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A PLEA FOR HEARTY CO-OPERATION OF PARENTS.

By Hon. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent.

I wish to make an earnest plea to your readers who are patrons of the public schools for the active co-operation of the parent with the school, of the parent with the teacher, in securing increased and regular attendance upon the public schools and enforcing discipline and faithful and conscientious performance by the children of assigned school duties.

Statistic show that only 45 per cent of the total school population, between the ages of six and twenty-one, is in daily attendance upon the public schools; and only 63.7 per cent of the total number of children enrolled in the public schools attend daily during the session of the schools. It is impossible for any teacher, however interesting he may make the work of the school, and however faithful he may be in the performance of his duties, to secure regularity and punctuality of attendance or the faithful performance of school duties, without the hearty co-operation of parents at home.

Many parents do not realize that after a child begins to attend school, going to school should be and is his main business in life. As childhood is the habit-forming and character-building period of life, the will determine the manner in which he will perform the main work of his life in the world as a man, and the business habits of his life will be most potent in the forming of his character.

If a child is allowed to be irregular in his attendance upon school duties, slovenly and unsystematic in the performance of his school duties, he will be unsuccessful in his business, but he will certainly form and fix his habits that will doom him to failure in manhood in an ever-growing business world, where competition is growing sharper every day. The child that is allowed to stay away from school upon the slightest pretext of bad feeling, bad weather, or the chasing of a day's pleasure before a day's duty at school, will almost inevitably grow into a man or a woman that will put pleasure before duty, that will frequently be found absent from his business and his post of duty upon the slightest pretext, that will lack the grit and strength of

character that enable him to overcome obstacles and to perform unpleasant duties for duty's sake.

In the name of the child, for his future welfare, therefore, I must earnestly appeal to every parent to co-operate with the teacher of the child in securing regular and punctual attendance, prompt and faithful performance of every school duty, and prompt and cheerful obedience to every reasonable requirement of properly constituted author in childhood, in the formative period of life, for the formation of habits and the development of that strength that alone can give any reasonable assurance for success and service in manhood.

From October North Carolina Education.

Death of a Loved One.

The little four year old daughter of brother and sister Johnnie Walker, Nellie passed away on Saturday morning about five o'clock, Sept. 23. She had been suffering some time with erysipelas caused by a stove tack in her foot. She was a member of Mitchell's Chapel Sunday School. A dear little one, with sweet and loving disposition. We believe that the precious little bud as she was, is safe in Heaven with the One who said suffer little children to come unto me for such is the kingdom of Heaven. She stands with her Lord to receive and welcome her loved ones of earth to a purer and more perfect love for her in her happy home that lies beyond the dark river of death. Her little life on earth was as sweet as a flower, ever growing in love for mama and papa, brothers and sisters; all those round about her. Love that blossoms on earth will ripen in Heaven. The remains were laid away in the cemetery at Mill Creek, Burial services conducted by pastor, Rev. John Bass. Exceeding large crowd attended.

The city of Silence! who, who does not tread
With a trembling step o'er the graves of the dead?
Whose heart does not throb with emotion to stand
On the threshold that hides the invisible land?
Whose soul does not heave with a tremulous sigh,
To gaze on the spot where so soon we must lie?
Whose cheek is not dewed with affection's soft tear,
While wandering among the green solitudes here?
The heart is made better to tread this lone spot
And remember how soon we may share the same lot;
To think that our bodies, now breathing and warm,
Ere long will rest safely from life's gathering storm.
Superintendent.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

President in the West. All Legitimate News Safe.

By C. H. Tavernner.

Washington, Oct.—Special.—The President has been in the West. The people have listened to his defense. And they still believe he did wrong in vetoing the honest efforts of both branches of Congress to reduce the awful cost of living in the United States.

Such is the tenor of the news that has come over the wires from the special correspondents who either accompanied or trailed Mr. Taft on his 13,000 miles swing.

Arthur Henning, Washington correspondent of the Chicago Tribune; interviewed hundreds of westerners and found that the people generally liked Mr. Taft personally but absolutely disapproved his record as President.

Angus McSwee, the celebrated Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia North American, (also republican), wired from Topeka, Kans., as follows: "President Taft did not make a dent in the surface of strong progressive sentiment in the state of Kansas during his visit here."

It developed, too, that a great many men, in all walks of life candidly admitted that next year they proposed to vote for a Democrat for President, notwithstanding they always before had voted for a Republican. A great many of these referred to the magnificent record the Democrats made in Congress last session, and frankly admitted that since the Democrats had shown real ability to govern, and govern well, it was no more than their due that they should be given greater responsibility.

All Legitimate Business Safe.

Chairman A. O. Stanley, of the steel trust investigating committee, says the Republicans are endeavoring to create the impression that the democratic investigation of the steel trust is in the nature of an attack on the steel business. He denied that this is true.

"Republican newspaper," said Mr. Stanley, "are trying to make the country believe we are persecuting the steel corporation. Nothing could be further from the truth. The investigation has been conducted with the utmost fairness, and not a single one of the steel men who testified failed to thank the committee for the fair and generous way in which he had been treated.

"The Democrats realize the necessity for constructive action. They want the country to feel that no illegitimate business is going to prosper if they can help it.

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To the Editor:

We take pleasure in stating that the Singing Class from the Oxford Orphanage will give a concert in the Auditorium at 8:15 o'clock p. m. Oct. 24 1911.

This is a most worthy enterprise and we doubt not will meet with your heartiest co-operation, in prominently to the attention of the public.

The program, we understand is fully up to the high standard of former concerts by the Class.

The cause of our Orphanage at Oxford rightly appeals strongly to the people of our State and any service you may render this concert will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,
C. H. Hunter,
Committee.

List of Jurors.

The following is the list of jurors for the next term of Court:

Joe J. Jones, R. E. Pulliam, G. M. Fox, John L. Gentry, J. S. Woody, C. C. Critcher, N. S. Thompson, W. T. Pass, J. C. Winstead, W. I. Morris, Joe Humphries, J. M. Clayton, J. W. Ashley, Devereux Davis, W. F. Reade, George W. Carr, E. G. Thompson, J. L. Cothran, A. J. Crutchfield, Walter S. Williams, J. T. Blalock, Thomas Frazier, C. W. Beaver, R. P. Moore, W. M. Kirby, J. R. Cash, J. E. Clayton, W. D. Yarbrough, W. K. Moore, W. E. Morton, W. W. Whitfield, James S. Walker, A. J. Green, D. J. Rogers, J. H. Foushee and George Mitchell.

Public Sale.

I will sell at public auction on Oct. 31st, all of my household and kitchen furniture, farming implements, etc. Sale will begin at 10 o'clock, at my home.
3t Mrs. G. W. Whitfield.

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