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OUR SATURDAY NIGHT.

A review of the week reveals the development of Salem as a musical center. The days have been filled with music, the night have been filled with songs. It has kept reporters pumping to write them all up without repeating his stock of phrases too often, or giving the same language of praise to more than one performer. But it has all been done in good spirit and the best of intentions, so the performers will pardon the reporter for their oft-repeated compliments.

These musical workers, instrumental and vocal, choral and orchestral, although of the latter we have precious little—deserve great praise, for their additions to individual culture and the artistic development of the community. It is to be noted that all musical education is carried on without public taxes. The musician is educated and educated others without a cent being paid by the community that is not voluntary. Would not all professions be bettered if that were the law and the custom? Is the state educated doctor, lawyer, dentist, teacher, or minister any better for a public expenditure of a dollar? It is questionable. Be it as it may, our hats

EDUCATION IN CHINA

SOME ITEMS OF INTEREST TO CHURCH-GOING PEOPLE.

Conditions in China Greatly Disturbed But a Better Condition May Result.

A late letter from Foo Choo, China, has this about the progress of education in China:

It is not surprising that there should occasionally be uprisings of the lower class people in a barbarous protest against modern ideas, Western methods and liberality of thought and education, such as is now causing alarm in the northern part of this country around Peking. The Boxer movement is one that is directly traceable to the mode of life and mode of thought that has been part of the very existence of the Chinese for centuries. China is one of the oldest countries in the world, its form of government has existed longer than any other system in the world, it has not changed with changing conditions in the other countries because, as is well known, all knowledge of these conditions was kept out of China until within a very few years. China has been living in the past.

The reverence for things antique, for manners and customs that date back two and three thousand years is nowhere more noticeable than in the Chinese system of education. Suppose that young men of America were sent to college to learn nothing but to repeat by heart the writings of the Greek philosophers, and that the extent of a man's education was reckoned by the number of quotations from those writings he could bring to repeat. Would America be the progressive country that it is if her educated classes had received only that kind of an education?

Chinese education consists in just that sort of learning, nothing more. When one considers that the system has been in existence for centuries and that for hundreds of generations the Chinese have been taught to look backward and not forward, it is not surprising that the present generation should look with disfavor upon the new ideas that in spite of them have crept into the country and made an impression upon a part of the people that can never be effaced, no matter how many Boxer movements are started and supported by the conservative classes.

There is no public school system in the Chinese empire. Only the well-to-do or wealthy have the advantage of an education, except the missionaries or generous Chinese open schools in behalf of the masses. The Chinese boy starts to school when about six years old. The girls are practically never educated. The Chinese recognize three great superiors, the emperor, the parents and the teacher, so when the boy presents himself at the school he bows a present for the teacher and bows his head to the floor three times, signifying that he is willing to obey the teacher's commands. His next duty is to burn incense before a tablet on which is written the name of Confucius. Then he is ready to begin to learn his lessons.

The walls of the school are usually decorated with scrolls on which are pictures and writings, quotations from the ancient sages. Each pupil has a little tablet on which are an ink-stone and the brush with which he learns to write. There are no regular hours for the opening and closing of the school, the pupils come and go as may be convenient and there are, therefore, no classes, each being taught separately, and they are advanced as rapidly as they can be. The pupils are taught to read and write the Chinese language, and this is no easy task, for there is no alphabet in the language, which has 214 characters which enter into the formation of all the characters in the written language, each of which represents a word. There are about 40,000 words in the language, but only a small part of these are known to any but the most highly educated.

The primer which is used in the schools is at least two thousand years old and contains a number of proverbs, which the scholar has to learn. He is then taught that there are three great powers, heaven, earth, and man; and three great lights, sun, moon, and stars. He is further taught that rice, millet, wheat, rye, and barley are the five kinds of grain which man subsists. This sort of teaching is followed by a summary of Chinese history and the examples of the sages of antiquity are commended to the youthful pupil. He is also taught to despise foreigners, and that China is the only great nation on earth. Filial piety is taught from the first day of school to the last.

When the Chinese scholar has learned these elementary things, he begins to learn the sayings and writing of the ancient sages. Chinese education is not a drawing out of the youthful intellect; it is a "cram, cram." Thousands of young men in China can repeat for days the saying of Mencius and Confucius. After studying for ten or fifteen years the students begin attending the annual examinations held under the auspices of the government. The examinations are very severe, and probably not more than one in a hundred passes the first examination and receives the degree of "Shu-tzu," corresponding to our Bachelor of Arts. Those who have attained this degree can continue their studies if they will and afterwards take examinations for the degrees of "Cung" (Master of Arts) and "Cing sou" (Doctor of Philosophy). Men with these degrees possess official prestige and power. It is considered a great honor to obtain a degree and when the lucky holder arrays himself in classic robes and calls upon his friends, they give him presents, make feasts for him, and show him great respect. About fifteen per cent of the male population have some education along the lines outlined. Very

W. H. Osborne, F. E. Edwards, Mrs. May Gardner, Miss E. Hamilton, F. D. Cornett, Committee.

The report of the nominating committee was as follows:

President—Mrs. Clara G. Eason, of Eugene.
Vice-President—E. M. Patterson, of Eugene.
Recording Secretary—Miss Grace Smith, of Monmouth.
Corresponding Secretary—Miss Nellie Clark, of Salem.
Treasurer—F. E. Cornett, of Albany.
The report was adopted as a whole and those nominated were elected unanimously.

The new officers were called to the platform and introduced to the convention, and were received with the Chautauque salute.

SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY.

After the regular song drill, led by G. A. Webb, the Sunday school convention was called to order by the president, Mrs. Clara G. Eason, of Eugene. The first thing on the program was the appointment of committees, as follows:

Enrollment—Mrs. A. E. Hamilton, Ashland; Linnie Murphy, Monmouth.
Future Work—W. H. Osborne, Salem; F. E. Edwards, Corvallis; F. D. Cornett, Albany; Mrs. S. E. Hamilton, Albany; Mrs. A. E. Gardner, Dayton.
Nominations—J. F. Toot, Ashland; J. B. Holmes, Albany; Mrs. S. Hunsaker, Portland; Edith Percival, Salem; Mrs. Jennie Berry, Milton.
Auditors—Miss Alice M. Smith, Monmouth; W. A. Elkins, Eugene.
The reports of district secretaries was in order, the first being that of J. M. Hunter, districts numbers 1 and 3.
Second—Mrs. S. E. Hamilton, Salem.
Fourth—Wm. H. Osborne, Salem.
Fifth—F. D. Cornett, Albany.
Sixth—John Hunsaker, Eugene.
The banner report was from Mrs. S. E. Hamilton.
The corresponding secretary, A. S. McDonald, not being present and not having sent a report, that was passed over.
Treasurer F. D. Cornett gave his report as follows:

Balance on hand	\$21.15
Address by Prof. E. E. Edwards of Corvallis a 2nd Oregon volunteer on the subject, "The children of the Philippines"	
He told of the ignorance and terrible conditions of the children in those islands when the army entered Cavite and afterwards Manila. Now the work is going rapidly forward of educating and training the children. Not long since a number of flag-raising have been held in the islands where the children sang "My Country 'tis of Thee," "Star Spangled Banner," and recited in English a number of patriotic selections.	
Prize service led by Mrs. A. A. Kellogg of Kelso, Washington. Rev. W. E. Winans Sunday school missionary being present, he was introduced to the convention, following an address by him on the subject "Our Offerings" by F. D. Cornett of Albany a good short practical talk on the business part of the Sunday schools, he presented a number of some splendid recommendations followed by a discussion of the subject by Messrs. Stevens, Osborne, Holmes and Messrs. Hamilton, Kellogg, and Cornett.	
Next on the program being a paper by Mrs. Kline, she presented her paper it was read by Miss Percival (Thornely). This paper was bristling and brilliant with good points and was enjoyed immensely by all who heard it.	
A discussion on the home department was introduced by Rev. W. E. Winans, President Clara G. Eason, and others.	
The Cradle Race was there discussed and this being new to a great many was fully explained and many became intensely interested in this department of Sunday school work and it is to be expected that many babies will be enrolled during the coming year in the Sunday schools of the state. The day closed with a grand sermon by Rev. Updike the singing improves greatly and the large chorus choir will be one of the drawing features of Sunday's meeting.	
County Superintendent-elect Moore and family are camped here. Mr. Moore drives to Salem to attend County Teachers Institute which is in session there now.	
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Burt came up on their wheels to attend camp-meeting and visit Mrs. Burt's relatives on the grounds. They returned Friday.	
Miss Nellie Clark and the Misses Messick are visiting friends and attending the meeting.	
Rev. W. E. Winans Sunday school missionary was an interested visitor Thursday.	
Miss Clara Scott of the Salem schools went down to Institute Thursday.	
Miss Ada Stone is here to attend the G. E. Convention Friday.	

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