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A COMMUNICATION.

PART II.

And she said he always gave them as they one by one went to their first schools a very serious talking too about their duty to the children. His idea was what might help one child would ruin a dozen and when he had to punish a child he never did it before the school. He said he had had to switch some of his little boys but he could say among the many children that had come under his care there were very few but what talking to them alone and trying to cultivate what was good in their natures and if they had wronged any one to have them go and ask their forgiveness very often was better than two or three whippings. He thought whipping injured a child's self-respect and pride, and these were both qualities that he thought ought to be cultivated. One year ago this old teacher went to his reward at the age of seventy-seven and his sons are men of middle age, both professors of colleges, one in Ohio and the other in Tennessee, his daughters said they have none of them ever laid down many rules to govern their schools by, when they were teachers in the public schools but one of the rules her father gave her to follow was to keep an oversight one her school during play hours. She said that among the large boys there was some one you could trust to look after the boys, and she always made it a rule to go out with the girls and take a part in their romps and plays, and some days in the week they would invite the boys to come and play with them. Said sometimes they would sing and march, sometimes play base or blackman, and sometimes the boys would invite them to come and play ball over on their ground. She said she did not think many of the girls was much of a success as ball players, but exercise was what she was waiting for them. As she thought she was responsible for their bodies as well as their minds. I think a real conscientious. Teachers gain every dollar that they get and should be upheld by the patrons of the school and not a "Patron," but I am personally well acquainted with some of the teachers in the school and I think if we all had tried to do our duty as faithfully as they have, perhaps they would have an easier time. I have never visited, nor been on an investigation tour up to the school, and am not acquainted with the gentleman that is the principal of the school now. But I know by my own experience that a teacher may be unjust and not mean to be. When I was going to school committing anything to memory was not work for me, it was nothing but play, while my seat mate, a girl some older than I was, would study so faithfully and hard and then very often would fail, so one evening at home he spoke about it and said he did not know why she could not have her lessons as well as I did, as she was the oldest. We were then reciting in Hirkhans' grammar and it was as tedious to me as an old law book, but that made no difference to me about memorizing, whether I understood it. That was another question. Now, I think it was very doubtful, as I know that I was young, but I could say it off like a parrot. I told our teacher that if I studied my lessons as long as she did, I could learn a dozen pages while she was learning one. I think that teachers ought to study the capacities and natures of the children under their care. Some have a talent in one direction and some in another, and some seem to be almost a blank as far as learning anything from books. But will go out in the world and seem to learn from their associates and surroundings, so they will pass through the world and you will not know how ignorant they really are. But if B. D. is really telling the truth and there has any of the children had to be whipped as severely as he says. I do not think I should hire a man at a dollar a day, but would try what a little sound whipping would do at home, and if that did no good, I think a course at the reform school might be beneficial. I do not think any teacher whips for the fun of whipping and I never knew a good child to be abused. I did know of one teacher, he had been a very successful teacher, but had not seemed quite like himself for a few days and when he called his school to order he began a wholesale business and before he could be overpowered he beat one boy quite badly but he was insane.

To be continued.

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WATERLOO RUMORS.

Summer.

Several of our townsmen inflicted their society on Albany this week.

J. B. Wirt has left for parts unknown, he may be in Albany or gone for his colony.

Medley the inventor has gone to Albany to take charge of the carding department in the woolen mill. Mr. Younger formerly of that city has arrived here to manage the cards which we trust will soon be put in motion.

Mr. Harlin the foreman of the mill has been actively engaged in damming the Santiam that there may be plenty of power when needed to operate the mill, it has been a severe contract but he has it well under way and the company, should be complimented for having so able a foreman whose work throughout has been very thorough.

Poor old man Dolph and our friend Dawson are getting a much needed rest at present as some have a much more weighty matter on their fat minds. One is trying to find out who Juggers is, it keeps them away from meals; too bad that editors don't print each correspondent's autograph in full for the benefit of prying dispositions; friend ask the "spirits" who we may be. A few think they know everything but this is one fact that they can only guess at and prowling around and nosing about will not reveal this that there may be a "written report" sent to headquarters. Ta ta Melchedic and Groggenhammer, we will see you next week. JAGGERS.

Found a Skeleton.

Last week, men at work on the fish-wheels on the beach above the Dalles, in an embankment which had washed out, found a human skeleton. It was only partly exposed, and there was nothing left of the remains but fleshless bones. These were embedded quite deep in the sand, and appeared as though they had been buried there. From all appearances, the skeleton had been in the ground for years, as the bones showed that they had been subjected to the elements for a long time. No conjecture can be formed as to the identity of the skeleton, and the poor fellow may have been drowned or met his death by foul means. Before Jim Cook was hanged, in 1879, he gave intimations that some citizen of The Dalles who had mysteriously disappeared had been murdered and were buried on the beach. Soon after his disclosures were made a skeleton was found in the sand, and this may be another of the victims. There was a time in the history of The Dalles when law and order were not respected, and the washing away of the beach, as happened during the last flood, may bring some things to light which are hidden now.

Oregon Sugar Beets.

A bulletin of the State Agricultural college on sugar beets in Oregon, embraces a resume of the work done. The bulletin contains comparative climatic tables showing the conditions under which the experiments were conducted. A Summary of the analysis for 1892 shows an average for the state of 15.70 per cent sugar, with a purity of 78.08 per cent against 13.75 per cent, and a purity of 77.57 per cent for 1891. Out of sixty-five samples analyzed in 1892, only eleven samples showed less than 12 per cent sugar, and forty-one gave over 14 per cent sugar, the extremes being 9.4 per cent. Some of the conclusions reached are: first, good sugar beets can be produced in Oregon; second, they can be produced at a price which a factory can afford to pay; third, the yield compares favorably with that of other states now raising beets for the manufacture of sugar; fourth, large beets do not contain so large a percentage of sugar as small beets, and the purity is less; fifth, beets could be profitably substituted by the farmers for bare follow.

Appointed by the Governor.

Governor Lord has appointed the following as the state board of medical examiners under the new law: Allopaths—W. H. Saylor, of Portland, five years; W. A. Cusick, Salem, three years; W. E. Carl, Oregon City, two years. Homeopaths—B. E. Miller, of Portland, four years. Electric—W. McConnell, of Newberg, one year. The following appointments, to fill the expired terms of the state board of horticulture, by state executive council, composed of the governor, secretary and treasurer have also been made: John Minto of Salem, in place of R. D. Allen, second district; Emil Shannon, The Dalles, to succeed himself in the fourth district; and G. A. Noble, of Milton, in place of James Heudershot, in the fifth district.

THE SESSION ENDED

CLOSING DAY OF CONGRESS.

Adjourned Sine Die at Noon. All the Appropriation Bills Have Been Signed by President Cleveland.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Noon.—The 53d congress adjourned sine die. The clock was not turned back and both houses came to a close simultaneously.

The senate at 4:35 a. m. took recess until 9 o'clock, with the understanding that no business should be transacted until 11 o'clock, except in connection with conference reports.

The last of the great appropriation bills was sent to the president shortly before 10 o'clock. There were five bills on which enrolling clerks were engaged all night—deficiency, sundry civil, diplomatic, Indian and naval final agreement on all these were reached during the night. At 11:30 a. m. Private Secretary Thursday announced that the president has signed all appropriation bills.

Nicaragua Canal Bill.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 2.—Captain W. L. Merry denies that the canal company had any lobby in congress working for or against the Mallory bill. He added: "The failure of the Nicaragua canal bill in the house was not a surprise to me, for Mr. Catchings, chairman of the committee on rules, stated in December that congress would not have time to consider it, and that it would not pass the 53d congress. The passage of the house bill would have been an advantage to the company, even if its terms were not entirely acceptable, for the reason that it would have gone to a conference committee with the senate bill, and also because, whatever the result, the enactment of the measure agreed upon thereby would serve as a vantage ground for further legislation, if deemed advisable. If lobby influences could control the rules committee, it must be admitted that interests adverse to the canal may have been active. The Pacific coast delegation spared no effort to pass the bill through the house, and its members deserve the thanks of our citizens—more could not have been done by them. We may look more hopefully for the action of the 54 congress, and meanwhile it is gratifying that events have proven that the congress of the United States would have passed the bill had it been permitted. It is to be hoped that it will have another opportunity before European interests place the canal beyond American influence. The canal enterprise moves slowly, but, although disappointed, we must not be discouraged; it will see its day of victory."

A Pleasing Message.

SALEM, March 3.—In these times of financial stringency any accession to the public funds of the state will be pleasurable received. Last evening Governor Lord was the recipient of a telegraphic message from U. S. Senator Mitchell which is along that line and which it gave the governor great pleasure to the people. It read as follows:

WASHINGTON, D. C., Mar. 2, '92. Hon. W. P. Lord, Salem, Or.—

I have succeeded in securing the adoption of an amendment by the senate to the deficiency appropriation bill, appropriating the full amount of the moneys due Oregon, California and Nevada for moneys expended in suppressing the rebellion. The total amount is \$699,000, of which \$385,152 for Oregon. All depends now on the action of the house.

JOHN H. MITCHELL.

He Drank Strychnine.

OAKLAND, Cal., March 2.—William F. Cashman, a plover wholesale whiskey dealer of San Francisco, but retired from active business for some time, died last night at his home in Alameda from the effects of strychnine, whether accidental or intentional is not known. He had a strychnine preparation in his cellar, which he used for killing gophers. It is supposed that he drank some of this, as he was found by his family out in the yard suffering intensely. At one time the deceased was very wealthy, but lost heavily during the stock excitement.

Worse than Reported.

MEXICO, March 2.—The railroad accident on the Inter-Oceanic railway last Thursday is far worse than was at first reported. At least 110 bodies have been recovered from the wreck and many still remain imbedded in the debris. The damage to the railway company's property caused by the wreck, is variously estimated from \$20,000 to \$50,000. Many of the injured threaten to sue the company for damages. All of the dead and injured belonged to the poorer classes. The engineer in charge of the wrecked train has not yet been found, but the chief conductor has turned up all right. The railroad officials say the accident was caused by the truck's tender slipping out of place.

Blown Out of the Straits.

SEATTLE, March 2.—The schooner Mary Dodge, Captain Bergman, 32 days out from San Francisco, loaded with 100 tons of dynamite, was towed into port tonight by the tug Magic. It was feared she had been blown up by dynamite. On February 17, while entering the straits, she encountered a northeast wind, which carried her 180 miles out to sea. One week later, while she was entering the straits again, another wind caught her and carried her out 60 miles. Last night she succeeded in getting inside and meeting a tug. Fifty-five miles southwest of Cape Flattery the schooner sighted a piece of keel seventy feet long.

Four Hundred Dollars a Ton.

HELENA, Mont., March 2.—One of the biggest gold discoveries ever made in the state was reported today by Thomas Carmin, of Pony, Madison county. Years ago he located the White Pine lead, near that place, but did very little work upon it until recently, when he began to develop it. A few days ago he struck a 10 inch vein of gold ore, which runs \$400 to the ton. This is richer than the quartz found in any of Montana's famous mines.

Coal Four Dollars a Ton.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 2.—The San Francisco & San Joaquin Valley Coal Company, just incorporated, claims that within a few months it will be able to furnish a good grade of coal in San Francisco for \$4 a ton. Coal now costs manufacturers \$8, which is cheaper than it has ever been before. The new company has a mine in Corral Hollow, near Livermore, and also intends to furnish electric power to Stockton and San Jose.

Suffocated in Her Bathroom.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 2.—Miss Grace A. Benjamin 18 years of age, was found dead in her bathroom last night. There was an odor of gas in the room when the girl was discovered, and at first it was supposed that she had committed suicide. On investigation, however, it was found that the apartment was heated with a patent gas apparatus, and that soon after Miss Benjamin entered the bath, the pipes got out of order, the room filled with gas, and she was suffocated.

Appointed by Gov. Lord.

SALEM, March 4.—Governor Lord today appointed Andrew N. Gilbert as superintendent of the state penitentiary. Mr. Gilbert is associated with Mr. I. L. Patterson, state senator for Marion county, in the general merchandising business. In the republican state convention he nominated Governor Lord, and has for years been prominent in the politics of Marion county, and his appointment was not unexpected to his many friends here.

The Old Story.

COLUMBUS, O., March 2.—At Wilmington, O., yesterday while Homer Hinshaw and Robert Holliday, schoolmates, aged 14, were playing with a .38-caliber revolver, which they thought was not loaded, the former told his companion to point the gun at him and snap it and see if it would make him wink. This was done, and the ball entered just above the right eye, resulting in death.

Ats Frozen Oranges.

NEWCASTLE, Ind., March 3.—Carrie, the 4-year-old daughter of William Williams, is dead from the effect eating frozen oranges. In commenting upon the death an old doctor said health authorities everywhere should take strict measures to destroy the thousands of boxes of frozen oranges shipped from Florida.

A Chicago Blaze.

CHICAGO, March 2.—The Globe moulding works on Henry and Brown streets burned today. The loss is one hundred thousand dollars.