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their Hall in Horton Bldg.  
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## Farmville Graded School Closes

Exercises Wednesday night by  
Primary Grades. Excellent Ad-  
dress Thursday night by Con-  
gressman John H. Small.

Undoubtedly, the best term  
known in the history of Farm-  
ville Graded Schools closed to-  
day. The exercises began Wed-  
nesday night with a well gotten  
up and splendidly rendered pro-  
gram by the primary grades. The  
opera house, in which the exer-  
cises took place, was packed  
with interested onlookers who  
attested their enjoyment by fre-  
quent applause. The little ones  
showed by their splendid action  
that nothing had been left un-  
done towards their training.

Thursday night the music  
class rendered a few selections  
after which the commencement  
address was delivered by Hon. J.  
H. Small, congressman of this  
district. Conscious of our inabil-  
ity to do the subject justice, we  
shall not endeavor to give a syn-  
opsis of the address.

The people of Farmville and  
surrounding community are  
justly proud of our school and  
splendid showing made. The  
corps of teachers, who have la-  
bored so zealously for the good  
of boys and girls have the grate-  
ful thanks of all good citizens.

## BUILD UP OUR TOWN

There seem to be quite a  
jealousy among some business  
men, a disposition to try to break  
down their adversary in order to  
build themselves up on their  
opponent's downfall. This petty  
feeling among rivals in business  
is all wrong. The best way to  
build up a town is to stand by  
every man in the place, that  
does right. Whenever a man  
is doing well do not tear him  
down. All residents should be  
as partners, not opponents. In  
all livelihoods the more business  
your rival does the more you  
will do. Every business man  
who treats his customers honestly  
courteously and fairly will get  
his share, and the more business  
that can be secured by united  
efforts, the better it will be for  
all. When a town ceases to grow  
it begins to die, and the more  
people try to kill each other's  
business, the more ready will  
utter ruin come to all. Stand to-  
gether for the advancement of  
every citizen. If a man shows  
ability to prosper do not pull  
him down through cold indiffer-  
ence.

## WHAT WE OBSERVE.

It is true that all men have not  
been given the faculty to accumu-  
late wealth, though they  
economize and work ever so  
hard. Neither can all men be  
great physicians, lawyers, preach-  
ers or skilled mechanics, study,  
think and labor as hard as they  
may. But there is a measure  
of success, a modest home and  
comfort for every man blessed  
with health, honesty, economy  
and steady purpose. If you look  
about you among the poor men,  
you will notice that some of  
them are seldom out of work.  
When there is a job to be done  
employers get them if they can.  
Employers go after them, al-  
though passing fifty idle men on  
the way—idle men who are  
never employed if other help  
can be had.

## THE FARMER'S CREED.

It would be no easy matter to  
amend this "farmer's creed"  
which is found in the Breeder's  
Gazette:

We believe in the good earth  
and its soil.

We believe that all men should  
love the soil and understand it.

We believe that soil culture  
and soul culture go hand in hand.

We believe he nobly serves  
who makes two blades grow  
where one grew before.

We believe that blood will tell.

We believe that good seed  
should go into the enriched soil.

We believe that good animals  
should crop the grass.

We believe in the divine right  
of man to labor.

We believe in helping men  
get full reward for their toil.

We believe in better farms  
with better roads passing them.

We believe in better rural  
schools and better teachers in  
them.

We believe that the house-  
wife is the better half, and that  
to her home should come all  
manner of comforts.

## NEWSPAPER DONTs

Don't take your home paper.  
It is the most active and power-  
ful factor in building up your  
town, and to support it would  
involve you in the work.

Don't pay for it if you take it.  
Newspapers are run on their

own money anyway. He'd most  
likely pay it on his bill.

Don't fail to tell the editor  
how to run the paper. He has  
nothing to do but listen and keep  
his temper sweet.

Don't put your name to what  
you want published. It's the  
editor's business to espouse  
unpopular causes and take your  
cheat out of the fire. What  
hurts your business might also  
hurt his—but that's different.

Don't notify the editor when  
you change your postoffice  
address. He may lose track of  
you and you will escape paying  
the last two or three years of  
your subscription.

Don't forget to write on both  
sides of the paper. The printers  
might forget how to sware.

Don't write your communica-  
tion legibly. Deciphering them  
keeps the editor busy and he's  
able to make an occasional blun-  
der, which promotes good feel-  
ing all around.

Don't imagine that the news-  
paper man has anything to do.  
No wasters print themselves and  
the ravens feed the printers.

He who walks through life with  
an even temper, and a gentle  
patience, patient with himself,  
patient with others, patient with  
difficulties and crosses, has an  
everyday greatness, beyond that  
which is won battles or chanted  
cathedrals.

A good word for a bad one is  
worth much in the home and  
costs little.

## Newsy Letter from Washington

Mexico Peaceful Again—Huerta  
Preparing to Flee—Toll Ques-  
tion To Be Amended.

Washington, May 6th, 1914.—  
The Mexican people suddenly  
woke up to the fact that they  
did not care to be plunged into a  
war for the sole purpose of keep-  
ing the usurper Huerta, in power.  
It was a realization of this fact  
that led Huerta to accept the  
leading South American coun-  
tries, namely; Argentine, Brazil  
and Chili. This Committee  
which is called the "A. B. C." committee has taken hold of the  
work in earnest, and there is  
much ground for hoping that  
they will contribute substantially  
towards the settlement of the  
Mexican trouble.

It is reported in reliable circles  
that Huerta is making prepara-  
tion to hot foot it, out of Mexico  
on short notice, and it is not be-  
lieved that he will attempt to  
maintain himself in power much  
longer, as the wealthy people  
who have hitherto supported him  
have practically all deserted  
him and Mexico will not be a  
very safe place for him to re-  
main in when he once relin-  
quishes his power.

It seems now very certain that  
when the free toll bill passes the  
Senate that it will be so amended  
that foreign countries will

give up any rights whatever in  
regarding the free toll of Coas-  
tals, and that it in the  
future if we should decide on  
free toll that we will again pass  
the law without consulting any  
other country. It is quite cer-  
tain now that the administration  
bill will pass the Senate by  
equally as satisfactory a major-  
ity as that by which it passed  
the House. In addition to hav-  
ing the support of the entire  
Democratic wing of the Senate  
with a few insignificant excep-  
tions, the President also has the  
ablest republicans of the Senate  
supporting the measure, such as  
Senators Root of New York, Bur-  
ton of Ohio, Lodge of Massachu-  
setts and others.

## LIZZIE SCHOOL CLOSSES.

The Lizzie school closed Fri-  
day with an address by Mayor J.  
Patt, Frizzelle and a most delight-  
ful picnic. Quite a large number  
of the friends and patrons of the  
school were present, all of whom  
greatly enjoyed Mr. Frizzelle's  
thoughtful and well delivered  
address on education. At the  
close of the speaking the good  
housewives of the community  
displayed a dinner that no one  
who has not attended one of these  
Greene county school picnics can  
adequately describe. It was a  
splendid dinner and was greatly  
enjoyed by the large number pre-  
sent. This marked the close of  
perhaps the best term in the history  
of the school.—Laonic.

## "ODD FELLOWS CELEBRATE 95TH ANNIVERSARY."

Last Sunday, the first Sunday  
in May, Farmville Lodge No. 373  
I. O. O. F., celebrated their 95th  
Anniversary. All the members  
met in their Lodge room at 10.30  
A. M. and marched in a body to  
the Christian church, wearing  
their regalia, where the pastor,  
Rev. C. B. Mashburn, delivered  
an able sermon.

For a time it was the idea of  
the Committee to have some  
visitor to deliver the address,  
and the local Minister was not  
notified that the lot would fall  
on him until Thursday of last  
week. However he preached  
one of the greatest sermons that  
we have ever heard, and those  
that failed to attend the service  
at the Christian Church last Sun-  
day, missed a treat.

The local Lodge at Farmville,  
while only a little more than two  
years old, is doing a great work,  
and is recognized as one of the  
strongest Lodges in the District.  
They have a quantity of degree  
work now pending, and by the  
close of the year the membership  
will be increased considerable.

## A GOOD TOWN.

Here are some words from  
Edward K. Graham in Harper's  
Weekly that are in such good  
accord with the doctrine of city  
building advanced by this news-  
paper from time to time that we

"We do not ask for the biggest  
town or the richest town, so that  
the people at the top can have  
enough money to stop work.  
We do ask for wisdom enough to  
know what the permanent and  
progressively good things to  
work for are, the civic will to  
work for them and the material  
prosperity to put wheels under  
them to make them go.

"What we have learned is that  
it is wise to work together for a  
good place to live, a place both to  
make a good living and to live  
a good life—good money, good  
water, good streets, good schools,  
good churches. A good place to  
live is a place to invest money  
and get bigger returns, and to in-  
vest life and get bigger returns  
there.

"Whatever promotes the mate-  
rial welfare of the larger number  
of people is an essential of good  
government as it is of good relig-  
ion. Good citizenship is not a  
force struggle in our business to  
take all the other fellow has and  
then endow a school and church  
for him to go to for consolation.  
Big men in business are more  
and more coming to discover the  
value of profit sharing and co-  
operation between all factors,  
even in business itself; and for-  
tunate will be that community  
which extends to every detail of  
its economic life that same doc-  
trine of fraternal co-operation  
which gave us Democratic  
government and the Christian  
religion." With the city, as with  
the individual there can be no  
prosperity worth while that is  
not based on order, equity and  
a sincere devotion to the common  
good. A good town implies a  
town that is rounded out equally  
in all desirable phases.

In Chicago one of the head of  
a mail order house has confessed  
that he has income of \$1,320,000  
a year, and yet he is supposed to  
be at the head of an institution  
which is working and selling  
goods for the benefit of the poor  
man who has thought and been  
made to believe he has been op-  
pressed by his local merchant.

## Catarrh Cannot Be Cured.

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they  
cannot reach the seat of the disease. Cat-  
arrh is a blood or constitutional disease,  
and in order to cure it you must take in-  
ternal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is  
taken internally, and acts directly upon  
the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's  
Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It  
was prescribed by one of the best phy-  
sicians in this country for years and is  
a regular prescription. It is composed  
of the best tonics known, combined with  
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the mucous surfaces. The perfect combina-  
tion of the two ingredients is what pro-  
duces such wonderful results in curing  
catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.  
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ure-giving and dime-saving.  
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