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GENERAL EASTERN NEWS.

Another Northern Explorer Thinks the Jeannette Safe.
 NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—A reporter of the Tribune interviewed Captain Howgate respecting the proposed relief to be sent to the Jeannette. He said: In my opinion there is no need for anxiety for the safety of the vessel. We know that she was properly fitted out with everything, including sleds and dogs, and if she has been caught in an ice floe and crushed those on board would undoubtedly have had time to go over the ice to the mainland and thence to Siberia and St. Petersburg, whence we should hear by telegraph of their arrival. You cannot call this case and the one of the two whalers that were lost parallel. The whalers only had an ordinary whaling outfit, while on the Jeannette they had everything, including perhaps what may be the most necessary for polar navigation, pluck and brains. I know DeLong very well and of course if I had any fears for his safety I should feel extremely anxious.

Winter Cholera.
 CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—Two cases of winter cholera terminated fatally to day. Samuel Stillwell aged sixty and his daughter Abbie Beach aged thirty-seven, of No. 43 Bryant avenue. Their sickness lasted but a week.

Severe Weather in New England.
 BOSTON, Jan. 28.—The weather throughout New England is intensely cold and a snow blockade delays trains.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

Death of John H. Dickson.
 NORTH SAN JUAN, Jan. 28.—John H. Dickson, ex-sheriff of Nevada county, died here this morning at 7 o'clock, aged 63 years.

Accident to the Schooner Seventy-Six.
 PORT TOWNSEND, Jan. 29.—Advices from Neah bay report that on the morning of the 24th inst., the schooner Seventy-Six dragged her anchors and was washed ashore, and but for the strenuous efforts of the people of the life-saving station and the valuable assistance of Capt. Chas. Willoughby, Indian agent, she would have been blown straight upon the large boulders on shore. Empty oil tanks were lashed on each side to float her at low tide, after which the steamer Goliah towed her off.

Mount Baker on a Bust.
 VICTORIA, Jan. 29th.—Mount Baker is throwing out dense volumes of smoke, while at night sparks of fire are discernible. The eruption is said to be a fine sight from Matsiqui and Upper Sumas which looms to the height of 12,000 feet.

The Book Shelf for January has reached us. It is devoted to the announcements of books in press and brief notices of important new works. It is published at intervals by A. S. Barnes & Co., and mailed without charge to all book-sellers who may request it.

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Proceedings of the Teachers Institute.

FRIDAY, JAN. 29, 1881.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Opened with music.
 Essay, by Miss Anna M. Parish, subject, "Making the Most of Oneself."

The subject of methods of securing punctuality, which we had been unable to reach during the morning session, was now discussed at some length. Prof. Powell remarked: A book of punctuality was a great drawback. Irregularity had a tendency to undermine the work of the school. There was more irregularity, as a general thing in the country than in the city. He gave some amusing instances of his experience in visiting schools. Had seen schools where the last pupil did not get in till nearly time for recess. That he called irregularity. The teacher lacked in government. In cities they have more system, more ways of preventing irregularity. The system, though criticised by many, is what makes the schools of Portland the pride of the state. Children are not always to blame for being tardy. Often the fault is with the parents, and the child is punished and has to suffer for the negligence of the parent. Much can be done by appealing to the child, make them, if possible, like the school, cultivate the feeling of self respect and respect for others. The lack of punctuality has a tendency to injure us in every branch of life. Teachers should always be punctual. Rewards of merit were good for smaller children. Have some interesting exercises first thing in the morning. Sometimes a few moments devoted to reading will have a good effect. Some little experiment in industry or manual proficiency in industry to teacher and pupil, such exercises are good in city or country schools. Miss Gilliam remarked that the younger children were generally punctual. She thought that the parents were generally to blame for tardiness. She keeps them in at recess as a preventive. Other teachers made remarks and gave their plans for securing punctuality.

Professor Powell thought that parents were not so universally to blame as some thought. The child often misrepresented, either purposely or otherwise. It was generally well to confer with the parents and have an understanding.

Method of conducting a recitation. Remarks by Mr. Brower.
 Recitation in arithmetic. In mental arithmetic you want to know just what you are going to teach. Give the child his lesson and let him know what you expect of him. We separate mental from written arithmetic. We do not require as strict analysis in the latter as in the former. In mental, we do not have practical illustrations enough. He made children do as much of the work as possible, also had them make examples.

Music.
 Professor Powell made remarks upon the subject of conducting a recitation. There are two special objects: one is to ascertain how much the pupil knows about the lesson. There is a good deal in the way a class is called out. Gave some examples of ways of conducting a recitation that were not the best ways; also some examples of good methods. Some children considered it an honor to be called upon to explain difficult points; others were contented to sit down by a difficult problem and go to sleep, if allowed. Had never seen a school yet where the children were all angels.

Mr. Winton said he had made a practice of requiring every pupil in the class to answer the question to himself. He did not call classes with a bell; called the class and brought them forward by motion of hand.
 Mr. Powell said the tendency was with teachers throughout sympathy to help the pupil recite. They were apt to talk too much.

Music.
 The subject of fractions. By Miss L. L. Allen, of the Episcopal parish school. Exercises on black-board by class. Principles and methods of working fractions illustrated.

Mr. Powell said he was pleased with the manner in which the subject was handled. Asked the class to show the method of getting the common denominator, and explain. Process rests upon the principle that multiplying the denominator does not alter the value.

Music.
 Question by Prof. Powell. What do you think of the spelling reform? You have all read and heard something about reform in spelling.
 The extreme view is to eliminate all letters and spell according to the sounds.
 It is difficult to learn to spell according to the present method. Objection raised that where two words were spelled the same, how can one tell the meaning? The work known, for instance.

Miss Gilliam said the word "can" had two very different meanings, but we had no difficulty in distinguishing which word was intended.
 Prof. P. said he was in favor of reform in spelling. There is no reason why we should spell philosophy with ph. In the word "one," o stands for two sounds s and u. The connection

of words enable us to understand their meaning. The objection is that the present system is so interwoven into the language that it would require a complete revolution in the language.
 Prof. Powell addressed some remarks particularly to the teachers. They should improve themselves in every possible way, by reading educational journals, by attending institutes etc., must think and study like people in other professions, in order to attain success in any considerable degree. We should have an educational journal in this state, and every teacher who does not take one, should do so.

Evening session.
 Opened with music by Young Men Western band.
 Recitation by Miss Plummer.
 Music by the choir.
 Essay by Miss M. E. Whipple, "Earths Battle Fields and their Heroes."
 Music by the band.
 Address by Prof. L. J. Powell.
 Music by choir.
 Recitation, "Shamus O'Brien," F. D. Winton.

Report of committee on resolutions.
 Mr. Superintendent: Your committee, in consideration of the kind feeling manifested toward this institute, and interest shown for its success by so many in all directions, would respectfully recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:
 1. Resolved: That we extend our thanks to the Presbyterian church for the free use of their building so kindly tendered us and where our evening sessions have been held.
 2. Resolved: That we extend our thanks to the Young Men's Christian association for the free use of their hall for our day sessions.
 3. Resolved: That we extend our thanks to Miss Nellie Flavel for so kindly presiding at the organ.
 4. Resolved: That our thanks are extended to the Young Men's Western band for the excellent music furnished at our evening sessions.
 5. Resolved: That we extend our thanks to all who so kindly attended, and assisted in the exercises.
 6. Resolved: That we extend our thanks to the Oregon Railway and Navigation company, for granting half fare rates over their routes of travel to those attending the institute.
 7. Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be furnished THE ASTORIAN for publication.

Miss M. E. Whipple, Miss Mary Eaton, C. C. Brower, Committee.
 On motion resolutions were unanimously adopted.
 Closing remarks by Prof. Powell.
 It was moved and seconded that the proceedings of this institute also the address be published in THE ASTORIAN.
 Carried.
 Institute closed with music by Young Men's Western band.
 At the close of the afternoon session to-day the subject of Educational Journals was discussed and the necessity of having one in this state was admitted by all, and most of the teachers, and several who are not teachers, expressed themselves as ready to subscribe in case one were published which would be ably and properly conducted so as to fulfill the requirements.
 Following is a list of the names of the teachers who attended and took part in the proceedings of the institute: Miss M. E. Whipple, Miss Nellie Plummer, Miss Libbie Brown, Miss Anna M. Parrish, Miss Nellie Gilliam, Miss Winona Hunsaker, Miss L. L. Allen, Miss Mary Eaton, Mr. C. C. Brower, Mr. Chas. Dow.
 Officers—Prof. L. J. Powell, chairman, S. T. McKeon, secretary.
 Executive committee—Miss Parrish, Miss Whipple, Miss Brown, Mr. Brower, Mr. McKeon.
 Music committee—Miss Brown, Miss Plummer and Miss Gilliam.
 Committee on resolutions—Miss Whipple, Miss Eaton and Mr. Brower.

AMUSEMENTS.

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