

FREDERICK DOUGLASS CENTER.

The Douglass Center has scored two notable triumphs of late in support of its main principle of race justice and race equality in the use of all public benefits, established for the general good of the community. The first was securing the admission of colored residents to membership in the Hyde Park Center, recently opened by the Juvenile Protective League in that district. For a time it looked as if the inevitable color line was to be drawn, but a joint meeting of the directors of the two associations was held at the Douglass Center, where the entire question was thoroughly discussed by representatives of both races. Soon after the board of the new center voted against the exclusion rule and the place is now open to all who wish to profit by its various activities.

The second case was the rescinding of the rule drawing the color line in Gad's Hill Summer Encampment at Lake Bluff. This also was brought about through the aid of the Douglass Center, and must be a matter of congratulation to all lovers of justice and the open door.

Dr. and Mrs. Woolley leave the first of July for two months' vacation in Geneva, Ill. Miss Lilian Chapman and Mrs. Edna Johnson will be summer residents, and the work of the Center will go bravely forward in their capable hands. The Woman's Club, of which Mrs. J. G. Jenifer is newly elected president, and the Sunday meetings have adjourned until fall, but the Boys' Club and other work with the children, together with social reunions among the students of the university, will continue.