

Mrs. Warfield And Mark Twain



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OPPOSES WOMAN VOTING

**DR. ROBT. P. KERR DISCUSSES
SEX'S SPHERE.**

**Says Politics Would Be The Cause
Of Disagreements Between
Husband And Wife.**

Dr. Robert P. Kerr, the pastor of Northminster Presbyterian Church, this morning expressed great chagrin at the fact that the serious part of his address to the graduates of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery last night had been ignored.

"What is your objection to the woman who writes novels?" was one of the first questions the reporter asked. "Do you not think that the woman who has the talent and genius should be given the opportunity for self-expression?"

"Oh! yes," said Dr. Kerr; "I think a woman should be permitted to write novels if she wishes to. I have no objection to women writers, none in the least. George Eliot wrote some very great novels. But," he added, with a sly twinkle of his eye, "I should not have cared to marry George Eliot. Just think what melancholy views she took of life.

"And the woman suffragist—you disapprove of her, too?"

"I do, most decidedly. To give woman the ballot would be to knock the very bottom out of society. Woman is not fitted to vote; she is not built that way. She is like the clinging ivy, while man resembles the sturdy oak tree. To intrust the ballot to woman would change the whole attitude of man toward her—the attitude of protection. Family life would suffer untold injury if the wives and mothers as well as the husbands and fathers were permitted at the polling places. Politics would be a new cause for disagreement between husband and wife. Imagine, if you can, the disgraceful scenes that might ensue at the family breakfast table on election morning with a husband and wife wrangling over the merits of two opposing parties."

"And the professional woman, I suppose, is placed in the same category as the novelist and the suffragist?"

"Not at all," responded Dr. Kerr, quickly. "In fact, as I said before, I do not disapprove of the woman novelist. I admire the woman who has the ability to write novels; but I don't think she has in her the make-up of a good wife. I should say the same thing about the professional woman—the woman who goes out from the home and competes with men. Such a woman, when she marries, will not care to take care of her flowers in her garden and the children in her nursery. She will be restless, and her thoughts will be constantly on the things in which she used to be engaged instead of her home interests."

"You do not think, then, that a woman

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MEMORIAL TO DR. HAYDEN.

**Will Honor A Founder Of Baltimore
College Of Dental Surgery.**

An Associated Press dispatch from Hartford, Conn., today states that a memorial to Dr. Horace Henry Hayden, one of the founders and the first president of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, is to be erected at Hartford about the middle of next month. The memorial will be of Colonial red brick, with a stone foundation 4½ feet square at the base and 3¼ feet square at the top and 11 feet high. Dr. Hayden was also founder and president of the American Society of Dental Surgeons, the first

not a Baltimorean by birth, but spent the greater part of his life here. The College of Dental Surgery made a subscription to his memorial at Hartford.

Among the interesting relics at the College is a set of artificial teeth belonging to George Washington. They were made for the first President by Dr. Greenwood of New York.

Engagement Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. David Wiesenfeld announce the engagement of their daughter, Fannie Meizger, to Mr. Henry Friedman of New York. They will be at home on Sunday, May 19, from 3 to 6 o'clock, and from 8 until 10 o'clock, 1838