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NO USE FOR JONESISM.

Rev. J. O. Knott Says Sensationalists Are "Played Out"—Are Evangelized to Death.

Rev. J. O. Knott, pastor of Emmanuel Methodist Episcopal Church South, Baltimore, preached a sermon on Sunday morning that Sam Jones and many of his fellow-evangelists should have heard. Mr. Knott did not mince words in his criticism of the work of revivalists of the Jones class. He declared such sensationalists had had their day; and, as the preacher put it, "the attempt to cover a multitude of church sins by a few weeks of special and often sensational services had about played out." Mr. Knott added that the sensationalists should be buried without tears.

Mr. Knott declared that God was against evangelistic work. He continued in this strain and took occasion to denounce "reliance upon spasmodic revival" as affecting the training of the children. He declared "the godlessness of the youth of Baltimore should make us blush."

"We have been evangelized to death. God has shown He is against it. The evangelists may be all right, but the attempt to cover a multitude of church sins by a few weeks of special and often sensational services, has about played out. The sensationalist has had his day. Let us bury him without tears!

In the meantime let us learn a lesson from the curfew laws which are being enacted all over our country by which children are driven in from the streets at nightfall. The reliance upon the spasmodic revival has occasioned neglect of family training, and has thrown responsibility where it does not belong. We must get back to a point where we no longer make a hero of the non-churchgoing man and use all sorts of sensational bait to catch him; but we must lay upon him the burden which he cannot shift upon another's shoulders.

"I protest against blaming the church for that which godless fathers and mothers are accountable for, namely: the impossibility of our holding the young people to the church. The non-churchgoing folks have turned over to us their children to be trained as best we can while not a word of encouragement to pastor, Sunday-school teacher, or child aids us in our labor of love.

"The fruits of such neglect and shameful action in Baltimore are seen in godlessness among our young people which should make us blush. We must meet this condition of things by the drudgery of individual effort, in which our laymen must take a prominent part.

"Let us no longer trust to the wholesale methods of the evangelists. That might one day have done, but it does not apply to Baltimore today. And let us frown upon the spirit which puts arguments in the mouth of a negligent parent and which he quotes against the church, and by which he excuses himself for his neglect. He is no hero but a base traitor to the highest and holiest vows."

CASE OF CHICKEN CATCHING NEGRO.

One Hen Downs Seven or Eleven Members of Negro Bike Club.

A blot upon the escutcheon of the Calumet Bicycle Club (colored) is its last Sunday outing. There were seven or eleven members able to attend, but the main body stayed at home.

Out of Jersey city rode the seven or eleven. Each one had yellow braid upon his clothes, and some sported gold lace. On pleasure bent, they leaned over the handle-bars and scorched their way along the macadam like a tornado in the Antilles. Near Greenville they were going at eighteen miles an hour.

Out of the door yard of Eugene Homans strode a hen. It was Homans' pet hen, but it was trained. It saw the Culumet Club, with its seven or eleven colored members scorching on, but instead of flight it stopped and stared. May be it was terrorized, may be it was seeking revenge in the name of chickendom.

"Who said chicken in this crowd?" roared the leader of the Calumets as, gripping the handle-bars, he scorched down upon the bird.

Too late it tried to fly. It tripped in front of the wheel, sat down and was immolated by the rider. Before he could arise all the rest of the Calumets fell upon him, and for a few moments nothing could be seen but a silhouette of legs, arms, wheels and agonized faces.

Four of the riders were so badly hurt that they had to be patched up in a neighboring drug store, while five of the wheels were broken. The remnant of the gallant body rode on, and the chicken, its toes in the air, lay without decency of a burial unmourned and unsought in the middle of the road.

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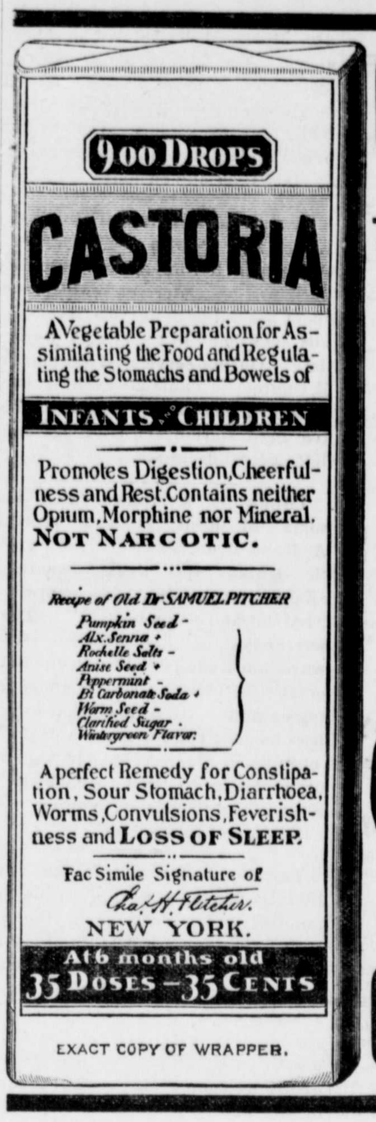

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