

CLING TO RELIGION'S REALITY

Men May Vary on Creeds, but Stick to Primal Truth.

DR. ANDREWS ON SACRED EDUCATION

State Conference Participated in by Many Nebraska Thinkers—General News from Lincoln.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, April 5.—(Special.)—Clergymen, educators and students gathered in this city today to participate in the Nebraska conference on the interest of religious education. The meeting is being held under the auspices of the University of Nebraska and the Lincoln Pastors' association. Persons came in response to the call from many points throughout the state and today entered upon their work with much enthusiasm. The conference will conclude its deliberations tomorrow evening. Today's sessions were held in the First Congregational church.

The opening address of the conference was delivered by Chancellor Andrews, who began his remarks by saying it was not his purpose to anticipate any discussion that might take place, but only to outline some of the thoughts, which, so far as he could discover, had led the members to convene. "I take no part in the issue; I am simply the herald, ringing the bell to give notice that the issue is on," declared the chancellor. "And let not this polemic figure of the 'joust' frighten any. We are not here to fight, but to reason together. Further, though we have met to discuss we have not met to discuss religious doctrine. On the substance matter of that we differ—perhaps less than we think, perhaps more."

The chancellor thought that however far apart the members of the conference might be at certain points the gathering would certainly be quite illogical were they not as one in at least the single conviction, that there is a reality to religion. Reality of Religion. "We vary in our statements of that reality, both in general and in detail, and there may be differences of view touching the degree of its importance," said he, "but with one voice and heart we maintain that religion is real, not a chimera, not a chance survival from lower stages of human development. The assumption that religious teachers have something yet to learn regarding the best modes of conveying their beliefs involves no admission that they have hitherto been or are at present altogether astray. In the nature of the case review and revision of the methods employed in teaching religion must from time to time be imperative."

"A curious and interesting illustration of this need, showing how religious nomenclature, at least, must from time to time be reinterpreted, connects itself with the theological conception of sovereignty, meaning that power legislative and executive in a government from which there may be differences of view touching absolute royal sovereignty when men like Buchanan, Jurieu, Hooker and Hobbes discussed upon this conception, it was easy to ascribe sovereignty to the Supreme Being without derogating from him any moral attribute. Political sovereignty was then almost universally considered to attach to some man, a king, or woman, a queen, who because sovereign, could do no political wrong any more than our supreme court now can render an illegal decision. "At present, however, this is changed. The intelligent throughout the world ascribe sovereignty to God, and regard it inasufferable for any individual to arrogate this to himself, so that to ascribe sovereignty to God inevitably makes most men hate instead of revere him, an effect to be obviated only by a rather severe and rolling in the history of political conceptions."

Hope for Consumptives.

A Positive Cure Found by a Celebrated Michigan Physician—He Sends a Letter to the Editor of the Bee. At last a cure has been found. Incredible as it may seem, after the centuries of failure, a positive and certain cure for the deadly consumption has at last been discovered. It remained for a great physician of Michigan to find the cure. Delay is dangerous. Consumptives who have returned from the West—come home to die because they thought nothing could be done for them—have tried this new discovery and are now well and strong. If you are afflicted, do not fail to send at once to Dr. D. P. Yorkston, 505 Broadway, N. Y. City, for a free trial package. The doctor does not ask anyone to take his word or any other, but he sends a trial package free, and a few days use will show you how easily and quickly you can be cured. Delay is dangerous. There is no time to lose when the death hand of consumption is tightening its clutch upon you. Write today.

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Superb Collection of White Goods for Waists and Dresses.

HAVE YOU SEEN OUR STOCK? NONE LIKE IT IN OMAHA. We anticipated your wants by making our selections early, thereby securing the choice and scarce novelties that are not obtainable in any other store. Our stock is as complete as we know how to make it, and nothing that has been approved by the seal of style-setters is missing. Every one a perfect dream.

Oxford Cheviots—

In pure white and black on white at 15c and 18c yard.

Mercerized Fancy Lawns and Madras—

Also Marseilles cloth, for waists, skirts and shirtwaist-suits, 25c yard.

Black on White Sea Island Madras—

In small, neat effects, 30c yard.

Black on White Imported Basket Weave Oxford—

These are in great demand for waists and suits; they come in stripes and figures, 35c yard.

White English Barge—

And mercerized striped etamine; these are mercerized in the yards before being woven and will retain their lustrous appearance, 40c yard.

White Mercerized Sea-Moss Madras—

In all the newest weaves and designs, 45c yard.

White Figured Madras—

Mercerized in warp yarns only, showing the stripes and figures in bold relief on the plain ground, 45c and 50c yard.

White Linen—

In plain or stripe, 50c and 55c yard.

White Embroidered Pique and Irish Lawns—

Nothing more popular for starched waists or suits, 50c yard.

White Silk and Linen Batiste—

In pearl white, embroidered stripes, worth double our selling price, 65c yard.

White Stattle Wash Silk—

32 inches wide, and a very rich fabric at the price, 75c yard.

We have just gone through our extensive stock and revised the prices for this week only, on India Linens, Persian, lawn, dimities, French lawn, opera batiste, wash chiffons and Swiss mulls. We are prepared to save you from 5c to 15c yard on these goods; look them over and compare our qualities and prices.

Colored Wash Fabrics.

The merest touch of pretty oddity is all that's needed to lift a dress or shirt waist above the common place. We've learned the secret, and the price range is attractive. 36-inch Novelty Percales—36-inch novelty printed madras, and 27-inch seersucker stripes, all 12 1/2c a yard.

Extraordinary values in: Black Chantilly and Escorial Galoons—

Elegant serpentine and medallion effects at 8c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c and 50c a yard.

Novelty Lace Galoons—

Exquisite effects in wavy, serpentine and detachable medallions at 8c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c and 35c.

Elegant Irish Crochet and Venetian Laces—

Edges, galoons, insertions and allovers to match, at prices that will please the most exacting buyers.

Latest Novelties in Veilings—

Plain, fancy and dotted tuxedos, dotted chiffons, etc., at 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c and 50c a yard.

Novelties in Embroideries—

A perfect collection of fine nainsook and Swiss match sets, edges, flouncings, insertions, bandings and galoons to match.

The Celebrated Kaiser Embroidered Collars, Cuffs, Stocks and Belts—

Made of butcher linen, warranted to wash at lower prices than they are selling for in New York City.

New Turn-Over Collars—

In dainty embroidered Swiss, embroidered silk and novelty lace effects at 25c, 30c, 35c, 50c to \$1.00 each.

New Leather Belts—

New shapes, new buckles, new leathers, elegant assortment, at 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c, 75c and \$1.00 each.

New Japanese Fans—

Beautiful novel designs, works of art, in fact, designs that you cannot get later in the season; only 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c and 50c each.

Ladies' Hemstitched Sheer Linen Handkerchiefs—

Very sheer, fine soft finish, 1-8 and 1/4-inch hem; special, 15c each; \$1.75 a dozen.

Ladies' H. S. Fine Embroidered Irish Linen Handkerchiefs—

Demilaundered, soft finish, new designs; special, 15c each; don't fail to see this lot.

New Silk Embroidered Appliques—

For dress trimmings, in white, cream, black and colors, at 35c, 50c, 60c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 a yard.

SPECIAL VALUES IN LACES, VEILINGS, EMBROIDERIES, COLLARS, BELTS, FANS, HANDKERCHIEFS, ETC.

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SILK DEPARTMENT. Black Beau de Sole, Morie Antiques, Shantung.

\$1.25 Special Purchase Black Beau de Sole—Made from pure bright silk, so much in demand for costumes and outer wraps. \$1.25 Black Moire Silks—The swell silk fabric for long and short coats, waists, dresses, skirts, etc. Best all silk crepe du chine in white, ivory, cream; also street and evening shades; best quality.

\$1.00 all Silk, full 24 inches wide, Soft, Clinging Crepes—

Every yard perfect, every yard below the market price, special per yard, \$1.00. White Jap. Shanghai pongee and twilled foulard wash dress silks, 24 to 36 inches, extra heavy, at 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Black Tafeta—

Guaranteed to wear. Black tafeta silks with the guarantee woven in the selvage of every yard; best dress lining and foundation (tafeta made in the soft and rustling finish, an exceptionally fine quality, 24 to 36 inches wide, 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 per yard.

Black Dress Goods. White Wool Goods.

There is not an approved style in black goods for spring but what may be found in our well selected stock. Mistral Etamine—The demand for sheer woolen fabrics is steadily increasing. We have them in plain and fancy stripes, all styles and weaves, from 75c to \$2.50 per yard.

Crepe Parisienne—

This is one of the new ideas of the season. A fine silk and wool mixed crepe-like fabric that has received enviable recognition, 42-inch, \$1.00; 46-inch, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

Silk and Wool Eolienne—

We bring this to your notice as a great favorite this season. It is all wool and silk, light in weight, very sheer and extremely stylish; 46-inch wide, \$1.65, \$1.75 and \$2.00 per yard.

Fine Cloth Suitings—

We mention Venetian and broadcloths. These goods are of exceptional quality. 52 to 54 inches wide, and also, a full line of chevrons, basket weaves, meltons, etc., 54 to 58 inches wide, ranging in price from 85c to \$5.00 per yard.

Special for Monday—

45-inch crash cloth, a new material for skirts. Very stylish and durable, \$1.75 quality, for Monday only, \$1.35 per yard.

Colored Dress Goods

Our line of Spring Dress Goods is now complete. We are confident that we are showing the best and most complete line of lightweight fabrics in all the newest and most stylish weaves and colors. Flake Etamines, \$1.00 per yd., 44 inches wide—A new light weight weave, having a flaked and crepe effect, which is very new, in latest shades.

Iron Frace Etamine, \$1.00 per yard, 42 inches wide—

The popular weave of the season, a light weight fabric, to be made up over silk or other suitable linings, very dressy and stylish, in a fine choice of colors.

Voiles and Eoliennes, \$1.50 per yard, 46 inches wide—

Eolienne, sheer and transparent, something in a new and up-to-date weave, voiles, the clinging kind, a soft silky finish, which is much used. A large showing of colors.

\$1.12 1/2 a yard Dress Goods—

French basket cloth, broadcloths, English prunella, chevots, meltons, granites and canvas cloth, are among the many weaves at these prices, 45 to 50 inches wide.

White Wool Goods.

This is to be an unusual season for white goods. Accordingly by careful buying we have one of the finest offerings possible in all the new weaves in light weight white and creams, woolen fabrics.

Corsets. Corsets.

The latest improved forms for Spring and Summer wear, which we especially recommend for neatness of fit and durability.

\$1.00 Light, Durable Batiste—

For medium figures, neatly finished, straight front.

\$1.00 Straight Front—

Fine batiste in white, pink and blue, very light and dainty corset, especially desirable for summer wear.

\$1.50 White Batiste—

Extreme low bust, extra long over hips, trimmed with wide band of gros grain ribbon, straight front.

\$2.00—The latest Erect Form Corset—

Extra extension hips, especially made for tight-fitting skirts.

Ready to Wear

We are prepared to show the latest models in ladies' up-to-date, man-tailored suits, made of the most popular materials—etamines, mistrials, canvas cloth, chevots, etc. The jackets are all silk lined, skirts silk and percaline lined—also unlined.

Ladies' Jackets

Silk cotons, chevot blouses and long silk Raglans, separate dress skirts and walking skirts.

Misses' Reefers, blue and reds, age 6 to 14, with Peter Thompson embroideries, army and navy colors.

We have on display a very choice selection of man-tailored shirt waists, in white, oxford, chevots and canvas effects.

Now is the time to make your selection, while the assortments are complete and you can secure exclusive styles.

White lawn waists, Gibson styles, handsomely trimmed with lace and embroideries.

Shirt waists in colors, all the new creations in chevots, madras, dimities and lawns.

Prices range from \$1.00 to \$5.00

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OMAHA IS STATE CHAMPION

Defeats Lincoln at Basket Ball, Thirty-Five to Twelve.

UNPLEASANT INCIDENTS MAR THE MATCH

Differences Over Rulings of Officials Develop Into Rough Work, and Hanson is Disqualified for Slugging.

The Omaha Young Men's Christian association basketball team definitely settled its superiority over the men from the Lincoln association last night by defeating the visitors in the local gymnasium by a score of 35 to 12. This is the third game these teams have played this season and rivalry has been intense from the start, growing keener after each contest. Omaha won the first game here by a score of 27 to 19. Then the Omaha team went to Lincoln and was defeated by a large score. Now Omaha has won the third game carrying the state championship. Unpleasant incidents marred last night's match. Because of differences over rulings of the officials, rising to a high point on both sides. Finally in the second half Hanson, center for the Omaha team, was disqualified for slugging and McElmeel put in his place. Fouls for rough play were called several times.

High School Athletes.

Lincoln will entertain the athletes of the high schools of the state on May 31. On that date the interscholastic field meet, has come to be an annual event, well to be held.

No New Trial for Mrs. Clasen.

Judge Cornish denied defendant's request for a new trial of the case wherein little Augusta Pruhs secured a \$2,000 judgment against her aunt, Mrs. Margaret Clasen, for ill-treatment and cruelty.

Hanser Gets Five Years.

Henry Hanser, one of the men who participated in the robbery of five pedestrians in the streets of Lincoln two weeks ago, was given a sentence of five years' imprisonment. The man is only 20 years old, but has been arrested on numerous occasions by the Lincoln police. His accomplice, B. Cox, principal contestant, this morning was over the question of whether the publication of the history of a previous case in which Mrs. Clasen was similarly accused, and of veiled references by the girl's attorney to it at various times, influenced the jury.

REJECTS LIMITATION STATUTE

District Court Declares It Does Not Apply in Case of Personal Taxes.

FULLERTON, Neb., April 5.—(Special.)—Rush Forbes, 12-year-old son of J. A. Forbes of this city, while out hunting with Clyde Reynolds and Sam Gay, two of his schoolmates, was shot just below the right knee by the accidental discharge of a shotgun in the hands of young Reynolds.

SHOT MAY COST BOY'S LEG

The surgeon in charge fears that the leg will have to be amputated, as the circulation has been destroyed. The accident occurred about one mile from town. Young Reynolds is prostrated with grief.

CENTRAL NEBRASKA TEACHERS

Over One Thousand Outsiders Gather in York to Hear the Prize Declamatory Contest.

YORK, Neb., April 5.—(Special.)—The Central Nebraska Teachers' association convention ended last evening in the fifth annual Central Nebraska High School declamatory contest. Special trains brought in students and teachers from the surrounding counties and it is estimated that there were 1,000 students and teachers from abroad in attendance.

TWO DEATHS FROM VIOLENCE

Falls City Reports a Suicide and Fatal Accident.

BROODS OVER NEIGHBOR'S CALL ON WIFE

Joel Mosiman Shoots Himself on Day He Should Pay for Farm—Horses' Kicks Kill John Van Dieser.

FALLS CITY, Neb., April 5.—(Special.)—Joel Mosiman, whose home was on a farm nine miles northeast of this city, committed suicide yesterday afternoon by shooting himself through the head with a twenty-two caliber rifle. Mr. Mosiman was found about 8 o'clock in the evening and from the condition of the body it was thought the deed was committed about 2 or 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

FALLS UNDER HORSES' FEET

Old Settler of Richardson County Killed on Streets of Verdon.

VERDON, Neb., April 5.—(Special Telegram.)—L. M. Van Duser, one of the oldest and most highly respected citizens of this place, was killed on Main street in Verdon last evening at 5 o'clock. He was seated on a heavily-loaded wagon, when in some manner he was thrown to the ground underneath the horses. The animals became frightened and began kicking him on the head and before assistance arrived he was dead.

SUES EX-COUNTY TREASURER

Writ of Mandamus Asked for Compelling Refunding of Over Three Thousand Dollars.

BEATRICE, Neb., April 5.—(Special Telegram.)—Sult was begun in district court today by County Attorney Sackett against G. W. Maurer, ex-county treasurer, asking for a writ of mandamus to compel Mr. Maurer to refund to the county the sum of \$3,252.88, alleged to have been retained by him out of the general fund of the county in excess of the fees and commissions collected by him during his incumbency in office. The case will in all probability be taken up at the opening of district court, April 15.

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Will Smith of Filley Suspects Neighbors of Deadly Trick.

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Beatrice Chemist Analyzes It to Determine the Nature of Substance Introduced by Matrice.

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NEW FLAG FLOATS OVER ARAPAHOE

ARAPAHOE, Neb., April 5.—(Special Telegram.)—Garret post, Grand Army of the Republic of this place celebrated the thirty-sixth anniversary of that order by a number of saloons, floating on the breeze a flag presented to the post by Commander Pruitt. After a bounteous dinner, enjoyed by nearly 400 of the members and guests, they spent the afternoon in speech-making, story telling and music. Many comrades from surrounding posts were present and added to the success of the rally.

CARRIE NATION MISSES HER TRAIN

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., April 5.—(Special Telegram.)—Mrs. Carrie Nation struck town last night, and today she visited a number of saloons, advising the keepers to sell out and get into something else. She was ticketed to leave here this morning for Forest City, Mo., but missed her train. She spoke to a large audience in the First Baptist church this afternoon.

SMALLPOX AT BLAIR

BLAIR, Neb., April 5.—(Special Telegram.)—Dr. H. Noble, city physician, reported two cases of smallpox yesterday and one new one today. All three cases are of a light form and a strict quarantine is being enforced and the patients are all residents here and are being cared for at their homes.

WIFE OF REPRESENTATIVE HANKS HURT

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., April 5.—(Special.)—While driving near her home, three miles south of this city, yesterday evening Mrs. H. H. Hanks, wife of Representative Hanks, sustained a serious fracture of the left leg just above the knee in attempting to jump from a buggy drawn by a runaway horse. Miss Julia Oppie, who was with her, jumped safely and attempted to stop the frightened animal. Mrs. Hanks was carried to her home, not far away, and medical assistance summoned. She is resting easy today.

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