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The policy of the Coos Bay Times will be Republican in politics, with the independence of which President Roosevelt is the leading exponent.

GOWNS VERSUS DANCING.

The French masters of the dance met in solemn conclave a few days ago and decided that a dreadful crisis has arrived. They sat far into the night and discussed matters appertaining to their profession, and the atmosphere of the meeting was instinct with grim apprehension.

The conferring masters were not slow in concluding that polite society will go to the dogs when people cease shaking the genteel foot. "If dancing falls off," inquired one of the delegates of his wasp-waisted brethren, "what will become of society?"

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WITH THE TOAST AND TEA

GOOD EVENING.

Make me unswerving as are the stars above me, as trustful as the birds who sing at dawn, and fear not what the day may bring. May I be strong to resist all evil and cleave to that which is good.

LOOK ALOFT.

In the tempest of life, when the wave and the gale are around and above, if thy footing should fail, if thine eye should grow dim and thy caution depart, "Look aloft" and be firm and be fearless of heart.

If the friend who embraced in prosperity's glow, with a smile for each joy and a tear for each woe, should betray thee when sorrows like clouds are arrayed, "Look aloft" to the friendship which never shall fade.

Should the visions which hope spreads in light to thine eye, like the tints of the rainbow, but brighten to fly, then turn, and through tears of repentant regret "Look aloft" to the sun that is never to set.

Should they who are dearest—the son of thy heart, the wife of thy bosom—in sorrow depart, "Look aloft" from the darkness and dust of the tomb, to that soil where affection is ever in bloom.

And, oh, when death comes in his terrors to cast his fears on the future, his pall on the past, in that moment of darkness, with hope in thy heart and a smile in thine eye, "look aloft" and depart. —Jonathan Lawrence.

A scheme is something that usually falls through shortly after you invest money in it.

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CONVERSATION ETIQUETTE.

Do not manifest impatience. Do not interrupt another when speaking.

Do not find fault, though you may gently criticize.

Do not talk of your private, personal, and family affairs.

Do not appear to notice inaccuracies of speech in others.

Do not allow yourself to lose temper or speak excitedly.

Do not allude to unfortunate peculiarities of any one present.

Do not always commence a conversation by allusion to the weather.

Do not, when narrating an incident, continually say, "You see" and "You know."

Do not talk loudly. A firm, clear, distinct yet mild, gentle and musical voice has great power.

Do not be absent-minded, requiring the speaker to repeat what has been said, that you may understand.

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