

MUCH ROOM FOR REFORM

Features of School Management Wide Open for Improvement.

VIEW OF A NOTED EDUCATOR

Appeals for Funds and Donations to Colleges—Schools of Greater New York—Education of the Indians.

President Eliot of Harvard college, delivered an address before the Massachusetts reform club in Boston recently on the subject of public school reform.

Concerning the selecting and appointing of teachers, President Eliot said: "Members of school boards are all subject to improper influences in the selection of teachers."

"There is another evil," he continued. "There is no larger city school system than that I know of that is not subject to the charge that it inflicts the greatest physical injury upon its children through neglect to provide fresh air in adequate quantities, clean water-closets, good plumbing, and adequate heating and ventilation for the rooms."

"Now, what is the cause of reform? The first of these is to make in school management the distinction familiar to all Americans between the legislative and executive departments."

"There are immense possibilities in the education of the Indian. Of course every one recognizes that fact, but after all, little is known of the actual progress the government is making."

"Records show that 76 per cent of the educated Indians make good men and women. I wonder what the records of the white man's college would be."

"The following licenses to wed were issued by Judge Barker yesterday: Name and Residence. Age. Seth A. Waterman, South Omaha, 21. Gertrude A. Clayton, South Omaha, 19."

Advertisement for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, describing its benefits for various ailments like dyspepsia, gout, and rheumatism.

existing debt of the institution, amounting to about \$25,000, is wiped out by July 1, 1900.

When Andrew Carnegie was in Pittsburgh last fall he made slight reference to giving money for additions to the Central library, art galleries, music hall, etc.

Mr. Carnegie has given more than \$7,000,000 for public libraries, etc. Five million dollars of this was for buildings in Allegheny county.

The last report of the New York department of education was made on August 1, 1898, on a basis prepared on that day to cover the operations of the year preceding.

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Miss Estelle Reel of Cheyenne, Wyo., national superintendent of Indian schools, is now inspecting the Indian schools of Kansas and Oklahoma.

While the arguments were along a somewhat similar line to that which was followed in the Dece case, they were much more elaborate and each party presented numerous authorities in support of his position.

The following births and deaths were reported to the health commissioner during the twenty-four hours ending at noon yesterday:

Deaths—Margaret Hartell, 1969 Capitol avenue, 41 years; heart disease; John McCormick, 419 North Nineteenth street, 75 years; Fritz Greenfield, county hospital, 35 years; Baby Norman, 1121 North 24th street, 2 months; Olive M. Hughes, 1567 Nicholas street, 22 years; Ole Olson, 117 North Twenty-first street, 78 years; rheumatism of the heart; Magdalen Olson, 2519 Reaso street, 71 years; old age; Pat McCaffery, 1224 South Twelfth street, 50 years; pneumonia; Ina M. Schultz, 1314 Commercial street, 13 years; suicide; Myrtle Watson, 2222 Clark street, 24 years; spinal meningitis.

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SUPREME COURT SYLLABI

No. 4893. Root against Fiat. Affirmed. Appeal from York county, Sullivan, J.

1. When the owner and holder of a past due negotiable note transfers the same to another person, the obligation is extinguished and the transferee acquires no better title or greater right than the transferor possessed.

2. The evidence examined and held sufficient to sustain the finding of the trial court.

3. Manning against Freeman. Affirmed. Error from Douglas county, Norton, J.

1. Where a case is submitted on an agreed printed abstract the court will not look into the abstract of the pleadings against the printed abstract.

2. The printed abstract must include the points, it is by the agreement of the parties that the court is to be bound by the abstract.

3. Davis against State. Reversed. Error from Douglas county, Harrison, J.

1. It shall be sufficient in any indictment to charge the defendant with the commission of a crime, without alleging the intent of the defendant.

2. In the trial on the charge of uttering forged instruments evidence of similar acts is admissible to show the intent of the defendant.

3. Michler Mutual Life Insurance Company against Richter. Affirmed. Appeal from Douglas county, Harrison, J.

1. Where there is nothing in the special improvement district funds with which the bonds may be redeemed and nothing in the general fund, there are but two ways open, in my opinion. One is to repudiate the bonds, the other is to issue renewal bonds.

2. The latter course will be readily admitted to be preferable.

3. If the council adopts this plan it will first redeem nearly \$4,000 of special improvement bonds, issued a number of years ago to pay the cost of the city's water works.

4. A school district has no authority to purchase a building for a school building, if it has not observed the conditions as prerequisites essential to make a valid contract in its inception.

5. An action to recover on an implied assumpsit is barred at the expiration of four years from the date of the cause of action.

6. A judgment rendered by a court having jurisdiction of the parties and of the subject matter is not subject to collateral attack by a party who was not a party to the judgment.

7. The jurisdiction of a district court is limited to the grounds enumerated in section 260 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

8. A district court has no power to vacate or modify its judgment after the term on which it was rendered has expired.

9. A judgment becomes dormant on which the statute of limitations has expired before the expiration of five years next after its rendition.

10. A railroad company condemned real estate for right-of-way and the land owner failed to pay the amount of the condemnation award within the time specified in the judgment.

11. A resolution will be introduced at one of the future meetings of the Board of Education, probably at next Monday's session, authorizing the employment of a landscape gardener to lay out the high school grounds in an artistic manner.

12. People who have once taken DeWitt's Little Early Bilets will never have anything else. They are the "famous little pills" for torpid liver and all irregularities of the system. Try them and you will always use them.



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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEET

Provisions Made for Keeping West and South Boulevards in Repair.

PROTESTS COME IN FROM LOCAL BANKS

Contention that the Financial Concerns of City Cannot Afford to Pay Legal Interest on Deposits of County.

The transactions of the Board of County Commissioners were limited to a few routine matters as the members were more interested in the injunction suit that was in progress in equity court.

The finance committee reported an approval of the report of the county treasurer for the second half of 1898. The totals are: On hand July 1, 1898, \$281,135.45. Received July 1 to January 1, 1899, 281,135.45.

Total 562,270.90. Disbursed 281,135.45. Balance, January 1, 1899, 281,135.45.

A safety deposit vault in the office of the county treasurer is an article that promises to become a necessity if the law requiring the banks to pay 2 per cent interest on deposits of daily balances is to be enforced.

County Treasurer Heimrod is in a quandary, and this is the only solution that he has been able to figure out. The banks absolutely refuse to pay the legal rate of interest, and as the bonds that they have given as public deposits expired at the beginning of the year, there appears to be no way in which they can be compelled to handle the money unless they want it.

At the last session of the legislature a law was passed by which the rate of interest on deposits of state money was reduced from 3 to 2 per cent. A similar bill was introduced with reference to deposits of county funds, but was defeated. The result is that the banks are compelled to pay 3 per cent on county deposits, while only 2 per cent is exacted on state and municipal balances.

Mr. Heimrod has supposed until recently that the bonds given by the county depositories covered his entire term as treasurer. But it has now been discovered that each bond contains an interlineation which limits its life to 1898, and since January 1 the county has been without a bond from any of the banks in which its money is deposited.

In the meantime the banks have absolutely refused to pay 3 per cent on the daily balances, and no interest whatever is being received.

Mr. Heimrod will bring the matter before the board of county commissioners.

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