

### The Mission of Woman's Clubs.

The following article which was taken from the Hutchinson (Kas.) Independent, is from the pen of Mrs. Alice West Cole, wife of Rev. E. W. Cole formerly pastor of the Christian church of this city and will be of interest to her many friends in this city:

When the facilities for education were first given to woman they came as the first glimmer of light in the approaching dawn of her day of usefulness to humanity. She could then no more appreciate the fulness of the opportunities which lay before her, than we, who live in the full glow of the light and majesty of the woman's century, can realize what the beauty of the sunset may be.

One thing we know the question of the higher education of woman may be regarded as practically settled and settled in her favor. This we realize means not only opportunity but also responsibility. With the settlement of this question woman was allowed to organize for public work and this she has done with such energy and enthusiasm that more than a year ago there were over one hundred national organizations in the United States with thousands of local clubs and societies comprising millions of members and their influence over the conditions of the various communities in which they existed is beyond computation.

Woman's clubs are among the most important cultural and intellectual movements of the day. Visit the Woman's club of this city and you will be enabled to determine the intellectual atmo-

sphere in which the women of city dwell. A Woman's club which does not have for its sole aim and purpose the self culture and development of its members in order that they may be ennobled and in developing all that is best in humanity about them is unworthy the name of the club and its members are unworthy the title of true women.

It is said that there are some "clubs" whose members say they have "grown beyond the period of self culture" but this can never be true unless the heart and brain have refused to perform their normal functions.

When we observe the many uses to which this culture may be applied it but emphasizes the need for its continuous development. Some one has defined culture as "such an appropriation of knowledge that it becomes a part of ourselves."

Education and culture, then, are by no means co-ordinate terms although we ordinarily expect one to produce the other. A woman may, however, study and read continuously for many months and feel that she has the elements of a good education and still fail to attain the culture which she has so long coveted. It is only as we commingle with those who are interested in similar work and as we express the ideas which we have gained that we make our education a part of ourselves and hence make it culture. No where can this be better accomplished than in a good working club.

Perhaps the most important mission of the Woman's clubs is that of inspiring women for these higher and nobler things. We have heard for centuries that

woman's sphere is in her own home and no greater truth has ever been spoken, but she is untrue to her home, to her family and to herself if she does not develop every power which is hers. The daily round of duties and responsibilities oftentimes removes from her the desire for her highest achievements and no sooner has this been done than she loses her high mission in life. If she can slip away for two or three hours one afternoon each week and come back to her home with energies aroused, sensibilities quickened, and inspirations elevated, she brings into that home the most precious gift which she can bestow. If our woman's clubs can succeed in inspiring a few tired and over burdened mothers, a few neglectful women who have allowed the cobwebs of disuse to gather around their brains, or a few young women who are to determine the education and culture of the future their opportunity will have been grasped and their responsibility fulfilled, otherwise their mission is useless.

#### Startling But True.

People the world over were horrified on learning of the burning of a Chicago theatre in which nearly six hundred people lost their lives, yet more than five times this number over 3,000 people died from pneumonia in Chicago during the same year, with scarcely a passing notice. Every one of these cases of pneumonia resulted from a cold and could have been prevented by the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. A great many who had every reason to fear pneumonia have warded it off by the prompt use of this remedy

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| SOUTH                                       |                         |
| No. 52 Kansas City and St. Louis and Denver | A 3:10 a m              |
| No. 58 Kansas City and St. Louis and Denver | A 1:40 p m              |
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