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NOT OPPRESSION'S SYMBOL.

In the course of a great sermon delivered Thursday night as part of the proceedings of the Christian Convention being held in the Christian church, Dr. B. A. Abbott of Baltimore, after a beautiful tribute to the "Flag of the Free" said some plain words about the war in the Philippines. It was a volume boiled down into a single, sharp, terse sentence. In referring to the United States flag he said:

"There are those who rejoice in our flag in the Philippine Islands. It seems beautiful to them. It is not so to me. It is an emblem of freedom and not of oppression. It should stand for life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness for a free people. It is not beautiful when it is carried to the destruction of a weaker people.

"It is beautiful when it waves over fields most rich with honest toil. It is beautiful when its graceful folds wave over great cities built and carried on by honest commerce, and when it waves over homes where each hearthside is an altar. It is most beautiful as the emblem of peace, and not so when its folds sweep out over oppression."

Following this, came clear and sharp the sentence:

"I do not believe that God inspired the war in the Philippines, but that William McKinley and his political advisors brought it to pass."

Mr. Abbott is in touch with the world. He has caught the murmur of the people fast swelling into a mighty roar of disapproval, and he correctly sums up the war as the result of the "political" advisors of the President.

It is politics that is being played on those islands. It is politics which is crimsoning the muddy roads about Manila with American blood, and it is the partisan politics of men who cry "expansion," "don't pull down the flag" and turn into mere froth and bubble sentiments that are the most ennobling, merely to gratify personal ambition and to serve the ends of petty partisanship.

Out with it all! It is not

the will of God that this great and free nation, this young giant among the powers, should in the name of civilization and freedom and Christianity throttle the very instincts of liberty which gave this republic its life and being. Mr. Abbott ennobles himself and his fellows of the cloth when in the pulpit itself he warns the people of the outrages being perpetrated under the folds of our nation's flag.

UNDER FALSE COLORS.

The Asheville Gazette, masquerading as a Democratic newspaper, is publishing articles against the Constitutional Amendment, and is being circulated extensively over the State by the Republicans and their allies. The Smithfield Herald made inquiry of Chairman Simmons of the Democratic State Committee concerning the politics of the Gazette. Mr. Simmons replies and says that the Gazette is not a Democratic paper at all, but is controlled by the Republicans.

He quotes from the Asheville Citizen which accuses the Gazette of having sold out for a consideration to Senator Pritchard and the Republicans who stand with him. No satisfactory explanation has been given by the Gazette.

Before the adoption of the law providing for an election on the Amendment question the Gazette supported it, and even after the legislature adjourned had articles urging its adoption at the polls. Suddenly the paper changed front and began to fight the measure. This was after a confab between Pritchard and the Asheville Citizen asserts.

No intelligent reader and no honest man will be deceived by the position of the Gazette for if it fights the Amendment it is not the white man's friend and hence cannot be Democratic.

Let that paper do the decent thing and announce its change of politics, and no longer attempt to sail under false colors, and let no reader be deceived by Republicans who shows the paper to him and tells him that a Democratic paper is fighting the Amendment.

Two things in the political field in North Carolina meet with general approbation. The first of these is that primaries be held to nominate a candidate for the United States Senate, and second that the gentlemen who desire this position should hold up their campaign till after we have settled the question of the adoption of the amendment to the Constitution.

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FOR SOUTHERN INDEPENDENCE.

Mr. O. W. Blacknall, of Kittrell, N. C., has in the News & Observer a letter calling attention to the name given to the struggle of 1861-65, in which he deplors the use of the expression "The War Between the States" as its designation.

It is a good suggestion which Mr. Blacknall makes, for no one name to designate that war has come into general use. We hear it called: "The War Between The States" "The Civil War" "The Southern Rebellion" "The War of Secession" and various other names.

The letter referred to reads thus:

"At the meeting of Confederate Veterans in Raleigh last week I was surprised to find a misnomer, or to be more accurate—it less correct—a half namer used to designate the war between the North and South. It was spoken of as the War Between the States.

"This name smacks of compromise and should never be used by us even inadvertently as was then the case. True it was a war between the States, or rather between two sections of the country, but it was a war between these two sections for a distinct and definite purpose—never was purpose more distinct and definite—the achievement of Southern Independence.

"This name is not only the true one, but it is pregnant with meaning. It is an epitome of Southern history. It carries with it the refutation of as much falsehood and calumny as were ever heaped upon a people. It will plead our cause when time has leveled every Confederate monument, and in the multiplicity of the world's cares, the great struggle which meant everything to us shrinks to the mere dimensions of a name.

"It is the paramount duty of this generation to see that the war has its proper designation and none other. To that end let all needed energies be bent. If with unanimity and persistence we entitle it the War for Southern Independence, the world will in the end perforce do likewise. And then the adoption of that true title we neither ask nor need further justification."

We failed to note in Brother McKinley's Thanksgiving Proclamation that he advises the Sultan of Sulu to give thanks because he has no more wives.

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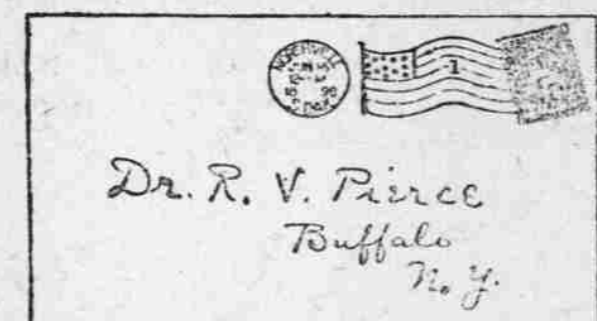
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This 19th of October, 1899.  
E. C. DUNCAN, Collector  
4th Dist. of North Carolina.  
By M. L. Wood, Deputy Collector.

The prediction of an early collapse of the war in the Transvaal, because the Boers were being done up by the British have not been verified, and the reports from the scene of the war shows that the Boers have at present no idea of quitting. If victory comes to them at Ladysmith where the fighting is now in progress, President Kruger hopes to use his success there as a lever to induce aid to come to him from Europe. Those who have watched events carefully say that the fight at Ladysmith is the turning point one way or the other.

Let hiring lawyers and petty politicians say what they will about the constitutionality of the amendment to be voted on next year, the white people of North Carolina, who are white in their feelings as well as white by birth, will vote solidly in favor of ridding the State of negro rule. That's what the adoption of the amendment will make possible.

WRITE A LETTER.



Many women live where there is no skillful specialist in women's diseases, and still more cannot afford to pay the high fees charged. These sufferers should follow the example of Mrs. Anna Willy, of Northville, Spink Co., S. Dak., who writes as follows to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.:

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WILSON COUNTY,  
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Tazewell Hargrove  
vs.  
Indiana Hargrove. NOTICE.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Wilson county to procure a dissolution of the bonds of matrimony existing between the plaintiff and defendant, and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the next term of the Superior Court of Wilson county to be held on the 10th Monday after the 1st Monday in September '99, at the Court house of said county in Wilson, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 30th day of Sept., 1899.  
J. D. BARDIN,  
Clerk of the Superior Court.

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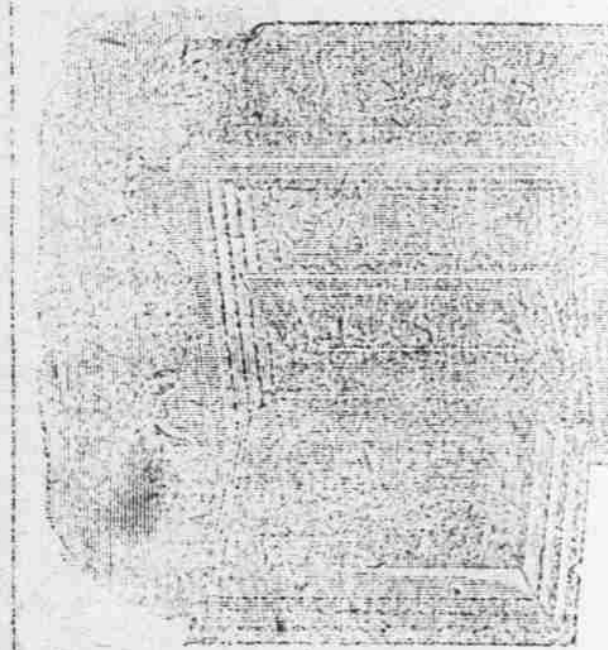
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