

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5TH

# *Du Bois & Paraphrasing*



# *WASHINGTON RECAP*

WHAT WERE WASHINGTON'S MAIN ARGUMENTS?  
(PULL FROM YOUR ANNOTATED BIBLIOGRAPHY)

NEW YORK, September 21, 1933

Mr. William Edward Burghardt Du Bois,  
5th Avenue,  
New York City.

Dear Sir:

As you may have noticed, "The Literary Digest" publishes each week the correct pronunciation of prominent names that are liable to be mispronounced. Before such publication, it is our duty to have the correct pronunciation of prominent names. To that end, all you and we as expect to be possible, our own pronunciation of your name; also, the syllable that is stressed.

Very truly yours,

Frank H. Vizetelly.

Du-Bois

U as in You

OI as in Boy

Accent on last syllable

W.E.B. Du Bois

Du Bois — Negro editor and author — pronounced dew-boys.

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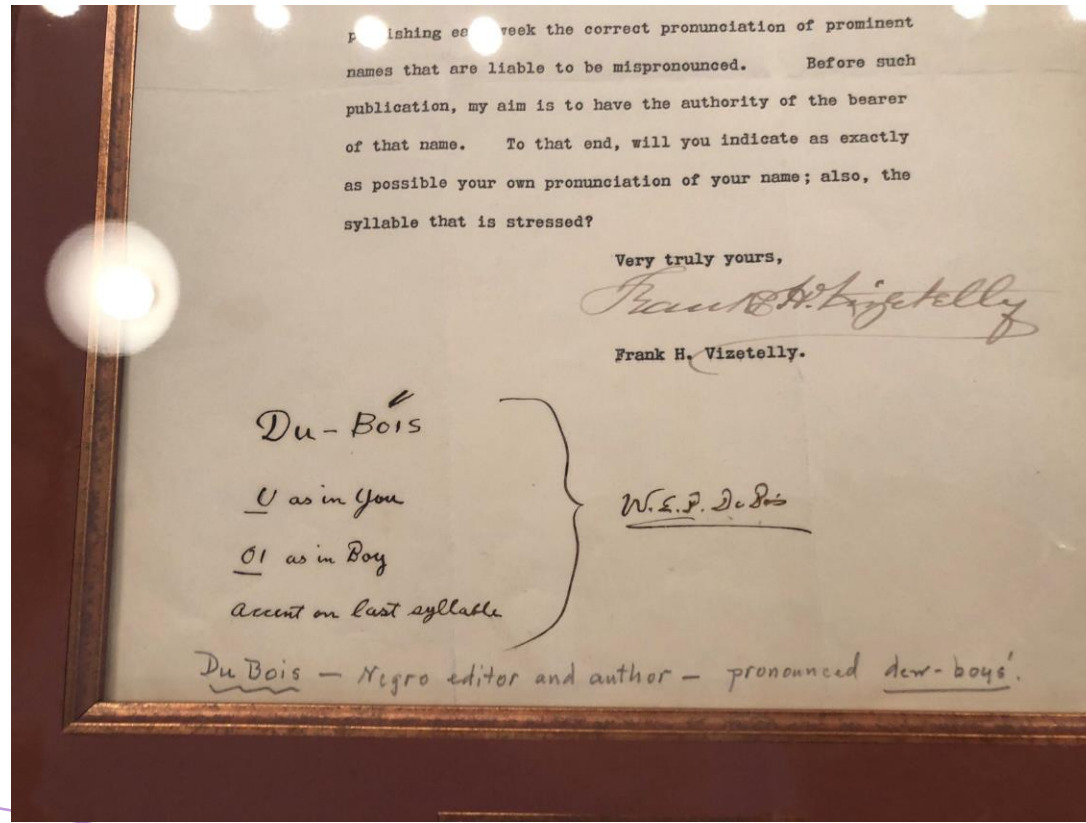
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# *Pronunciation from Du Bois himself:*



- Vizetelly to Du Bois: "As you may have noticed, 'The Literary Digest' is publishing each week the correct pronunciation of prominent names that are liable to be mispronounced. Before such publication, my aim is to have the authority of the bearer of that name. To that end, will you indicate as exactly as possible your own pronunciation of your name; also, the syllable that is stressed?"



## *Who was W.E.B. Du Bois?*

- 1868 - Born in Massachusetts
- Educated at Fisk, Harvard, & the University of Berlin
  - At Harvard, he was the first Black person to be awarded a PhD
- Washington offered him a position to teach math at Tuskegee, but he turned it down
  - Already accepted a position to teach Classics at another university

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# *Du Bois Takeaways*

WHAT IS DU BOIS ARGUING?  
(PULL FROM YOUR ANNOTATED BIBLIOGRAPHY)

# *Paraphrasing Du Bois*

- Pick one argument and supporting evidence from your annotated bibliography
- Take 2-3 minutes to summarize the argument and supporting evidence in 1 sentence
- Share:
  - What was the argument you selected?
  - What was the supporting evidence?
  - How did you combine it into one sentence?



# *FOR WEDNESDAY*

- Respond to one of the following questions on Canvas:
- ANALYZE
  - In your opinion, did Booker T. Washington or W.E.B. Du Bois have a better educational strategy for improving the social and economic conditions of Black people? Why?
- EVALUATE
  - Washington implied that political and social power cannot exist without economic power. Explain why you agree or disagree.
- Upload your response to one of the prompts on the Canvas discussion board