

BUSINESS EDUCATION

"Knowledge is Power" the Famous Old Adage Runs

ABLY DISCUSSED BY FACULTY MEMBER OF WASHINGTON COL. INST.

Head of the Methodist College Writes Most Interestingly of This Great and Vital Subject—Should be Carefully Read.

(By Robert H. Wright.) He who knows not, and knows not that he knows not, that man is a fool; shut him out. He who knows not, but knows that he knows not, that man is teachable; teach him. He who knows and knows not that he knows that man is asleep; wake him. He who knows and knows that he knows that man is wise; follow him.

Into these four classes to all the human race divided. No one of them is indigenous to any particular locality, nor is any one community without specimens of each. The village fool may lounge outside the village school. The industrious student and the lazy loafer may be boon companions. The city college may be next door to a home for imbeciles.

"Knowledge is power," as the old saying runs, "this was supposed to be a maxim especially in education in general, but it is nowhere more than in the business life of the community."

Suppose the young man intended using stenography merely as a stepping stone to something higher. He works for awhile in ordinary office positions, all the time assimilating a general knowledge about business practices and learning all he can about the details of office management.

By all means, the best preparation for those intending to enter a commercial occupation after leaving the high school is a regular four-year college course followed by a year or two, or perhaps longer, in some business or technical school.

In the increasing complexity of modern business methods, there is another branch of knowledge which is becoming more and more indispensable to those who seek advancement along commercial lines—and that is book-keeping and accounting.

Look at the young girl of today starting work in an department store in one of our large cities. Her weekly wages is perhaps two or three dollars. In a year or two, if she is faithful and works hard, she may be advanced a dollar or two.

It is especially, however, in business practices that a knowledge of book-keeping and its allied subjects, accounting and commercial law, is valuable.

RESERVES SECOND TARGET PRACTICE. The North Carolina Naval Reserve are making good on their annual cruise so far as target practice is concerned.

Begin Meeting at Old Ford

Rev. R. V. Hope, pastor of the Christian church in this city, gave it Old Ford today where he is expected to begin a series of meetings beginning tonight.

ACCEPTS CALL TO NORFOLK. Rev. J. E. Swain of Plymouth, N. C., is a Washington visitor today.

Home Wedding Tomorrow Aft.

Mr. D. H. Thomas, of Atlanta, Ga., formerly a resident of Washington is here shaking hands with his numerous friends.

Rector Here Forty Years

On the third Sunday in this month Rev. Nathaniel Harding, rector of St. Peter's Episcopal church, will celebrate the fortieth anniversary of his rectorship.

Have Returned. Mrs. J. B. Arnold and daughter, Mrs. Claude Little, have returned from Greenville, where they visited Mrs. J. N. Hart.

From Northern Markets. Miss Mayne Hurbank, head milliner for the firm of James E. Clark Company, has returned from Northern cities, where she studied the latest designs in fall and winter millinery.

GREAT TREAT BY THE HOWES LAST EVENING

AT LEAST ONE THOUSAND ATTENDED THE MUSICAL AT THE TABERNACLE.

WAS GREAT ATTRACTION

EVERY NUMBER WAS HIGHLY APPRECIATED BY THE LARGE AUDIENCE. One of the very best musical attractions "pulled off" in Washington in some time was given last evening by the Howes entertainers in the tabernacle on East Second street.

At least one thousand people passed through the main entrance and by the time for the performance to begin every seat was occupied with persons eager to secure seats standing on the outside.

1. Vocal Solo—"The Bard's" Wilburham. 2. Violin Solo—"Hungarian Dance." Goldstein. 3. Marmaphone Solo—"The Rosary." Nevin.

All Pupils Must be Vaccinated

All students to enter the Washington Public Schools the coming season will have to exhibit certificates of successful vaccination before they are allowed to enter.

Buffalo's Perry Celebration

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 2.—The achievement of Commodore Oliver Hazard Perry at the battle of Lake Erie on September 10, 1813, is commemorated in a celebration which began here today and will continue until Saturday.

Nease Completion

The addition to the store building occupied by the well known firm of Nease Bros., on Main street, is nearing completion.

Canadian Pioneer Honored

Montreal, Quebec, Sept. 2.—A monument was erected to the memory of Sir George Cartier here today under the auspices of the Cartier Centenary Committee.

Mrs. Angus Blount and Mr. Jack Blount of Arden, are Washington visitors.

MUST LEAVE STATE UNTIL MAY 1915

JUDGMENT OF RECORDER IN THE CASE OF T. O. SPENCER TODAY.

TWO MORE BOOZE CASES

Recorder Windley had a very interesting court this morning at the City Hall, and also yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The features of the court were the trying of violators of the search and seizure law by several parties.

The above two cases grew out of 180 pints of whiskey being found at the County Home, of which Mr. Elias Bright is superintendent, last Saturday morning by Sheriff Ricks and Policemen Howard and Roberts.

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An Incendiary Fire at Bunyan Yesterday

A supposed incendiary fire occurred at Bunyan, this county, yesterday between 1 and 2 o'clock, and Kallie Woolard, Jr., was totally destroyed.

Mr. D. C. Ross Moves to Dover

Mr. D. C. Ross, who for the past several months has been in the employment of the Atlantic Coast Line Company in this city, left Monday for Dover, N. C., where he will hold a similar position with the Norfolk Southern Railroad Company.

Germany May Help Exhibitors

Berlin, Sept. 2.—So much discussion has been aroused over the refusal of the German government to exhibit officially at the Panama Exposition that it is reported on high authority the government may find a way to lend unofficial aid to firms desiring to make a show at San Francisco in 1915.

Enlarging Store

P. Orleans has rented the store building next to his present stand on Market street in the Susman block.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boon will regret to learn of the critical illness of their 7-months-old infant.

F. S. Worthy Returns From Rexall Convention

COTTON REPORT. The government issued this morning its September condition report on cotton, showing a contraction of 68.2 per cent.

DELEGATES FROM ALL PARTS WORLD IN ATTENDANCE

Trip of His Life and He Gives Most Interesting Detail Three Thousand Present.

DAY'S NOTES WASHINGTON HOSPITAL

Miss Cook, Superintendent, Expected Home Today From Her Vacation.

The following items of the Washington Hospital will doubtless prove of interest to the friends of this institution: Miss Wilcox of Whartons, underwent an operation recently, and left today for her home—much-improved.

Miss Laura Cox of this city, recently operated upon has returned to her home.

Miss Gladys Pickles of Bayboro, left Monday for her home after having been successfully operated on.

Mrs. R. P. Johnson of South Creek who several weeks ago underwent an operation, and who has been quite ill, returned to her home Sunday.

R. D. Chadwick of Beaufort, was operated upon last night and is doing nicely.

OSCAR BROWN, son of W. A. Brown of Jamesville, underwent an operation today for appendicitis. He is getting along very well.

H. C. Curtis of Southport, is in the hospital for treatment. He is improving rapidly.

THE YOUNG SON OF MR. ED. EIKS of Grimesland, was operated upon this morning and is doing nicely.

Miss Virginia Ives of Bayboro, underwent an operation several days ago for appendicitis. She is convalescent.

Dwight Collins was operated upon yesterday and is much improved.

Mr. Whitehurst of Ringold, is under treatment, and is much better.

Mr. Bridgman of Swansboro, who is under treatment at the hospital is regaining his health.

Mr. F. S. Worthy of the drug firm of Worthy and Etheridge has returned from Boston, Mass., where he went to attend the eleventh annual convention of the stockholders of the Rexall Drug Company, a concern known all over the entire world.

The convention was held in the Mechanics building with a seating capacity of 10,000 and the welcoming address was delivered by Mayor Fitzgerald, whose address, says Mr. Worthy, was unique and catchy.

Not only were the business sessions of the convention delightful and instructive, says Mr. Worthy, but the social features as arranged were just simply gorgeous. Not only did the Rexall Company do themselves proud as entertainers but the City of Boston left no stone unturned for this part of the program.

While in New York Mr. Worthy had the pleasure of visiting the Liggett Drug store at the corner of Broadway and Thirty-fourth street, reputed to be the finest store of the kind in the United States.