

Enlightened or savage human nature is much the same. Men rise to meet emergencies. That the poor and ignorant of almost every land and clime swell the number of our valuable citizens, should encourage us to extend the experiment of freedom and citizenship.

But a few years ago, "Abolitionist" was a term of bitter reproach. Now, every man in the country whose opinions are worth notice is an "Abolitionist."

"A little leaven leaveneth the whole lump."

The only hope for the Indian is in the interest and compassion of a few true men, who, like the handful of "Abolitionists" of thirty years ago, have pluck and strength to fight, against any odds, an apparently ever losing battle. These in turn must rely upon the great, brave, honest human heart of the American people. To that I and they must appeal! to the press; to the pulpit; to every voter in the land; to every lover of humanity. Arouse to this grand work. No slave now treads the soil of this noble land. Force your representatives to release the Indian from an official bondage more remorseless, more hideous than slavery itself. Deliver him from his pretended friends, and lift him into fellowship with the citizens of our loved and glorious country.

THE END.