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NEWSPAPERS IN SCHOOLS.

The following quoted paragraphs suggest an excellent method for acquainting the growing American youth with the current happenings and practical movements of the time.

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GOOD FOR FARMERS.

The governor of Minnesota is in favor of having binding twine made by prison labor in that state, and has accordingly issued the following communication to the state board of prison managers:

"You are doubtless aware that a very strong sentiment exists throughout the state in favor of utilizing a portion of our convict labor in the manufacture of binding twine.

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ters are confident the days of common marine engines and propellers are numbered, and will soon be thrown out of all first class ships as old iron.

The water jet, as a hydraulic system for the propulsion of vessels, has been many times tried with excellent results, but has not proved economical as compared with the ordinary marine engine and propeller.

On the trials of his small experimental boat he used a jet only three-eighths of an inch in diameter, with a water pressure of 600 pounds to the inch, and obtained a speed of ten to twelve miles per hour.

The apparatus was crude and hurriedly made, but the results yielded much new, but accurate, and valuable knowledge concerning the practical propelling powers of small jets at high velocities; and this new knowledge is embodied in the novel craft which is now receiving her finishing touches.

One hundred thousand dollars, clean cash, have been put into the little vessel by the contributions of a number of able citizens, who fully believe in the correctness of the calculations of the ingenious inventor.

AN UNADVISED PLEA.

With the very first accounts of the Conemaugh calamity the country was patently informed that it was due to a "cloud-burst"—an intangible, indefinite, unknown something which removed the loss of life and property from the domain of human responsibility.

As the facts became known, and it was clearly seen that the recklessness of a sporting club and the cupidity of a railway company were likely to involve the respective corporations in a question of damages, the plea was set up that the sufferers alone were to blame.

They had, we are told, ample warning. An engineer in pay of the club has been found, who says he foresaw the inevitable as early as noon on that black Friday, and, mounting his horse, gave such timely notice to South Fork that only one life—and that needlessly—was lost at that place.

The inference is that the 12,000 or 15,000 victims at Johnstown, Moravia and the other hamlets neglected this warning and invited their fate in a spirit of foolhardiness.

This is a paltry subterfuge which cannot win. It will excite only a feeling of indignation to be superadded to the resentment already created by the unchallenged fact that the dam was known to be unsafe for full seven years before the final, predicted catastrophe.

Every spring there have been alarms which caused the threatened inhabitants to desert their homes and flee to the hillsides. For years protests have been made by property-holders and municipal officers alike against the terrible menace.

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"SCRAPS." Don't say "I told you so." Two to one you never said a word about it.

Don't linger where "your love lies dreaming." Wake her up and tell her to get the breakfast.

A game of poker, lasting eighteen hours, was played in Glenwood Springs, Col., the other day. It began with an ante of \$5 50, rising gradually till several times there were from \$6000 to \$20,000 on the board at a time.

A New York court has decided that a stable, however well kept, is a nuisance in the neighborhood of handsome houses. Just how handsome a house must be to entitle the noses of its occupants to the protection of the law does not appear.

One of the most pleasant reminders of the civil war was the presentation of a flag, a few days ago, to survivors of Pickett's division by the Philadelphia brigade. These organizations met in bloody encounter on the fields of Gettysburg.

Speaking of the raising of flax, the statement that a mill in Indianapolis has converted 230,000 bushels of flaxseed into oil and meal in the last year would seem to indicate that a considerable quantity of the plant was already raised by somebody.

Hop men say that hop growers should not be in a hurry to contract their crops. It is reported that frost has badly damaged the crop in New York and it is thought they will command a good price this fall.

Buyers are in the valley now trying to contract for this year's crops. There is scarcely a position in which any man can find himself where he cannot discover some necessity for an inventive improvement.

In our homes, our stores, our streets, our parks, our carriages; in all places where we work or recreate there are conditions or things that need improvements.

Fond Mother—"Oh dear, doctor! I am so troubled about my baby being left-handed. What shall I do with him?"

Family physician (seriously)—"You might make a base-ball player of him, madam. Left-handed batters and pitchers are always in demand."

The returns from Salda, Colorado, where a young woman under charge of Christian scientists has just died from the effects of typhoid fever, confirm the position that the so-called Christian science should be confined to colds in the head, or warts, or corns, or mild cases of constipation.

They have a great unknown in the St. Joseph Mo., work house. He was run in as a vag and is doing time on the rock pile. He is way up in the law, medicine, literature, politics, theology and science, but is completely mum as regards himself.

In Shakespeare and the Bible the strange being is said to be a giant. Missionary letter to the anti-slaves association say the Mahdists have made western Abyssinia a desert. Whole flocks and herds have been destroyed and thousands of Christians thrown into slavery, while hundreds of the noblest inhabitants have been taken to Mecca as slaves, in violation of the treaties.

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The Canadian legislature has struck a vein of economy. It has discharged a chaplain whose salary is \$400 per year, but resolutely maintains its dignity by retaining an usher of the Black Rod at \$350. This looks like a case of spare the rod and spoil the chaplain.

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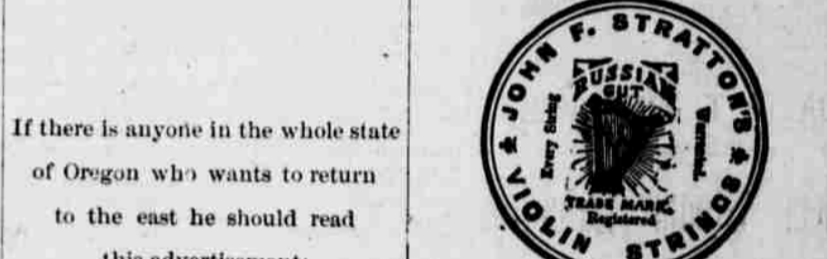
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