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SLANDERS SOUTHERN WOMEN.

Outrageous Attack on Women of the South; Northern Editor's Defence.

While the editor of this journal was born and raised in the North, and married a Northern woman, and all of his and his wife's relatives are Northern born, and are still residents of that section, yet he has had an abundant opportunity to know something of "Southern Womanhood," as we have visited many, many sections of the South, and have been entertained by the rich and the poor, the educated and the uneducated; in fact, there is no phase of "Southern Womanhood" but that we believe we are acquainted with it, and "Southern Womanhood" is as true to the ring of pure daughters and pure mothers and wives as anywhere man may go, I care not whether he travels north, south, east or west.

While the North can boast of more wealth, and while she can boast that Northern womanhood is equal to the womanhood of any section on earth, she cannot boast of a purer womanhood than "Dixie's Land;" and no individual of the North but a depraved craven would be guilty of such a crime; however, we are sorry to say that such cravens with their carrion beaks dipped deep into the putridness of festering swill, have seen fit to charge against "Southern Womanhood" a crime that would make even the gaudy dressed harlot of the street shudder with shame.

From the columns of "The Christian Advocate," published at Dallas, Texas, we quote below what this "Christian Advocate" clipped from the columns of "Collier's Weekly," published in New York city; and this "Christian Advocate," in our estimation, but feebly condemned this diabolical fling at "Southern Womanhood;" the clipping follows:

"It is well known that many identifications are sheer hysteria, often for crimes that were never committed, and many other charges and identifications are founded on something worse than hysterical invention; they are the easiest escape from scandal. Now these are not the things to say, no doubt. They altogether lack chivalry and the aristocratic virtues, but perhaps it is time to put justice and truth above 'honor,' whatever that may be."

The above clipping from "Collier's Weekly," which goes into thousands of Southern homes each week, is a

part of an editorial in that journal relative to the deed of the black rapists of the South and this dastardly vomit from the maw of "Collier's Weekly," is enough to cause every decent man and woman in the South, which it so villainously, wantonly and ignorantly belies, to rise up as one man and compel "Collier's Weekly" to apologize for its black and nasty insinuations, or else debar that journal from the portals of their homes. Listen! "Collier's Weekly" says:

"It is well known that many identifications are sheer hysteria, often for crimes that were never committed, and many other charges and identifications are founded on something worse than hysterical invention, they are the easiest escape from scandal."

By this statement, does "Collier's Weekly" propose to brand Southern women as cohabiting with black brutes, and for fear of being betrayed by the brute, will then raise the cry of "Rape?" You say, Mr. "Collier's Weekly," that your malicious statements are "well known."—The Rip Saw says, it's a lie as black as hell, and you can't prove your statement to be true.

Mr. "Collier's Weekly," if you at no distant day, find your "A-dollar-down-and-a-dollar-a-month" business petering out, in that section which you so maliciously brand with such a dastardly charge, you need not be surprised, unless we have judged wrongly the fathers, the husbands, and the brothers of the Southland.

Just such as you, Mr. "Collier's Weekly," is what whets the appetite of the brutish "coon" and makes him commit his fiendish crimes upon the mothers, wives and daughters of the South.

Listen how the above quotation from "Collier's Weekly" sneeringly winds up: "Perhaps it is time to put justice and truth above 'honor,' whatever that may be." No wonder that a journal which inquires what "honor" means, dared to publish such a dastardly article; as from the query in regard to what "honor" means, which that sheet seems not to know, perhaps it is, in a way, pardonable for publishing this dishonorable tirade against "Southern Womanhood."

We have known for many years that the Roman Catholic church was reaching out for the negro, in order to make him a part of their superstitious institution, and there-

by control both his pocketbook and his vote; but we did not, nor do not yet know, just what machinery it is using to bring this about. But we are now constrained to ask if it is possible that your "Uncle Peter Fenlin Collier," whose name "Collier's Weekly" bears, and who sits away up under the eaves of the Vatican, has been delegated to woo the "coon" into its fold by vilifying "Southern Womanhood," in order to gain the confidence of the blacks of the South?—Will "Uncle Peter" please answer?—National Rip-Saw.

An Embarrassing Mistake.

A short time ago, says The Courier-Journal, a young lady was troubled with a boil on her knee which grew so bad that she thought it necessary to call in a physician. She had formed a dislike for the family physician, so her father suggested several others, and finally said that he would call in the physician with the homoeopathic case, who passed the house every day. They kept a sharp lookout for him and when he came along he was called in. The young lady modestly showed him the disabled member. The little man looked at it and said: "Why, that's pretty bad." "Well," she said, "what must I do?" "If I were you," he answered, "I would send for a physician. I am a piano-tuner."

Negro Hanged at Hampton.

Hampton, April 23.—Dan Robertson, colored, was hanged here to-day for the murder of Eliza Hunter, colored, at the depot here last February. The rope was cut by Sheriff Lightsey at exactly 12:54 and in 23 minutes the man was pronounced dead by Dr. C. A. Rush, county physician, the fall breaking his neck. While the negro was being led to the scaffold he seemed to be perfectly willing to die and did not show any fear or excitement at all. Grant, a colored preacher, offered a prayer in behalf of the negro's soul and Robertson seemed impressed with it. Two brothers of Robertson came up from Beaufort county this morning and were present at the jail at the time of the hanging and will take his body to their home in Beaufort county.

This is the first hanging in Hampton county since three negroes were hanged for the murder of Raymond Mears, about 15 years ago.

The Herald Book Store has just received a large line of late books, all strong titles, regular \$1.50 editions, at 50c. and 60c.

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