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## RIVERSIDE CAMP MEETING

We were not able to be present at the opening of the camp this year on account of being engaged in special work, but on our arrival we found everything in full swing, and a fine spirit prevailing.

The evangelist this year was Rev. Jordan W. Carter of Wilmore, Ky. He is a graduate of Asbury College and a holiness evangelist of the old school. He certainly preached the old time gospel of full salvation, in the two works of grace, justification and entire sanctification, in the demonstration of the Spirit and power. The blessing of the Lord was upon His own soul and he fearlessly denounced sin and championed the truths taught in the Word of God. He scathed modernism on the one hand and magnified the power of the blood of Jesus on the other hand, so that his messages were approved by the Holy Spirit, and brought light and conviction to hearts which when yielded to brought them into a definite experience of pardon or purity.

Mr. Gosset, the song leader, who has been with Brother Carter in his two campaigns in Aroostook Co., at Washburn and Fort Fairfield, was the song leader during the camp meeting.

There came to us for the last five days of the camp, the young ladies Evangel Quartet. from God's Bible School. They certainly were a fine aggregation and a great blessing and inspiration to the meeting. They were a great help to the young people and we feel grateful to the Lord for directing them our way. Those of our ministers who were in attendance had an opportunity to preach at the afternoon services, and their messages were blessed of the Lord and appreciated by the people. The congregations were up to the average during the week and large on both Sundays. There were a goodly number of seekers at the altar but not as many as we would like to have seen, for if those who were convicted deeply had yielded, many more would have found pardon or purity. We feel the meeting left a good taste in peoples' mouths and a telling influence upon the minds of the people for the truth of Bible holiness through the sanctification of the spirit as a second definite work of grace. The finances were taken care of nicely as there was a blessed spirit of co-operation, it seemed to us the best for sometime. We give praise to God for all that was accomplished. The committees were efficient and everyone seemed willing to do their part. We are more firmly convinced than ever before that we are on the Bible line and expect to be true to the end. God wants to save men fully, delivering them from formality on the one hand and fanaticism on the other, giving them glorious liberty and freedom in the Holy Ghost. The open air services on Sundays were helpful and souls sought the Lord at these meetings. Let us keep on in this good work and God will give us a great reward.

MARRIAGE, DIVORCE, BIRTH CONTROL

# By Rev. A. S. Hunter

Recently, Dr. H. C. Morrison published a series of editorials in the Pentecostal Herald on the relation of the white and colored races, and the future of the white race. He scents danger ahead for the white race, because he sees it losing out, and its God-given prestige slipping from it. There is no denying the underlying facts, whether or not we accept all his conclusions.

It is undeniable that the white race especially the American section of it is trending toward race suicide. The birth rate among what we now know as "Americans" is declining and that falling off in population is being supplied by the colored and un-American races, both here and throughout the world. This decline of births among the white race is due not to legitimate natural causes, but is because we discard the divine law in the matter.

First, there are millions of unmarried people among us of both sexes, who are at the marriageable age. Tens of thousands of men realize that they can not afford to marry, with the present artificially expensive standard of living.

Then, thousands of couples marry with the avowal of no children. Many times both parties continue to hold salaried positions, and are able to live luxuriously; and do not want children to interfere with the business and pleasures. Other thousands of couples have one or two children. Many women seem to prefer poodle dogs to babies.

All of this is foreign to and inimical to God's design for us. Sex is for the propagation of the race, and antedates mans' fall. In man's original, unfallen state, God said to him, "Be friutful and multiply;" and He has not recalled that command. Scriptural marriage one man and one woman for life, is God's safeguard for the sex relation in our present fallen state, and also His provision for the rearing of children. So-called "high society," and not a little that is not reckoned "high," revolts against that. The colored races, and most of the foreign peoples of the white race, are seldom guilty of that.

Now, if the white race, the custodian of the gospel for 1900 years past, will deliberately disregard God's known law, while other races, with or without the gospel, follow it; why should not God allow the white race to fall by its own sins, and the colored races supersede it? Has He a perpetual covenant with the white race as such, as with the Jews through Abraham? He has cast off the Jews (temporarily) because of their disobedience! Why not the white race?

It is true that civilization and progress have come, almost exclusively, through the white race and doubtless by God's design. Our superior progress and culture have been due, above all else to the gospel which we have had. But now with all our gospel light, and

with centuries of tradition back of us; we are renouncing the divine truth of God, and substituting the human fiction of evolution! We are rejecting the deity of Jesus, and exalting the affirmed divinity of men! We are spurning God's plan and purpose of holy marriage and families and substituting free love, either straight, or in "companionate marriage," or by easy and quick divorce and so-called remarriage. With free love easy divorces and childless marriages all in open

disobedience to God's known will why should not the white race lose its prestige?

Realizing the physical and mental unfitness of so many for parenthood the godless scientists are now advocating birth-control as the way to stay our further physical and mental degeneration. They disregard the question of moral fitness to be parents and train children.

What is needed infinitely more than medical clinics to decide who may and who may not marry is the old gospel of salvation; to have people born of the Spirit made new creatures in Christ and purified in heart! When people are right with God in their own souls, and under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, and are taught from the Bible; there is little risk in the way of marriage and families. That is God's clinic for marriage as well as everything else. All the progress that the white race has ever made beyond other races was made without this recent fad of birth control by the state! "Birth control" of the godless by the godless (and no others want it), must be a miserable failure, if it is tried! It will not improve marriage, but will multiply illicit relations out of marriage!

The present deplorable situation has come about because we have so largely left God out, or have ruled Him out, of our affairs! Had the preachers of the United States (not now to go outside), during the past fifty years (not to go farther back), been preaching the gospel of Christ as Wesley and our pioneer Methodists preached it we would now have none of these problems on our hands! Think of more than a thousand souls converted, and nearly as many sanctified in one of those early camp meetings! Add to that the hundreds and thousands converted and sanctified from week to week, through the year, under the ministry of the pastors! Such gospel ministry was the source of our racial and national greatness! But, recently, the churches (all denominations, except some of the newer and smaller) have imitated Judah in forsaking God, the Fountain of Living Waters, and hewing out for themselves broken, leaky cisterns, which can hold no water!

If the white race, these United States, and Methodism are worthy of preservation and continued primacy, no doubt God will see to it that they continue. Otherwise, why should they?—The Free Methodist.

The only way to judge of the true condition of the Christian church is to bring it into immediate contact with the character of Jesus Christ. It claims to be the body of which he is the head, the organism in which he lives and through which his life is manifested to the world. The primary question is, therefore, whether its life reproduces his life.—Washington Gladden.

Watchfulness and prayer are inseparable. The one discerns dangers, the other arms against them. Watchfulness keeps us prayerful and prayerfulness keeps us watchful.—Alexander Maclaren, D. D.