

TRAINING BOYS' MINDS.

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Felix Adler's Plan of Teaching Children to Think, Observe and Clearly Express Themselves—A Unique School and Its Methods of Instruction.

The workingman's school is especially intended to serve the needs of the children of the poor. Little ones from the tenement house districts are admitted to its free kindergarten at 3 years of age.

The school building is so spacious, well lighted and cheerful, and the teaching so intelligent, progressive and interesting that the children of the rich might envy the advantages offered to the offspring of the poor.

Each child has a wasp on his desk besides his pencil and notebook. All are alertly attentive and actively interested. The subject under discussion is the paper making wasp, and each eager youngster is trying to find out as much as ever he can from actual investigation.

METHOD OF INSTRUCTION. He has sketched an enlarged head of a wasp on the blackboard. He has told them—but in such a wisely suggestive way that they think they have found it out themselves—that "the paper making wasp has three simple eyes and one compound eye, and that in the compound eye are 3,000 little microscopic eyes."

"Now," he continued, "we have learned certain things about this wasp this morning, let us write about it. What shall we name the story?" he queried. "The Story of the Paper Making Wasp," piped out a small boy in answer.

"Who has anything to say about it?" was the next question. Everybody evidently from the number of hands eagerly upraised. One boy was asked what he had to say. He responded with alacrity. "It's body ain't so very long."

"That does not count for anything," answered the teacher with quick directness. "Can't you measure?" The boy was intelligent enough to understand how vague and meaningless his answer was.

AIM OF THE FOUNDER. As many of the pupils come from the tenement house districts they have had no opportunity to get impressions of nature, and are unfamiliar with many simple things that a country bred child imbibes with his breath.

The founder of the school has formulated a series of workshop lessons, based on mechanical and free hand drawing. His aim is to educate the mind first that it may direct the hand aright. For instance, a pupil receives a model of a cone from which he takes measurements and then makes a complete working drawing.

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A Good Many of a Kind. "Behold me!" laughed a recent bride returned from her wedding trip and busy establishing herself in her new home, as an intimate friend came in upon her. "among my tea balls." The friend echoed the laugh when she looked about. From chandelier, candelabra and cornice, on cabinet, easel and lamp, hung by their slender chains these perforated globes of silver; they swung from picture frames, glistened in curtain folds, twinkled among the brasses of the hearth, occupied on all sides unusual niches, where in a spirit of jest their embarrassed owner had placed them.

"I don't know," she said, "what could have developed this remarkable unanimity of purpose on the part of my friends, but when the wedding gifts began to arrive, it simply rained tea balls. I was delighted with the first, contented with the second, not so well pleased with the third, sorry at the fourth, angry at the fifth, sixth, and seventh, amazed up to the twelfth, and paralyzed after that. What, my dearest girl," she finished tragically, "am I to do with twenty-three tea balls, by actual count?"

Which points a moral concerning wedding gifts. A casual acquaintance, a man especially, shopping with generous intentions toward a coming bride, will be wise to select nothing of which but one only is needed in a household. There are so many other things choice ought not to be difficult. A piece of Wedgwood, Doulton or royal Berlin; a bit of bronze, marble, brass or the French and Viennese gilt; an etching, a rug, an artistic screen or piece of tapestry—these are only the beginning of the list of things which are prized by the maker of a home and of which too many can hardly be possessed. There is an aroma of taste, too, about wedding gifts that is too often offended. The more formal friends should offer articles of adornment and decoration rather than of pronounced utility. Relatives and intimates are not so restricted.—New York Times.

Susceptibility to Disease. Of several persons who have been equally exposed to chilly weather one takes a fatal cold, while the others are wholly unaffected. When scarlet fever or diphtheria enters a family it is a rare thing for all the members to be attacked. The great majority escaped a gripe during its late prevalence. And the same is true of epidemics of every kind and degree.

This difference is mainly due to difference in personal susceptibility, inherited or acquired. Disease invades the body at points where its life forces are weakened. Such a lowering of the vital resistance may date back for generations. This is one reason for the astounding mortality of infants, so immensely beyond that in the young of some of the lower animals. Many persons who start with small power of resistance carry it through life. Their only hope is constant care and freedom from exposure.

But of those who reach adult age the greater part may be supposed to have inherited an average measure of physical soundness. Whence their susceptibility to disease? It comes from physical transgression, either positive or negative.

Sleep, for instance, is a fundamental condition of high health. Nothing can make up for a deficiency of it. Lack of food does not begin to equal lack of sleep in its power to depress vitality, and so to render the system liable to any prevailing disease. Still insufficiency of food is a great depressant, and may exist where it is least expected, for the food must be such as to supply the daily waste of all the tissues—brain, nerve, bone, muscle and fat—besides furnishing heat forming fuel. Many a person who sits at a luxurious table is not half fed.—Youth's Companion.

The Dominic Didn't Sing It. There is a big Baptist church, colored, out in the northwestern part of the city. A man standing at the intersection of Vermont avenue and T street might hit it with a stone without overexerting himself.

The congregation then shelled out its contribution. It must have been "satisfactorily large," for the pastor stepped to the front and said: "I'll sing now. What shall it be? Express your preferences." "Annie Rooney," said somebody in one of the rear seats, and the preacher's wrath was momentarily shrouded in a burst of laughter.

"I'll 'Annie Rooney' you," shouted the offended shepherd, but the joker had departed with sensible alacrity.—Washington Star.

A Sneak Thief's Disgrace. A traveling salesman for a New York jewelry house left two sample cases in a railway coach Monday on the way from Oswego to Syracuse, while he went forward to smoke. When he returned the cases were gone. A trainman reported that a passenger heavily loaded with baggage left at Phenix. The salesman took the first train there, and with police aid found the man in bed at a hotel and recovered the cases intact. The thief had opened one case, and finding it contained only a large Bible concluded he had robbed a book agent and disgustedly went to bed without examining the other case, in which were \$525 in cash and \$700 worth of jewelry.—Philadelphia Ledger.

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SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the county of Wasco.

O. D. Taylor, plaintiff, vs. Thomas J. Fredenburg, E. L. Smith and L. Francisco, defendants.

To Thomas J. Fredenburg, the above named defendant.

In the name of the state of Oregon you are hereby commanded to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiff, filed against you in the above entitled court, and cause on or before the first day of the next regular term of said Circuit court, to-wit: On or before the 9th day of February, 1891, and if you fail to appear and answer or want to contest the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in his complaint, that is to say: for a decree foreclosing the certain mortgage, made, executed and delivered by you, to said plaintiff, on the 5th day of September, 1888, upon the south-east and north-west quarter of the north-east quarter, and the north-east quarter of the north-west quarter of Section twenty-eight in Township one, north of Range ten, east of the Willamette Meridian, in Wasco county, Oregon, and for a sale of said real estate, according to law; that the proceeds of such sale be applied upon the costs and disbursements of this suit, and upon the costs charges and expenses of such sale, and upon the note mentioned in said mortgage, said note being for \$400.00 and bearing interest from the 5th day of September, 1888, at the rate of ten per cent. per annum until paid, which note is now overdue and unpaid, and a reasonable attorney's fees of \$30.00 as provided and stipulated in said note, and for judgment and execution over against the defendant, Thomas J. Fredenburg for any amount remaining unsatisfied after all the proceeds of such sale properly applied to plaintiff's demands have been applied, and also that said defendants and each of them and all persons claiming by, through or under them, or either of them, do forever be barred and foreclosed of all right, title, claim, lien and equity of redemption and interest in said premises, and for such other and further relief as shall be equitable and just.

By order of Hon. Loyal B. Stearns, one of the Circuit Judges of the Fourth Judicial District in Oregon, dated December 24, 1890, this summons is directed to be served upon you by publication thereof.

Dated December 26, 1890.

DUFUR, WATKINS & MENFEE,

Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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