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**THE REASONS** that the far West must seek the East for capital to develop its riches, are many, the principal one, because the dollar in the West is scarce and virtually worth only about 66-23 cents in purchasing the manufactures of the East. This is due to transportation charges. The Eastern dollar purchasing its own manufactures, and the Western dollar its own production, referring principally to agriculture; will do relatively the same work. Now, roughly speaking, it is ONE THOUSAND miles from the Atlantic Coast to the Mississippi River, which is considered by every one the centre of the United States; but from the Mississippi River to the Pacific Coast, is TWO THOUSAND miles. Again roughly speaking, 70 per cent, of the population of the United States resides east of the Mississippi River. Therefore we have an area of twice the size of what is really the West, populated by only 30 per cent of the entire population of the United States, and that again includes Indians, who are surely not a great factor in agriculture, mining or such business enterprises. In times gone by the Western people realized that in a community of interest lay their best chance for the development of their rich country. The money being scarce with them, the feeling being strong that whatever project in hand required only a little development to reveal its riches, and with that neighborly feeling that the prosperity of one should be the prosperity of all, arose that method of buying and selling, especially in mining shares from TWO cents per share to ONE dollar per share, but issuing only a few thousand shares. This is what we of the East could not understand; that, the projects which prove themselves to be so rich could not raise upon millions of dollars that were taken out of the earth with the little expenditure of capital, proved the West right, and made very many people rich, and is doing so still. Of course the method brought into vogue countless wild cat concerns that sold their shares on the same basis. However, these concerns sold their shares by the ream, the printing press never ceasing as long as there was a chance to unload a few shares. The West itself suffered from these, more than the East. A big majority of the many pioneers who made their fortunes in the West, starting virtually on the PENNY basis, after doing so, come to the East with their fortunes and spend the money here, but leave the further development of the West to the new comers. If the West could command for the development of its various products, 1-10 of the capital that effects East in its own dominion, it sinks in worthless enterprises every five years, the riches of the United States would be added to at the rate of about \$500,000,000 a year. Few Easterners realize for instance, the vast extent of the State of California; when it is known that an imaginary line starting at New York city and extended to the States of New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, and half way down Florida, would be 850 miles in extent, which is the length of coast line of the State of California, and which gives it a change of climate with a variety of products every hundred miles. The State is one hundred and fifty miles wide. Now imagine this vast domain with its riches awaiting the capital, much as has already been invested there, to develop its potentiality!

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# TEACHERS' CONVENTION.

Address on Child Nature  
by Dr. Parker.

## SUPT. OF EDUCATION

Delivers an Address on the  
"Relation of the Teacher  
to the Community."

Reading of minutes of yesterday's meeting.

Synopsis of address by Col. Parker, on "The Child and Nature." He said in part: The problem of the ages is what is the child and the problem is scarcely answered. He treated of the instincts of a child. A child creates his own world from his surroundings. The love of children for myths. These stories are useful. A child is a born naturalist and loves nature. He related instances of this love which exists in every child. Peter Parley's Geography once taught was humorously described. Scenes of childhood; life on a farm and studies in science, in botany, mineralogy, zoology and others were described.

A school and school house of the olden time, its scholars and its teaching were pictured. The truest and the best and the sweetest in a child is often crushed through ignorance on the side of parent and teacher. Nature can be made to control children. Boys are bad from the fault of environment. All can be brought to higher and nobler things. The studies in science now taught in the Universities should begin in the school. The best school house is out of doors; the farm, the shore, the field and the wood. This is the best preparation for life. He concluded a stirring and practical address by an appeal to teachers to take advantage of child love of nature.

Questions were asked and the address was discussed by Mr. J. D. Seaman Dr. Hall, Dr. Andrews and Mr. J. Landrigan. Dr. Anderson then began an interesting address on "The Teacher in Relation to the Community." He said in opening that if a person is not fully and thoroughly in earnest he cannot succeed. The relations of the teacher and community are twofold. Select carefully the mode in which you will work when taking charge of a school. Those having experience will find their mode on what they have learned from their experience.

A careful preparation is essential for the work of the day. Without this there is no thorough work, discipline is often wanting. Speak from a full and well-ordered mind. The small ones require for teaching them, that the teacher should have the lesson previously prepared.

Lessons should be short and to the point, and let the children do most of it themselves. Difficulties in teaching grammar and text-books on this branch of study, and the best way of teaching geography were discussed. A teacher must not be content with the knowledge he has acquired. He must go onward and acquire further knowledge.

Habits of neatness, how such are conducive to order and discipline and the good behavior of pupils were dwelt upon at some length. The duty of the community to the teacher was afterwards treated briefly. The power of sympathy was illustrated by a story which Dickens related concerning one of his readings. He made some pointed remarks about the salaries of teachers and wondered how the people could justify the small and meagre amount accorded to teachers; wished that the trustees and house-holders of districts would realize their responsibility in this respect and accord the teacher the hire to which he is entitled. A paper by Mr. W. V. Newson then followed "The Training of the Teacher."

A service of time must be given by applicants to the different professions. The teaching profession is one which requires no preparatory work from the teacher and this is particularly the case in P. E. I. compared with the status of the teacher in England, France and Italy and showed how they are regarded in those countries. The loss arising from non-training of teachers was dwelt upon. The ideal instruction is that which is suited to the mental capacity and future work of the child.

This paper was followed by a practical address on education and ways of working in the school-room. Less work and more thorough work was particularly insisted upon.

Convention adjourned until nine o'clock to-morrow (Friday.)

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