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Oratory

The current notion that oratory is a thing of the past was belied by the enthusiastic interest aroused by the Interstate Oratorical Contest held at the Coliseum last week. If our reader is of that cynical class which believes the higher education to have run to foot-ball and manual training, he should have heard the demonstration that shook the town when the judges sent up their decision. It showed that while oratory is as old as the world, it is as young as ever.

Genuine eloquence is the soul finding expression through words and gestures. It is a combination of talents as rare as it is wonderful. Before books and newspapers, the Sunday sermon, the lecture platform, the public school and the legislative forum, oratory was almost the sole means of public influence. With the advent of this, it has become relatively less important. But it is still necessary and it is far more widespread than one would at first imagine. The church, the Chautauqua, law, salesmanship, the school: these still offer prizes to those with the gift of persuasive speech. A decay in oratory

would mean a serious loss to education because it would imply its failure to develop many of the more essential talents. Here is the hope that Earham will produce the next Interstate winner. It ought to. It has the right stuff in it.

The Cure for Suicide

Within a recent period, two of the most successful business men in the country have committed suicide. This adds to an ever growing list of those who have been strikingly successful from the world's point of view, yet have found life impossible. The top rung of the ladder, it would seem, is as intolerable as the bottom.

It is conservatively estimated that 15,000 chose the same route in 1913 and that the suicide rate, especially in the larger cities, steadily increases. By a sarcastic coincidence, the flourishing and much-be-advertised cities of the Pacific Coast are the leaders in this melancholy business.

Those who presage disaster here on the strength of a parallel with decadent Rome find in this increasing suicide rate a support for their contention. They point out that self-murder almost became the fashion during the last period before the crash that triturated the pride of Caesar and declare that our present day overcivilization is breeding the same insufferable world weariness.

However that may be, it is certain that suicide today may be stopped only by that which stopped it in Rome—Christianity. After the fever of paganism has run its course and we have discovered the worthlessness of much of that for which we now risk everything, we will turn toward a simplification and deepening of life. We will demand that the soul find its poise through establishing inner connections with the Eternal. It is only such a soul that possesses the resources which put to shame the lust of the flesh and the pride of life.

ECONOMY

Nathan Edwards, who is seriously ill, surprised Sunday afternoon by a musical treat given by the Neff quartet of Greensfork.

Harry Cain and family spent Sunday with John Bowman and family. William Osborn and wife of Indianapolis, are here visiting relatives and friends.

Oliver Wilson of Richmond is visiting his daughter Mrs. Thomas Cain. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morrison spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Cain celebrated their fifty-fourth wedding anniversary Saturday.

Among those who visited at the home of the Edwards brothers Sunday were Rufus Williams and wife, Mrs. Neff and daughters, Flossie and Louise and son Shannon; Miss Mary Brooks, Miss Nellie Doyle and Miss Mary Reagan.

Visit at Germantown.

Dan Murphy is off duty at the depot for a vacation of two weeks.

Adeline Williams and Mrs. Alvin Osborne of Centerville spent the week with Nan Cook.

Riley Salsbury and wife spent Sunday with Frank Gibson and family.

Joe Lamb and family visited his mother, Mrs. Miranda Lamb, Sunday. The farm belonging to Mrs. Laura Fleming, three miles west of her will be sold at public sale Friday, May 26. Mrs. Fleming will remove to Hagers-town.

John Conley of Richmond visited William Northcutt and family Sunday.

Go to Richmond.

Link Morrison and brother were in Richmond Saturday.

Mother's day was observed at the M. E. church Sunday, having been postponed on account of the quarterly meeting.

There was no preaching at the U. B. church Sunday.

Nothing can be done at once hastily and prudently.—Publius Syrus.

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Committees Complete Details for Annual May Festival Next Friday

Everything is being made in readiness for May Festival which will be held in the coliseum on Friday and Saturday, afternoon and night, of this week. The festival is under the supervision of Professor Sloane of the city schools.

The high school orchestra which plays Saturday afternoon will practise at the coliseum this week. The high school chorus will also sing their number there as will the chorus and orchestra from Garfield. On Friday afternoon the soloists will arrive and they will sing with the chorus Haydn's "Creation."

The classes in physical culture are daily rehearsing their exhibition under the direction of Robert Nohr, physical instructor at the high school. The school orchestra will accompany them.

The festival is being given under the auspices of the Richmond Music association, and the proceeds derived from it will go into a fund to assist deserving high school graduates in going through college. Tickets have

FOUNTAIN CITY

Ed Price of Richmond was here Saturday.

Mrs. Morris Clark, who was called to Ansonia by the illness of her father, returned Saturday.

George Hartley, who has been engaged in lecture work in South Carolina the past winter, has returned to his home.

Mrs. Lucy Bogue and Miss Charlotte Durfee have returned from several months' visit with friends at Orange City, Fla. They report about the nicest winter they have had in the southland.

Mrs. Richard Wooters, who for seven weeks has been bedfast with a broken ankle, is improved and is able to sit up.

Mrs. J. C. Fulghum brought her little grandson, Donald Faber, with her when she returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Faber.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Cox, have returned from a two weeks' vacation. They visited at Amboy and other places.

Mr. Tracy Clark has been on a fishing trip at the Willows and Happy Happy for several days.

D. W. Boyer and family entertained Charles Beatty and family of Eldorado, O.

Harry Wooters of Columbus, O., visited relatives here last week.

Fountain City Lodge of Masons is planning to entertain a number of visitors Thursday, June 4. Work will begin at 3 p. m., when four candidates will be raised to the degree of Master Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Woolley and daughter, Ecco, of Williamsburg spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Coggshall and wife.

Walter Strong and family had as

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and Mr. and Mrs. Beetley of Lynn, Ind.

Lester Harrison spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Fountain City. Mr. Brittenham has resigned his position as town marshall to enter the employ of G. A. Dwiggin, Garrett Wetzel, who held the position some time ago, will have the place again.

Child Cross? Feverish? Sick?

A cross, peevish, listless child, with coated tongue, pale, doesn't sleep; eats sometimes very little, then again ravenously; in stomach sour; breath pained; mind teeth while asleep, and starts up with terror—all signs of a Worm Killer—something that expels worms, and almost every child has them. Kickapoo Worm Killer is needed, then.

The committee in charge of the event follow:

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KICKED BY HORSE

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