WALKER, first Negro to attack slavery through the press.

3. Birth of JOHN M. LANGSTON.

5. HEMMINGWAY, JAMES. Atkinson's Casket, in a musical journal.
   HORTON, GEORGE. Hope of Liberty. Raleigh, North Carolina.
   WALKER, DAVID. Appeal.

1830

1. WILLIAM WORMLER established school in Washington, District of Columbia, for Negro children.

   Birth of BISHOP B. W. ARNETT, author of Biographical Sketch of JAMES M. BELL.

1831

1. Free Negroes denied school privileges in Virginia.
   Garrison's Liberator established.

2. Death of RICHARD ALLEN, first bishop and founder of A.M.E. Church.

3. Birth of JOSEPH S. ATTWELL, noted minister in Episcopal Church and worker for state of Liberia.
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1832


   American Baptist Home Mission Society organized.

   BISHOP PAYNE opened pioneer school in South Carolina.


1833


   Birth of EBENEZER BASSETT, first Negro to hold appointment by U.S. Government. (Consul to Haiti.)

   Birth of BISHOP TURNER. (A.M.E.O)

4. Americans called Africans by Lydia Maria Child.

   Letters on Slavery by J. D. Paxton.

5. CANNON, REV. N. C. The Rock of Wisdom....to which are added Several Interesting Hymns. New York.

1835

1. Founding of Institution des Orphelins Indigenes in New Orleans, by Widow Bernard.

   John F. Cook's school enlarged after riot.
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1836

4. The Slave, or Memoirs of ARCHY MOORE, by R. Hildreth.
   Slavery in the U. S., by J. K. Paulding.

1837

1. Beginning of what is now Cheyney Training School for Teachers, Pennsylvania.
   BISHOP PAYNE licensed.
2. Death of Elijah Lovejoy, anti-slavery worker.
   Birth of Robert G. Shaw, Commander of Negro Troops.
4. ROPER, MOSES. Adventures and Escape of MOSES ROPER.

1838

1. CHARLES LENOX REDMOND lectured against slavery.
   (First Negro to take platform as anti-slavery speaker.)
   FREDERICK DOUGLASS escaped from slavery.
3. HORTON, GEORGE. Hope of Liberty, 3rd ed. (As supplement to Memoirs and Poems of PHILLIS WHEATLEY.
4. WILLIAM WHIPPER became editor of National Reformer.
   First effort in journalism by Philadelphia Negroes.
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1839

1. BISHOP PAYNE ordained.
2. Death of Louisa Coston, teacher.
4. The Sinfulness of Slavery, by Charles Elliott.
6. Colored American established, edited by CHARLES RAY.
   New York City.

1840

1. Beginning of literary activity of WILLIAM C. NELL.
   BISHOP PAYNE opened private school in Philadelphia.
   DR. A. W. ABBOTT admitted to army medical service.
   (Among the first.)
   Negro dialect first used in literature, by Edgar Allan Poe in The Gold Bug.

1841

1. Beginning of public activity of FREDERICK DOUGLASS.
   Birth of B. K. BRUCE, U. S. Senator (Mississippi).
5. DOUGLASS, FREDERICK. Speech in Nantucket anti-slavery meeting.
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1842

1. B. MACON ALLEN, first Negro lawyer in U.S., allowed to practice law in Maine.


2. Death of JAMES FORTE, soldier.

3. C.C. JONES. Religious Instruction of the Negroes.

4. The Clarion established.

   The Elevator established. Philadelphia.


1843

1. Beginning of literary activity of WILLIAM WELLS BROWN.

   Union Benevolent Society organized by Free Negroes, one purpose being to encourage education and industry.

1844


1845

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1. B. MACON ALLEN admitted to bar of Massachusetts.

5. HORTON, GEORGE. Miscellaneous Poems. Hillsboro.

WATSON, HENRY. Narrative of HENRY WATSON, Fugitive Slave.


1846

1. Beginning of literary activity of FRANCIS E. HARPER.

BISHOP PAYNE visited London as a delegate to the Evangelical Alliance.

MOSES DICKSON and eleven others organized "The Knights of Liberty" in St. Louis, to overthrow slavery. Society still exists as "Knights and Daughters of Tabor".


4. The Kidnapped and Ransomed PETER STILL, by Kate E. Pickard.


DOUGLASS, FREDERICK. Narrative of my life. Boston.

CONNOR, A. J. Publication of early musical selections.

1847


6. The Ram's Horn established. New York City.

1848

1. BISHOP PAYNE became historian of A.M.E. Church.

3. Birth of SAMUEL MILADY ("SAM LUCAS"), author of Grandfather's Clock was too Tall for the Shelf.

   The Impartial Citizen established. Boston.

1849

1. Avery College established at Alleghany, Pennsylvania.
   Ohio established public schools for colored children.
   WISGAR MIFFLIN BIBBS lectured against slavery.

3. Birth of "BLIND TOM", musical prodigy. (THOMAS GREEN BETHUNE)

5. WILLIAM WELLS BROWN. Slavery Harp, a Collection of Songs. Boston.

1850

5. HORTON, GEORGE. Edition of HORTON'S Poems and Essays.
   TRUTH, SOJOURNER. Narrative of Sojourner Truth.
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1851

1. ELIZABETH T. GREENFIELD came into prominence as a singer.

2. Death of JOHN BROWN RUSSWORM, editor of Freedman's Journal, first Negro newspaper published in U.S.

5. NELL, WILLIAM C. Services of Colored Americans in the Wars of 1776 and 1812. Boston.


1852


4. Uncle Tom's Cabin, by Harriet B. Stowe.

5. DELANEY, MARTIN. Condition and Elevation of Colored People of U.S.
   DOUGLASS, FREDERICK. American Slavery Speech.
   NELL, WILLIAM C. Services of Colored Americans in the War of 1812.
   PAYNE, L. W. Six Years in a Georgia Prison.

6. The Alienated American established. Cleveland, Ohio.
   The Christian Recorder, formerly The Christian Herald, established.

1853

1. Beginning of public activities of ALEXANDER CRUMMELL.
   First Normal School for Colored teachers established in New York City.
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1. Organization of first Colored Y.M.C.A. in U.S. Washington, D.C.

   On the Condition of Free People of Color, by John Jay.
   Publication of Key to Uncle Tom's Cabin.
   Sable Cloud, by Nehemiah Adams. Boston.

5. GREENE, WILLIAM. Narrative of Events in the Life of WILLIAM GREENE.
   NORTHUP, SOLOMON. Twelve Years a Slave.

1854

1. Lincoln University, Pennsylvania, established.


5. HARPER, FRANCES E. Poems on Miscellaneous Subjects.

1855

2. Death of JOHN F. COOK, teacher.


5. DOUGLASS, FREDERICK. My Bondage and Freedom.

   The Mirror of the Time established. San Francisco.
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1856

1. Western University, Quindaro, Kansas, founded.
   Wilberforce University (M.E. Church), Xenia, Ohio.

   Sketch of Laws Relating to Slavery, by G. M. Stroud.


1857


5. TRUTH, SOJOURNER. Anti-slavery address at Akron, Ohio.

1858

3. Birth of CHARLES W. CHESNUTT.
   Birth of BOOKER T. WASHINGTON.
   Birth of CHARLES T. WALKER, minister and lecturer.


1859


6. The Anglo-American established, New York City.
2. Death of J. K. Paulding.


4. Cotton is King, (collections of writings in favor of slavery) by E. N. Elliot. Augusta.

5. HARPER, FRANCES E. Moses, a Story of the Nile. Philadelphia.

1861

1. First School for Freedmen established, at Fortress Monroe, Virginia.


5. BRAGG, G. F. Afro-American Church Workers. Baltimore.

   BRENT, LINDA. Linda, or Incidents in the Life of a Slave Girl. Boston.

   CAMPBELL, ROBERT. A Pilgrimage to my Mother Land. Philadelphia.

1862

1. BISHOP PAYNE called on President Lincoln in behalf of the "Bill of Emancipation".

   Organization of New England Branch of Freedmen's Union Commission.

   Organization of New York Branch of Freedmen's Union Commission.

   Organization of Pennsylvania Branch of Freedmen's Union Commission.
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1. Organization of The Western Freedmen's Aid Commission.
   Organization of National Freedmen's Relief Association of the District of Columbia.


4. An Historical Research Respecting Opinions of the Founders of the Republic on Negroes as Slaves, as Citizens, as Soldiers, by George Livermore.

5. CRUMMELL, ALEXANDER. The Future of Africa.

1863

1. BISHOP PAYNE purchased M. E. School at Xenia, Ohio, and named it Wilberforce University.

   BISHOP TURNER appointed chaplain in U.S. Army (first Negro chaplain).
   
   DR. A. T. AUGUSTA appointed surgeon of 17th regiment, said to be first Negro medical man commissioned in the United States Army.

   Signing of Emancipation Proclamation, by Abraham Lincoln.

   West Virginia established public school system.

2. Death of Robert G. Shaw, Commander of Negro Troops.


5. BROWN, WILLIAM WELLS. The Black Man.

   BROWN, WILLIAM WELLS. Clotille, a tale of the Southern States.

   JACKSON, FANNIE M. Humility. Ohio.
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1864

1. Louisiana established first complete public school system in the South.

Maryland made provision for common schools.

Organization of the Baltimore Association for the Moral and Educational improvement of Colored People.

Private school of MRS. C. A. ATTWELL made part of public school system.

STEPHEN SMITH founded Old Folks Home for inform Colored people; gave $150,000 and grounds, etc.

2. Death of O./P. Lovejoy.


Birth of JOHN W. GILBERT, first Negro Greek scholar sent to American School at Athens. (Sent from Brown University.)

Birth of C. V. ROMAN.


5. BELL, JAMES MADISON. Poem, The Day and the War. (First anniversary of Emancipation Proclamation. San Francisco.

1865

1. Congress established "Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands".

Exhibition in Boston of bust of Robert Gould Shaw, by EDMONIA LEWIS.

Founding of Shaw University, North Carolina.

Founding of Virginia Union University. Virginia.
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1. Freedmen's Bureau created.
   JOHN S. ROCK admitted to practice before U.S. Supreme Court. First Negro to be admitted.
   Missouri included Negroes in her public school system.
   13th Amendment to Constitution adopted.

2. Death of Abraham Lincoln.
   Death of George Livermore.

3. Birth of JOHN WESLEY HOLLOWAY, author of "From the Desert".
   Birth of MARGARET M. WASHINGTON, author of My Part in my Husband's Work. (MRS. BOOKER T. WASHINGTON.)

5. HORTON, GEORGE. Naked Genius. Raleigh.

6. The Colored American, first Negro newspaper published in the South.

1866

1. Founding of Fisk University.
   First Negro high school of Kentucky established at Louisville.
   Florida taxed her freedmen for common school fund for freedmen.
   Lincoln Institute founded, Jefferson City, Missouri.

   Birth of MONROE N. WORK, Editor of Negro Year Book.

5. BELL, JAMES MADISON. The Progress of Liberty. (a poem) San Francisco.
1. Beginning of public activity of JOHN M. LANGSTON

Alabama and Tennessee established public school systems.

College of Pharmacy established at Harvard University.

Establishment of $3,500,000.00 Educational Fund for South by George Foster Peabody.

Founding of Divinity School at Morehouse College, Georgia.

Founding of Howard University.

Founding of Scotia Seminary, North Carolina.

First Temperance Society among Negroes organized by Freedmen's Bureau.

Kentucky began to tax her Negroes for their education.

Moorehouse College founded, Atlanta, Georgia.

Rust College founded, Holly Springs, Mississippi.

Storer College founded, West Virginia.

2. Death of IRA ALDREDGE, greatest Negro actor.


Birth of R. A. CARTER, author.

Birth of I. GARLAND PENN, author and lecturer.

Birth of KELLEY MILLER, teacher and author.

Birth of ROBERT R. MCBON, teacher and author.


New York.
1868

1. Arkansas, Florida, and South Carolina established public school systems.

   Founding of Biddle University. North Carolina.
   Founding of Howard University medical School.

2. Death of Samuel E. Sewell, anti-slavery lawyer.

3. Birth of WILLIAM STANLEY BRAITHWAITE, poet, essayist, and critic.
   Birth of WILLIAM EDWARD BURGHARDT DU BOIS.

1869

1. Founding of Claflin College. South Carolina.

   North Carolina and Virginia established public school systems.

   Founding of Straight University. Louisiana.
   Founding of Talladega College.
   Founding of Tougaloo University.

   Birth of JAMES D. CORROOTHERS, poet.
   Birth of SILAS X. FLOYD, poet and teacher.
   Birth of CHARLES STEWART, noted Negro journalist.

5. DOUGLASS, FREDERICK. The Negro's right to Vote.

1870

1. Founding of Clark University. Atlanta, Georgia.
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1870

1. Georgia, Mississippi, and Texas established public school systems.

3. Birth of FLORA BATSON, noted singer.


5. BELL, JAMES MADISON. The Triumph of Liberty. Detroit.

1871

1. Founding of Benedict College, South Carolina.

1872

1. CHARLOTTE RAY, first colored woman lawyer, graduated from Howard University.

2. Death of E. A. POLLARD, author.

3. Birth of PAUL LAWRENCE DUNBAR.

5. STILL, WILLIAM. The Underground Railroad.

1873


New Orleans College founded. Louisiana.

Roger Williams University founded. Tennessee.

Wiley University founded. Texas.

2. Death of CHARLES LENOX REDMOND, first Negro anti-slavery lecturer.
2. Death of STEPHEN SMITH, philanthropist.


4. The Jubilee Singers and their Campaign for $20,000. Boston.

1874

1. Kentucky established a public school system for Negroes.
   Walden College founded. Tennessee.

2. Death of WILLIAM C. NELL, historian.


1875

   Branch Normal founded. Arkansas.
   Delaware established a system of public schools to include Negroes.
   Knoxville College founded. Tennessee.
   The Avery Fund established, for grade school in University of Pittsburg.

2. Death of G. M. STROUD, author.

   Birth of CARTER G. WOODSON.

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1876

1. E. M. BANNISTER’S pictures awarded medal.
2. Death of ELIZABETH T. GREENFIELD, singer of note.
   Birth of GEORGE WASHINGTON ELLIS.

1877

1. Beginning of literary activity of ALBERT A. WHITMAN.
   Philander-Smith College founded. Arkansas.
   Tillotson college founded. Texas.
   Birth of GEORGE ROGNALL MARGETSON, poet.
   Birth of ISAAC FISHER, essayist and editor.
5. WHITMAN, ALBERT A. Not a Man and Yet a Man. Springfield, Massachusetts.

1878

2. Death of Nehemiah Adams, author of A South Side View of Slavery.
3. Birth of CLEMENT RICHARDSON.
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1879

2. Death of William Lloyd Garrison.

1880

1. Founding of National Baptist Convention, at Montgomery, Alabama. REV. WILLIAM McALPIN, first President.
2. Death of Lydia Maria Child.
   Birth of LESLIE PINCKNEY HILL, author of Wings of Oppression.
4. GREENER, RICHARD T. Socrates as a Teacher.
   GREENER, RICHARD T. The Intellectual Position of the Negro.
5. Tales of Uncle Remus, by Joel Chandler Harris.

1881

1. Allen University established. South Carolina.
   Bishop College founded. Texas.
   Paul Quinn College founded. Texas.
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1. Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College.
2. Death of JOSEPH S. ATTWELL, noted minister and worker for State of Liberia.

1882

1. Lane College founded. Tennessee.
   The John F. Slater Fund established for training Negro teachers.
2. Death of HENRY GARNETT, educator and preacher.
   Birth of NATHANIEL DETT, author of Listen to de Lambs.
   Birth of ANNE SPENCER, author of The Wife-Woman and other poems.
5. CRUMMELL, ALEXANDER. A Defence of the Negro Race in America.

   CRUMMELL, ALEXANDER. Sermons and Lectures. The Greatness of Christ.

   WILLIAMS, GEORGE. History of the Negro Race from 1619 to 1880. 2 vols.

1883

1. Beginning of literary activity of CHARLES W. CHESNUTT.
   Hartshorn memorial College founded. Virginia.
2. Death of WILLIAM CHAMBERS, author.
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2. Death of SOJOURNER TRUTH, anti-slavery lecturer.

5. A. W. WAYMAN. The Black Woman of the South, Her Neglect and Her needs.


1884

1. Arkansas Baptist College founded. Little Rock.

Guadaloupe College founded. Texas.


5. E. A. RANDOLF, E. A. The Life of REV. JOHN JASPER. Richmond.

SCARBOROUGH, W. Political Status of the Negro.


WHITMAN, A. A. The Rape of Florida. St. Louis.

1885

1. Houston College founded. Texas.


4. The Silent South, by G. W. Cable.


PAYNE, BISHOP DANIEL. Domestic Education.

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1886

   Ingleside Seminary founded. Virginia.
   Kentucky Normal and Industrial Institute for Colored people founded.
   Mary Allen Seminary founded. Texas.
2. Death of CHARLES RAY, editor.
4. DOUGLASS, FREDERICK. The Relation Existing between White and Colored People of the U.S. Washington, D.C.

1887

1. Beginning of literary activity of J. W. E. BOWEN.
   FLORA BATSON became noted as a singer.
   SIMMONS, WILLIAM J. Men of Mark.
   WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Reprint of Works. Denver.

1888

1. The Daniel Hana Fund established.
2. Birth of JAMES FENTON JOHNSON.
   Birth of ROSCOE C. JAMISON, poet.

DOUGLASS, FREDERICK. The Life and Times of FREDERICK DOUGLASS. Hartford.

GRINKE, CHARLOTTE L. FORTEI. At Newport.


1889


1890


Morris Brown University founded. Atlanta, Georgia.

PAUL LAURENCE.

5. DUNBAR, Poems of Cabin and Field.

HENDERSON, JOSIE D. HEARD. Morning Glories.

PAYNE, BISHOP DANIEL. History of the A.M.E. Church.

WHITMAN, A. A. Drifted Leaves. St. Louis.

1891

1. Georgia State Industrial College founded.

5. CRUMMELL, ALEXANDER. Africa and America.
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5. SHORTER, SUSAN. Heroines of African Methodism.

1892

1. Mary Holmes Seminary founded. Mississippi.
2. Death of BISHOP DANIEL A. PAYNE.
5. HARPER, FRANCES E. Iola Terry. (Novel.) Boston.
6. First Negro medical journal issued.

1893

5. FRANKLIN, JAMES T. Mid-day Gleanings. Memphis.
   GREGORY, JAMES M. FREDERICK DOUGLASS, the Orator. Wiley Sons. Springfield, Massachusetts.

1894

5. LANGSTON, JOHN M. From a Virginia Plantation to the National Capitol. Hartford.
   WRIGHT, R. R. Negro Education in Georgia. Savannah.
6. The Southern Workman/ founded.
   National Medical Association (Negro) organized.
   State College for Colored Students established. Delaware.

3. Birth of JOSEPH S. COTTER.

   DUNBAR, A. Majors and Minors. New York.
   DUNBAR, ALICE NELSON. Violets and Other Tales.
   MCCLELLAN, GEORGE M. Poems and storiettes. Nashville.
   WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Address, Cast Down Your Bucket Where You Are. Atlanta.

1896

   National Baptist Publishing House established by DR. R. H. BOYD.


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1. The American Negro Academy organized.
   The American Negro Historical Society organized.

2. Death of U.S. Senator, B. K. BRUCE, author and statesman.


4. HARRIET (HARRIET TUBMAN), The Moses of Her People, by Sarah H. Bradford.

5. COFFIN, FRANK B. COFFIN'S Poems and Ajax's Ordeals. Little Rock, Arkansas.

6. Tuskegee Student established.

1897

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5.


PAUL LAURENCE.

DUNBAR. *The Uncalled.* (Novel.)

HARPER, FRANCES E. Sketches of Southern Life.

1898

2. Death of U.S. Senator, B. K. BRUCE, author and statesman.

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5. CARVER, G. W. Experiments with Sweet Potatoes.
   CARVER, G. W. Feeding Acorns.
   CROGMAN, WILLIAM H. Progress of a Race. Atlanta.
   COTTER, JOSEPH S. Links of Friendship. Louisville, Kentucky.
   CRUMMELL, ALEXANDER. The Attitude of the American Mind towards the Negro Intellect. Washington.
   PAUL LAURENCE.
   DUNBAR, Folks from Dixie.
   PAUL LAURENCE.
   WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Address at Harvard Alumni Dinner (The Negro is coming up). Cambridge Massachusetts.
   WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Address, Choosing the Better Part. Chicago.

1899

1. META VAUX WARRICK attracted attention of Rodin.

5. CARVER, G. W. Fertilizer Experiments with Cotton.
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PAUL LAURENCE.
DUNBAR, Lyrics of Hearthside.

PAUL LAURENCE.

DUNBAR, ALICE NELSON. The Goddess of St. Roque. Dodd, Mead Company.


1900

1. Samuel Houston College founded. Texas.

Beginning of Literary Activity of GEORGE REGNALL MARGETSON.

National Negro Business League organized.

4. Publication of Proceedings of Southern Sociological Congress.

5. BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. Verses in magazines and newspapers. 1900 - 1904.


DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. The Love of Landry. (Novel.)

DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. The Strength of Gideon and Other Stories.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. Uncle Eph's Christmas. (A one-act musical sketch.) Washington, D.C.

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LOVINGOOD, R. S. Why Hic, Haec, Hoc, for the Negro?


WILLIAMS, FANNIE B. New Negro For a New Century.


1901

5. ARNETT, BISHOP B. W. The Poetical Works of JAMES MADISON BELL, with Biographical Sketch. Lansing, Michigan.

CARVER, G. W. Cercaspara of Macon County, Alabama.


CLEM, CHARLES E. EDMOND. Rhymes of a Rhymester. Oklahoma.


DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. Candle Lighting Time.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. The Fanatics. (Novel.)

GRIMKE, ARCHIBALD. Right on the Scaffolds.


WHITMAN, A. A. An Idyll of the South. New York.

6. Boston Guardian established. Edited by MONROE TROTTER.

1902

1. General Education Board established.

Beginning of literary activity of GEORGE WASHINGTON ELLIS.

5. BRAWLEY, B. G. A Toast to Love and Death. Atlanta.

CROGMAN, W. H. and GIBSON. Colored Americans.


FLOYD, SILAS X. The Life of C. T. WALKER.


GRIGGS, SUTTON E. Unlettered. (Novel.) Nashville.

PENN, I. GARLAND and J. W. E. BOWEN. The United Negroes , etc. Proceedings of the Negro Young People's Christian Congress. Atlanta.


1903

1. General Education Board chartered.
CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

1. Luther College founded. Louisiana.
   META WARRICK (Sculptress) exhibited her masterpiece in Paris.


5. CARVER, G. W. Cow Peas.
   DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. In Old Plantation Days.
   DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. Lyrics of Love and Laughter.
   DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. When Malindy Sings.
   WORK, MONROE N. Negre Real Estate Holdings in Chicago. Thesis for M.A.

1904

1. Dayton Training School for Girls founded.
   National Association for Teachers in Colored Schools organized.


5. DINKINS, CHARLES R. Lyrics of Love. Columbia, South Carolina.
   DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. Lil' Gal.
5. DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. Poems of Cabin and Field. New York.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. The Heart of Happy Hollow.


1905


5. BRAWLEY, B. G. The Problem, and Other Poems. Atlanta.

CAMPBELL, JAMES EDWIN. Echoes from the Cabin and Elsewhere. Chicago.

CARVER, G. W. Cotton Growing on Sand Upland Soils.

CARVER, G. W. How to Build up Wornout Soils.


DU BOIS, W. E. B. A Select Bibliography of the Negro American. Atlanta University Series.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. Howdy, Howdy, Howdy.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. Lyrics of Sunshine and Shadow.

FLOYD, SILAS X. FLOYD’S Flowers. Atlanta.

FORD, REV. R. E. Brown’s Chapel. (A Story in Verse.)

FORTUNE, T. THOMAS. DREAMS OF LIFE. New York.


WORK, MONROE N. Gucher Folklore. Southern Workman.

1906

1. Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity organized at Cornell University.

Discontinuance of Voice of the Negro.

2. Death of PAUL LAURENCE DUNBAR.

Death of FLORA BATSON, noted singer.

5. ALLEN, J. M. Rhymes, Tales, and Rhymed Tales. Topeka, Kansas.


BRAWLEY, B. G. The Desire of the Moth for the Star. (A Collection of Poems on Various Subjects.)

CARVER, G. W. Saving the Sweet Potato Crop.

CARVER, G. W. Successful Yields of Small Grains.

CARVER, G. W. The San Jose Scale in Alabama.


DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. Joggin' Erlong.

KING, JEFFERSON. Darky Philosophy told in Rhyme. Chicago.

TALBERT, HORACE. The Sons of Allen. Xenia, Ohio.

TERRILL, MARY CHURCH. PAUL LAURENCE DUNBAR. Voice of the Negro.
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5. WASS, S. N. Progress of the Negro Race. Raleigh.


WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. FREDERICK DOUGLASS. (American Crisis Biographies) Philadelphia.

WORK, MONROE N. Some Parallelisms in the Development of African and Other Races. Southern Workman.

1907

1. Anna J. Jeane's Fund established.

National Training School for Women and Girls founded.

2. Death of DR. WILLIAM H. McALPINE, organizer and first president of the National Baptist Convention, writer.


CARVER, G. W. Saving the Wild Plum.


corrothers, REV. JAMES D. Selected Poems.


DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. Christmas is a 'Comin', and Other Poems. New York.


shackelford, WILLIAM H. Poems.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Negro Doctor in the South. INDEPENDENT.
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WIGGINS, LIDA KECK. Life and Works of PAUL LAWRENCE DUNBAR. Naperville, Illinois.


1908

2. Death of "BLIND TOM", THOMAS BETHUNE, musical prodigy.

Death of EBENEZER BASSETT, first Negro to hold appointment by United States government.

b. BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. Book of Elizabethan Verse. London.


CARVER, G. W. How to Cook Cow Peas.

CARVER, G. W. Increasing the Yield of Corn.

CARVER, G. W. Relation of Weather and Soil Condition to the Fruit of Industry of South East Alabama.


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5. WORK, MONROE N. How to Fit the School to the Needs of the Community. Southern Workman.

WORK, MONROE N. The Negro Church and the Community. Southern Workman.


1909

1. Phelps-Stokes Fund established.
   National Negro Bar Association organized.
   National Negro Press Association organized.
   National Association for the Advancement of Colored People organized.

5. BOYD, R. H. Sunday School Commentary. Nashville.

BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. The Book of Georgian Verse. (Anthology.)

CARVER, G. W. How to Make Cotton Growing Pay.

CARVER, G. W. Some Ornamental Plants of Macon County.

COTTER, JOSEPH S. A White Song and a Black One. Louisville, Kentucky.


DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. Lyrics of Sunshine and Shadow.

FERMER, MOHN P. Religious Folk Songs of the Negro. Hampton, Virginia.
5. FISHER, ISAAC. Plan to give South a System of Highways suited to its Needs. (Prize Essay. Manufacture's Record. Baltimore.)

FISHER, ISAAC. German and American Methods of regulating Trusts. Hart, Schaffner and Marx Economic Committee. (Prize Essay.) Chicago.

HARPER, WALTER EVERETT. Chords and Discords. Washington.


PENN, I. GARLAND. The United Negro. Atlanta.

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. Slavery in Massachusetts. Colored American.


WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Negro's Place in American Life. Outlook.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Negro Rural Schools and Teachers. Southern Workman.


WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. The South and Negro Education. Southern Workman.

WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Reprint of Works. Philadelphia.

WORK, MONROE N. The African Family as an Institution. Southern Workman.
1. Negro National Educational Congress.
   National Equal Rights League organized.
   Negro Society for Historical Research organized.

5. CARVER, G. W. Nature Study and Gardening for Rural Schools.
   CARVER, G. W. Possibilities of the Sweet Potato in Macon County, Alabama.
   HARTSHORN, WILLIAM NEWTON. Era of Progress and Promise. Boston.
   JOHNSON, MAGGIE POGUE. Virginia Dreams.
   JONES, EDWARD S. A Sylvan Cabin. Boston.
   RAY, CORDELIA. Poems. New York.
   RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. Language Lessons. Tuskegee Institute Press.
   SCOTT, E. J. Is Liberia Worth Saving?
   WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. University Education For Negroes. Independent.
5. WORK, MONROE N. African Agriculture. Southern Workman.

6. Founding of The Crisis.
   Founding of Fisk University News.

1911

1. Trustees of Phelps-Stokes Fund incorporated.
   Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity organized at Indiana University.
   Negro Society of Historical Research organized.
   National League on Urban Conditions Among Negroes organized.

2. Death of FRANCES E. HARPER.

5. BRAWLEY, B. G. The Dawn, and Other Poems. Washington, D.C.
   CARVER, G. W. Cotton Growing for Rural Schools.
   CARVER, G. W. Some Possibilities of the Cow Peas in Macon County, Alabama.
   CARVER, G. W. White and Colored Washing With Native Clays from Macon County, Alabama.
   DAVIS, D. WEBSTER. The Life and Public Service of the REV. WILLIAM W. BROWN.
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5. DU BOIS, W. E. B. The Quest or the Silver Fleece. (Novel.) A. C. McClurg and Company. Chicago.

JONES, E. SMITH. The Sylvan Cabin.

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. Durham, a city of Negro Enterprise. Southern Workman.


WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Information on Negro Colleges. World's Work.


WORK, MONROE N. African Agriculture. Southern Workman.

1912

1. Committee of Twelve organized. (1912?)

5. BEADLE, S. A. Lyrics of the Underworld. Jackson, Mississippi.

CARVER, G. W. Dairying in Connection with Farming.

CARVER, G. W. Poultry Raising in Mason County.

CARVER, G. W. The Pickling and Curing of Meats.


FISHER, ISAAC. The Ten Best Reasons why People should live in Missouri. (St. Louis Post Dispatch. Prize Essay.)

HENSON, MATT. A 'Negro at the North Pole. New York.
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PICKENS, WILLIAM. Utica. Independent.

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. BOCKER T. WASHINGTON. Ambition.

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. GEORGE W. CARVER. Technical World.

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. Slave Superstition. Southern Workman.

ROMAN, C. V. Religion, a Necessity to Man.


1913

2. Death of DR. A. W. ABBOTT, one of the first Negro Doctors admitted to Army Service.

Death of HARRIET TUBMAN, abolitionist.

5. BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. Anthology of Magazine Verse for 1913. Including the Magazines and the Poets, a review. Cambridge, Massachusetts.


CARVER, G. W. A Study in the Soils in Macon County, Alabama, and their adaptability to certain Crops.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. Morals and Manners Among Negroes. Atlanta University Series.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. Negro in Literature and Art. (American Academy of Political and Social Science.)


DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. Complete Poems.


FULLER, F. A. Twenty Years of Public Life. Memphis.


HARE, MAUD CANEY. NORRIS WRIGHT CANEY. New York.

JOHNSON, JAMES F. A Little Dreaming. Peterson Typnotying Company. Chicago.

LINDEN, CHARLOTTE E. Scraps of June.


PICKENS, WILLIAM. FREDERICK DOUGLASS. (Lecture.)

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. Building Rural Schools. (Booklet.) Tuskegee Institute Press.

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. Early Days at Tuskegee. Southern Workman.
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5. RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. What Negroes are doing in Durham. Southern Workman.

ROMAN, C. V. Racial Self Respect.

TIMBERLAKE, C. L. Household Ethics and Industrial Training in Colored Schools. Frankfort.


WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. New Type of Rural School for Negroes. Survey.


1914

1. Rosenwald Fund established.

5. ADAMS, WELLINGTON. Lyrics of an Humble Birth. Washington, D.C.

ALEXANDER, CHARLES. The Battles and Victories of Allen Allenworth.

BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. Anthology of Magazine Verse for 1914.

BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. The Book of Georgian Verse, etc. London.


CORROTHERS, REV. JAMES D. The Dream and the Song.

COWEY, A. B. American English Law on Titles.

CRAWFORD, GEORGE W. Prince Hal to His Followers.


5. DUNBAR, PAUL LAWRENCE. Speakin' o' Christmas.


FISHER, ISAAC. What We Have Learned About Rum. Essay. Everybody's Magazine.


MATON, ROBERT R. Signs of Growing Cooperation. Southern Workman.


ROMAN, C. V. Racial Problems and Health.

ROMAN, C. V. The Church in Relation to Growing Race Pride.

STEWARD, T. G. The Haitian Revolution. New York.

WORK, MONROE. The Negro Industrial Problem. Southern Workman.

1915

1. Slater Fund expended $68,808 toward Negro Education. (1914-1915)

National Negro Health Week began.

Educational Tour of Louisiana led by BOOKER T. WASHINGTON.

ERNEST JUST awarded Spenjarn medal. Research in Biology.

2. Death of WISTAR MIFFLIN GIBBS, lecturer.
2. Death of JAMES M. GREGORY, author.

Death of BISHOP TURNER.


5. ASHBY, WILLIAM. Redder Blood.

BATTLE, EFFIE T. Gleanings from Dixie Land. Okalona, Mississippi.


CARVER, G. W. A New Prolific Variety of Corn.

CARVER, G. W. Alfalfa, the King of all Fodder. Plants successfully grown in Macon County, Alabama.

CARVER, G. W. Helps for Hard Time.

CARVER, G. W. How to Raise Pigs with Little Money.

CARVER, G. W. Possibilities of the Sweet Potato in Macon County, Alabama.

CARVER, G. W. Smudging an Orchard with Native Materials of Alabama.

CARVER, G. W. When, What, and How to Can, or Preserve Fruits and Vegetables in the Home.

FORTSON, BETTICOLA HELoise. Mental Pearls; Original Poems and Essays. Chicago.

FUEL, MELISSA. BLIND BOONE, His Work and Achievements.


HAMMON, JUPITER. Poems and Address of OSCAR WEGELIN. New York.

HICKS, WILLIAM. History of Louisiana Negro Baptists. Nashville.
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   JOHNSON, JAMES WELDON. Gayescas, or the Rival Lovers. New York.
   LYNCH, CHARLES. Gladys Klyne and more Harmony.
   MEANS, STERLING M. The Deserted Cabin and Other Poems. Atlanta.
   ROMAN, C. V. The Negro Woman and Health Problems.
   WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Are We Making Good? Independent.

1916

2. Death of "SAM IUCAS" (SAMUEL MILADY), author of Grandfather's Clock was too Tall for the Shelf.
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CARVER, G. W. How to grow Peanuts: 105 Ways of Preparing them for Human Consumption.

CARVER, G. W. How to Live Comfortably this Winter.

CARVER, G. W. Three Delicious Meals Every Day for the Farmer.

CARVER, G. W. What Shall We do for Fertilizer this Year?

DUNBAR, ALICE NEILSON. People of Color in Louisiana. Journal of Negro History.


McCLELLAN, GEORGE M. The Path of Dreams. Louisville.

MATON, ROBERT R. Racial Good Will.


RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. Examining the Near Illiterate. Southern Workman.


RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. The Spirit of Tuskegee. Survey.


WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Fifty Years of Negro Progress. Farmer.

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6. Journal of Negro History (Quarterly) established.

1917


Simon, the Cyrenian, by Torrence Ridgley. Macmillan Company.

5. ADAMS, C. Ethiopia, the Land of Promise.


BRAWLEY, B. G. History of Morehouse College. Atlanta.

CARMICHAEL, W. TURNER. From the Heart of Folks and Other Poems.

CARTER, R. A. Morning Meditations and Other Selections. Atlanta.

CARVER, G. W. How to Dry Fruits and Vegetables.

CARVER, G. W. Twelve Ways to Meet the New Economic Conditions Here in the South.


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5. MORTON, ROBERT R. Tuskegee's Ideals for the Negro. Missionary Review.

SHEPPARD, W. H. Presbyterian Pioneers in the Congo. Richmond.

1918


CARMICHAEL, W. T. In the Heart of a Folk. Boston.

CARVER, G. W. How to Make Sweet Potato Flour.

CARVER, G. W. How the Farmer can Save His Sweet Potatoes.

COTTER, J. S. Band of Gideon and Other Lyrics. Boston.


DUNBAR, ALICE NELSON. Life and Works of PAUL LAURENCE DUNBAR.

EDWARDS, W. J. Twenty-five Years in the Black Belt. Boston.

JAMISON, ROSCOE C. The Negro Soldier.

MOSSELL, MRS. N. F. Afro-American Women.

5. ROMAN, C. V. Unsatisfied Valance. The Social Hygiene Quarterly.

ROMAN, C. V. Walking in the Light.


1919

2. Death of JAMES D. CORROTHERS, poet and essayist.

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