"A Higher Education."

NEARLY every paper that comes to our desk has semething to say about "education," and a good many articles upon that subject are practical illustrations of its necessities. Some of the writers are disposed to be content with "the three R's," and contemn as unnecessary and impolitic any attempt to enlighten "the masses," evidently implying that the n space should be between the "m" and the "a," rather than the "e" and the "m." Others call for results, and a very few want to know what "good," education is; in general the editorial opinion seems to be that the rising generation stands in danger of being educated too much, and that nothing but the alert discernment of those gentlemen can avert the impending peril.

It has long been accepted as incontrovertible that the best philosophy, is a contented mind, the best statesmanship, self-control; the best theology, a pure and beneficent life; the best medicine, cheerfulness and temperance; the best art, painting a smile on the brow of childhood; the best education, the applying the faculties of the mind so that they may act in accordance with natural law. Whether the individual believe in Calvin or Darwin, he has been educated to very little purpose unless the principles of correct life have been fixed in his mind; unless he have the true conception of civilization. This true education gives: to this, "higher education approximates.

The only question worthy consideration is "what good is it?" It may be pertinent to inquire The what "good" is. If to eat and sleep; wax fat and lusty; to move as animate clods and finally sink as do other animals to the embrace of earth; if that, and nothing else, be "good" then it might be well to pause before making any attempt to do otherwise. But who recognize that merexistence is not all of life will readily see that that is "good" which leads to make man wiser, better or happier. This education does, and if the premise be accepted the corollary must follow.

Looking upon life in general, we notice that the individual will in any given case do that which he thinks, on the whole, will give the most pleasure and the least pain, with the minimum amount of risk to himself. Accepting this premise it is evident that, no matter how erratic the individual's actions may seem; bowever great the amount of trouble and mistakes that ensue; yet the sum of human delinquencies is less than if L. E. G. SMITH. men did differently, believing by nature what they are. Whittling this down to a finer point, it is evident that the present order of things is the best possible under the circumstances. Pope arrived at the same conclusion, but by a different road, when he said "whatever is, is right." The trouble with Pope's ultimatum seems to be that as whatever is, supercedes whatever was, therefore whatever was, must, of necessity, have been wrong; a conclusion that | few are disposed to concede. The whole matter resolves into a question of

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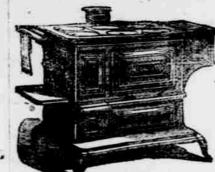
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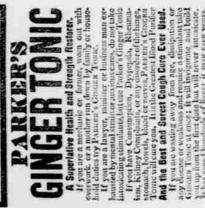
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Department Election.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A n general Election of the Astoria Fire be-partment will be held on Monday, August 14, between the hours of 10 a, M, and 4 r, M., for the purpose of electing a Chief Engineer and two assistant Engineers, for the sixth department year. FRANK J. TAYLOR,
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