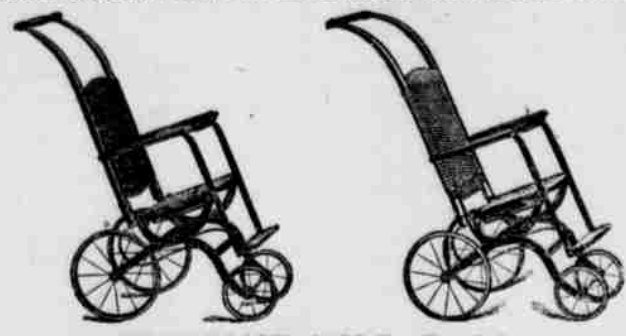


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For every suffering of sense, For sadder mental impotence There is a certain recompense In work! When Penury would Vision kill, Mid lassitude of flesh or will, O, keep this slogan ringing still— To work! Thy enemies are all within! Deliverance must there begin— Arouse thee, Soul, and thou shalt win. By work! —Earnest Neal Lyon.

UNDOING GOD'S WORK.

Philip II, of Spain, under whose rule that kingdom attained the zenith of its glory and pride, decreed that whoever advocated the construction of a canal across the Isthmus of Darien, should die.

Philip was a devout Catholic and lived in an age when religion was in a frenzy of enthusiasm.

He believed that the Creator had completed his work and left it as he wished it to stand, and that any disfigurements of the face of the earth by man was sacrilege.

Even at that early date, in the middle of the 16th century Spanish engineers conceived the wisdom of cutting a channel across that narrow neck of land. The voyage around the Horn was long and perilous. Spain owned all of Central America and Mexico, the northern portion of South America and the southern portion of North America.

Her engineers and merchants saw the vital need of a passage across Darien. It would have given Spain all the North Pacific coast of the present United States. It would have made her fortresses on the Peruvian coast impregnable and a line of harbors, cities and forts might have been easily maintained along the Californian and Mexican coasts.

It would have changed the history of the world and the balance would have tipped in Philip's favor. But no. He was a devout king. He would not deface the outline of nature for it was God's handiwork, and where God had joined two continents together, Philip would not put them asunder, even at the prospect of an empire.

So he decreed that the man who should suggest an isthmian canal should die, and forthwith sent the Duke of Alva into the Netherlands to massacre a million heretics (Protestants) because they did not believe as Philip believed, in the simple creeds of the Bible.

Through the irony of fate, the same young nation which has absorbed the richest of Philip's North American territory and freed the millions of slaves in his island kingdoms, now builds the canal he forbade, in his pitiable ignorance and zeal.

ATCHISON GLOBE SIGHTS.

The funniest thing in the average household is the family clock. Outside of books and plays, we never knew a man who wanted to steal a woman.

Do you expect so much of your friends that you finally become an unreasonable pig? Just about the time the average man gets his political shaft down to coal, he strikes water.

It is easier to overcome any critic than the one who eats at the same table with you.

There are some women like an actress; when you marry, you know it must have been for money.

Some women have so much powder on them that kissing them must taste like the first bite in a biscuit.

We don't know how you feel, but to us no war news is better news than news of a Russian or Jap victory.

We serve notice right now on those who will lay us out when we are dead, that the bottoms of our feet are terribly ticklish.

Public opinion is usually a matter of fear. However unfair a proposition, public opinion will favor it, if it has enough backing.

An Atchison man appeared on the street today without an overcoat, and the winter has been so long that people did not know him.

About the first thing the old-fashioned woman economizes on, is underwear, making it out of flour sacks with no ribbons run through— Atchison Globe.

A SONG OF THE CENTURY.

Who has time for idle sighing When the morning lights turn gray?

The pregnant hours are flying And we cannot bid them stay. Every certain chance is lying In the keeping of today.

Let the weak heart stop and listen To the philosophic head; There is breath in the tomorrow But the yesterday is dead.

There are new words to be uttered But the old ones are all said.

If we cannot grasp the lily We can often gain the rose; If we lose the mystic morning We have still day's dewy close.

This is life—for the hereafter Is there any one who knows?

Away with idle scolding And away with useless tears. Let the spirit of the morning Rout the night's unreal fears. Rise and march—the ranks adorning, Onward, upward, with the years. —M. H. in Chicago American.

COMING EVENTS.

April 9—Umatilla county republican convention.

April 12—Umatilla county democratic convention.

April 12—School bond election, Pendleton.

April 14—Republican state convention, Portland.

April 16—Meeting of Oregon Cattle-growers' Association, Portland.

April 19—Democratic state convention, Portland.

May 2—Oregon Federation of Labor, Oregon City.

May 4—General M. E. conference, Los Angeles.

June 2, 3, 4—Umatilla county pioneers' reunion, at Weston.

June 6—General election in Oregon.

June 15, 16, 17—Oregon encampment G. A. R., Hood River.

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