

FARMER BOYS OFFERED PRIZES

For Biggest Yield of Corn by Kingstree Drug Company.

Editor County Record:—
Having been reared on a Williamsburg county farm, it is quite natural for me to feel great interest in the farmer boys of my home county, and especially in the members of the Williamsburg county Corn Club.

In the hope of stimulating greater effort among the members of the club and the young farmers of the county, we will offer through the Kingstree Drug Company three prizes, one each to the boy producing the greatest number of bushels of corn on his acre of land, under the rules governing the contest in this county and the following: Each contestant must write us a letter, using ink and in his own handwriting, giving the name of his parent or guardian and postoffice address, same to be mailed to the Kingstree Drug Company on or before October 1 of this year.

To the Williamsburg boy producing the greatest quantity of corn and complying with these conditions, one Waterman's Ideal fountain pen, worth \$5.00.

To the Williamsburg boy producing the next greatest quantity of corn and complying with these conditions, one Conklin self-filling fountain pen, worth \$4.00.

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This is a time of special religious activity in most Southern farm communities. We hope that it will ever be so. We hope that the South will never show the lack of regard for organized Christianity that has become the rule in so many other sections. No man can do his best work, can live his best life, unless he is in proper relations to his environments and this is as true of the things of the spirit as of the things of the body. We know that this life is not all. Our very senses teach us the existence of the God; our reason also teaches us, what it taught even the old Greek poet whom Paul quoted at Mars Hill, that "We also are His offspring." We are the children of a Great Father; and just as no man can live a normal, wholesome life who is not in proper relations with his earthly father—who ignores or keeps away from his earthly father, so can no man live a normal, well-rounded life who is not in proper relations with the Great Father of us all.

This is not a matter of maudlin sentiment, but a matter that should appeal to the plain, every-day common sense of every thoughtful and intelligent man. We shall be glad if this little note shall cause any reader to treat it as such. Life is in the main a quest of happiness; and there is no more bitter tragedy than that of the man who misses the only way that this old world has ever known.—*The Progressive Farmer.*

In traveling through the South one is more and more impressed with the fact that the very best land in nearly every State is not yet in cultivation: It has not been drained, into these wet bottoms the fertility of the hills has leached down, and yet our people have too often balked at the little extra work of canalling and ditching that would make these lowlands outyield the prairies of the West. Very likely on your own farm, Mr. Subscriber, there are branch bottoms or creek bottoms which if cleared and ditched would give you \$3 for your labor for every \$1 the poorer hillside will pay you. And in that case isn't it folly to keep hiring yourself to the unappreciative field? *The Progressive Farmer.*

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