

NEGRO HISTORY WEEK

THE Association for the Study of Negro Life and History is directing Negro History Week. The object is to acquaint Negro people with their history. The above named association under the guidance of Doctor C. G. Woodson has collected a wealth of historical facts concerning the Negro race. Every phase of Negro life is covered in a most thorough manner. It proves conclusively that the history of the Negro is full of glorious achievements.

It is essential to the future growth of the Negro race that we become acquainted with our past. "Not to know what one's race has done in former times is to continue always a child. "If no use were made of the labor of past ages," it has been said, "the world would remain always in the infancy of knowledge." Unfortunately the Negro knows very little about his history. The Negro is, therefore, called a child race.

The proper observance of Negro History Week is, therefore, exceedingly important. We have passed the point in our advancement where we can afford to disregard our history. Beginning today, February the seventh and continuing for one week the history of the Negro will be studied and discussed throughout the United States. Teachers, preachers, professional men, in fact every class is called upon to make special efforts to get better acquainted with the background of their race. Dr. Woodson and the association he heads will co-operate with those who desire to know more about their race. Write Dr. C. G. Woodson, 1538 Ninth Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. The investment of a two cents stamp will be the best investment you ever made.