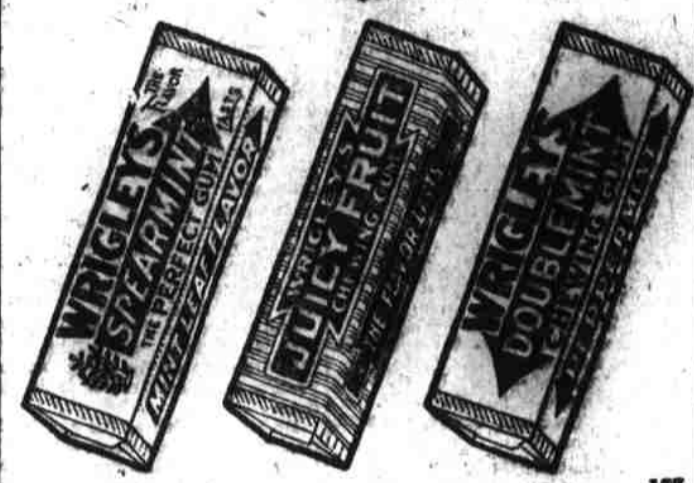


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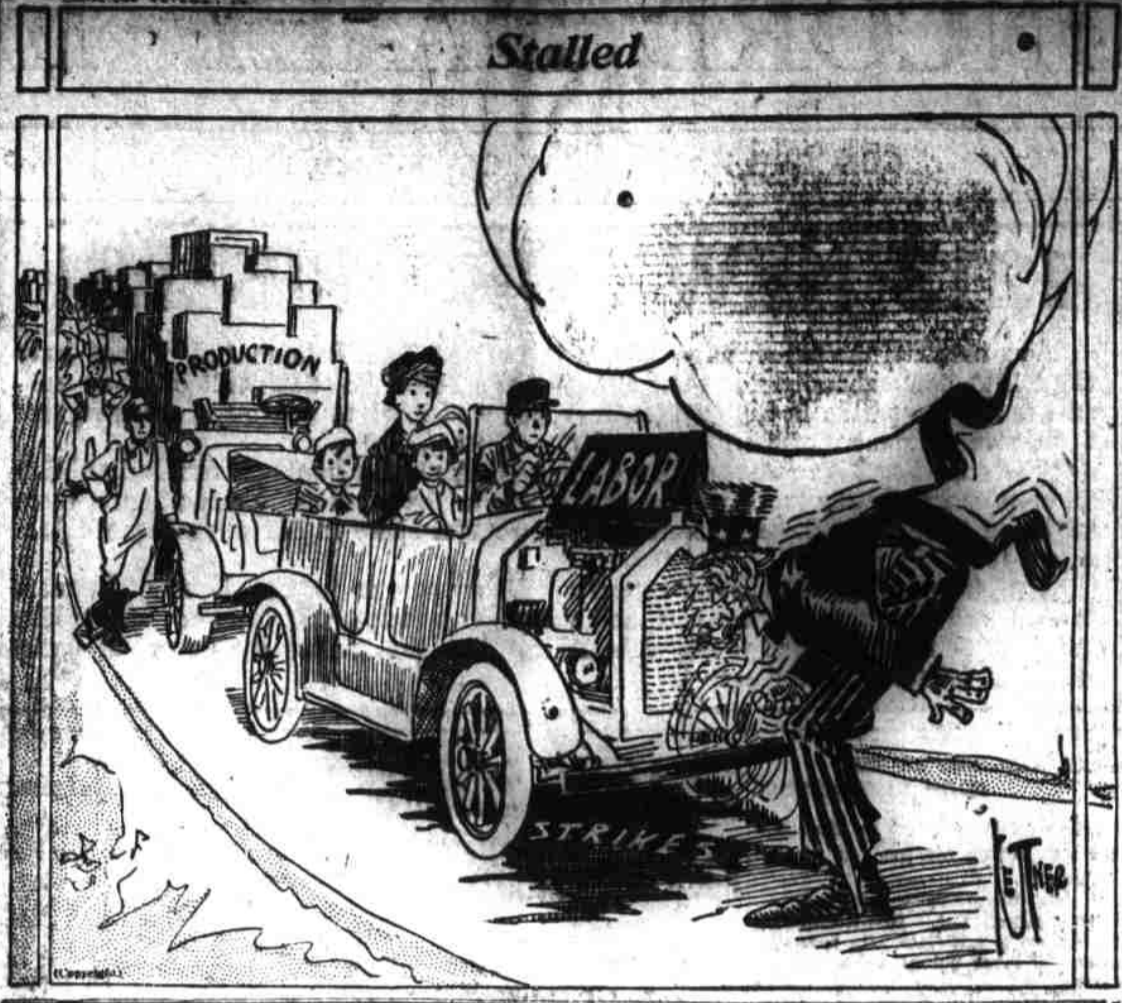
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MR. WILSON AND THE DANCE.

Statesville Landmark.

If we get the Rev. James Wilson, he doesn't know anything about dancing, but he condemns it all as bad. Because some form of dancing are admittedly of evil tendency, the church, he says, is against dancing in any form. So! And he could have truthfully added that the church has found that it is unable to enforce its regulations against dancing and is now demanding that Caesar take a hand.

Let it be understood that this writer has no patience with the idea of compromising with evil. If dancing some form of dancing whatever is wrong is a sin, then the church should not only continue to stand against it, but it should have the nerve, which it doesn't seem to have, to enforce its regulations and discipline those who persist in wilfully violating its laws, even though reduce its membership 75 per cent. This writer is not and never was a disciple of Persecution, and he has about the same opinion that Mr. Wilson has of some forms of dancing. Neither is it the purpose to tell the churches what to do, but it does seem, at a reasonable proposition, that it is the part of wisdom to determine whether all forms of pleasure are evil before condemning all. If after a careful and candid study by those who seek light, not by those who, like Mr. Wilson condemn without information, it be decided that all forms of dancing be wrong, then stand by the inhibition and make it a reality instead of taking it up in talk until it is considered a joke.

A company of young people gliding about a room, coming in actual contact only by touching hands as they pass to and fro, may be on the road to the devil because they shuffle their feet and the figures they make as they move about is called dancing—the old-fashioned reels. The same company of young people can engage in some sort of game, in which they touch hands, hold hands, even come into as much or more personal contact than in the game called dancing, and it is all right. That is a play not a dance, but the only real difference is in the name and possibly in the movement of the feet. Now you can tell these young people that one form of the amusement is a sin and the other is innocent diversion, but you can't make the distinction into their heads with a club, because the distinction isn't really there.

The other form of dancing, which Mr. Wilson and others are ungalantly enough to call "hugging," is admittedly open to serious objection for obvious reasons. But because of the evil tendency of that form has degenerated, are all forms of dancing evil? Failure to draw the distinction in the first instance has probably caused many young people to defy the church and go the limit. Because the wholesale prohibition does not appeal to the common sense and reason they are disposed to ignore all the objections offered.

The first form of dancing described may be silly and there may be no good in it. The same can be said of many forms of admittedly innocent recreation. It may appear that way to old folks, after they have had their fling, but those who do not forget the days of their youth will know that some form of recreation and diversion is necessary to young people; and the mistake that the older people often make is in not encouraging the harmless forms instead of all the time trying to stop something lest evil should come of it. The most innocent amusement can be turned into evil, but nobody would argue that all forms of amusement should be discontinued for that reason; and the more rigid the restriction the more the prohibitions, the more likely it is that the pleasure-seeker will go to other extremes.

Because dancing and card-playing have such large possibilities for evil, because these engaging in that pastime so often drift into the forms admittedly evil, these things are generally condemned wholesale. But what has the condemnation amounted to? Some forms of dancing, we contend, are no more harmful and have no more possibilities of harm, by suggestion or otherwise than games, which

have always been given a clean bill of health. Some forms of card-playing are no more harmful than checks or chess or pitching horseshoes, which do not fall under the condemnation. But dancing and card-playing are usually condemned wholesale, without any discrimination. We don't know whether that has anything to do with it, but it is a fact that here never was so much dancing and card-playing in the history of the world as there is today. Card-playing in some form has become so common, particularly among the women, that the church has about ceased to offer opposition to it; and at the present rate the church had about as well cease to issue edicts against dancing, for all the good accomplished. On the other hand it might be a good idea to try to find out—not by any compromise with wrong but in an honest endeavor to find the truth—whether it is right or wise to condemn all forms of an amusement as evil because some forms of it are. Some of the pictures that appear on the movie screen are distinctly of evil and evil only. Others are wholly some, uplifting and informing. Cut out the movies because of the bad and send the harmless along with the bad? It can't be done.

We don't want to take "underhalts" on Bro. Wilson, but talking about eschewing things unless there is some distinctive good in them, no matter if harm does not appear, wouldn't that place fishing under the ban? In the old days, when a certain stimulant and plain citizen, have found pleasant diversion, rest and food for thought. But fishing has been productive of much wickedness and evil. Therefore cut it out, according to Mr. Wilson's logic.

Effect of Cotton Prices.

Manufacturers Record.

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Every country school and every country church will continue as at present, inefficiently inadequate to the work it is trying to do, occupying as in most cases some wretched building, until cotton brings a profitable price to the grower.

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The actual number of American troops now in France is less than 15,000 and is rapidly diminishing. Gen. W. D. Connor, commanding the American troops, said today.

Within a month, he stated, virtually all the soldiers will be gone, as the task of repatriating the German prisoners is now completed. Only four or five Germans now remain under the charge of the American forces, and these are all in hospitals. They will be sent home through Coblenz as soon as they can travel.

The work of completing the liquidation of army supplies, squaring accounts and the polling of American peace conference headquarters, are now the only tasks detaining the soldiers and officers in France. General Connor said he expected that this liquidation work, too, will be terminated within one month.

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Vanderbilt and Team Will Meet in Atlanta

Two Strong Southern Elevens Will Clash For Supremacy On Gridiron Today.

Atlanta, Oct. 17.—The first big game of the 1919 football season will be played tomorrow when Georgia Tech premier southern eleven for the past three years, and Vanderbilt, which held that title for many years, meet on Grant field here.

Other games today today include:

- At Columbia—University of South Carolina vs. Davidson college.
- At Charlottesville—University of Virginia vs. V. M. I.
- At Knoxville—University of Tennessee vs. Mississippi A. and M.
- At Athens—University of the South vs. Georgia.
- At Baton Rouge—University of Mississippi vs. Louisiana university.
- At Lexington—Washington and Lee vs. Richmond College.
- At Chapel Hill—University of North Carolina vs. Wake Forest.
- At Mobile—Springhill college vs. Tulane.
- At Tuscaloosa—University of Alabama vs. Howard.
- At Greenville, S. C. Furman vs. Presbyterian college.
- At Spartanburg—The Citadel vs. Wofford.
- At Richmond—Randolph-Macon vs. Hampden-Sidney.
- At Washington, D. C.—Virginia vs. I. T. Georgetown.

Southern to Extend Two Passenger Routes

Raleigh, Oct. 17.—Announcement is made by the corporation commission that beginning November 1, Southern railway trains, Numbers 143 and 144 will be extended from Rutherfordton to Marion, thereby affording greatly improved service between these points and greatly benefiting travel in the territory now served by these trains.

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