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OUR SATURDAY NIGHT.

Saturday was a mothers' meeting at one of the schools of the city. The teachers of two primary rooms invited them to come and see the walls of the school room lined with the wonderful work at drawing and penmanship that the little ones were capable of. The room was crowded with sweet-faced women and sweeter little tots, all radiant with anticipation, and glowing with pride at their handwork on the walls. At the proper time lemonade punch was served by the little misses, the mothers went about and inspected the work, and congratulated the teachers and each other that such excellent care was being bestowed on their children. What pleasanter trio can be imagined than mother, children and education? The trinity of the home and state are found in these three words. They are greater than armies and navies and government itself were impossible without them. Do we fully appreciate the work of our school teachers?

The past week there has been a great musical and dramatic presentation at the opera house, in which several hundred children, from babies in arms to sweet, budding misses, participated. It was an occasion of great joy and pride to the fathers and mothers, and all acquitted themselves with wonderful grace, and many a heart throbbled in hopeful expectation of the fame this or that tot would achieve in the greater name of life. The minds of the parent always go out in the direction of the historic, and they dream of the daughter as an actress or a singer, of the boy as an orator or a professional man. There is a longing in the human heart for distinction along the line of the artistic, and they are not satisfied to think of Johnny as a plain laborer or mechanic, or of Mary as a turner of slapsacks and a raiser of babies. Yet it is doubtful if these careers in real usefulness do not bring greater harvests of satisfaction to both parents and children.

There is another side to the matter of public entertainments in which children take part on a larger scale as performers. It is doubtful whether it is beneficial to children or injurious. Of course, children get a certain amount of confidence, a self-sufficiency from appearing in public in their tender years. It hastens their maturity, and they get mentally into the attitude of adults before they are out of short clothes. It is a question whether a child that lives at home and plays with his play-fellows, and

never appears in public, is not wholesomer and better off in every way. Such performing children are always brought to mind when we remember the old lines:

You'd scarce expect one of my age
To speak in public on the stage;
But if I chance to fall below
Demosthenes or Cicero,
Don't view me with a critic's eye,
But pass my imperfections by.

All this contains the germ of inflation and the development of egotism in the child, and that germ is worse than some of the infectious disease germs that we read about, and take such pains to ward off.

There is no doubt that our children are-cursed with too much precocious immaturity. The belief in the heart of every true American that he is capable of doing anything, and capable and willing to aspire to any office from president down, has its advantages. It makes us a fearless, self-confident, undertaking nation, but it also brings to the front a growth of rank incapacity that is often shocking to the beholder. We foster this green-cheese precocity and willingness to perform in public, whether qualified or not, by putting it on parade too much at our home entertainments and charitable enterprises. Our children are more opinionated and restless and dissatisfied thereby. Home has less attractions, and the boy or girl who gets the idea that he or she can recite to an audience is never quite the same kid thereafter. They are as bad as the politician, who suddenly discovers, or is told, that he can make a political speech—never happy in silence thereafter.

There is a great deal in what one of the justices of the supreme court told a father of a hopeful, when he said he was ambitious make the son an attorney. "Well, let him take his time. Go slow, young man, and absorb the principles of law as a sponge would water. After awhile—take at least seven years of it—you will be full, and there will be some good work come out of you, and the world will want your services, and pay you well for them. But don't be in a hurry." There were vanishing visions of a two-year law course, of jumping into the profession before there was a respectable down on the upper lip, and the whole get-rich-quick feeling of vanity and inflation by racing through a few leather-bound volumes went up like smoke in the cooling presence of the level-headed judge's sapient remarks. The same principle applies to a great deal that we do and have done with and for our children. The blight of impatience is upon us all. The greed of life, and the haste of immaturity should be shunned like the itch for notoriety.

FARMER'S CHOPPED FEED.

(From the Minneapolis Farm, Stock and Home.)
Blind belief shackles clear seeing inquiry.
Garden soil is not likely to be embarrassed by its richness.

There is profit in remembering what you didn't do right last year.

Some call it "good luck" but "intelligence" is a better name for it.

"If I do not laugh till I am happy I may never laugh at all, so I laugh, anyway.

If in form methods there's diversification

Of farmers' dollars there'll be multiplication.

Slander before death and eulogy after death are much alike, both are given to lying.

Why not get the hired man on-

joined from throwing up his job when he hadn't orter?

Yes, sonny, the incubator made of oak hatches as tender chickens as if made of softer wood.

Sharpen the edged tools, and then be ashamed to have the tools sharper than their owner.

It is not so difficult to elect honest men to office as to elect men who will remain honest after elected.

As farmer elevators multiply the opportunities for making huge fortunes in handling wheat do not.

If "of too much learning he became mad," and if "a little learning is a dangerous thing," what's a poor mortal to do?

Why not try a bean patch? It may avoid the necessity of a patch on a conspicuous part of the wardrobe, later on.

A rose by any other name may smell as sweet, but call trusts "private monopolies" and their odor would be vastly more offensive.

There is restfulness, peace, pleasing sensations and profound satisfaction in flowers; and they are easily and cheaply had.

"Lumber prices have been given another boost." Well that's all right, for that's what the "always right" majority always votes for.

Wheat gamblers have already secured a hundred-million-bushel wheat crop (in their mind) in Kansas. What farmers these gamblers are!

The more explicit and clearly understood the bargain the hired man is the more likely in his term of service to live out the full measure of its days.

A farm paper propounded the query: "What does the farmer most need?" A woman replied "a good wife," which is a good answer; but is this a need peculiar to the farmer only?

We have had strikes galore, dignified and costly arbitrations, a deal of talk, proclamation, injunction and other fuss and feathers, but not a thing has been done to remove or mitigate the causes of it all.

The president of the United States is the biggest official in the pool, but is no bigger nor better man than he was or will be when a private citizen. But who would take the contract to make most people believe it?

"To be scientific one must consider truth of priceless importance, and be prepared to sacrifice all preconceived notions and carefully elaborate opinions whenever his researches find them to be erroneous." Commended to certain agricultural experimenters.

If it were not for our supreme complacency, the firm belief that our destiny is hitched to a dogstar that can't go wrong, it would disturb us to be told that private monopoly has become so firmly entrenched in our affairs that to interfere with it is dangerous.

According to the testimony of many hired men who write on the farm labor subject, there is no question about the independence of farm life in the matter of the working days length. The farmer is free to get up as early and go to bed as late as he pleases.

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For Confederate Reunions.

New Orleans, April 24.—On all the railroad systems communicating with New Orleans the movement of passengers to this city in May for the annual reunion of the Confederate veterans, United Sons of Confederate veteran and Daughters of the Confederacy will be exceedingly heavy. The one cent per mile rate offered by the Southeastern Passenger association will be taken advantage of by thousands in the southeast and southwest and by many from the northern states. The roads are already making active preparations for handling the enormous business.

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No Inquest on Barnes.

Coroner A. M. Clough was called to Gervais yesterday evening to investigate the death of Louis Barnes, a pioneer. Mr. Clough found it unnecessary to hold an inquest.

Barnes was a bachelor, and for many years lived alone in his cabin about a mile east of Gervais. The county has helped him several times. He had lived in Oregon 50 years, and was over 75 years old. He was last seen Tuesday, and when found had been dead about 24 hours. His death was due to natural causes.



Weak Hearts

Are due to indigestion. Ninety-nine of every one hundred people who have heart trouble can remember when it was simple indigestion. It is a scientific fact that all cases of heart disease, not organic, are not only traceable to, but are the direct result of indigestion. All food taken into the stomach which fails of perfect digestion ferments and swells the stomach, puffing it up against the heart. This interferes with the action of the heart, and in the course of time that delicate but vital organ becomes diseased.

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Proposals for Wood by School District No. 24.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the office of district clerk, with Ladd & Bush, up to 12 o'clock, noon, on Friday, May 15th, for wood to be delivered at the school buildings for school district No. 24 Marion county, Oregon, as follows:

- East School, 70 cords fir and 10 cords oak.
- Park School, 20 cords fir and 4 cords oak.
- Lincoln School, 30 cords fir and 5 cords oak.
- North School, 10 cords fir and 8 cords oak.
- Central School, 12 cords fir and 8 cords oak.

Oak wood to be good split body or large grub wood, fir to be of the best quality, all cut within the past year and free from rot. To be delivered before August 1, 1903, and to be subject to the inspection and approval of the supply committee.

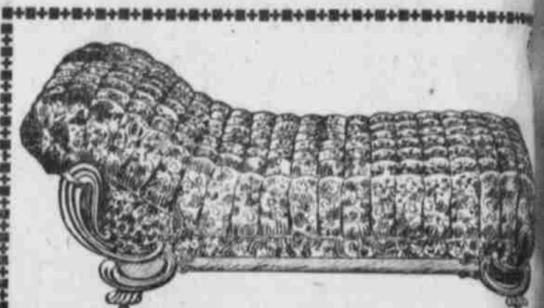
Successful bidders will be required to enter into written contract within five days after contract is awarded and give security for fulfillment of the same. The right to reject all bids is reserved.

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