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BISHOP DUNCAN ON SOCIETY OF TO-DAY.

He scored the Ladies for Their Clubs and Societies.
Charlotte News.
Bishop W. W. Duncan, who went from Charlotte to Marietta, Ga., to preside at the Methodist Conference in that State, delivered some strong words in his Thanksgiving sermon and in the course of his remarks made use of very forcible language in discussing society and its effect upon the women of the land.

The Bishop declared that society is leading women to their ruin, and that many violations of the law by the society set are winked at. "I see," said the Bishop, "when I am visiting around during the year, the empty benches at the prayer meeting, the lack of attendance at the church societies and the non-attendance to the ordinary religious duties. What is the matter with the women? I will tell you. They are going to their clubs and societies. They have to go to their Shakespeare Club, and their Browning Club and their Tennyson Club. It isn't so bad for them to go to the Browning Club, because if they ever get so that they can understand him the only reason can be that they have been hard at work studying him. To know Browning one must study and study hard, and even then the chances, if you ever meet him, and tell him the meaning of something he has written he will not understand you. If you give him your interpretation of what he has written the thought you express will probably never have occurred to him. But why organize Shakespeare or Browning or Tennyson clubs? You never hear of a David Club or a Paul Club or a Mark Club. I defy the combined geniuses of the world to put all these have ever written together and rival with it the beauties of the poetry in the book of David.

"Now, during our recent Conference in North Carolina, Bishop Cheshire, of the Episcopal Church, came before us and made an address upon that fearful evil of divorce. Why was it necessary? Let me say to the women, and I never discount women; many say that I praise them too much—they become unmanageable at home. But I want to say seriously, that your clubs and federations of clubs and societies for the study of things are going to be your own ruin. If you keep on excluding your husbands and sons and meet behind closed doors by gas light without a male present, you need not be surprised if the men go to their clubs and their saloons.

"Oh, your tele-a-tele and your functions—functions," exclaimed Bishop Duncan in a burst of sarcasm.
"As long as you insist upon giving functions you need not be surprised if the men become Elks and join the clubs."

The Bishop then told of the evils of card playing and wine drinking at these "functions," and illustrated with the story of a gambler who had died drunk and who had first learned to gamble in his mother's parlor by playing for a cut glass vase and who had first learned to drink at a "function" given by his mother.
"You can call it a 'cut glass function' if you want to, said the Bishop, "but the devil calls it 'gambling.'"
"So does the law," interrupted one of the ministers from the floor.
"Who enforces it?" asked the Bishop quickly, looking in the direction from whence came the interruption.

"They made a show of enforcing the law by arresting a crap game, and the newspapers are full of the splendid efforts of the officers to break up gambling, but all the while cut glass wine continues. Keep it up, you women, and you will see here in Georgia what I saw recently in Butte, Mon. I saw a saloon with a side door to it, marked 'Ladies' Entrance.' Think of it. An entrance for ladies."

Ad's School Exercises.

George Ade has in his possession a number of the school exercises that he wrote in his childhood.
"One of these exercises," he said the other day, "was about a river near the school. The teacher told us to incorporate in a composition three pieces of information about this river. I wrote—
"And Mr. Ade took out a pencil and scratched on the back of an envelope:
"The River. I have lived near it. I have sailed over it. I have felt into it. Fash!"
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A man's clothes are shaped to him; a woman is shaped to her clothes.

BISHOP CANDLER SPEAKS OUT.

He Declared That There is Not a First-Class Salary in Conference.
Special to Charlotte Observer.
HELDEN, Dec. 1.—The second day of the sixty-eighth session of the North Carolina Conference opened at 9:30 o'clock this morning, Bishop W. A. Candler in the chair.

Bishop Candler spoke to the Conference with reference to the absence of so many of the members of the Conference from the morning devotional exercises. He said: "If the members of a State Legislature should absent themselves from religious exercises as some of you do, a resolution would be offered them. Most of you that do not come in here to prayers are standing out there in front of the church talking during the time allotted to religious exercises. And then another trouble is that among those who come in the church, a number in one corner of the church were talking this morning while Dr. Yates was reading the Scriptures, and another crowd of you in another corner were giving evidence of not having the ability to whisper. There is plenty of time to talk in the afternoon, out of the Conference room, and if you don't get to say all you expect to say don't feel bad about it, for before Conference is over you will be sorry for having said about half you say, and the speech you don't make you don't regret. And a green speech that can't be kept without an antiseptic until after prayers had better not be made."

Bishop Candler is the life of the Conference, and he never makes a remark to the body that does not have a striking point.
J. N. Cole, presiding elder of the Rockingham district, has just completed his first year as a presiding elder, made special reference to the good work of his predecessor. With regard to this remark, Bishop Candler said: "I am glad to hear that remark. Some preachers seem never to have had a predecessor that has done anything, and some hinder their successors so that they can't do anything. I love to hear a preacher speak well of his predecessor. When you are gone away from a work, brethren, 'stay gone.' Don't go to writing back to that charge, for it is no longer yours. And don't be running back there, for you are not noosing around there for any good. Brother Cole made a good remark when he spoke well of his predecessor, and I have hope of him. It is an easy temptation when a man gets to be presiding elder to think there never was another. I do not refer to Brother Cole by this last remark, but I was presiding elder once."

Sign No Papers.

Progressive Farmer.
Just now when there is much money in the hands of farmers adroit agents will be on the road. They will have the best and only clocks, sewing machines, steel ranges, improved churns, and other useful articles, all of which can be bought at home. The writer saw two negroes a few days ago who had just finished the last installment on \$60 sewing machines, which could have been bought for \$20 or less. These agents make an ignorant man feel that the last chance has come to secure the article they have for sale and then by giving two or three years' time they deceive the purchaser completely. They have chattel mortgages which are iron-clad, and once signed there is no way of evading payment. Those agents generally demand the cost of the article the first payment. Never sign any papers of that sort. The prices asked by these agents are generally three times as much as your local dealer will ask. Those mortgages printed in such small type that the ordinary farmer cannot read them, are dangerous and deceptive.

Tongue-Twisters.

Following are some sentences which when pronounced rapidly will afford lots of amusement:
Six thick thistle sticks.
Flesh or freshly fried flying fish.
The sea ceaseth, but it suffoeth us.
Big black bear caught a big black bog.
Give Grimes Jim's great gilt gig-whip.
Two toads totally tired tried to trot to Tedbury.
Strut, strong Stephen Stringer snared slyly six sickly silky snakes.
She stood at the door of Mrs. Smith's fish-sauce shop welcoming him in.
Swan swam over the sea. Swim, swan, swim! Swan swam back again. Well swam, swan!
Peter Piper picked a peck of pickled peppers. Where is the peck of pickled peppers Peter Piper picked?
Susan shineth shoes and socks; socks and shoes shine Susan. She ceaseth shining shoes and socks, for socks and shoes shock Susan.

Label Your Mail Boxes.

Cleveland Star.
Since the rural free delivery service has been extended so widely throughout the country it becomes a matter of general interest to the traveling public to know who resides at the various places and who reside near the road, if off to one side or the other, as is indicated by the location of a mail box along the road.
We suggest to owners of mail boxes that they have their names placed on the boxes in plain letters so that anyone can easily read them in passing. It will serve to give individuality and distinctiveness to your farm or your home, and the stranger passing will form a far more favorable opinion of our county and our people. Try it once. Don't fail to put your name on your mail box.

Startling Evidence.

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds to be unequalled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland, Bentonsville, Va., serves as example. He writes: "I had bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all lung and throat troubles, consumption, pneumonia and grip. Guaranteed by all druggists. Trial bottles free, regular size 50c, and \$1.00.

EVADING CHILD LABOR LAW.

Dr. McKelway Writes Governor Heyward Concerning It.
COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 5.—According to a letter received by Governor Heyward today from the assistant secretary of the National Child Labor Association, Dr. A. J. McKelway, who writes from Charlotte, it looks as if that organization is beginning an active campaign in this State, North Carolina and Virginia to raise the age limit of children working in the mill from 12 years to 14 years, on the ground that the present age limit affords parents to easy an opportunity to get their children into the mills under 12 years of age. Dr. McKelway is a member of the Southern Education Association. In his letter he says:

"I have made some personal investigations of my own, and secured a good many facts of interest from others interested, and am convinced that our present law, which is practically uniform in Virginia, North and South Carolina, is very ineffective as it now stands. The age limit is 12 years for children working in the mills, but any parent who wants to get a 10-year-old child into the mill can do so in most instances by simply stating that the child is 12 years old.
"In one village near Charlotte, which has been published a great deal as a model mill settlement, after a thorough investigation, I found only 8 per cent of the children of school age at school, 67 per cent of them in the mill, and the remainder idling away their time simply waiting until they were old enough to work in the mill.
"Governor Aycock suggested to me, a year or two ago, the amendment of our present law in this particular. He suggested that we raise the age limit from 12 to 14 years for children who cannot read and write. That will put a premium upon education, just as soon as the parents understand that they cannot get their children into the mills under 14 years of age unless they first send them to school. The only two children whom I found in the village of which I speak while the factory was running, who seemed to be 12 years old, were two negro boys, and these boys were going to school. Any one can see what that simple fact means in connection with our negro problem in the South."

Educating the People.

An expressive cry comes from Boston, uttered by Thomas Lawson. He declares that:
The Massachusetts Legislature is bought and sold as are sausages and fish at the markets and wharves. That the largest, wealthiest, and most prominent corporations in New England, whose affairs are conducted by our most representative citizens, habitually corrupt the Massachusetts Legislature, and the man of wealth among them who would enter protest against the iniquity would be looked on as a "class anarchist." I will go further and say that if in New England a man of the type of Folk, of Missouri, can be found who will give over six months to turning up the legislative and Boston municipal sod of the past ten years, who does not expose to the world a condition of rottenness more rotten than was ever before exhibited in any community in the civilized world, it will be because he has been suffocated by the stench of what he exhumes.

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