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Educational

Right Education. Every son, whatever may be his expectations as to fortune, ought to be so educated that he can superintend some part of the complicated machinery of social life...

There are 217 counties in the United States in which 20 per cent. and more of the native white men of voting age are unable to read. There are 212 of these counties in the South.

The South contains 64 per cent of the total native white illiterate population of the United States over ten years of age.

The native white population of the South over ten years old is only 24 per cent. of the native white population of the country over ten years old. Yet the South has 67 per cent. of the native white illiterate population!

Forty-two North Carolina towns and rural districts were granted special graded school charters by the Legislature of 1903. These charters confer the privilege, after a vote of approval by the people, of levying and collecting a special school tax.

A Sad Story. A special dispatch to the Knoxville Journal and Tribune from Chuckey City, East Tennessee, contains this significant paragraph: "The exodus from this section of the country to the West continues. Within the last few days twenty persons went from this station alone. Some estimate that for some time hence the average will be fifty each week. But this seems entirely too large. However, many of the best people are going. They claim they cannot educate their children here, that they cannot hope for anything more than a mere living, and if they can give their children neither education nor property as an inheritance they are therefore doing them an injustice. To keep from doing that injustice they must move out West or to some other favored section of the country than the South."

The growing of ignorant and unprogressive men over the cost of educating the children of the State is not only inhumane but indecent. Superintendent Britain, of the World's Work, says: "It is a significant and deplorable fact that the court house and jail of the average county represent, as a rule, the investments of more money than all its school houses combined—that is, we commonly spend more to convict and house a criminal than to train him so that he will become a useful citizen; although instances could be multiplied showing that it costs more to convict a family—as, for instance, that of the notorious Jukes, in the State of New York—than to educate a whole township."

That cogent statement will apply to at least 75 per cent of the counties in the State of Georgia. Look at it—understand what it means—then go and look at your court house, your jail, your bonded debt for both, your county's criminal expense account, leaving out its cost for civil litigation, and then, if you are a Georgian to the manner born, think what all this expense for crime means as compared with the cost of educating the people of the future out of criminal temptations and into honest, useful ambitions.

Is a court and jail protected barn full of field products worth more to any citizen of Georgia than children educated to efficiency in self-support and self-protection against the wiles of temptation and trickery? If not, then every good man and woman in Georgia should get enthusiastically busy in demanding, and having at any cost, a system of common schools in the State that will equip every Georgia boy and girl with a sound primary education.—Atlanta Constitution.

RYDALES TONIC. A New Scientific Discovery for the BLOOD and NERVES. It purifies the blood by eliminating the waste matter and other impurities and by destroying the germs or microbes that infect the blood. It builds up the blood by reconstructing and multiplying the red corpuscles, making the blood rich and red. It restores and stimulates the nerves, causing a full free flow of nerve force throughout the entire nerve system. It speeds up curving nerves, nervousness, nervous prostration, and all other diseases of the nervous system. RYDALES TONIC is sold under a positive guarantee.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought. The 12-year-old boy at Tulsa, Indian Territory, who brained his stepfather with an axe, will probably be convicted of "steppatricide."

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought. The size of the family Bible doesn't always indicate the amount of religion there is in the family. THE COURIER and the Atlanta Constitution and the Home and Farm one year for the sum of \$2.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought. CAPURINE CURES ALL HEADACHES. J. H. DARBY, WALHALLA, S. C. SENECA PHARMACY, SENECA, S. C.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought. The Keowee Courier, WALHALLA, S. C.

Day and night, sunshine and shadow... The woman who suffers from ill-health... Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and Nerve Tonic.

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"Well, to-day is the twentieth of the month. From seven till eight I asked that the Lord would help me. He did so, an' I put down a dot on the calendar right near the twenty. From eight till nine he kept me, an' I put down another dot. From nine to ten he kept me, an' noo I gie him the glory as I put down the third dot. Just as I mark these I pray, 'O Lord, help me; help me to fight it off for another hour.'"

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Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and Nerve Tonic. There is nothing more necessary to health than sleep and rest. If these are denied you, if you rise in the morning more tired than when you went to bed, there is an affection of the nerves plainly present. If your heart is weak, it is an inherited tendency in that direction, your weakened nerves will soon affect your heart's action as to bring on serious, chronic trouble. Dr. Miles' Nerve Tonic, which quiets the nerves, so that sleep may come, and it quickly restores the weakened nerves to health and strength. Dr. Miles' Heart Cure is a great blood and heart tonic which regulates the action of the heart, enriches the blood, and improves the circulation.

Some time ago I was suffering severely with heart trouble. At times my heart would seem to stop beating and at others it would beat loudly and very fast. Three or four times a day I would feel as if I were going to faint. I could get no rest. I tried Dr. Miles' Nerve Tonic and Heart Cure at a drug store in Lawrence, Kansas, after spending \$2000 in medicine. In three days I had derived more benefit from my use of Dr. Miles' Nerve Tonic and Heart Cure than I had from all the other doctors and their medicines. I think every body ought to know of the marvelous remedy. Send for the medicine. W. H. LUGGINS, Fox Creek, Ky.

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A special to the New York World from Grand Rapids, Mich., says: Robert Stuart Baker, who inherited half of a \$250,000 estate left by his grandfather, who was a pioneer lumberman, wrote about four hundred burning letters to Miss Henrietta Adams, and a Kent circuit jury has decided that he shall pay for them at the rate of \$75 each, making \$30,000.

Miss Adams is the pretty daughter of a substantial merchant of Cassville, a little town up in Haron county. She was sent to Olivet college and there became acquainted with Baker, who also was a student there. They became college lovers, and later they entered upon a rapid fire amatory correspondence.

After he began to earn his living in a lumber camp in Minnesota and she became a school teacher, the correspondence became even warmer, reaching somewhat of a climax in the spring of 1902, when the subject of marriage was taken up directly and repeatedly. Their correspondence continued without cessation, however, until the latter part of October, 1902, when it suddenly stopped.

In January Miss Adams received cards formally announcing the marriage of Baker to a Miss Boone of New York. The suit for breach of promise was begun about a month later, with damages placed at \$50,000.

Men and Women. who are in need of the best medical treatment should not fail to consult Dr. Hathaway. He is a specialist in all the leading and most successful methods of treatment. He has the longest established and the most successful office in the city. He is located at 71 Inman Building, 221 S. Broad Street, Atlanta, Georgia.

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Notice of Registration. THE Registration Books will be open at the office of the Registrar, in the Court House, in the City of Columbia, South Carolina, on October 21st, 1903, to January 1st, 1904, for the municipal election to be held January 13th, 1904. Bring your county registration certificate, and pay the fee of \$1.00. S. N. PITCHEFORD, Registrar of Registration, October 14, 1903.

Money to Lend. LOANS negotiated on mortgage of real estate at 1 per cent in sums of \$1,000 and over, and 5 per cent on less than \$1,000. Borrower to pay for papers, but no commissions charged. No loss less than \$300. Loans made on one-third value of improved farms. JAYNES & SHELOR, Walhalla, S. C. October 1, 1903.

Notice to Trespassers. NOTICE is hereby given to all persons not to trespass on any of our lands in any direction, lying and being, hunting, fishing, digging roots, cutting timber, setting out fire, hauling pine, or trespassing in any manner. Parties trespassing entering said lands after publication of this notice will be dealt with to the full extent of the law. W. A. BOWEN, Ernest P. Cochran, W. H. Phillips, L. O. Phillips, Henry Walker, Miss Alice Phillips, (Mrs.) Grace G. Cochran, 42-45 October 21, 1903.

MASTER'S SALE. The State of South Carolina, County of Oconee, In Court of Common Pleas, Bank of Walhalla, a Corporation Existing under the Laws of South Carolina, Plaintiff, against Otto H. Schumacher, Defendant.—(Judgment for Foreclosure.)

PURSUANT to an order of the aforesaid Court, signed by His Honor James A. Ditch on July 11, 1903, I will offer for sale, in front of the Court House, in Walhalla, S. C., on Saturday, December 19, 1903, between the legal hours of sale, the property below described:

All that certain piece, parcel or lot of land, lying and being in the town and town of Walhalla, of the County of Oconee, of the State of South Carolina, on the east side of Spring street, adjoining lots formerly owned by John Rose and J. P. Smeitzer, now the property of T. E. Smeitzer, and containing one acre, more or less, and being the same tract conveyed to Oscar Harris by W. D. Hall.

Terms of Sale: Cash. That in the event of failure of the purchaser to comply with the terms of sale within one hour, the master do resell the premises, and the same shall be placed on the same terms as heretofore set out, at the risk of former purchaser or purchasers, and that he do continue to sell until he has found a purchaser or purchasers who comply with the terms of sale. Purchaser to pay extra for papers. W. O. WHITE, Master for Oconee County, S. C. November 11, 1903.

MASTER'S SALES. STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF OCONEE, In Court of Common Pleas, BY virtue of Deceitful Orders in the County of Oconee, signed by His Honor Chas. G. Dantzer, Presiding Judge, I will sell, AT PUBLIC AUCTION, in front of the Court House door, in Walhalla, South Carolina, on Saturday, December 19, 1903, between the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate:

In the case of Mrs. L. C. Tribble, Plaintiff, against Oscar Harris, Defendant. All that piece, parcel or tract of land, lying and being in the County of Oconee, State of South Carolina, and being the same tract conveyed to Oscar Harris by W. D. Hall.

Terms of Sale: One-half cash on day of sale and balance in one annual installment, credit to be given on the day of sale and to be secured by a bond of the purchaser or purchasers and a mortgage of the premises, with leave to the purchaser to anticipate payment. Purchaser to pay extra for papers. W. O. WHITE, Master for Oconee County, S. C. November 11, 1903.

In the case of James H. Adams, Plaintiff, against E. T. Moore and Rhody Jane Moore, Defendants. All of those three pieces or parcels of land, situated in Oconee county, State of South Carolina: Tract No. 1, containing fifty acres, more or less, being the same tract conveyed to E. T. Moore by John S. Sloan on the 6th day of February, 1878, adjoining lands of C. Jones, S. F. K. Cowan, John S. Sloan and E. T. Moore.

Tract No. 2, containing eighty-three acres, more or less, being the same tract conveyed to E. T. Moore by John S. Sloan on the 6th day of February, 1878, adjoining lands of C. Jones, S. F. K. Cowan, John S. Sloan and E. T. Moore.

Tract No. 3, containing one hundred and one-half acres, more or less, adjoining lands of S. K. Cowan and E. T. Moore by the same conveyance to E. T. Moore by S. F. K. Cowan.

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Summons for Relief. STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF OCONEE, In the Court of Common Pleas, Maggie Brown, Plaintiff, Thomas Bleckley, Arie Bleckley, Jasper Bleckley, Sam Bleckley, Joe Bleckley, Frank Bleckley, Gustav Bleckley, Ella Houck and John Nettle, Defendants, vs. Summons for Relief.—(Complaint not served.)

YOU are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for the said county, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the undersigned, at his office, at Spartanburg, S. C., within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

The immigration convention held in Columbia on the 10th inst., was well attended, some 75 or 100 representatives from different sections of the State being present. A marked degree of earnestness was shown in the convention, and it is believed that the movement that was launched will be followed up until practical results are obtained.

Organization was effected by the election of the following officers: President, A. J. Matheson, of Bennettsville; Secretary, E. J. Watson, of Columbia. Vice presidents from the Congressional districts in the order named: J. E. Tindal of Clarendon, T. S. Williams of Aiken, Fred G. Brown of Anderson, J. T. Douglas of Union, Leroy Springs of Lancaster, Dr. J. H. David of Dillon, F. H. Hyatt of Columbia.

The action of the convention is contained in the following resolutions, which were adopted, after having been prepared by a committee appointed for that purpose: Resolved, That this convention recommend the establishment by the State of a department of immigration which shall have charge of all matters pertaining to securing immigrants and placing them throughout the State.

Resolved 2. That it is the duty of the General Assembly of this State to make ample provision for and give liberal support to said department of immigration.

Resolved 3. That in furtherance of the objects of this movement we urge the appointment of a special agent of the State to properly present the resources and inducements we have to offer to immigrants to be stationed at St. Louis and remain there during the whole term of the exposition.

Resolved 4. That in order further to accomplish the purpose for which we are assembled a committee be elected, to be designated as the "South Carolina Immigration Executive Committee," consisting of one from each county and each commercial body, of which the president of this convention shall be chairman, and have power to appoint sub-committees:

First: To prepare a constitution for the Immigration Association and each county association. Second: To prepare in suitable form all information relative to the resources, etc., of the State.

Third: To elect a general agent upon whom shall devolve all the duties appertaining to an immigration agent.

Fourth: To devise a plan by which to raise the funds necessary to defray the expenses necessarily incurred.

Fifth: To prepare and submit to the General Assembly such legislation as may be proper to carry into effect the purposes of the convention.

Resolved 5. That in order to get the work launched at once this convention calls upon the different counties, municipalities and commercial and agricultural organizations in the State to send subscriptions to the committee, thus enabling said committee to meet the expenses of the inauguration of the movement and of the preparation of such advertising matter as may be necessary.

The delegations present suggested the names of the members of the general committee and the President, Mr. Matheson, was authorized to select representative and interested members in the counties not represented yesterday. The following compose the committee: A. J. Matheson, Marlboro, chairman; C. C. Langston, Anderson; E. S. Addison, Greenwood; T. H. Rainford, Edgefield; Sanator J. T. Douglas, Union county; Mayor Macbeth Young, Union; E. J. Watson, Columbia; John Scott, Newberry; J. E. Tindal, Clarendon; J. C. Hemphill and — Hastie, Charleston; R. M. McCowan, Florence; Bright Williamson, Darlington; Dr. J. H. David, Dillon; A. B. Watson, Saluda county; J. Wm. Mitchell, Batesburg; Knox Livingston, Marlboro; J. Y. Garlington, Laurens, who is president of the Chamber of Commerce and had sent a telegram of encouragement; W. B. Moore, Yorkville; Pat. Matthew, Georgetown; T. H. Ketchin, Fairfield; E. W. Dabbs, Sumter. These men are well known in South Carolina and their enthusiasm will carry the movement to success.

This committee is to meet at the call of the chairman. The convention was held in response to a call issued by A. J. Matheson of Marlboro county. Mr. Matheson, like other farmers of the State, has felt the need of a better class of labor in the State, and has been giving the subject of immigration considerable investigation and study. He is of the opinion that a thrifty class of Scotch and Scotch-Irish immigrants can be secured for this State, and it is likely that as a result of this convention some efforts will be made along this line.

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What is CASTORIA? Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Ayer. The Kind You Have Always Bought. In Use For Over 30 Years.

The Prices of Fertilizers. Laurens, November 12.—A large and most enthusiastic meeting of representative farmers was held in the court house to-day in answer to a call issued a week ago for the purpose of considering the advance in the price of fertilizers. Ex-Senator Fuller presided and Jared D. Sullivan acted as secretary.

After reading the call and after extended remarks by the chairman, urging the necessity for some action, the following resolutions were introduced and after being spoken to with much interest by Senator Goodwin, Representatives Nichols, Cooper and Irby, Jared D. Sullivan, Judge Thompson and Maj. M. H. Ferguson, were unanimously passed:

Resolved, That a committee be raised to be composed of one member from each township to be named by the chairman of this meeting, which said committee shall be charged with the duty of making inquiry upon the following points: 1. Will there be an advance in the price of commercial fertilizers for the season of 1903-1904? If so, the extent of such increase and upon what grounds do these companies justify such increase?

2. If your committee find that the price of these goods are to be raised and they are unable to find a sufficient reason or cause for such advance, then to suggest what action, if any, should be taken by the farmers. 3. That this committee be instructed to report their findings to an adjourned meeting to be held on the 20th day of November, 1903.

4. Pending further action and until further advised, it is earnestly recommended that every farmer in Laurens county use every effort, by reducing acreage and in every other way practicable, to curtail the use of commercial fertilizers. 5. That the farmers of all sections of the State are respectfully and earnestly asked to co-operate with us in this matter, and that State and county papers are requested to publish these proceedings.

The following was also adopted: Resolved, That any action that may be taken by this meeting upon the fertilizer question is not intended nor must not be construed as an effort to encourage or justify any party in failing or refusing to meet his bona fide obligations incurred for fertilizers during the year. But that such obligations are held to be sacred and binding and should be honestly met.

The following representative farmers were appointed under the resolutions as a committee: Hon. A. F. Goodwin, Hon. R. W. Nichols, J. Anderson, G. C. Hopkins, W. B. Fuller, G. W. L. Feague, H. Y. Simmons, W. P. Harris and Jared D. Sullivan.

The meeting was composed of representative men, and there was evinced a strong determination to make this fight, if necessary, to the bitter end.

A FACT ABOUT THE "BLUES" What is known as the "Blues" is seldom occasioned by actual existing external conditions, but in the great majority of cases by a disordered LIVER. THIS IS A FACT which may be demonstrated by trying a course of

Tutt's Pills They control and regulate the LIVER. They bring hope and buoyancy to the mind. They bring health and elasticity to the body. TAKE NO SUBSTITUTE. Left Liberia in Disguise.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR Cures Colds Prevents Pneumonia. THE KEOWEE COURIER, WALHALLA, S. C.

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