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MARRIAGE UNDER DIFFICULTIES.

One of the charges often brought against the spirit of the age is that marriage in the middle or wealthier circles of society is more beset with conventional obstacles than ever before. Young men with what was formerly considered a reasonable income say they can no longer afford to marry or to engage in courtship, and so they settle down, from necessity, to a bachelor's life. But human nature is a powerful thing, and occasionally a young man and a young woman break through the artificial barriers and get married without regard to them. If both are of good character and suited to each other in age, culture and intelligence, and are not acting from mere impulse, the question of social caste is not one appealing strongly to the general judgment. The natural order of things is that young men and young women should mate. To a certain extent safeguards must be thrown about them, but when the marriage problem becomes merely a matter of family ambition, nature will protest and so will the vast majority of mankind. A false view of marriage and the family can destroy a nation and even a race. Marriage is not intended to be a piece of machinery for family aggrandizement.

Eloquents as a rule are not to be commended. It is a grave step to act counter to parental wishes or advice. Parents should be wise through experience, and affectionate consideration is their due. But the parent who desires his daughter to make a grand match as the first object to be gained by marriage is not well grounded in wisdom. The literature of every age cries out against such a view of marriage. Hundreds of the most powerful books and dramas tear it to pieces. If the course of true love seldom runs smooth, yet it usually reaches its destination, and the world applauds the happy ending. Marrying exclusively for wealth or position is a reproach, and is generally mentioned with a prediction that it will not turn out well. The list of social shipwrecks foundering on that rock is a long one in the recollection of every one of mature years.

The granddaughter of Abraham Lincoln has chosen a husband for herself after due deliberation and a persevering effort to gain full parental consent. It is not what the French call a "mesalliance," a word, by the way, not yet turned into American. The young husband is well educated, respectable, and moves in what is considered good American society. He is wealthy compared with Abraham Lincoln in his earlier days. There is no reason why he may not rise in the world or even play a laudable part in it without rising very far. It is true that the bride's grandfather reached one of the highest places in the history of the country, but it was not through social ambitions or alliances. He was always a man of the people, even homespun in his ways, and it is not conceivable that he would have withheld his blessing from the granddaughter who has asserted the right to choose a life partner whom she loves and respects. If any aspirations for a grand marriage and establishment have been destroyed the two persons most concerned are heartily glad of it, and wisely so. As for other sufferers from the event, they have only to look back one generation to find better social ethics and a better example.—Globe-Democrat.

A Spaniard living at Fort Smith, Ark., claims to have seen two Spanish spies. He says they are travel

ing through the country gathering information regarding American fortifications, which would be valuable in time of war. Valuable to whom? This government knows all about its own fortifications, and Spain will never get near enough to any of them to profit by anything she might know.

The Oregonian Monday of last week printed the delinquent tax list of Multnomah county. The list filled about eight pages, and, it is said, the bill therefor amounted to \$7,000. It will, no doubt, cause a feeling of devout thankfulness, at least next Thursday, to the owners of the paper, that those dollars, every one of them, are worth two silver dollars, intrinsically, though not otherwise.

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