

SENSE ABOUT DEATH

The gradual advance of thoughtfulness and good sense in all that is connected with death is something to be gratefully noted. Display and ostentation in funerals has long been considered bad taste, and former extravagances in mourning dress have become obsolete. The hideous and unhealthy crepe veil has disappeared from the heads of those high in the world of good taste, and in many other ways common sense, as well as delicacy of feeling have asserted themselves.

As civilization advances mourning customs will be relaxed and reformed until all the oppressive rules which have long burdened life will cease. The question of mourning dress has long occupied the energies of social reformers. Some women of strong moral and mental balance have discarded the whole uniform and paraphernalia of woe. In this country men have almost entirely dropped the fashion of wearing any kind of reminder of their losses by the great destroyer. The world is a more cheerful, a brighter place—because there are fewer figures shrouded in crepe walking around in it.

As to the extravagances and absurdities of popular funeral fashions how slowly the clock of time moves with them. The poor woman, beggared by her husband's death, loads herself down with debt to give the poor relics of mortality an expensive coffin, and a "carriage funeral." The man who never gave his wife a decent gown in all their years of married life, spends his few dollars and borrows more to dress her body for the grave, and carry it to be buried in state. Parents lavish upon the dead what is needed to keep the breath of life in their living children. It will take years—and years again to uproot the customs of centuries, reinforced, as they are, by human love and grief. But the advance has begun. The long line of the race, on its march will follow.

Fashion leads this, this time back, by the teachings of wisdom long heard, but until lately unheeded. It is a good sign when a good movement is taken up by leaders in social life, if they be real leaders.—East-Oregonian.

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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that the said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Southern Rabbis in Nashville.

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 6.—A large number of distinguished rabbis from different parts of the south are in attendance at the convention of the Southern Rabbinical association, which formally opened its session here today. The members and delegates began to arrive here yesterday morning and in the evening an informal meeting was held. The convention will last four days and will be highly interesting. Many distinguished rabbis are present. The officers of the association are Dr. I. Lewinthal, president; Dr. M. P. Jacobson of Shreveport, La., vice-president; Dr. M. Borgman of New Orleans, secretary, and Dr. L. Wolsey of Little Rock, Ark., treasurer. The executive committee is composed of Dr. M. Bernstein of Houston, Tex., Dr. W. Willner, now of Portland, Or., and Dr. E. F. Levy of Selma, Ala. The Jewish congregations of this city have made elaborate preparations for the entertainment of the rabbis and there will be a number of receptions and other social functions in their honor.

Grave Trouble Foreseen.

It needs but little foresight to tell that when your stomach and liver are badly affected grave trouble is ahead, unless you take the proper medicine for your disease, as Mrs. John A. Young of Clay, N. Y., did. She says: "I had neuralgia of the liver and stomach, my heart was weakened, and I could not eat. I was very bad for a long time, but in Electric Bitters I found just what I needed, for they quickly relieved and cured me." Best medicine for weak women. Sold under guarantee by J. C. Perry, Salem, Or.

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Special Meetings.

Beginning Tuesday evening this week, at the Central Congregational church, 19th and Perry streets, Rev. O. F. Clapp will preach each evening.

Our Trade with Russia.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 6.—According to the statistics just issued the trade of the United States with Russia for the fiscal year of 1905 showed a balance in favor of this country amounting to \$5,200,000. The total trade aggregated \$28,800,000, of which the exports from this country amounted to \$17,000,000, and the imports from Russia \$11,800,000. In the previous year the total trade amounted to \$31,000,000, but the falling off is easily accounted for by the disturbed condition of internal affairs in Russia.

The bureau of statistics is of the opinion that these figures do not accurately represent the aggregate trade for the reason that because of the lack of direct steamship lines between American and Russian ports goods shipped from this country and ultimately reaching Russia, and vice versa, are in many cases consigned to various European ports, like Liverpool, Bremen, Hamburg, etc., and thence transhipped to the ports of ultimate destination, or, in the case of American shipments to Russia, placed aboard the railroad cars for overland transportation. This is particularly true of raw cotton, by far the largest item of exportation to Russia from this country. As a matter of fact, the officially recorded imports of American cotton into Russia in the five year

period ended December 31, 1904, are stated in the official reports of the bureau of statistics to have been 266,000,000 pounds, or less than 30 per cent of the direct imports recorded by the Russian customs authorities. Nor can it be said that the Russian figures credit this country with all the cotton shipments originating here. Taking, for example, the Russian figures of cotton imports for the calendar year 1903, the latest period for which imports by countries are available, we find Denmark, Belgium, France, Sweden and Norway, all countries which do not produce cotton, but receive the greater part (about 75 per cent) of their supply from the United States.

An Artistic Pianist.

Mr. Lamberson is an artistic pianist and aroused great enthusiasm by his scholarly playing.—Brockton Mass. Times.

Mr. Lamberson's touch is sure and light, and his jubilant rendition of the Schubert-Tausig "Military March" with its suggestion of waving banners, was his best.—Sioux City aural.

Mr. Lamberson will play at Salem February 27.

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Madison, Wis., Feb. 6.—Several state meetings of the greatest interest to farmers, horticulturists, stock breeders and dairymen will be held here this week. The annual meeting of the State Horticultural society opened here today and will remain in session three days. It will be followed by the annual meetings of the State Agricultural Experiment association, and of other organizations of farmers, breeders and dairymen. There

will also be a general convention of agriculturists under the auspices of the State Board of Agriculture. John M. True, of the state board is in charge of the program.

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