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A VITAL QUESTION.

Sunday's Oregonian contains an editorial entitled "Desheated Women" that should be read and taken to heart by the whole people of the United States. It contains as much food for thought as could possibly be crowded into the same space, and that is nearly a column. Starting with the bad results, from a moral standpoint, of the association of men and women in common work, such as hop picking and the working in department stores in large cities, the article in question deals with the subject in all its phases, and finally concludes that the place for women is in the home.

The subject is of vast importance, and resolves itself into the question "What shall we do with our women?" Advocates of women's rights, so called, argue as they may, have the immutable decree of nature in opposition to them. Woman was by nature given the charge of home. For her the indoor life was set apart when motherhood was made her's. The care of children, the helplessness and dependency of infancy, the gathering of little ones around her knees settled that proposition. When she, through choice or necessity, puts the home life beyond her reach, she sins against herself.

It is hard to say that a woman should not be allowed to support herself by work properly belonging to men, yet there can be no doubt but that this should be so. Max Nordau indorses this idea, if indeed he does not formulate it, and realizing that women who now have to rely upon their own efforts for their support, cannot have the means of support taken away without some other being given them, suggests that a system be perfected by which all dependent women, that is those who have neither means of their own nor relatives to provide for them, be cared for by the state.

Without going deeply into that subject, we cannot refrain from pointing out the fact that marriages are steadily becoming less in proportion to population in the larger cities. We believe the reason for it is the employment of women at men's work. The woman works for about half the wages a man would get for the same work. For every woman employed thus some man is kept out of a job, and consequently being unemployed, or if employed, being compelled to work for reduced wages on account of the competition of women, he is unable to support a family, and consequently does not marry. Without this competition, he would get double the wages the woman does, and could support both. The woman by performing his work decreases her chances of marriage, as well as those of her sister woman, and so drives still more of them into seeking employment at men's work.

The matter grows by what it feeds upon, and unless a halt is called, marriages will, in the cities, become obsolete. When marriage fails morality falls. What will be the final result?

POOH BAH'S DIFFER.

The Leutger trial at Chicago promises to last for a month longer. Friday there were two experts on the stand testifying as to the character of the bones found in the vat where the body of his wife was supposed to have been destroyed by caustic potash. One expert said

they were "the bones of a delicate woman," while the other insisted they were "the bones of a hog."

It is evident that in the nice shades of distinction even experts are not infallible. Dr. Dorsey, the bone expert of the Columbian Museum, declared the femur, the bone over which the contention arose, was that of a woman of delicate structure, and proved it to his own satisfaction. Then Dr. W. H. Allport, professor of descriptive and comparative anatomy in the Northwestern university, declared in the most positive manner that the bone aforesaid was that of a hog. "It came," said he, "from a hog of delicate organization; but it was nothing but a hog for all that." Now the experts in bones pretend to be able to tell easily the sex of the former owner of a human skeleton by the femur, yet cannot tell the difference between that of a woman and a hog. Scientists have become so metaphysically scientific that what they know they cannot demonstrate, and what they don't know everybody knows. Some of those fellows couldn't tell the difference between the bones of a defunct Klondiker and an extinct mastodon; not if they were told how things in the Klondike were exaggerated.

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June 16-6w-1 J. O. MACK, Assignee.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County, by an order dated the 3d day of April, 1897, duly appointed the undersigned administrator of the estate of Andrew V. Anderson, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same, properly verified, to the undersigned at French & Co.'s bank in Dalles City, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dalles City, Oregon, May 19, 1897. my22-11 J. C. HOSTETLER, Administrator.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Silas W. Davis, late of Wasco County, Oregon, and now deceased. All persons having claims against said estate or against the estate of Cornin and Davis of Wapinitia, Oregon, of which said firm said deceased was a partner, will present the same, duly verified, to me at The Dalles, Oregon, or to my attorneys, Dufur & Menesee, of Dalles City, Wasco County, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated at Dalles City, Oregon, this 22d day of May, 1897. B. F. LAUGHLIN, Administrator of the estate of Silas W. Davis, deceased. m26-5t-1

Executor's Notice.

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