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"Home and Mother"

(By Mrs. Dishman.)

In the Parent-Teachers' Association meetings we parents have been much interested and have talked much of the things the teachers should do and teach to fix correct habits of thought and action in the characters of our children. But have we thought as much as we should about how parents should help teachers in accomplishing these things.

To adapt an old saying to our needs, "Be teachers ever so able there is no place like home to train a child in the fundamental principles of character, and the mother is the fountainhead of the home." Dr. Cuyler says, "Great men often have weak children, great women seldom have." So as mothers we should realize the truth held by the great church of Rome when she teaches, "Give me your children until they are twelve years of age and they are mine, do what they will, go where they may afterward." And this holds true in 99 out of 100 cases. In these first twelve years the school has nothing to do with the first six, and during this time habits of obedience, neatness, self-control, trust and observation are either well started or the contrary vices are allowed full swing. Perhaps some may think vice a strong word for disobedience, slovenliness, lack of self control, distrust and inattention, but follow any or all of these to their logical end and see if the term is not correct.

Many a child, petted, pampered and self-willed has been brought into school with the expressed or unexpressed desire on the part of an impatient parent, "Well now that he is big enough to go to school I hope the teacher will make him behave, I can't." If these parents cannot control their own child to six, the one whom they ought to understand better than a stranger can, with what marvelous power, superior ability and supernatural tact do they endow the teacher who is to do what is impossible for them with from twenty to sixty children from home influences as varied as the families represented. By what sligh-of-hand magic does a teacher's certificate change men and women from our brothers and sisters and friends into these superior beings and also what happens when these teachers marry or leave the profession that they again become such as you and I.

Let us realize that this association is for mutual help, for the help of our children, but that the first and biggest burden and that the main elements of success or failure belong to and rest upon the mothers. If a child is unfortunate enough to have a poor teacher it is a temporary affair, that although time is lost, the effects may be corrected, but if a child has a poor mother, can any amount of good teaching in the schools make up for the lack. In fact in some instances the more good teaching it has the more the child feels that it has been robbed of its birthright of understanding love, care and training.

What have teachers a right to expect of children coming from homes where there is enough to eat and wear and with parents of average intelligence.

1st. That the child should be clean and neat

2nd. That the habit of obedience should have been well started.

3d. That trust in older people should be natural.

4th. That the children should be truthful.

5th. That such children will be spontaneous, lively, full of energy and often mischief. Let us deal with these singly.

1st. Is it not absurd to call a child at 8 or 8:15, let it dress itself, eat a hasty breakfast and send it to school with a "hurry or you will be late" and then expect the teacher to see that its neck and ears are clean, its clothes properly fastened and all its belongings kept in a neat and orderly fashion. It is true that a teacher often accomplishes much in this direction but have we a right to demand it of her that she overcome our neglect.

2nd. Parents should rule in love, but they should rule. The child's individuality should be recognized and respected and often our position should be explained before a request is made, if the request is difficult or contrary to the child's known inclination. But the request having been made it should be obeyed unless the child has some real reason for declining and in such case the parent should recognize justice. I use the word request because a command made courteously is as forceful in obtaining desired results as the brusque command in arousing antagonism and resentment.

3rd. If your child trust you because you have always been honest with it, it will trust the teacher as long as she is honest with it.

4th. You may fool a child a few or many times but the time will come when you fool him no longer. A young man once said, "My father made a liar of me. Once fearing one of his terrible thrashings, I lied and was caught in the lie. He gave me the beating saying, my boy, if you had not lied I would not have punished you. The next time I told him the truth and was thrashed just the same. So afterward I always lied. If I could get away with it I saved my back, if not I only got what was coming to me for telling the truth." It might be stated this way, "My father made a liar of me because he was a liar himself," and I believe the converse holds true. A truthful parent makes a truthful child.

5th. The spontaniety, activity, mischief or play spirit is childhood's heritage. We should recognize it, direct it and show our real appreciation of it by encouraging any legitimate expression of it.

And now when we send children with such training to school we have a right to expect that the teachers along with the three R's will build on the foundation we have laid and by systematic neatness, honest instruction, appreciative direction and a belief that the growing child is nearly perpetual motion, both physical and mental, train and maintain the sturdy characters started at home.

Mothers have long accepted the saying, "Who rocks the cradle rules the world." But there has been some mighty poor rocking if we judge by some of the ruling, poor, common-place and often vicious. And now-a-days it sometimes seems as though it were left to the nurse, governess and public school teacher to do all of the cradle rocking, training, loving and appreciating the need of the child.

As mothers let us so fully believe in our high calling that we will study to show ourselves approved unto God and men by studying our children and their needs that our love may be the intelligent directing force to build up and strengthen their lives. Then the world will be blessed by their deeds which will be worthy of the efforts, prayers and sacrifices of such mothers.

Portland Cattle Market

Union Stock Yards, May 25.—The cattle market showed more strength this morning than in two weeks, prices jumping noticeably. Yard officials state $8.25 is top, although some extra fancy stuff will be sold during the day at a higher price.

Hogs continued steady at last week's quotations and receipts were very liberal, 1687 coming in over Sunday. One special lot brought $8.30.

Sheep are still weak. During the past week prices for spring lambs dropped from $7.25 to $6.25, and anything but strength was in evidence today.

Mrs. Wright's Confectionery Store

Fresh home-made candies always in stock. Soft drinks of all kinds Ice cream. Agent for American Lady Tailoring Co. Prices lower than ever. 3 26

Mrs. J. N. Wright, Prop.

Pringle Flat

The grain crops on Pringle Flat are looking fine. The rye is a foot high on several claims and the garden truck is all up. Some are enjoying fine radishes, lettuce and green onions.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson, May 16.

Born—May 17, to Mr. and Mrs. John McKay, a daughter.

Mrs. John Schmeer, who sprained her ankle, is slowly recovering.

Mrs. Alta Hamlin entertained a few of her friends last week.

A pie supper will be given at the schoolhouse on June 5. The ladies are expected to bring the pie, the gents, well, they are supposed to pay. All are invited.

Cap Myers is putting up a fence for Roy Rogers.

A. B. Davis and son returned from Bend this week with supplies.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rogers returned to their homestead a week ago after absence of five months.

Roy Winters and wife returned to their homestead this week.

Will Wiggam is putting in a cistern near his house.

John Schmeer's well has about 80 feet of water in it. He is putting in a windmill and will irrigate his desert claim.

Lamonta Items.

Earl Helms and family are visiting at the home of H. F. Mitchell.

The funeral of Mrs. Willis Stacks was held at the Grey Butte cemetery Sunday. A large crowd attended.

Lee Knorr is improving rapidly after a serious accident, which happened south of Lamonta.

A large crowd from Lamonta went to Metolius Sunday to root for the home team. The score was 9-4 in favor of Lamonta.

Carl Windom and wife and John King and family spent Sunday at the H. F. Mitchell home.

James Reed and family visited Ira Black and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peck were visiting at the Omar Cyrus home Sunday.

Arthur Kerr is home on a visit from Portland.

Miss Dottie Poindexter spent last week with Beulah Barker.

Clara Short was home on a visit last week.

Good and Poor Cows.

To show that there is a vast difference in the profit producing capacity of dairy animals the records of three different classes of cows found in the Wisconsin university herd is interesting. One lot averaged 426.9 pounds of butter fat per year, another 301.8 pounds, and a third 195.8 pounds. The return over the feed cost for the best producers was $70.64 per year per cow, the second $42.18, and the last $19.01. Although each group required about the same care and feed, the total production and profit varied widely. To become skillful and successful in the care, feeding, selecting and breeding of dairy cows means to be successful in the business of dairying.—Kansas Farmer.

Teachers' Examinations

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Crook county, Oregon, will hold the regular examination of applicants for State Certificates at Prineville, as follows:

Commencing Wednesday, June 17, 1914 at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, June 20, 1914, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Wednesday Forenoon

Writing, U. S. History, Physiology.

Wednesday Afternoon

Physical Geography, Reading, Composition, Methods in Reading, Methods in Arithmetic.

Thursday Forenoon

Arithmetic, History of Education, Psychology, Methods in Geography.

Thursday Afternoon

Grammar, Geography, American Literature, Physics, Methods in Language, Thesis for Primary Certificate.

Friday Forenoon

Theory and Practice, Orthography, English Literature, Chemistry.

Friday Afternoon

School Law, Geology, Algebra, Civil Government.

Saturday Forenoon

Geometry, Botany.

Saturday Afternoon

General History, Bookkeeping.

J. E. MYERS,
County Superintendent.

To County Superintendents:

For some time we have been unable to furnish copies of the elementary course of study to teachers who are preparing for the examination. For this reason, we have asked the members of the State Board of Examiners not to take any questions from the course of study for the June examination. Yours very truly,

J. A. CHURCHILL,
Supt. Public Instruction.

Chick Food, Oyster Shell, Grit, all Poultry Supplies at J. E. Stewart & Co. 4-30

Important Statement

To the Public:

In order that there may be no questions raised later on, we wish to announce that no person connected with our store, or any member of their families will be allowed one piano vote. We positively will not sell these votes. One single vote cannot be purchased from us at any price. We are going to give the beautiful $400 Parlor Grand Piano now on exhibition at our store to the person presenting to us the greatest number of piano votes, absolutely free. For every cent of your purchase of anything in our store you are entitled to one piano vote. Yours faithfully,

Prineville Merc. Co.

Powell Butte

E. N. Hall has treated his house to a coat of paint, which is an improvement.

From notices being circulated by Road Supervisor Wilcoxen, it seems that the county is going to enforce the weed law this season. Mr. Wilcoxen says that in nearly every case the residents are anxious to comply with this law and he thinks there will be no trouble in suppressing the weeds to a considerable extent this first year. The Central Oregon Irregation Co. have signified their willingness to keep their ditch banks free from weeds, and Wm. Wilson, a large land owner in this section, has employed a man to destroy weeds on his land. There is a general feeling, however that the county should take care of the weeds in county roads and not place the added responsibility on the farmer whose land the roads adjoin, since he receives no use of the land whatever more than the road privilege the same as other persons.

N. P. Alley, E. N. Hall and Merton Shutrum returned Friday from a two days' fishing trip up on the Crooked river.

Joe Elliott and Mrs. Landfare were visitors to Prineville Friday.

Mrs. W. A. Nanny, of Deschutes, visited Mrs. Allen Wilcoxen from Tuesday until Thursday of last week.

C. M. McCauley and W. A. Nanny, of Deschutes, were dinner guests at the Wilcoxen home Thursday.

E. A. Bussett left for Hood River Friday. Mrs. Bussett and Miss Fay will probably accompany him upon his return.

Foster's folks lost a valuable milch cow last week from bloat.

Mrs. Allen Wilcoxen was at home to the Powell Butte Sorosis Wednesday. Besides members, Mrs. Wilcoxen took this occasion to entertain a few outside friends. A pleasant afternoon was passed, at the close of which a course of delicious refreshments was served. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ida Morse, at which time the Shumia Club of Prineville will be guests of the local club.

S. D. Mustard and J. L. Gibson loaded a car of potatoes last week for shipment to Bend.

Carl Charlton accompanied his father to Prineville Saturday, the latter being ill.

J. W. Hornbuckle was a visitor to Bend Saturday, returning Monday.

C. H. Miller, of Redmond, was a caller in this section Sunday.

Lee and Geo. Hobbs were business visitors to Bend Saturday, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Donlary and Mr. and Mrs. J.E.Donlary and small daughter, Fay, of Cline Falls autoed over Sunday, spending the day at the G. C. Truesdale home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bayn, Misses Gladys and Hazel Bayn and Earl Tinner enjoyed a fried chicken dinner at the Cross home Sunday.

James Green, of Redmond, was a visitor out this way Sunday.

Rev. Ragan preached at the Wilson school house Sunday morning following Sunday school. A large audience was present.

Mrs. Earl Saunders is much indisposed, the effect of having numerous teeth drawn.

W. G. Mustard will commence an addition to his house soon.

Misses Gladys and Hazel Bayn, of Prineville, visited the week end with with home folks.

The C. O. I. Co. installed a phone for Ross Bussett last week, the service, however, is direct to Deschutes and is of no convenience to the water user whatever. Of the several ditch riders in this section, but one has a phone on our local lines, making it impossible for the farmers to talk direct to the ditch rider. Even though the matter be ever so urgent one must talk through the Deschutes office, if at all.

Sunnyside.

Miss Grace Polk, who has just completed a very successful term of school in the primary department of the Laidlaw school spent Sunday at Sunnyside, the guest of Mrs. Bart Nichols.

Hubert Scoggin and Sister, Myrtle, of Plainview, passed through here Monday on their way to Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L Couch made a business trip to Laidlaw Friday.

With the completion of the upper part of the main canal the settlers are receiving an abundant supply of water for irrigation purposes and may expect good service in the future.

A heavy rain fell here during the afternoon of May 22d, which greatly lessened the work of irrigation.

Fred Wilson and sister, Mrs. Minta Howard, went to Laidlaw Monday on business connected with their new water right.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Couch made a business trip to Laidlaw Monday.

Prof. Thompson, of the Laidlaw school spent a few days this week with J. P. Haley.

J. R. Little was a caller at the home of Bart Nichols Thursday.

Melvin Couch assisted Fred Wilson with his farm work this week.

C. M. Couch made a business trip to Laidlaw Thursday.

Mrs. Wright spent Monday at the home of Mrs. Geo. Crouch.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their help and sympathy during the late illness and death of our beloved wife and mother.

W. R. Stacks,
Beulah Barker.

Miss Palmer in New Location

I have moved to the building formerly occupied by Minger's plumbing shop. You wouldn't know the place. Paper and paint have worked wonders. In connection with my nifty line of millinery I have a choice stock of confectionery. Everything new and fresh. I am now better prepared than ever to serve the public.

5 28 Gertrude Palmer.

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Standing of Contestants

In the $400 Piano Contest

For Week Ending May 6, 1914

No.	Vote	No.	Vote
5	575 275	90	40 560
6	267 466	100	7 890
11	10 260	102	37 330
12	136 885	113	15 485
13	565 895	124	55 700
18	4 090	127	37 045
33	110 435	138	32 920
34	12 920	140	32 000
35	202 040	143	75 760
36	50 835	144	1 393 910
52	99 885	153	104 900
53	148 215	159	6 800
58	230 895	160	12 240
67	13 090	162	83 345
78	136 400	163	3 150
79	292 060	164	7 845
89	45 985	165	340 000

Barnes Items

Barnes, Ore., May 26, 1914.

Camp creek has had some very hard rains the last few days and the grain crops and grass are better than for years.

Mr. Price was badly hurt by a horse at his home in Jageye Flat last week. He was taken to Paulina where Dr. Rosenberg was called and finding Mr. Price in a very serious condition the doctor took him to Prineville where he could receive medical attention.

Nelse Kins of Dry Lakes was a business visitor at Barnes last week.

Roy Winters of Held, who has been plowing for Alex Ammons, has moved home.

Camp Creek is well supplied with stray horses. A yellow and a gray, shod all around, with halters on, and a black mare with a mule colt and several others are in the hills. If any one is in need of these horses a letter addressed to "Fiz" at Barnes, will bring free information.

Fiz.

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Maurine Face Preparations are guaranteed to get results or money refunded. Why use cheap or inferior grades of cosmetics when Maurine is guaranteed to be absolutely pure. Try it at our expense. Prineville Mercantile Co. 3-5

Agents Wanted

Duntley Pneumatic Sweeper Co., 6501 So State st., Chicago, Ill. 5-14

House for Rent.

Residence of W. H. Keehn for rent; new 8-room house with bath and partly furnished; also a barn. For information call on F. A. Rowell. 4-30-1mp

BASE BALL

Thursday, June 4, 1914

PRINEVILLE

VS.

Walther-Williams Team

of The Dalles

Game called at 3:30 at the Club Grounds

Admission 25c