

SUNDAY EVENING LECTURES.

The lecture upon Industrial Schools having opened up to our mind a much broader field for consideration than we had at first anticipated, and the subject seeming to excite a remarkable degree of interest in the large and intelligent audience, we yielded to the public request of a friend and announced a continuation of the subject for next Sunday evening.

OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

We have kept silent during the furore of the past ten days concerning the School Board imbroglio, and have nothing to say about it now, except that if women were to deport themselves in any official capacity, as one of our Directors is reported to have done, that men would say, and with much show of reason, that women were too excitable for self-government.

A gentleman told us the other day that he should hold us personally responsible for the dissolutions of the School Board, for if it had not been for our journal, other gentlemen would have been elected in place of the present incumbents.

Now, gentlemen, can you give us any reason why you neglected to raise the salaries of the women teachers at the same time you advanced those of the men? Don't you think W. L. Adams told the truth when he said to one of you that the lady teachers ought to vanish you from town with brooms?

What say you gentlemen? Will you raise the women's salaries, eh? If not, more anon.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE MEETING.

A meeting of the officers of the Multnomah Woman Suffrage Association was called on last Wednesday evening in the new Good Templar Hall, at which a goodly number of invited guests were present.

Speeches were made by Mrs. H. W. Williams, Hon. G. W. Brown, Rev. T. L. Elliot, Judge Lewis, W. T. Shanahan, Mrs. Oakshott, Mr. Peters and others which will be noticed at length in our next issue.

FINANCE.

Horace H. Day of New York has furnished us with an able and elaborate essay upon National Finance, to which the combined attention of politicians and the public is particularly called.

DEMOCRATS AND SUFFRAGE.

The Democratic papers, with good apparent show of reason, assert that the many women who, during the campaign, trusted in the pledges of the Republican party, have come to grief because Miss Anthony and fourteen others have succeeded in getting woman's citizenship legally tested before the U. S. Courts; and the said papers exultantly boast of this simply because the women's plans are working to their complete satisfaction.

Miss Anthony, who is a better lawyer than Geo. H. Williams, knew just what she was doing when she planned the legal crusade which is now arrayed against her and her friends.

History repeats itself, and the young Prince Imperial, great-grandson of the divorced Empress, may yet, through Jeopardized and lost by his more distant relation in his mad ambition to found an imperishable dynasty.

WYOMING.

A movement is on the tapis in official circles to obliterate Wyoming by allowing Colorado to engulf her.

DAVIS VERSUS WOODHULL.

Last week we published an editorial explaining that Paulina Wright Davis had denied Woodhull's testimony as far as she was concerned, regarding the Beecher scandal.

PROGRESS.

We call special attention to "The Same Old Story," in another column, written by one of Oregon's most influential and honored citizens.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Anonymous, Portland: Contrary to our usual custom, we notice you, and do not know how to reach you except by this method.

PASSING AWAY.

Napoleon III., son of Louis Bonaparte, youngest brother of Napoleon I. and Hortense, daughter of Josephine by her first marriage, is dead.

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takes us somewhat by surprise. Do not remember having met you, but suppose your description of person and property is correct.

Mollie A. H.: Glad you like the NEW NORTHWEST. We agree with you that it's very readable, though we are sometimes sorely vexed because it falls so far short of our aspirations.

Mrs. L. Albany: Thank you for your prompt attention to the matter. "H. C. Heuston, Deputy," will not be troubled by the ties of the NEW NORTHWEST hereafter unless we get new subscribers from that benighted region, which isn't likely, as we learn that the people of that primitive locality yet vote for General Jackson.

Mrs. L. W., Sacramento: Your poem will appear as soon as we can make room. We have a surplus of poetry, but are always glad of choice stanzas.

Mrs. H. G. C.: Our friend Dr. Mary A. Thompson can answer your questions. We are no physician, and if we were, we wouldn't like to appropriate the Doctor's thunder.

M. L. Albany: Your friend evidently did not understand our bill. It was a simple statement of a new year's account, an invitation to "renew." His paper was discontinued.

J. K., Corvallis: Letter and \$20 received. A hundred more such timely remembrances and our financial ship would float of itself.

A. A. M., Olympia: Thanks for letter and subscribers. Believe you are ahead of us in the earthquake line.

THE SAME OLD STORY.

In the Oregonian of Dec. 14th we read "that the girl Ellen Shadden, who was enticed into a den of infamy on Second street, debauched, and subsequently induced to go to San Francisco, and had deserted by the wretch Pascal Smith, by and through whose vile machinations she was unfortunately brought to grief!"

OUR MOTHER'S GRAVE.

Can there be another spot on earth so hallowed to mortality as the last resting-place of a mother? How the heart beats! How the cheek pales as we remember the sacred bed of death, where she passed from this weary earth into the golden gates of life eternal!

STATE TEMPERANCE CONVENTION.

The State Temperance Alliance having adjourned to meet at Salem, on Thursday at 10 A. M., February 20th, 1873, it is hereby earnestly desired that zealous and co-operative action be immediately taken by the Executive Committee of each county, and the friends of temperance throughout the State, that a full representation of the temperance element may be had at the ensuing convention.

around, loving each one the best. The woman is placed by the rule of society in a little different situation, but her heart yields to divers attractions also.

There is no natural selection by the love faculty. Selection is the province of intellect; but how can there be a proper selection without preparation and information?

The fact that Miss Ellen Shadden was enticed away from home and ruined is only an evidence that her mental nature had been neglected by herself, parents or guardians.

Parents, and especially mothers, commit a great error in withholding their own knowledge and experience from their daughters, under the mistaken idea that such things are improper.

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It is hoped that members of the Executive Committee, and all others interested, will take such prompt and energetic action, in their several counties and localities, that such a representation of indefatigable temperance workers of sound judgment may constitute the ensuing Convention, that we may be able to place ourselves in such a position that our influence may be felt and recognized. S. C. ADAMS, President. SALEM, JAN. 8, 1873.

Miss Anthony's Case.

We learn Miss Anthony has received letters from different parts of the country asking how aid can best be given in settling the vexed question of a woman's right to vote. It is just she should be assisted in bearing the pecuniary expense of the examination and trial.

Her able attorneys must have some other reward than going into history with her. If her's is to be the test case, in the decision of which all woman-kind shall know if they have a condition of servitude, or no, then every woman who has the faintest gasp for liberty, should contribute something toward the cost.

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