

EDUCATIONAL COLUMN.

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A Few Words.

To the Teachers and Friends of Education, we doff our beaver!

The proprietors of the DEMOCRAT have wisely concluded to establish an Educational Column, and have requested us to take control of the same. It is with no little diffidence we have consented to such a step, but with the co-operation of the teachers and friends of education in our county, we hope to make it a success.

Every teacher has views and experiences that may be of interest and profit to others. Let us have these views. Let us disseminate the seeds of mental and moral culture among the youth of our land, that our country may go on to a glorious future and posterity delight to bless our name.

But believing that "brevity is the soul of wit" we make our prettiest bow and drop the curtain.

J. B. O'NEAL, HOLLOWAY.

From a private letter from Prof. W. S. Morrison, Secretary of the Teachers' Convention of Spartanburg county, we take the following extract as a bit of encouragement to those who are interested in this work in Orangeburg: "For the first four or five years our convention was up-hill work. The people seemed afraid of it. They seemed to think the teachers were organizing to strike for higher wages. An impression prevailed that the Convention was a sister of the school system—an offspring of our Radical State government—so called. For several years we found trouble in getting places. Four years since we out-lived these prejudices. The people now understand and appreciate us. Seven communities in different sections of the county have asked for the next meeting of our Convention."

So, it is not our intention here "to strike for higher wages." We purpose working for the good of the people and an elevation of our profession. The "Old Iron County" is entitled to the highest praise. She is one of the first and best organized counties in the State.

In this place we return thanks for an invitation to be present at the summer meeting of the Spartanburg Convention. If circumstances are favorable we will be on-hand.

Nothing so exhilarates the weary plodder of the soil, as a meeting with some of his brother farmers and a report from them of the condition of their crops—their successes and reverses. So, the careworn pedagogic delights to commune with his "brethren in the cause," by sipping encouragement from a recital of their "trials and tribulations." We like to know how others manage.

There are many teachers who believe things they can not prove, and many more who attempt to prove what they do not believe. If every teacher were required to teach only what he knows and know all he teaches, there would be a better state of things in the country. The country would then get rid of a few fools and fanatics.

Kentucky has 90,000 voters—one-third of her electors—who cannot read the ballot they cast. What a sad commentary on the educational status of the old "Blue Grass" State. How can a government be pure and virtuous when their voters are ignorant and godless?

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