

Importance of Black History

It is ridiculous that many universities have not initiated black history courses until forced by student demand.

Black history is important.

The early history of Africa is fascinating.

It is significant. An astonishing culture existed. Advances had been made in government and, in art.

The last decade of African history, in the turbulent days that followed the dying gasps of colonialism, is a history that the world must know and understand.

The history of the Negro in the United States is important. The Negro influenced the writing of the Constitution. His presence had an effect on political parties, and the growth of abolitionism. He fought in the Civil War, rose to a special importance in the Reconstruction period.

And the days of his subjugation, emergence in the Civil Rights movements, and subsequent history right up to today's headlines is a history that must be known.

It is to the credit of the University of Wisconsin that it has initiated such a course.

The course which the historian has charted is one which makes sense. It bypasses the "traditional" approach, which holds that the Negro is inferior, and bypasses the "revisionist" approach which tends overly much to make heroes of Negroes.

The accent is on going farther back into history, broadening the field, and relating the historical fact, good or bad.

The class is integrated, which is good. The Negro can learn a new pride in roots he may never have known existed. The white can fill a vacuum in history with a growing awareness of a people he may not have understood.

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Dare one say it?

Yes, he must:

Another Redskin

Bites the dust.