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"SUCH A FOOLISHNESS."

In Pittsburg, Pa., next week there is to be a banquet given in honor of Andrew Carnegie and his spouse. The banquet is to follow the dedication of the Carnegie Institute at that city. This is all right and proper and so far we have no criticism to offer. But it seems that the deuce is about to be raised in "social circles" on account of the shortage of available seats at the banquet. Here is where human nature is the weakest—in toadying for social preferment.

What miserable, ignorant and depraved wretches are sometimes picked up by good people because in their very souls they believe they are advancing themselves in the social world. The best way any person can advance themselves in any way whatsoever is to have a care to the kind of company they keep and be courageous enough to keep aloof from the society of those whom their hearts warn them are unworthy. A little notice, a dose of subtle flattery, an overweening desire for notoriety will cause many people of really good hearts to do some mighty foolish things.

In the case of the banquet given in honor of the "Land of Skibo Castle," and his commonplace frau we have an example of the exaggerated importance placed on the matter of invitations to "be there." Those not invited may as well leave town, for they will never again be quite "top-notchers" from a social view and most of them have not enough good sense to be thankful that it is so. "Such a foolishness!"

HARRIMAN, THE POLITICIAN.

We have no history of men who dabbled in politics all their lives without wearying of their jobs. In every community we find men playing the game in greater or lesser degree according to the possibilities afforded by said community and the limitations of the player. Many get into politics not from personal choice, but from some chance proposition, and there seems to be no stopping place once they are in the race. They go the pace generally regardless of whether accident or design placed them in the game and in the long run regret that politics ever beckoned them and curse their weakness that they should have been snared by the web.

The latest to come into the political lime light is E. H. Harriman, better known to fame as a railroader of great ability. In the railroad business Mr. Harriman had, or has, no peer, but in politics he certainly is a frost. For some little time in the past he has attempted to throw political stones at one Teddy Roosevelt. In this Harriman has not proved so illustrious as in railroading. He has been at a great disadvantage. The trouble with Harriman has been that whenever he said something which Teddy did not like the latter characterized the statement as a "d—d lie" and let it go at that. The worst of it all from Harriman's standpoint must have come from the knowledge that when Teddy branded his utterances as "d—d lies" the public seemed to take Teddy's word for it.

A recent letter given out by Mr. Harriman seems to show that gentleman up in the light of not knowing his own political faith. Small wonder—it gener-

ally come to some such end, especially when one has made a mess of their politics.

VOICE THEIR OPINIONS.

Regarding OAC President—Multnomah Grange "Resolutes."

The Pomona Grange for Multnomah county (representing all the granges of the Patrons of Husbandry in Multnomah county) has taken action to show the kind of a man the grange wishes to have at the head of the Oregon Agricultural College. Mr. Thos. Paulsen, long one of the most prominent members of the order in this state, offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

"Whereas, There is at present a vacancy in the office of President of the Agricultural College, and

"Whereas, This office will be filled in the near future by the regents of said college, therefore, be it

"Resolved, That we, the members of the Pomona Grange, of Multnomah county, demand that whoever is appointed to this office shall be a man thoroughly competent by actual experience in the work of education as it pertains to agriculture and a man of national reputation if possible."

The discussion on the resolution showed that the members of the grange understood the importance of having a man at the head of the institution who is thoroughly fitted to be the head of an agricultural college both by education and work and in ability and standing. They will also make no objection to the payment of a salary sufficient to secure such a man.—Rural Northwest.

The board of regents in making a selection for a man to take the place as president, should choose a man who has the qualifications necessary to fit the name of the institution. Above everything else he ought to be a man trained in agricultural pursuits, and one who will make the teaching of agriculture and horticulture science the main feature of the Oregon Agricultural College. There are plenty of opportunities offered for the training of pharmacists and electrical engineers, but if we are going to tax ourselves to maintain an institution called an "Agricultural College," let's be consistent and put the farmer boys who attend the school to the front, instead of pushing the other fellows forward, and dubbing the farmer boys "hayseeds."—Newberg Graphic.

There are all sorts of rumors and reports as to the probable choice of the board of regents of the Oregon Agricultural College of president of that institution. A report is to the effect that nearly all of the candidates for the position are normal school men. The board of regents is under no obligation to confine its choice to men who are applicants for the position. Men who are eminently qualified to be at the head of normal schools might be most unfit to be at the head of agricultural colleges. The natural presumption is against them. The board should certainly choose a man who has been educated in an agricultural college and whose work as an educator has been such as to develop his knowledge of agricultural education.—Editorial in Oregon Agriculturist.

Mother and Teacher.

In the city of Cleveland there is a club composed of mothers and school teachers, the object of the organization being to secure co-operation between parents and teachers in the education of the primary grades.

Parents and teachers have a strong common interest in the welfare of children, who can be properly trained only through complete sympathy and unremitting endeavor on the part of both.

Unwisdom or indifference on the part of one will do much to neutralize the best intended and the most intelligently directed efforts of the other.

If the highest results are to be accomplished for the children there must be no working at

cross-purposes by parents and teachers, between whom effective co-operation is as easy as it is desirable.

Their respective fields of activity are clearly defined, and both are moving toward the same goal by different paths.

Probably there is much greater sympathy between parents and teachers than the publicity once in a while given to exceptional cases of discord would seem to indicate.

It is undeniable, though, that in many cases there is a disposition to abdicate the parental function and to burden the teacher with a responsibility which should be assumed by the parent.

The work of formal education weighs so heavily upon the teachers that it is impossible, even if it were desirable, for them to provide, except indirectly and incidentally, the more fundamentally important training which is obtained either at home or, as a rule, not at all.

Show Their Faith.

There seems to be a general building boom on in Corvallis, and the many new structures that are going up, together with other improvements, show that capitalists have faith in the town and believe in its future—otherwise they would not be building. But the things most needed to make Corvallis continue to boom and to grow are factories, mills, canneries and other industries that will establish payrolls and give the laboring class something to do after they have come to Corvallis.

Of these things there is a dearth, and it is up to local capitalists to get their heads together and decide on something along this line that will pay, and then set about to establish it in this city.

The cannery idea has been advanced time and again and other towns in the Valley have taken up the proposition and will have canneries in operation this season to take care of the coming crop. While it is not advisable for all towns to have canneries, perhaps, there are many other enterprises in which Corvallis could engage with profit and general benefit to the community, and it is high time a start was made in this line by some wide-awake citizen with an eye to business.

Held a Reception.

In honor of the 50 or more delegates who are in attendance at the United Evangelical conference now in session in this city, a reception was held at the United Evangelical church Wednesday evening, about 100 guests being present.

There were songs and toasts and a general good time for everybody, and the feast ended only in time for the beginning of the evening's services.

Charles Heckart presided as toast master, and toasts were responded to as follows: "Our Visitors," Rev. C. T. Hurd; "Blest Be the Tie," Bishop Heil; "Presiding Elders' Perplexities," H. L. Pratt; "Settin' on the Conference," H. Barendrick; "Crossing the Bar," G. L. Lovell; "The Stationing Committee," A. A. Winter; "An Old Evangelical," John Bier.

Splendid music was furnished during the evening by Messrs Lovell, Caves, Hurd, Wood, Chambers and Hotchkiss, besides which the chorus choir pleased everyone.

At the conclusion of the affair unique souvenirs were presented to all, and latter the company listened to an interesting sermon by Rev. N. W. Sager of Dallas.

Real Estate Transfers.

M P Bardwell to W and A Tom, tract the size of 2 lots in Corvallis; \$1300.

A I Murray to E W Langon, 140 a in Kings Valley; \$1000.

Moses Neugas to Bertha Greenberg, block 27, Avery's 2nd Add Co:allis; \$1.

M Burnap to M Scheiern, lots 3 and 4, block 29, County Add

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Corvallis; \$3000. Bertha Greenberg to M C Miller, block 27, Avery's 2nd Add Corvallis; \$10.

M C Miller to C C Hayes, lots 5 67 and 8, block 27. Avery's 2nd Add Corvallis; \$1600.

C P Hodges to H T Ridders, 108 1/2 a near Wells; \$3797.

J M Howard to W A Williamson, lot 12 and s 1/2 of lot 11, in block "I," Avery's 1st Add Corvallis; \$1025.

M E Pangburn to O Howard, 80 a near Monroe; \$1.

Additional Local.

A. O. Smith and family expect to depart this morning for Vancouver, to reside. Mr Smith has been employed in that city for some time.

A letter to Corvallis parties from Mrs. H. E. Weatherly states that the writer contemplates moving to Benton county either this spring or summer. Mrs. Weatherly was in Corvallis some months ago and purchased the John Goose place, which she will occupy when she reaches Benton.

Mrs. Conrad Meyers of Albany is visiting relatives in this city.

Rev. Bowersox arrived from Portland, Wednesday, for a business visit.

S. H. Horton returned Wednesday evening from Portland, where he had been to accompany his daughter, Mrs. Ambrose Houck to the hospital. She remains for treatment.

Miss Ollie Thompson left Wednesday to reside on her timber claim near the Siletz reservation, after a two weeks' visit with relatives in Corvallis.

Dr. and Mrs. Bennett of Monroe were pleasant visitors in Corvallis, Wednesday.

There is to be a big dance at Monroe this evening. It is to occur in Wilhelm's hall and will be given by Byrd Rickard and Bowers Brothers.

J. R. Dennis, an aged resident of Monroe who suffered a stroke of paralysis about two weeks ago, is not improved.

Father Springer returned Wednesday from Monroe where he had been holding special meetings for several days. He was assisted in the work by Father Datin of Brooks, Oregon.

Recent real estate transfers reported by Ambler & Wetters are as follows: M. Wilhelm to William Leppert, 80 acres near Monroe, \$6,160, a Portland residence valued at \$3000 being taken in exchange; Martin Scheiern to Morse Burnap, ex-

change of 100-acre farm near Crabtree for Corvallis residence. Consideration in deal, \$5 800.

Mrs John Smith was a passenger for Portland, Wednesday, for a visit.

Bad Symptoms.

The woman who has periodical headaches, backache, sees imaginary dark spots or specks floating or dancing before her eyes, has gnawing distress or heavy full feeling in stomach, faint spells, dragging-down feeling in lower abdominal or pelvic region, easily startled or excited, irregular or painful periods, with or without pelvic catarrh, is suffering from weakness and derangements that should have early attention. Not all of above symptoms are likely to be present in any case at one time.

Neglected or badly treated and such cases often run into maladies which demand the surgeon's knife if they do not result fatally.

No medicine extant has such a long and numerous record of cures in such cases as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. No medicine has such a strong professional endorsement of each of its ingredients (patented) worth more than any number of ordinary non-professional prescriptions. The very best ingredients known to medical science for the cure of woman's peculiar ailments enter into its composition. No alcohol, harmful, or habit-forming drug is to be found in the list of its ingredients printed on each bottle-wrapper and attested under oath.

In any condition of the female system, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription can do only good—never harm. Its whole effect is to strengthen, invigorate and regulate the whole female system and especially the pelvic organs. When these are deranged in function or affected by disease, the stomach and other organs of digestion become sympathetically deranged, the nerves are weakened, and a long list of bad, unpleasant symptoms follow.

Too much must not be expected of this "Favorite Prescription." It will not perform miracles; will not cure tumors—no medicine will. It will often prevent them, if taken in time, and thus the operating table and the surgeon's knife may be avoided.

Women suffering from diseases of long standing, are invited to consult Doctor Pierce by letter, free. All correspondence is held as strictly private and sacredly confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser (1000 pages) is sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps for paper-covered, or 31 stamps for cloth-bound copy. Address as above.

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Is the essential characteristic of men and women. Invaluable to good business and necessary to good housewives. A woman shows good judgment when she buys White Cream Vermifuge for her baby. The best worm medicine ever offered to mothers. Many, indeed, are the sensible mothers, who write expressing their gratitude for the good health of their children, which they owe to the use of White's Cream Vermifuge. Sold by Graham & Wortham.

Just Because

Your cough is only in your throat and does not trouble you now, don't think that it needs no attention. When it has not had much of a start is the time to check it. The slightest cough easily leads to Pneumonia, Bronchitis and Consumption. A bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will cure that cough. The price puts it within reach of all. Sold by Graham & Wortham.

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HOMES FOR SALE.

AS I AM GOING OUT OF THE BUSINESS will sell my grain warehouse at a bargain, or would exchange for a good residence in Corvallis, or a small farm of equal value. Handled 47,000 bushel of grain this season. R. N. WILLIAMSON, Wells, Ore. 214

WILL SELL LOTS IN CORVALLIS, Oregon, on installment plan and assist purchasers to build homes on them if desired. Address First National Bank, Corvallis, Or.

WILL SELL MY LOTS IN NEWPORT, Or., for spot cash, finance, installment, and help parties to build homes thereon, if desired. Address M. S. Woodcock, Corvallis, Or.

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DR. E. E. JACKSON, VETERINARY surgeon and dentist. Residence 1220 Fourth street. Phone 389. Office 1011 Main street, Phone 204. Give him a call.

PHYSICIANS

B. A. CATHEY, M. D., PHYSICIAN—surgeon, Rooms 14, Bank Building. Office Hours: 10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m. Residence: cor. 5th and Adams Sts. Telephone at office and residence. Corvallis, Oregon.

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MARBLE AND GRANITE MONUMENTS; carving made to order; cleaning and repairing done neatly; save agent's commission. Shop North Main St., Frank Vanhoosen, Prop. 924

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S. K. BRYSON ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office in Post Office Building, Corvallis, Oregon.

WANTED

WANTED A CHOICE PIECE OF TIMBER land. Must be cheap. Address P. O. 223, Corvallis, Ore. 204

WANTED—A MAN, WITHOUT STOCK to rent a dwelling adjoining Corvallis who is a kind good workman with a team of horses. 81-4.

WANTED 500 SUBSCRIBERS TO THE GAZETTE and Weekly Oregonian at \$2.50 per year.

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I WILL PAY THE HIGHEST MARKET price for poultry, hogs, veal, calf, etc., at T. A. Boulden's grocery store, corner Second and Monroe St., opposite Corvallis Hotel. Your cash is always ready, and a square deal guaranteed to all. THOS. BOULDEN 914

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Isaac Porter, deceased, by the County Court of Benton County, Oregon, administrator of the estate of Alexander Bennett, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said Alexander Bennett, deceased, are hereby required to present the same, with proper vouchers therefor, duly verified as by law required, within six months from the date hereof, to the undersigned at his residence at Monroe, Oregon, or at the office of McFadden & Bryson, attorneys, Corvallis, Oregon. Dated March 8th, 1907. E. BENNETT, Administrator of the estate of Alexander Bennett, deceased.

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