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DEMOCRACY OF COLLEGE LIFE.

Our wise-or-otherwise contemporary the New York American, almost always has a surplus of advice tucked away somewhere about its person that it is pleased to let out upon a benighted and groping world on the slightest provocation.

"Too often," it says, as it notes the commencement periods approaching close, "the influence of the college is undemocratic. It gives to fools the sense of belonging to a superior caste. The kind of an aristocrat that real education makes is never a snob. Don't pride yourself on your degree, young man! Resist the temptation to regard your degree as a patent of nobility. That notion betrays a mind too small to receive education, which when genuine gives a man the use of his brains. Use them if you have them. Don't pride yourself on belonging to a class. Don't be a prig. Be an American."

All sensible enough in a way, says the New York Commercial, but the advice appears to be predicated largely on a vague notion that the college student exists in an environment and amid influences that set him apart from the general run of the boys and the young men of today. Time was when the cloister life of the college was something different from that of the outside world—when its traditions and practices encouraged caste and too often bred prigs and nincompoops. But all that is past and gone.

The American college life of today is about as democratic as it well could be. A boy finds his real level there a little bit quicker than he could on the outside. If there is any sham or pretention or other foolishness about him he is given absolutely no peace until he purges himself of it or has it kicked and cuffed and knocked out of him.

And as to the "sheepskin"—why, what college graduate, nowadays, ever sees it after he takes it home and shows it to the "governor" as a sort of warehouse receipt for the goods? What one ever thinks of it again?

Our learned contemporary's advice sounds like the echo of a pulpit note from out of the forties or early fifties.

UNIVERSITY GROWTH.

During the year just closing, Chicago university has received, through gifts paid, a total of $2,330,604,78, and in the same period has secured promises of gifts to come aggregating $2,119,556,-36. Either of these sums is considerably in excess of the annual resources of any one of the state universities in the northwest which have been heretofore regarded, by their promoters at least, as in competition with the Chicago institution, says the Butte Inter-Mountain.

Common sense as well as considerations of economy will suggest that there be an end to the unequal and useless rivalry and that the superior position and advantages gained by Chicago university be conceded and made to profit the state colleges in the surrounding territory instead of serving as an incentive to envious and unjust criticism, which can only impede the magnificent work inaugurated at Chicago, without benefit to anybody. The management of Chicago university makes this desirable change in conditions comparatively easy by emphasizing research rather than undergraduate study as the chief object of its work.

No state university can keep pace with the Chicago educational enterprise for the one sufficient reason that the citizens of no state will consent to be taxed to maintain rivalry with such generous private endowments as have been gathered in support of Chicago's university, especially to no better end than the duplication of equipment and talent for advanced educational work within a territory which properly should constitute one field for work of this character. Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa, Minnesota, and other well established universities in the middle west will lose nothing in character and must gain in attendance by recognizing the wider scope and different character of the work of the Chicago institution, and by utilizing the advantages it offers instead of seeking to combat and lessen its influence and usefulness. To assume, as the practice has been in some of these states, thatknowledge provided by individual munificence is dangerous to the public and that the state should establish a monopoly in the good work because private generosity presents dangerous competition with state colleges, is quite as absurd as it would be for Montana to seek to disparage established colleges offering extraordinary advantages to students, or to abandon the excellent work begun at Missoula, merely because the comparative newness of her own university and the undeveloped state of her great resources does not permit her to offer equal opportunities to her young men and women at home.

THE TACOMA WAY.

The police of this city yesterday arrested a colored man on the street. Whether they did this because he was a colored man, or because he was on the street, has not appeared. However, when they ascertained that neither was mentioned in the code they let him go.—Tacoma Ledger.

ALWAYS TIRED NEVER RESTED

To be tired out from hard work or bodily exercise is natural and rest is the remedy, but there is an exhaustion without physical exertion and a tired, never-rested feeling—a weariness without work that is unnatural and shows some serious disorder is threatening the health. One of the chief causes of that "Always-tired, never-rested condition" is impure blood and bad circulation. Unless the body is nourished with rich, pure blood there is lack of nervous force, the muscles become weak, the digestion impaired, and general disorder occurs throughout the system. Debility, insomnia, nervousness, indigestion, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, strength and energy, and the hundreds of little ailments we often have are due directly to a bad condition of the blood and circulation, and the quickest way to get rid of them is by purifying and building up the blood, and for this purpose no remedy equals S. S. S., which contains the best ingredients for cleansing the blood and toning up the system. It is a vegetable blood purifier and tonic combined, that enriches the blood, and through it the entire system is nourished and refreshing sleep comes to the tired, never-rested, body.

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Loans and discounts		$264,347 08
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		2,540 71
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		12,500 00
Stocks, securities, etc		120,758 37
Other real estate owned		6,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		6,189 65
Due from State Banks and and Bankers		46,569 14
Due from approved reserve agents		162,789 80
Checks and other cash items		88 35
Notes of other National Banks		950 00
Nickels and cents		48 70
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$128,800 00	
Legal-tender notes	270 00	129,070 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		625 00
Total		$752,476 80

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund		50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		17,206 73
National Bank notes outstanding		12,500 00
Individual deposits subject to check	$502,011 91	
Demand certificates of deposit	120,758 16	622,770 07
Total		$752,476 80

State of Oregon, County of Clatsop, ss:

I, S. S. Gordon, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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