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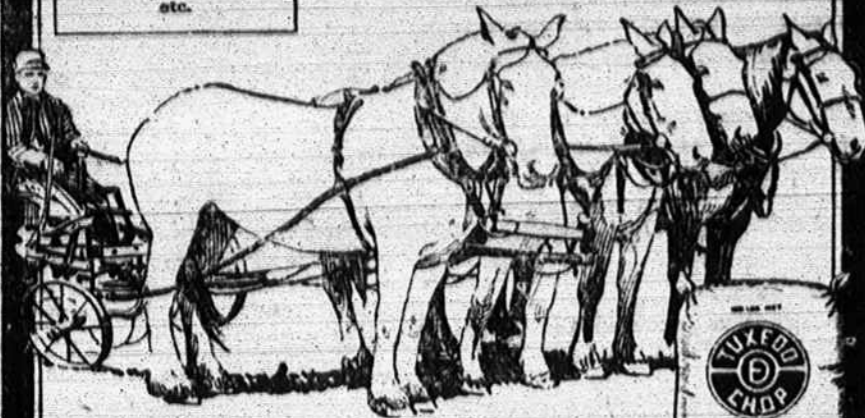
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COMPETITIVE PRIZES.

To Be Awarded Schools Throughout Counties of the State.

The State Department of Education has announced the following prizes to be competed for by the rural schools of South Carolina:

I. Building Prize.—Twenty-five prizes of forty dollars each will be awarded to individual schools making the greatest improvement during the time between March 1st, 1923, and March 1st, 1924. Each school competing for this prize must file its application along with the official Prize Application Blank. The School Improvement Association Application Blank must be signed by a representative of the local Association, by a member of the local Board of Trustees, by the County Organizer, and approved by the County Superintendent of Education. Photographs of the old building and the new building are helpful to the committee in determining prize winning schools. Incorporated towns with a population of 500, ac-

ording to the census of 1920, are not eligible to compete.

II. Money Prize.—One prize of ten dollars to the local Association in each county raising from outside sources and depositing with the County Treasurer the largest amount of money. This money is to be used solely for School Improvement Association purposes, with the consent of a majority of the members of the Association, and with the approval of the Trustees.

One major prize of twenty-five dollars is offered to the Association raising the largest amount of money in the State under the above conditions.

III. Meeting Prize.—One prize of five dollars to each local Association sending in twelve reports to the School Community Organizer for twelve regular monthly meetings between March 1st, 1923, and March 1st, 1924. These reports should be signed by the Secretary of the local Improvement Association and approved by the County Organizer.

IV. Community Service Prize.—Forty-seven prizes, one major prize of fifty dollars and one prize of ten

dollars for each of the forty-six counties to be awarded for growth, upkeep, efficiency and community service of the local Association.

Average attendance for the year based on the total enrollment for the year. Give the total enrollment for the school and the average attendance by months.

Linear feet of blackboard, maps, desks, and other equipment. Blackboard in Primary Department placed in reach of pupil.

Condition of Library. Active interest in a Night School for illiterate adults.

Details concerning the ground, flowers, shrubs and apparatus for recreation.

The school as a community and social center. The use of the schoolhouse for lectures, entertainments and community gatherings.

Experience, tenure, professional and scholastic preparation of the teacher.

Salary of teacher. Length of school term, number of mills special tax for school purposes.

V. Health and Sanitation Prize.—Forty-seven prizes, one major prize of fifty dollars and one prize of ten dollars for each of the forty-six counties to be awarded for the health and sanitary condition of the school.

The School Building: Heating—one of the standard makes of jacketed stoves. Lighting, at least one square foot of glass for each six square feet of floor space. Windows to be well supplied with shades and to be located preferably on the pupil's left.

Ventilation—Windows on pulleys so as to be lowered from the top.

Cleanliness—Floors oiled or thoroughly cleansed with sweeping compound. Furniture well rubbed with oiled cloth. Chalk rest and blackboard thoroughly clean. Teachers' desks neatly kept. Windows well washed. Place provided for waste paper.

Fire protection—1. Easy means of exit. 2. Fire drills.

Grounds and general surroundings, recreational facilities.

Water Supply.—Pump with cement foundation best. Well, adequately protected against surface drainage, second. Spring, third. Use of sanitary drinking cups or bubble fountains.

Separate sanitary closets on plans approved by the State Board of Health. Out-buildings to be inspected regularly by the Sanitation Committee of the local School Improvement Association and by a local physician or county nurse.

Health condition of pupils as shown by medical inspection and a sanitary survey of the community. Treatment for hookworm, dental inspection, vaccination against smallpox and typhoid, school nurse.

Any supplementary or special data may be added by the president of the Association.

Applications must be sent in by March 10, 1924. All improvements reported must be made between March 1, 1923, and March 1, 1924.

All prizes will be awarded by the State Executive Committee of the South Carolina School Improvement Association at its meeting in the Spring, and the awards will be announced as soon as details can be arranged. The prizes will be sent in checks from the office of the State Superintendent of Education to the County Treasurer. All money must be spent for the further improvement of the prize-winning school.

The Association appreciates the widespread interest shown by the community school workers throughout the State, and it invites their continued co-operation.

For further information concerning these prize offers, write your County Organizer, your County Superintendent of Education, or the School Community Organizer, State Department of Education.

Rules to be observed in applying for prizes:

Write to School Community Organizer for application blanks, stating the prize for which application is to be made.

Blanks may be obtained for prizes 1, 2, 4 and 5.

There are no blanks for prize 3. The monthly reports must be sent to the School Community Organizer for this prize.

Give all the information asked for on blanks. Put name of county, name of school, and address of president of Association on every page of every application.

Put name of county, name of school, and address of president of association on back of every picture sent. Prefer pictures that are sent to be unmounted.

Do not send treasurer's deposit slips for prize 2, but have County Superintendent of Education sign application, certifying amount.

Associations, to be eligible for prizes, must be affiliated with State Association. To be a member of the State Association reports must be sent to the School Community Organizer either direct or through the County Organizer.

All applications must be sent to Mattie E. Thomas, School Community Organizer, State Department of Education, Columbia, S. C., by March 10th.

Make plans now for your Association to be represented at the State Association meeting to be held in Columbia in March.

MATTIE R. WEST,
 County Organizer.

WAR AGAINST MAD DOGS.

Introduces Bill to Enforce Collection of License Tax.

Columbia, Feb. 6.—Occasionally Col. Alan Johnstone, of Newberry, introduces a bill, sort of a rare occurrence. He generally knows all about the pet measures of other senators, but his name is seldom put down in the journals as an author. He has introduced a bill which of itself should attract favorable attention, but the fact that he fathers it indicates that it is a matter of importance.

It is a bill to enforce the collection of the license tax on dogs and to compel the vaccination of dogs for the prevention of rabies. There were 272 persons treated at the state laboratory at the university last year because of having been bitten by dogs suspected of having rabies. How much more economical it would be to cut off the source of supply of rabid dogs? That is the commercial way of looking at this proposition. Dogs can be inoculated successfully against rabies.

In Columbia last week there have been two "mad-dog" scares. Twenty-five dogs are known to have been bitten in Shandon by one dog that was killed and its brain showed that it was infected.

Sumter Pinches "Gypsies."

Automobiles of gypsies recently visited Lancaster and the varicolored dresses of the women attracted considerable attention on the streets. This bunch or another one, got into trouble here because of attempts to "tell fortunes" or turn some "tricks of the trade", which generally means petit larceny, when the backs of their patrons are turned. In Sumter they found themselves in the clutches of the law, as the following story from Sumter Daily Item relates: "A caravan of six automobiles loaded with gypsies, their families and all of their belongings passed through town this morning but stopped long enough to invade and rob the store of L. A. Welch at the corner of Liberty and Purdy streets. However, four of the six cars were stopped near the city limits and the gypsies brought back to town by Motorcycle Policeman Dillard. In the recorder's court the four men were tried and found guilty of vagrancy and also made to pay back the money which they had secured from Mr. Welch's store. It seems that while some of the gypsies surrounded Mr. Welch to tell his fortune, others went behind the counter and raided the cash drawer, taking all the money it contained. When fined the gypsies protested that they had no money, but when told they would be locked up, if they did not produce the coin, they went into their shoes, took money from their hats, out of their belts and other places producing coins and bills of all denominations. Ten dollars each was paid by the four men and fifteen dollars additional to Mr. Welch. In the car were women and children aged apparently from two weeks to a hundred years. Each car was rigged out to carry camping equipment and practically everything else a family might need. The cars, all good ones, a Packard, Hudson, Dodge, Jeffrey and other well known makes, no Fords being present, were escorted to the city limits and urged not to tarry in the county, and as they would be run in again, if caught before they got out of the county."

\$25,000 Damages Awarded.

Columbia, Feb. 7.—The Supreme Court today handed down a decision by which the estate of J. F. Kirkland gets a verdict of \$25,000 damages against the Southern Railway for the death of Kirkland which occurred at Sumter. A post was being put up close to the track to support a pipe carrying water to locomotives. Kirkland remarked that this would be a death trap, referring to the water collecting there. The next day he was knocked down from the side of a box car and killed. His estate sued for \$50,000 and the jury awarded \$35,000. This was cut down by the judge to \$25,000.

Rev. Father Hubert E. Dahme, pastor of St. Joseph's German Catholic church of Bridgeport, Conn., was assassinated as he walked through the streets of that city Monday night. The assassin escaped and the police are without a clue as to the cause of the shooting.

Eli Everett, 65, shot his wife, 23, to death and then committed suicide at their home at Stroudsburg, Pa., Tuesday morning. They had been married a year.

Motorists Fined.
 Constable Huey Montgomery of Magistrate Williams' court, has nabbed about thirteen or fourteen motorists from Columbia, Rock Hill, Lancaster and other points for driving cars without the 1924 state license tag. The time expired February. Each violator caught is assessed a fine of \$10 and the money is turned over to the county treasurer, who places it to the credit of the county road and bridge fund.—Lancaster News.

Died at Age of 110 Years.
 Mrs. Kittle Cooper, who died in Anderson at the age of 110, with three surviving daughters; the eldest of whom has reached the age of 82, was buried at Old Liberty church in Oconee county. There are more than 100 surviving grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren. Born in Oconee county, Mrs. Cooper has variously resided at different points in that county and also at Greenwood, Greenville, Honea Path, and Anderson.

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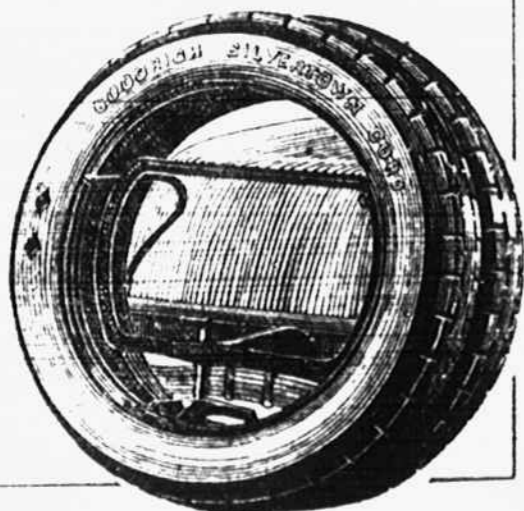
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