

INTERESTING PAPER READ

Dr. Mann's Paper Suggested Starting Changes in Plan of Organization

CREATED A DISCUSSION

Several Superintendents and City Principals Took Issue With Dr. Mann on His Paper Suggesting an Interesting Change in the Plan of Organization of High Schools

At the morning session of the association of city superintendents and principals held in the High School building, discussion was resumed of the paper by Dr. J. L. Mann, of Greensboro, who read yesterday afternoon a paper on the organization of the high school.

system was wrong, but that he was only suggesting his plan in order that the flaws might be pointed out.

Among those who took issue with Dr. Mann were Supt. Pussey, of Laurinburg; Principal Archer, of Wilmington; Supt. Avert, of Goldsboro; Supt. Snipes, of Fayetteville, and others.

Supt. Pussey pointed out that under the present system pupils in the high school department were not kept back because they were deficient in one or two subjects, but that in many of the high schools pupils could be found taking different subjects in different grades.

One of the lady principals present pointed out the fact that no one teacher could teach all the branches successfully, and that the constant drill on one branch during the entire day for several weeks would not be broadening in its effect.

The next paper was by Mr. J. A. Matheson of State Normal, Greensboro, who discussed "A Five-Year Course of Study for Principals and Superintendents."

Dr. Mann in his paper pointed out the fact that frequently pupils had to take a whole grade's work over, because they were deficient in one or more branches.

The superintendents and principals present are taking a lively interest in the meetings and there are always interesting discussions.

THE PRIMARY TEACHERS

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New Enterprises.

Doctor Paul Medicine Co., of Wilmington; to manufacture and deal in drugs, etc.; authorized capital, \$100,000, with \$40,000 paid in by E. G. Bullock, E. L. Moore, N. B. Tipson, of Wilmington, and Paul Fitzgerald, of Selma.

Hadley-Harris Co., of Wilson; merchandise; authorized capital, \$50,000, with \$29,000 paid in by J. C. Hadley, W. S. Harriss, W. A. Peacock and Geo. W. Connor.

Hornet Realty Co., of Charlotte; authorized capital, \$10,000, with \$500 paid in by P. M. Cave, E. F. Creswell, D. H. Simpson and others.

The Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy Co., of Kittrell, changes its charter so as to provide for \$30,000 preferred stock and \$120,000 common stock in lieu of \$150,000 authorized. A. W. Feltor is president and Gug V. Barnes is secretary.

Wins Fight For Life.

It was a long and bloody battle for life that was waged by James B. Mereson, of Newark, N. J., of which he writes: "I had lost much blood from lung hemorrhages, and was very weak and run-down. For eight months I was unable to work. Death seemed close on my heels, when I began, three weeks ago, to use Dr. King's New Discovery. But it has helped me greatly. It is doing all that you claim." For weak, sore lungs, obstinate coughs, stubborn colds, hoarseness, influenza, trouble with any throat or lung trouble its supreme. 50c & \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by King-Crowell Drug Co.

New Barber Shop.

Otey & Son's new quarters in the Yarbrough House are now in use by this long-established firm, which has been on the same block for forty years. The new shop is certainly a handsome one.

Teachers' Training Class.

The Teachers' Training Class of Edenton street church will meet at 7:30 tonight and will adjourn in time for the exercises at the auditorium. A full attendance is desired.

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Meeting Resolved Into Suffragette Movement on Matter of Text Book Commission--President's Address--Election of Officers.

The Primary Teachers' Association this morning held an unusually interesting session including the president's address, an interesting discussion of the text book committee and the election of officers.

The following are the officers for the new year: President, Miss Edith Royster, of Raleigh; vice-president, Mrs. James Robinson, of Durham; secretary, Miss Daphne Carraway, of Wilson; treasurer, Miss Annie Jarvis, of Washington.

There was a large representation of the Primary Teachers present at the meeting in the auditorium, this being the third meeting of this association during the assembly.

The meeting was presided over by Miss Mary Owen Graham, president of the Primary Teachers' Association, and Miss Lilly A. Jones, of Durham, vice-president. Miss Jones called the meeting to order and announced that the address of the president would be made this morning, this being a feature that is looked forward to with much pleasure.

The address of Miss Graham, who is one of the foremost and best equipped teachers of the Primary Teachers' Association was one of great interest and value to the teachers present. Miss Graham, who is from Charlotte, is a superior one of the first grades of the State Normal, at Greensboro, having held this position for three years since taking special training at Columbia University. Miss Graham was elected president of the association at its meeting in Raleigh last year. On one other occasion Miss Graham held this position and the association has been peculiarly fortunate in having her as its efficient president.

The association was organized seven years ago, this being the seventh annual convention and Miss Graham this morning in her address gave a resume of what the association has done. It was born of a need and desire to come into closer touch with the primary teachers of the state. While the president felt the association had not lived up to its aspirations yet it has grown from fifty members at the first meeting at Greensboro to 300 members at the meetings at Raleigh last year.

Last year it was decided best to unite in one general assembly so that now the Primary Teachers' Assembly is one of the sections of the North Carolina Teachers' Assembly.

While the growth and influence of the association has been great, Miss Graham felt that there have been many drawbacks, some of these being floating members, the dependence on the generosity of the superintendents of the state, the state, the difficulties of entertainment and the difficulties of getting people to appear on the program.

One great good of the association has been the development of latent leadership among the members. There is so much to do that the primary teachers find it difficult to know just what to do.

No one can deny that there is a need of an educational awakening. The south is going forward in leaps in the industrial world. The educational development has not kept pace with the industrial awakening. Miss Graham was afraid some of the responsibility rested with the teachers. It was a just tribute to the community that the teachers do as much as possible for its uplift.

There is a need of trained teachers. The average school teaching life is four years so that a great army of new recruits come into the profession every year. The making of a teacher has a great deal to do with their success.

This is a day of much specializing and many opportunities are opening to the primary teachers. A necessary equipment is a knowledge of a child.

It is necessary to know the why and where-fors.

There is a need for qualified superintendents and special training is needed.

The kind of mind a child brings to the school depends on the body and to see that the children are whole physically is as much a duty as to look after the mind of the child. There is a need of physical examination. Teachers should be interested in teachers meetings. It is necessary to get together, to work together.

The association had as its honored guest Mrs. Calvin H. Wiley, of Winston-Salem, the widow of the first state superintendent of education and father of the public school system, who had a word of greeting for the teachers.

The annual report of the secretary,

Miss Mary L. Harris, of Concord was read.

It was moved to send a telegram of greeting to Mrs. Leah Jones Stevens, of New Bern, organizer of the association.

The treasurer's report was read. Miss Etta Spier was appointed chairman of the committee on resolutions.

The report of the committee on poems and stories was submitted also the report of the magazine committee.

The report of the text book committee called forth an interested discussion, the meeting being resolved into almost a suffragette meeting.

Miss Edith Royster introduced the following resolution which was adopted: "That a committee from this association shall present to the Teachers' Assembly a petition from this organization that the Teachers' Assembly take up and find out the position of women teachers in the profession and have enacted such laws as will remove our disabilities."

It is the opinion of the members that this question is a bigger one than serving the text book committee but it is whether there shall be a sex line in the profession. It is necessary to find out where the members of the association stand and whether they are to have any say in the work or not.

Superintendent Coon was present at the meeting and spoke in no uncertain terms on this matter, declaring he was going to bring up the woman question before the assembly is over.

"The people who teach the children of North Carolina ought to be as much a citizen as any man in the state," Mr. Coon declared he was a suffragette on this question.

"There is no chance," declared Mr. Coon, "of the men doing the teaching but it will be in the hands of the women for ages to come. That training will fix the destiny of every citizen of North Carolina and on Coon, of the men doing the teaching are as much the citizens as any man in North Carolina. It is everlasting right and it is going to win. I am going to take it up and talk about it, unless I have a case of paralysis!"

Mr. Coon supposed the word "disabilities" was all right but asked why they did not ask the right to be women superintendents and to vote in local tax elections.

The committee to draw up a constitution submitted one that was adopted after some amendments.

The meeting adjourned after the election of officers for the new year.

PREDICT LOWER PRICES.

Ernest Martin Says Northern Jobbers Are Waiting For Decline.

Mr. Ernest Martin has returned from a business trip to Philadelphia, and New York, where he made investigation on the cotton situation. Mr. Martin says that a number of jobbers are holding up their spring orders for hosiery and cotton goods, in anticipation of a further drop in the price of cotton. They claim that there will be a seventeen million bale crop, as a great deal is now being held by the farmers for better prices. The cotton manufacturers, Mr. Martin says, are just waiting for prices to go still lower before they buy.

NORFOLK SOUTHERN MOVES ITS OFFICE.

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Table with financial data including: Condition December 31, 1910 as Shown by Statement Filed. Amount of capital paid up in cash, \$500,000. Amount of ledger assets December 31st of previous year, \$952,124.19. Income from policyholders, \$157,301.12. Miscellaneous, \$23,007.91. Total, \$180,309.02. Disbursements to policyholders, \$17,259.49. Miscellaneous, \$80,830.87. Total, \$98,090.36. Fire risks—written or renewed during year, \$24,142,116. In force, \$20,309,168.

Table with financial data including: Value of bonds and stocks, \$961,762.18. Cash in company's office, 91.57. Deposited in trust companies and banks on interest, 32,817.77. Agents' balances, representing business written subsequent to October 1, 1910, 39,681.34. Interest and rents due and accrued, 11,740.41. All other assets as detailed in statement, 9,000.00. Total, \$1,055,093.27. Less assets not admitted, 9,000.00. Total admitted assets, \$1,046,093.27.

Total amount of liabilities except capital, \$108,722.22. Capital actually paid up in cash, 500,000.00. Surplus over all liabilities, 439,321.05. Total liabilities, \$1,046,093.27. President, M. L. Hewes. Secretary, H. B. Anthony. Home Office, 803 Main St., Hartford, Conn. Attorney for Service, G. T. Bington, Charlotte, N. C. Business Manager for North Carolina, Home Office.

State of North Carolina, Insurance Department, Raleigh, September 5, 1911. J. James R. Young, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the Standard Fire Insurance Company, of Hartford, Conn., filed with this department, showing the condition of said company on the 31st day of December, 1910. Witness my hand and official seal the day and date above written. JAMES R. YOUNG, Insurance Commissioner.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND FOR PARTITION. By authority of a judgment of the superior court of Wake county made in special proceedings before the clerk entitled, Ophelia B. Arnold et als vs. Ella Scarborough et als being a proceeding for the sale of land for division between heirs-at-law of J. H. Scarborough, deceased, the undersigned commissioner of the court will on Monday, 18th day of December, 1911, at 12 o'clock, at the courthouse door of Wake county, sell to the highest bidder at public auction for cash, the following tracts or parcels of land situated in Little River and Raleigh townships, to-wit: First tract—Situated in Little River township and known as the "Hominny Tract," containing 112 acres adjoining the lands of A. H. Horton, T. H. Massey and others, being the tract of land devised to J. H. Scarborough by W. H. Horton in his last will and testament recorded in book B, record of wills, page 281, in the office of the clerk of the superior court of Wake county. Second tract—Known as lot No. 6, on the map of the Oakdale property, located in the northern part of Raleigh, recorded in book 120, page 28, in the office of the register of deeds of Wake county. It is bounded on the north by the Louisa road and lot No. 7, on the east by lot No. 7, and lot No. 18, on the south by lot No. 5, and on the west by the Louisa road, fronting 70 feet on the said road, and running back east on the north side 144 feet, and on the south side 154 feet. Being the last residence of the said J. H. Scarborough. P. E. HESTER, W. N. JONES, Commissioners. 11-17-05v-14v2.

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