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Odd Fellowship -- What is it !

The origin of Odfellowship in the United States dates from the organization of the Washington Lodge No. 1, on the 26th day of April, 1819, in the city of Baltimore. It is not our purpose to state by whom that lodge was organized, but simply to give a fair and unbiased statement of the principles of the order, and the general object and aim of the association. Whatever might have been the object of ancient Odd Fellowship, as it exists in despotic Europe, is nothing to us. The question is simply the history of Odd Fellowship from the time of its organization in the United States down to the present time.

The design of the order was for the purpose of associating together individuals of various creeds and ideas, whose business it should be, not only to alleviate each others troubles in case of necessity, but to cement themselves in the unity of Friendship, Love and Truth. This was not from mere pecuniary advantage, as many unfortunately understood it to be, but its doctrines teach us that in all circumstances of life in which a brother may be placed, he is to receive the aid, the council or the protection of his fellow-member, not as a favor, but as a right-a right that ought to be held sacred by all, and dates from the time of his membership with the Brotherhood.

Men are not always what they seem. We should, therefore, judge men by their conduct, not by their apperance or profession. He who p ssesses a humane benevolent heart, who closes not his hand against his brother in his dark days of adversity, is a true man, be his situation in life ever so humble. That man is to be pitied who can trust to self, and refuse his kindly offices to his brothers, for without that brother what would he

There are several classes of persons that become members of this most praiseworthy and popular association. First, we have such men as Thomas Wildey, the great founder of American Odd Fel lowship, whose great heart was filled with Friendship and true brotherly love for all mankind, and whose constant aim and intense desire was to do good, not only to the members of his association, but to all men. He recognized himself as a constituent of one universal brotherhood, having come from the hand of a common Parent; and he seemed to accept the trust delegated to him by that Parent, for he was ever seeking to relieve the distressed and unfortunate, and to elevate and ennoble his fellow-man and educate him to a higher degree of man-

am sorry to say, are by far the most numerous, who look upon the institution as the proper vehicle for their advancement in the social as well as business relations with the world. They count the costs with scrupulous accuracy, in dollars and cents, and the various advantages to be gained personally by being associated with the benevolent and charitable men of the world. Business he thinks, will be better by reason of his fraternal ties. Or peradventure disease my prostrate him; in that case he will receive the kind care and attention of his brother, besides a weekly benefit of a few dollars. In case of death, the widow will be cared for and the orphans educated. And thus it is that thousands become members of the institution, not that they may benefit their fellow-men, but that they may be benefitted, and that their egregious selfishness may slip through the world under the garb of Benevolence and Charity. Many times in the course of life true and false Odd Fellowship is severely tried by demands upon them for the relief of unfortunate or distressed bretheren. The true Odd Fellow's purse strings are ever loose to means, and wishes sincerely that he were able to do more for him; while the false Odd Fellow, with many protestations, reluctance the scantiest pittance his well | you'd never dream it was a bean. filled purse may contain. "Am I my brother's keeper ?" he says. If circumstances have reduced him to poverty it is his own fault; why should I be required to assist him? I shall look out for myself and let others do the same.

Every Odd Fellow should remember the story of the man who went down to St. Petersburgh.

Jericho and, falling among thieves, was robbed and left by them half dead. By chance there came a certain priest that way, but seeing the wounded man, passed by on the other side, as likewise did a Levite, who passed by the other side. But the good Samaritan seeing him had compassion and immediately bound up his wounds and ministered to his wants until he had recovered. Is this a fair brotherhood pass by on the other side? Every Odd Fellow can answer for himself. "Do unto others as you would that others should do unto you," is the Golden Rule of Odd Fellowship.

Lina County Teachers' Association.

BROWNSVILLE, Jan. 1st, 1869. EDITOR REGISTER

Allow me, through the columns of your excellent paper, to publish a minute of the Linn County Teachers' Association, which met at North Brownsville, Decemas to the time of meeting, the various parts of the county were not as well represented as they would otherwise have been. Notwithstanding, enough teachers were present to make a pleasant and before him and awaited her appearance. profitable session.

The session lasted three days. The branches were all represented, and the discussions lively. The purest harmony by all present. The Institute was never in a more flourishing condition. The which rest on them, and the people are ergy. beginning to realize the benefit of such institutions.

The following resolutions were adopted: enter our schools.

ice existing against female teachers in our county ought to be removed, and longer Madeline Vernon; I am-" that we invite them to the field of labor. Resolved, That hereafter circulars be sent to teachers and the friends of edu-

cation generally throughout the county, exercises, and requesting their attendance. Mary Clinton." Resolved, That teachers who frequent

saloons should not be regarded as possessing good moral characters. Resolved, That we tender our hearty hold our session; and that we tender our

ed their homes to members of the Insti-There is another class of men who, I 4th, 1869. Officers as follows: President, J. W. Mack; Vice President, A. C. Henderson ; Secretary, R. N. Thom- no insults' son ; Treasurer, N. Hendrie ; Executive

> and J. W. Mack. It will be seen that we have an able corps of officers, and all may expect an entire success at our next session. The Executive Committee inform me that they will select lectures from the best talent in the county. Every friend of education is invited to be present, and we promise them unhesitatingly a rare literary treat. J. N. DENISON, Sec.

Committee, S. G. Irving, J. F. McCoy

How to Cook A BEAN.-Buy a bean, bathe it well, put it in twelve quarts of stenched river water, (if you haven't got a river, better buy one, as they are handy to have); boil it six hours by an averdupoise clock, take it out and wipe it thoroughly dry with a soft towel -an old shirt won't answer-lay it on its northeast side, about two degrees sowsow-westerly; bore a hole gently in each end, abstract the "innards" very quietly ried. She shose your father-the galwithout mussing very much; then stuff one end with soft biled rice, and the other end with rice boiled soft; the end that your birth—you, their only child! and end with rice boiled soft; the end that the calls of a needy brother, and he points towards Scio should, in-all instangives readily to the full extent of his ces, except in cases of extreme hemorrhage, be stuffed first; then take the rise from affluence to the possession of Brownsville side of the shell off gently; eno-mous wealth-their luxury! Then then the Corvallis side with Yaquina she died. railroad speed only, then sweeten with pleads his own poverty and gives with salt, and it will taste so much like rice,

"I say, boy, stop that ox." "I haven't got no stopper, sir." "Well, head him then." "He's already headed, sir." "Confound your impertinence, turn him." "Good mornto him, you rascal, you." ing, Mr. Ox."

Ten new theaters are being built in

THE BANKER'S LOVE.

A NOBLE HEROINE. It was a dreary morning in November; the rich banker, Mr Brandon, was seated in his room, busily engaged in writing; he was interupted by the entrance of a clerk, announcing that a lady, who desired to see him a short time alone, was waiting at the door of the banking-house; she had arrived in a hackney coach, and had sent in a message to this effect, not

receive her. The clerk delivered his message; Mr. Brandon looked both puzzled and annoyed, but gave orders that the lady should be admitted.

Mr. Brandon was about sixty years of age; he had commenced life as a junior clerk of the establishment; he had risen by gradual and regular rotation to the senior partner; in person he was comhis features large and prominent, his face red, his eyes round, blue and unmeaning, his thin locks plentifully ber 29th. Owing to a misunderstanding sprinkled with grey; his manner was precise and formal, his dress plain and old-fashioned.

He placed a chair for the reception of his visitor, and seated himself gravely in another beside the fire, folded his hands The door opened to admit her; she entered; it closed behind her; she advanced into the room, and the banker raised from his seat.

She was young and beautiful; tall, prevailed, and good will was manifested magnificently formed, with a face whose beauty of testure was its least charm, so intellectual was the expression, so sparkling with the light of genius, so beamteachers are alive to the responsibilities ing with the fire of an unquenchable en-

Her dress was plain and evidently selected with a view to economy, but tasteful and elegant. There was in her whole style and manner that decision Resolved, That we regard scholarship and confidence which is the result of and practicability as the bighest qualifi- high fast ion, and that ease which intercations of teachers, and that politics and course with the world alone can give. religious scetarianism never ought to The banker sprang forward to meet her; he took her hand affectionately. "Mad-Believing that the presence of parents eline," he said, "you have returned at has a salutary effect on our common last! How glad I am to see you again! schools, therefore, resolved that we re- I thought you dead, or lost-lost to me commend that patrons visit their schools forever. Where have you spent the in-Resolved, That we believe the prejud- line! I have suffered much for you."

"Do not call me Madeline: I am no "Married, Madeline! Say not so. Married!" And the banker actually gasped with excitement.

"No-no!" Said the lady smiling ; notifying them of the time of holding "but am no more known by that name; sessions, containing the programme of and those with whom I reside call me

Mr. Brandon remained silent; she spoke again. "I could not continue dependent on you -I could not live on your bounty : I re-

thanks to Mr. Smith for the generous solved to find subsistence for myself or offer of the use of his hall in which to perish. I have had my struggles; I have suffered much; but I have succeewarmest thanks to those citizens of ded; and I seek you again, to thank you Brownsville and vicinity who have open- for your past kindness-to entreat your continued friendship. I am happy; at least, I am content. I have obtained a The next session of the Institute is to situation as a governess; I reside in an the family I serve is opulent. My salary is a liberal one; and if I have no pleasures, at least I have few annoyances, and

She spoke quickly and with an effort, and she ceased abruptly.

"Oh, Madeline! is this a life for you?" "I have no choice," she answered : "I must submit to my fate."

"You have a choice. I have offered you all I have to offer. I renew my propcsals-be my wife. "No. Mr. Brandon! I thank you-

from my heart I thank you! but it cannot be. Pity me not ; I am happy !" "Happy! Madeline Vernon, do you remember what you have been?"

"Yes I remember-I remember!" "And I, too, remember !" (And the banker, rising, paced the room with hurried steps.) I remember all—I can tell you all! I can recall those times when, among the proud, your father was the proudest; when among the gay and lovely, you were the gayest-the most beautiful! I can go further back, and I can see your mother-you are her image, Madeline! she whom, as a dream, was ever present to my sight-she whom, as a dream I worshiped ! Well, she marlant, and admired Henry Vernon-and from the first I loved you; I loved you for her sake! I can recall their rapid

"A few years pass away, and you take riches. Who so admired? so courted? How often have I watched you when you

bankrupt! But one way lies before him item. -but one path, dark and gloomy; on that he enters-by that he escapes allshame, insult, contumely! He dies! I comparison? Will two-thirds of the wishing to alight until assured that Mr. will not dwell on his death of horror! Brandon was disengaged and willing to but you were left-young, beautiful, alone and poor, my child, what snares were around thee! Then I came.—I, Though dark clouds lower round us telling that your dead mother's humble lover I, your dead father's only friend! I, your own Though a storm of cold adversity is coming thick most passionate adorer! I rescued you from want-from insult-from despairand I dared to speak of love! I was, I fear, too hasty, too inconsiderate in my proposals; my love was despised—reject- That soon I would forget thee 'midst life's busy ed! You left me. But, Madeline, your monplace, not to say vulgar, about the suitors, where are they? The gay train middle height, stout and clumsily made, of knights, vowed to your service—the My love for the would vanish and forever pass proud young nobles, who laid their pride and their nobility at your feet-where are they? They fied at the first shadow beings so assuming, I upbraid your chiding now, of your misfortune, or those who remained stayed but to wound with expressions of

> olate. Was no one faithful?" "Yes ! one !" murmured Madeline, as she hid her face in her h.nds-"one!" "And that one, Madeline, do you still hope and live for him? do you still love each other?"

"Yes! yes!" said Madeline, rising, with sudden energy; "we still love each other-we still love each other-we hope still! I will not desert him! He clung to me through all. I will cling to him, and we shall yet be happy!"
"Madeline," exclaimed the banker,
and he knelt before her; "accept me!

I offer you a situation equal to the one you have lost-wealth beyond your wildest dreams, luxuries beyond your utmost wishes. I will raise you above the proudest of your late admirers-the parasites, the fawners, the faithless ones of former days. You shall set your foot upon their necks. Gold, diamonds, equipages-these will not bribe you. I offer you power-independence-the power of doing good-the independence of all obligation. Oh, think before you again reject! Your lover, too-I saw him but lately; he is ill. I marked his slight and the Teachers' Institute more fre-quently. The terval since we met? Why have you lately; he is ill. I marked ms slight figure, his thin, flushed cheek; I heard hidden yourself from me? Oh, Madehis frequent cough. He is working hard; he denies himself many comforts and game, and drinks the national wines hard; he denies himself many comforts that he may free you from bondage. He will not live. Labor, scanty clothing, and poor diet will do the work sooner or later; you will lose him! I offer you his health-his happiness. I will pour gold upon him, and with gold, ease and comfort. If you will be mine, Madeline, I will settle upon him that shall lift him at once to affluence. Madeline, you will not now refuse me?"

She answered mournfully and slowly 'No, Mr. Brandon, it cannot be; I never will desert him! Oh! believe me. I feel grateful; he, too, shall thank you; but ask not, I beseech you-ask me not to deny myself the sweet privilege of struggling for, and with him, through the darkness of the present hour into the light beyond. We are young and hopeful, and we shall yet be happy. Yes, we be held at Irving's schoolhouse, May obscure and gloomy part of the city; but shall be happy! Oh! my friend, our all: ask us not to renounce it!"

Mr. Brandon rose from his knees, and seated himself at his desk; there was a long pause. At last he spoke but in altered tones.

"Tell me, Miss Vernon, your lover's present plans. It may be in my power to aid him."

"It is his intention to procure a situation as clerk, which he has promised to him upon the payment of a sum of money, provided he can raise it in a certain space of time; during which the place will be kept open for him. Our object is to accumulate this sum; to do this we are straining every nerve, and I trust we into insignificance when compared with shall succeed."

Another long pause, and the banker raised the lid of his desk; he touched a secret spring, and a drawer flew open; he took from it a roll of paper, and with by industry on the surface covers an a grave and solemn air handed it to

"Madeline! are you too proud to accept from one who loves you but too well, the gift of two thousand pounds?"

She started from her seat. "Do not speak hastily, Madeline; false pride is no virtue. I know not the exact sum required, but this sum will go far toward the attainment of the object you have in view. Take it—go! and boats to furnish a ficet. The steam to me no more; but if thou needest a friend, I am here-I am here!"

Madeline was awed, and pleased, and pained; she could but weep her thanks. Every pit and every furnace over and He took her arm and drew it within his under the whole ten miles has accompany-He took her arm and drew it within his own, and led her through the bankinghouse, and handed her sobbing into the her place. You appear, the mistress of miserable hackney-coach awaiting her. matchless charms, the heirers of untold | He stood, half-unconsciously, at the door, watching its progress down the street, till at the corner it stopped to take up a Nearly a hundred heads of departments saw me not! In the Park, at the opera, tall and elegant-looking young man, who who was so gallantly attended? who awaited its arrival; shivering in the greeted with so deep a homage as Made-chilly air he recognized the favored lov-"He's right side out already, sir." "Speak line Vernon, the only daughter of the er, and, heaving a sigh, withdrew into wealthy banker—the proclaimed heiress his appartment. There he resumed his sterling. of the 'Merchant Prince?' Your suitors, seat at the desk and opened his private also, were they not numberless? What account-book. "Ah!" he said, "I have was not offered to your acceptance? what no command over myself when that girl "dromedary style."

did you not reject? Rank, title, station comes. I could make myself a begger -personal qualifications that might mate to see her look happy. But she will with such as yours-fortunes equal to come no more!" and again he sighed your own. Ah! what might you not heavily. "Three thousand pounds, too! have been? ah! what are you now? What a large sum! under what head can Well the sequel—the sequel. Ah, now I enter it? Under that of charity you weep! Your father, he becomes a Yes, charity!" And so he did enter it. bankrupt-worse, worse-a dishonored And there it stands, an almost solitary

Constancy.

I have loved thee, and still love thee, and wi love thee to the last. They have said that were others full as lovely and

throng elsewhere ; That when strange faces greet me in

chiding now,
And with spirit all undaunted I shall keep m Sacred vow; Yea, with spirit that hath never qualled beneath contemptuous pity, or insult with baser a stormy blast, proposals. They fied, and you were des. I have loved thee, still love thee, and thee to the last.

> They sat upon the front door mat, When softly shone the moon, And listened to the music that Came from a beer salcon.

His manly arm did round her twine, Their lips in kisses met; And when he asked, "Wilt thou be mine?" She said, "I will, you bet."

GASTRONOMY .- The following curious details regarding the gastronomic tastes of the reigning sovereigns of Europe, are taken from a Paris paper.

Napoleon III .- Abstemious, cautious; never making the slightest remark to the serva ts. Moderate drinker, but great

Queen Victoria-Abstemious, Puseyite, liking beef and pastry. Alexander II .- Hearty eater, connoisseur in wine, preferring Champagne and

Burgundy and fond of game. His Prussian Majesty —Good drinker (Roederer, etc.), beef, mutton, biscuits and sweet things. A pleasant and unaffected host.

His Majesty of Austria.-Silent at of Hungary and Bordeaux.

Victor Emmanuel .- Mighty hunter. Capital appetite, eats only white meat and small game. Kills wild boar, but never eats their meat; drinks the Cote'd Or wines.

Isabella of Spain.—Great appetite; prefers veal and white meats, drinks Spanish wines and Bordeaux.

The Sultan .- Partisan of strong meats, of rice, of pastry, of Eastern fruit, and

of Burgundy. His Dutch Majesty has the finest cellar in Europe; fond of fish, and especially salmon. His neighbor of Belgium cats very little, and always small game, and drinks sparingly of Bordeaux. The ex-King of Hanover lives on the

Bohemian pheasant, the woodcock of Galicia, and smoked ham of Styria and drinks Moselle and the Rhine wines. King Louis of Portugal is the smallest

eater in Europe. RICH NOBLES OF ENGLAND .- Speaking of the rich man of England, it is said the Earl of Dudley is one of the richest noblemen of that little island. Of his

His territorial possessions and country seats in Staffordshire and Worchestershire, England, his shooting-grounds in Scotland and the cast of England, his mansion and picture gallery in London, his winter palace in Rome, even his valuable mineral estate in Merionetshire, fade his mines and colleries, and iron works around the midland town which takes his title. The latter estate-honey-combed by industry beneath, blackened area of ten square miles. It furnishes employment for nine thousand working people, and reckoning in their families, wholly supports at a moderate computation, something like seven and twenty thousand human beings. It is intersected by two private canals and traversed by forty miles of railroad. The horses power used is simply incalculable, it is so dispersed. Eight locomotives ply upon its railways. There are forty boilers in one of its works, and twenty in another. ing steam engines. This vast estate yields seventy thousand tons of pig iron per week, to say nothing of the limestone used for flux; and it sends manufactured iron into all the markets of the world, are engaged in managing it, and it takes over three hundred clerks to keep the accounts. The annual outlay in wages does not fall far short of half a million

The panier dress is now called the