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THE CHILD OF THE STATE.

On next Tuesday night, the Hoey-Hardie Company will present Mr. Geo. Hoey's drama entitled "A Child of the State." This troupe is comparatively unknown in the West, having been west of Chicago only once before; but the highly complimentary reports which come to us through our eastern exchanges are sufficiently proof that the company is first-class in every respect, and it will undoubtedly draw a good house in Iowa City. The scene is laid at the Hague in Holland in the latter part of the seventeenth century, and the story is well told in five acts, abounding in sensational episodes, and steadily increasing in interest from the beginning to the end of the play. Those fond of impassioned acting, splendid costumes, and fine scenery, should not fail to visit the Opera House next Tuesday evening.

Mosses, W. G. Ray, of Grinnell College, and H. S. Phillips, of Oskaloosa College, visited the University last week. They are members of the committee appointed by the State Oratorial Association to publish the best orations of the State and Inter-State Contests. At a meeting of the committee last Saturday, the contract was let to the Republican Company. The pamphlet will contain the best two orations of each Inter-State and each Iowa State Contest, besides, a history of the organization of the association, making an 8vo volume of about one hundred pages. This will be an interesting and valuable record for those who wish to keep posted in the affairs of the association. It will be ready for distribution about the 15th of February, and will be sold at forty cents a volume. Orders may be sent to S. Howard, Iowa City, or W. G. Ray, Grinnell. The money must accompany the order.

We clip the following from the Iowa Central College "Journal":

Miss Josephine V. Williams, of Iowa City, is a candidate for the position of Secretary of the Post-Graduating Clerk of the Iowa House of Representatives. Miss W. was a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of schools in Johnson county this fall, on the Republican ticket. She is at present a teacher in the Iowa City public schools. She is very highly esteemed by friends and acquaintances in the community, and, in every way deserving of the office to which she aspires. We bespeak for her candidacy the favorable consideration of Republican representatives.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Bacon A. Phibbs, Esq.,

They forced themselves against the door, a fearful column of thick clouds They would go home again no more. Until that color was well. The tale was this, two weeks ago. The close was called if they would know. The colors of the bright rainbow. They must be present in a row. The ladies at the head, you know. But boys came first with voices loud. And to the front began to crowd. The ladies timidly bowed. And to go home together vowed. The boys their redness to express. To Dr. Hobdy told this tale. That all the ladies did refuse. To tell their ages; and this false news, that they publicly unseated one day. And gave the ladies quite away.

The printer last week made us say philosophy where it should not been philosophy.

That all things are created for a good and great purpose, was forcibly impressed upon the class a few days ago, when Prof. Peck brought into the lecture room several odiums, with which to illustrate a point in aneurnics.

Dr. S. B. Watson, class '78, was carried a short time ago to Miss Ada Ransome, of London. The marriage took place at the residence of James Wood, Mr. Kisco, according to Friends ceremony. Dr. Watson traveled last year in England and on the continent, and pursued medical studies for several months in London.

Society seems so short-sighted that it judges a whole class by the actions and appearances of a few of its members. It overlooks a great many cultured ladies and gentlemen and fixes its eye upon some uncouth fellow, who is a disgrace to himself and the institution, and from him its conclusions are drawn. It is on this ground only that we can account for the great difference in public opinion, between medical students and medical practitioners. A medical class is looked upon by some good citizens as almost unworthy of toleration. It seems to be the incarceration of all that is ignorant, vulgar, brutal—short, no epithe too vile to be buried at a medical, while the practicing physician stands at the head of society and is almost invariably recognized as a man of culture. The metamorphosis by which the medics develops into the physician is such a mysterious one that few minds are able to comprehend it; hence this inconsistency.

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BRITISH ELOQUENCE.

It has somewhere been remarked by a noted American essayist, that it would be no disparagement to an educated man, if it should be said of him that he had never read the works of the greatest parliamentary orators of Great Britain, with the exception of those of Edmund Burke. The same author might also have observed, with equal propriety, that an educated man would be none the less entitled to lay claim to that distinction, were he even compelled to plead ignorance of the works of the Elizabethan dramatists, the personal characteristics of which are so vividly portrayed in the plays of William Shakespeare. Yet, certainly, no one, on that account, will be ready to underestimate the value of Charles Lamb's admirable edition of Marlowe, Webster and Jonson, by which modern literature has been so greatly stimulated and enriched, nor to view with indifference the equally unsurpassed labors of Prof. Goodrich, whose carefully annotated edition of British Eloquence is unquestionably the best manual of oratory in existence. Indeed, for one who has any desire whatever to become intimately acquainted with the methods of the English government, and the growth of constitutional liberty, with which it has so long been identified, but also with the art of persuasion and the compass of human eloquence, the possession of this volume is almost indispensable. The number of sections which it contains, although sufficiently comprehensive to serve the purpose of a connected history of parliamentary triumphs and defeats, is, nevertheless, so limited as not to render the work needlessly prolix. Nor have any pains been spared by its author to provide the student with whatever information may be considered as necessary, in order to understand the nature of each speech itself, together with that of the occasion which called it forth. The personal characteristics of an orator: his peculiar excellencies and defects of style; the history of his career in parliament; the circumstances attendant upon the delivery of his most telling appeals; and, even the effect of an apt quotation from the classics, are so described as to enable one thoroughly to comprehend the man and the subject with which he deals.

We may enter Westminster Hall just on the eve of the nation's last dissolution, and observe the oratory of Charles 1, and there listen to the masterly defence of Strafford, as he vainly seeks to extinguish his guilt at the bar of the House of Lords. We may linger and witness the fierce contest which the colleagues of Bolingbroke are waging against Walpole, and the unrolling dexterity of the latter has so long sustained him successfully to stand the test; we may even yield our minds to the spell of the great Chatham, as he denounces the oppressive measures of Lord Rockingham, or—alluding to the terror with which his presence never failed to inspire the House of Commons—boldly asserts his likeness to—

"Whom, when the Grecian chiefs and Agamemnon's host Beheld, with shining arms, Part turned their backs in flight, as when they sought Their ships. * * * Part raised. A fearful outcry; but the sound commenced, Died on their grasping lips."

The period most memorable in the history of British Eloquence, however, and concerning which the student will find it necessary to consult this work of Prof. Goodrich most frequently, was not fully ushered in till William Pitt, in response to loud cheers from the House of Commons, rose in defence of Mr. Burke's bill on economical reform. Fox had already won for himself the enviable distinction of a great debater, while the auditors of Burke had begun to tire of hearing him, when Pitt thus stepped forward into the first rank of his contemporaries. Oratory immediately received an impetus, the effect of which was soon to be made manifest in a series of speeches, the ablest in our tongue. Fox exposed the injustice of the Westminster Scrutiny and inveighed against the rejection of Bompard's overtures for peace, in two of his most celebrated contributions to the literature of condensed and powerful argument. Pitt pleaded the cause of the risks in terms so eloquent as to extend expressions of admiration even from his enemies; while Burke again bowed to personal characteristics of an orator: his peculiar excellencies and defects of style; the history of his career in parliament; the circumstances attendant upon the delivery of his most telling appeals; and, even the effect of an apt quotation from the classics, are so described as to enable one thoroughly to comprehend the man and the subject with which he deals.

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you shake hands more than five times.

Recite well and often, and prove rules: 1st. Make yourself very agreeable generally, but don't shake hands more than five times with the same person in one day, as it might arouse suspicion. 2d. Recite well and often, and prove yourself a "leading man." 3d. Pass all notes and sign all petitions handed you, but don't bother the Professor with "hard and learned"

questions. Follow these rules until you are elected; but, N.B., if you see that you are not likely to "get there," then absent yourself from election, but send your "next friend" to withdraw your name, "thank the class for the honor," etc., and retire to the shade of a more law student.

Voter.

As comment on the above contributed advice, ye editor has but little to say. We did not know and don't believe that the class of '82 contains any indolent students; but, if so, our advice for next term would be, for all to thoroughly understand each lesson, and then ways that are dark and tricks that are vain will not be necessary. In regard to election, of course, this column is independent, but is open to all announcements that the "many friends" of any candidate may wish to make.—Error.

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