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O, ye who are sae guid yoursel, Sae pious and sae holy, You've naught to do but mark an' tell Your neebor's fauts and folly! Your life is like a weel-gaun mill, Supplied wi' store o' water— The heap't happer's ebbing still An' still the wheel plays clatter. Bot gently scan your brother man— Still gentler sister woman! Tho' they may gang a kennie wrang, To step aside is human! One point must still be greatly dark— The reason why they do it— An' just as lamely can ye mark, How deeply do they rue it! —Robert Burns.

The school children of Cleveland may now be treated to cheap car fares since Mr. Hanna, the strongest opponent of cheap fares is no more. The street car trust of that city is capitalized at \$23,000,000, and pays 9 per cent net.

"Profit" Dowle has found mankind much the same the world over. The people of Sydney, Australia, chased him out of town for blasphemy. Even the sinner is disgusted at the coarse and foul arrogance of this religious buzzard.

The national woman's suffrage convention has heaped coals of fire on the head of Oregon. Within a week after the woman suffragists of this state failed to secure enough signatures to get the suffrage amendment on the official ballot, the national convention of woman suffragists voted to bring their next convention to Portland and heartily indorsed the Lewis and Clark fair. This is the most graceful and touching stroke ever made by any body of workers. Oregon has kept suffrage away from her mothers and has turned a deaf ear to their appeals times and times again. In return for this treatment, the large-souled agitators in this cause bring their convention to this state, advertise the city of Portland by making it their next convention city, and cheerfully indorse Oregon's dearest interest, the Lewis and Clark fair.

"Oh, rats," says Mayor Boyd, of Spokane, to the threat of the Ministerial Association to oust him from office for refusing and failing to obey the law in suppressing the immoral haunts of that city. That is the mayor's only argument, perhaps. The law is plain. He has no other answer. The ministers have chased him up the highest tree and the mayor is wondering what he shall

do next, can only say, "Oh rats!" The Spokane ministers are to be commended. The city has failed to regulate the social evil and so they are regulating the social evil and the city also. They should have the support of the community. While their plan may be wrong, their motives are right. Instead of scattering the evil to the residence districts, the city should set aside an inclosed area, large enough to accommodate all the immoral classes, and should drive them into this inclosure and keep them there under police guard, where the public can avoid them.

Experts who have studied the war situation in the Orient, says the tactics of the Japanese could not be improved upon. Their plans to land troops and march on unprotected Vladivostock from the rear, cut off communication by blowing up the railroads and bottle up Dainy and Port Arthur, are brilliant and telling. Their every movement counts. They don't waste a shot nor a pound of steam in useless maneuvers. Port Arthur is now at their mercy, Vladivostock harbor is ice-bound and the Japanese land forces are marching inland to head off Russian relief by land. With this stroke accomplished, with the Russian troops perishing in the frozen steppes around Lake Baikal, with Port Arthur and Dainy left to the mercy of the Japanese fleets, it seems the end of the war is near and that Russia is losing ground every day. The Japanese have conducted their campaign with a spirited dash that has been the admiration and wonder of the world. Each staggering blow has been followed in such quick succession by another, that Russia has had no time for recovery between fights. The Japanese should win. Their cause is just. Had Russia kept her avaricious hands off the Japanese trophies of the Japan-Chinese war, this war would have been unnecessary. The world is with the chrysanthemum.

The Sunday Examiner strikes a fierce blow at the nasty, clinging cobwebs of aristocracy which hamper otherwise bright and useful minds in this country. In every community are found little groups of antiquated beings who believe yet in the exploded and ridiculous fallacy that "high birth" amounts to something regardless of the brains or ability that accompany it; they look on wealth as a special passport to social distinction and frown in a way that makes the gods smile in pity on their ignorance, at the poor man who achieves something and builds up a name and a character despite humble beginnings. Here is a sermon in a dozen lines, from the Sunday Examiner, on the emptiness of the claims of aristocracy: "In this country the only kind of a gentleman that is worth the name is a man that thinks gentle thoughts, does gentle things, is kindly, honest, clean-minded and clean spoken and does his whole duty as he sees it. Whether he is rich or poor, obscure or famous, this is the only kind of a gentleman that can be recognized in a republic. Also in a republic the only man that is worth honoring is the man that does something useful. The greater the use he is to his times and his fellowmen the more deserving in honor. It doesn't make any difference, therefore, what your ancestors were; the only important thing is what you are and what you do. No man can despise another man when he thinks of his own failures, weaknesses, shortcomings and follies."

This issue of the East Oregonian may be called a Christian Endeavor Edition, as it contains very much concerning the convention, which opens in this city tomorrow evening. But newspaper space was never devoted to a better cause and the only wish of this paper is that its readers take advantage of the convention to hear the eloquent speakers and listen to the programs, intended to help humanity.

FORESEES CHICAGO'S DOOM.

Prof. William R. Davis of the geological department of Harvard has been studying the geology of the great lake region, especially about Niagara Falls and has reached the conclusion that if the present tendencies continue the time will come when most of Chicago will be submerged. Unless, he adds as a proviso, the people of Chicago continue rapidly enough to raise the city above the Lake Michigan level.

He began a lecture in the (Harvard) university museum with a description of the gorge hewed out by the Niagara cataract, and then gave an account of the early character of the great lakes region, of successive advances and retreats of the Laurentine ice sheets, and of the gradual evolution of the great lakes in their present form and with the present system of drainage. Originally the lakes drained into the Mississippi through what is now the Illinois river, but with the gradual progress of physiographic changes the northern outlet became lower than that at Chicago and the water flowed out first through one channel and then through another, finally finding its way over the retreating escarpment between Erie and Ontario, through which it has cut the Niagara gorge.

Estimating that the cataract has taken about 10,000 years to cut back to its present location, although this estimate is uncertain owing to the varying volume of the river with certain changes in the drainage system, we might conclude that within a relatively short time the falls will make their way to Lake Erie, when that body of water will be drained out and the falls will disappear. About this, however, there are serious doubts. Observations within the last 60 years have shown that the country north of the great lakes is slowly rising.

Before Niagara has cut back to Lake Erie this rise may have progressed so that the St. Lawrence outlet will again become higher than at Chicago. Then the immense volume of water now pouring over Niagara Falls will be turned back upon Chicago, and, the speaker added, St. Louis may then get some consolation for the unexpected ascendancy of the Illinois metropolis. —St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A. H. Johnson, a negro, killed himself, after shooting Policeman Goltz in the arm, while making Johnson's arrest, at Portland, Wednesday. The negro thought he had killed the policeman, and in fear killed himself to escape the penalty.

A political party has outlived its usefulness when it ceases either to "point with pride" or "view with alarm."

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