

Too Much Hurry in School

The following article was written for the Charleston News and Courier by Prof. W. H. Hand and will be read with interest by our people.

To the Editor of The News and Courier: Any business to be successful must be pushed energetically and pursued long enough to be made effective. Going to school is a business and it ought to be considered. It is the chief business of a very large percentage of children between 8 and 14 years of age. Without taking any account of the hysterical few who see nothing but failure in the public schools, sober minded people are compelled to admit that the majority of school children at the age of 14 have acquired very little of either knowledge or the capacity to acquire knowledge. All manner of reasons are assigned as explanations, such as poor teaching, poor courses of study, and poor effort on the part of the pupils.

How many of us have stopped to consider how unbusiness-like we run our schools—how little time is actually given to earnest school work and how uneconomically the time is distributed? Our school day in practically all the towns and villages begins at 8:45 or 9 o'clock and closes at 2 or 2:15 o'clock. A considerable number of country schools close before 3 o'clock. This short school day is the result of a re-action against the over-long day of a few decades ago, when the session lasted practically all day. But that long day had its compensations and its redeeming features. It had a long noon recess for relaxation, rest, and recuperation, some kind of lunch was eaten at noon; and most of the school work was done at school under the direction of the teacher. The present daily schedule is heavy, and the teacher's time is entirely taken up with recitations. The classes come up and go regularly and almost continuously. During the day there are one or two recesses totaling not over thirty minutes. There is no time for a lunch, except a cold one snatched up and gulped down between bells. There is no time for relaxation or recuperation. There is no time for the teacher to direct the study of pupils.

Everybody works at high tension. The high speed is kept up until closing time—about 2 o'clock. By closing time the teacher and the pupils are in a high state of nervousness and are as hungry as bears. The pupils rush home, gulp down their belated meal, then hurry out to play or to roam the streets until night. The teacher picks up her load of written exercises.

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The Anderson people are fortunate in having him as a citizen and they are requested to take exceeding good care of him, treat him the very best as he deserves to be, if not, speedily return him to his former home and friends where he is appreciated and where he will be welcomed with opened arms.

Beware of soft drinks for "fatigue" says the American Journal of Medicine. Most of these contain caffeine, very harmful for young children and even adults. The invariable tendency is to form a habit for these, the stimulation calls for daily renewal of the artificial relief of fatigue. Parents should be very careful about allowing their children to drink these popular summer-time soda fountain beverages.—Greenwood Index.

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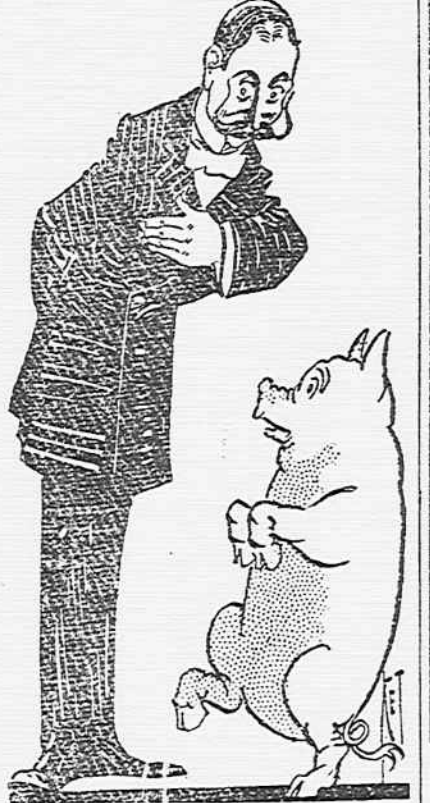
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Man and His Thoughts. A man may think he is thinking and still be gimmerings of intelligence. When he thinks other people think he is thinking there is no hope for him.

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