

The Watchman and Southron

RELIGION, MORALS AND PHILOSOPHY.

Rev. C. C. BROWN, Editor.

THE DRUNKARD'S WIFE.

By E. V. WILSON.

In a hospital ward a woman lay, Painfully gasping her life away...

Said one who ministered to her need: "None but a coward could do this deed."

And what bitter tears had we shed, And what help came like this could have...

When the dim eyes, heavy with death's eclipse, Shown uncolored, and the swollen lips, Muzzled faintly, "Oh, how I love you well..."

Oh, fathers who hold your daughters dear, Somebody's daughter is lying here...

Oh, brothers of sisters, come and see, What the fate of your precious ones may be...

Oh, man, whoever you love your home, Be in your cottage, 'neath heaven's blue dome...

Now hand them over, the sons you sold, Keep pushing them forward, Drink, boys, drink!

And fathers are paid for your souls, they think, And in the great mart where mammon strives, Cheapest of all things are human lives.

Parents and Children.

Dr. Porter Denounces Easter Festivals, Round Dancing and Freedom of Habit.

The Rev. Dr. Porter preached to a large congregation at the Holy Communion Church, Charleston, on Sunday afternoon, April 26th.

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Christian people and as churchmen and women, if the ordinances of the Church have any claim upon your attention and obedience...

Bad enough for adults, but it becomes heart-sickening when the dear little children are drawn into this vortex...

It is easy to swim with the current. I know that I expose myself to unpopularity, but I did not give myself to Jesus Christ and His ministry with that view...

My words will fall unheeded on many ears, but they will accomplish that whereunto they are sent. God knows it is for love to the people, love to the young, love for society, love for the Church...

I think that a great deal has been done thoughtlessly—unintentionally to do wrong; but the sober second thought, the Christian reflection of the truly pious of our city will ere long justify me in this, pointing out some of the evils to which we are exposed...

Christian parents, what are you doing with your children? Do you think the influence of those mispent sacred days and weeks—yes, even Holy Week—has passed away from those young hearts?

How dry and insipid their prayers at your knees. The Bible, what a dull book after the foot-lights, and the ronge, and the costumes, and the great stammers of applause. What a preparation for their school days!

This is a good time as any to say that the present condition of our young people is alarming. I ask you, Christian parents, if the family, the fountain of life and the bulwark of the Church and of Society, is not in an unsatisfactory condition?

I beg you to look at the behavior of many young people in the streets; the rather loud manners of the streets; the boldness of the intercourse between the sexes; the demonstrativeness in the cars; the very shocking behavior sometimes in the church of God—no confined to boys and youths?

I speak: Are not our young people going too fast? Are they not being exposed to very many incalculable evils? Are we not tolerating, without remonstrance, the introduction into our best circles of a style of dress at evening entertainments which cannot be called modest?

I am perfectly aware that I will not be agreed with in that which I am about to say. I remember very well when in a private house in this city the modern round dance—not one-tenth as objectionable as now—was first introduced. It was a shock. It took some time to familiarize our society with it. But now every other dance is too tame and stupid.

Some may say you might as well try to stem Niagara. If the Christian mothers of this city would say this shall be abolished, round dancing would vanish quicker than it came. I believe as firmly as I live that the demoralization

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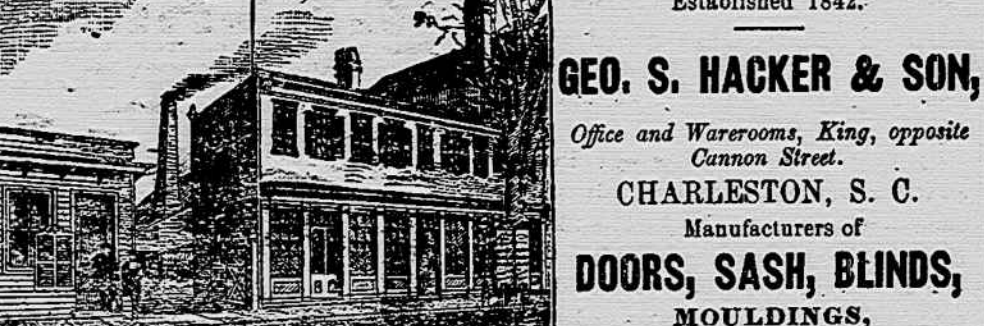
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