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WHY HIGH SCHOOL IS CONTINUED.

The continuation of the High School for an extra month is made possible by reason of the fact that it can be run with a minimum cost. Five grades, seventh to eleventh inclusive, can be run the extra month for less than \$200 and three sevenths of the teaching force retained. Hence we retain practically one half of the grades and one half of the teaching force for less than one third of the amount required to run the whole school for the same length of time.

In the second place, it is almost absolutely necessary to run the High School nine months in order to graduate all of the present graduating class, composed of nine members, and make it possible for the other grades mentioned to complete the prescribed course of study and be promoted.

In the third place, the course of study for the Primary and Grammar School grades is less rigid and more flexible than that of the upper grades, and can be more easily completed and made up. Then there are five years in which to make up this one month's work. Besides this, the pupils in the first six grades will practically finish the required work and be promoted. Every possible effort is being made by the teachers in charge to complete the course and promote those who would be entitled to promotion at the end of nine months. This is not true of the High School. Here the course of study is intended for more mature minds and is much more rigid and less flexible than that of the lower grades. The course of study for the High School is mapped out in accordance with the requirements for college entrance examinations, and is planned for nine months' good solid work.

In the fourth place, the shortage in funds for the present year is caused by building and equipping during last summer the primary rooms, the cost of which would run the entire school two months longer. Since the money has been spent on the lower grades, it stands to reason that the lower grades, and not the High School, should be the losers of the month.

In conclusion, what the Board has decided for the Lenoir School is no exception to the general rule in this State. It often happens that the High School Department is run a month, and sometimes longer, than the Primary and Grammar Grades.

JOHN L. HARRIS, Supt.

To Build Home for Aged Ladies.

Correspondence of the Observer.
Durham, March 12.—The King's Daughters to day opened a permanent exchange whereby they work weekly towards the erection of an old ladies' home. They have been on the proposition many months and have a site with considerable money in hand. They will sell their own goods—candles, cakes, salads and the like—and apply these steady sales to the home. Besides caring for the ladies, there will be given attention to young fatherless and motherless children and wayward girls.

(A similar work to the above has been considered by some ladies of Lenoir and no more noble undertaking could engage their attention.—News.)

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets invariably bring relief to women suffering from chronic constipation, headache, biliousness, dizziness, sallowness of the skin and dyspepsia. Sold by J. E. Shell and Dr. Kent, Druggists.

TO CURE CONSUMPTION

Dr. B. J. Kendall in Home and Farm says:

"The most certain method ever adopted for the cure of the 'great white plague' is through the diet used as per directions given below, which can be taken at home, and comes within the reach of the poor as well as the rich.

"During the last fifteen years I have prescribed this diet in hundreds of instances and where directions have been followed strictly, it has raised the weight and increased the strength and vitality of the patient rapidly up to a normal condition, thus enabling nature to assert her sovereign right to be the dominating force in the body and the germs causing consumption have been overcome and the cure accomplished. Some have gained a pound a day and would gradually take on less until they would not increase in weight more.

"The all important thing is to drink large quantities of milk strippings (the very last of the milking, which is all cream when a proper cow is selected). This seems so simple and easy that many have refused to follow directions and demand medicines to cure them; but there has not yet been discovered any medicine that is a specific for consumption.

"To get best results a healthy cow should be selected, one that does not cough and one that gives very rich milk. A Jersey cow is preferable. The milk should always be tested, to be sure that there is a large per cent. of cream in it.

"The last quart should be milked into a separate dish which rests in a larger vessel containing warm water just sufficient to prevent the stripping from cooling below blood heat. The cow should be thoroughly cleaned to prevent any dirt getting into the milk so the patient can blow back the froth and drink at once without straining, as this cools it too much.

"Begin by drinking nearly a pint in the morning and the same at night and increase the quantity gradually so that in ten or fifteen days a full quart will be taken immediately after milking before it has had time to cool any. All should be taken that can be without too much discomfort and then rest two or three minutes and drink more and rest again, and so on until a full quart has been taken as soon as it can be conveniently. In about fifteen minutes the patient should eat at the table such articles of food as are known to agree with the stomach. At noon eat as usual.

"When the strippings are not allowed to cool below blood heat and taken immediately after it is milked a full quart will be transfused into the circulation in a remarkably short time.

I never have seen a case but could take strippings without any discomfort worth mentioning when above directions were followed strictly, although some have declared they could not before trying it; but when they delayed taking for a half an hour and the milk had cooled ten degrees I have seen half a pint make them very sick. The great secret of success with it is in taking it immediately after milking and not allowing it to cool below blood heat, taking a full quart morning and evening and having milk that is very rich.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are safe, sure and reliable, and have been praised by thousands of women who have been restored to health through their gentle and curative properties. Sold by J. E. Shell and Dr. Kent, Druggists.

ROSE TO THE OCCASION.

A Polite Elephant and a Ready Witted Showman.

That everything should be in its own place is a matter not only of convenience, but of necessity for some people and some animals, as the following examples from John Augustus O'Shea's "Leaves From the Life of a Special Correspondent" go to prove. Certain orders of intellect run smoothly in accustomed grooves, but have no ability to meet any unusual occasion. The author describes a visit to a traveling menagerie.

The showman was repeating his lesson like a schoolboy. He was enlarging on the peculiarities of the ostrich of Africa, upon the uncanny form of which the visitors were supposed to be gazing.

"But, my friend," I remarked in an undertone to that functionary, "that is not the ostrich of Africa; that is the pelican of Australia."

"They're always playing jokes on me!" exclaimed the showman plaintively. "How can a cove tell which is which if they goes on a-changing of the cages when his back is turned?"

In the other instance of the value of order it was the animal which was not equal to the emergency. The showman rose superior to such slight vicissitudes of fortune.

In the illness of the regular showman a substitute was furnished with a piece of paper setting forth the elephant's tricks.

"The behemoth will now walk around the ring on three legs!" shouted the showman.

Behemoth did as ordered, and the audience applauded.

"The behemoth will now stand on his hind legs!" The elephant performing his tasks faithfully.

At last a mistake was made in the order. Throwing his whip on the ground, the showman announced that the behemoth would now lift the whip with his trunk. Nothing of the kind happened. The elephant began moving around the ring backward. A negro attendant whispered to the showman:

"That's his next number!"

The showman was equal to the occasion and said:

"Ladies and gentlemen, my favorite is not backing out of his engagement, but he is more polite than I and wishes to make his farewell before he goes. So polished are his manners that he retires as he might at court and presently will follow with the whip."

The Appeal to the Record.
Little Tommy returned sore and trembling from the torture room.

"Doesn't your papa ever thrash you?" he asked his chum, who is the son of a cabinet minister.

"I should say not!" replied the other loftily. "Every time he threatens to cane me I read him an extract from his great peace at any price speech, in which he said: 'These barbarians are like wayward children, but have we on that account the right to take away their heaven sent privilege to do as they please? Let us treat them as we would our own wayward children—plead with them, beseech them, but never coerce them with either gun or rod.'"

"That's a good deal to remember," remarked Tommy.

"Yes, but now he's got so used to it that he drops the cane as soon as I start."—London Answers.

Love the Greater Wisdom.
Wisdom always betrays the love in it. Love, just another warmer, closer name for wisdom, is selfishness absolute. It is the law and the sweetness of the one organism which the universe is.

The eternal strange forces, love and selfishness, faith and godliness, have been submerged—nay, hidden—from human consciousness in the swish and swash of sentimentalism and hypocrisy. They stand, none the less, eternal, complete, the foundation, the one necessity, of the world, the hope and character.

They are the inner fact of man waiting to ename him of the chance of completeness.

Where they are not recognized and made at home in the character man finds his life shredded to scraps and rags.—Practical Ideals.

Eighty seven in every hundred Canadian farmers own their own farms.

INTUITION.

Instances of the Way It is Exercised in Everyday Life.

A surface motorman awakened a train of thought not long ago when he stopped his car shortly at a crossing. There was apparently no one there waiting to get on. A woman was standing on the curb, not even looking toward the moving car, yet when the car came to this corner the motorman brought it to a standstill, and, sure enough, the woman hurried out of the crowd and clambered aboard.

"How'd you know that woman wanted to get on?" he was asked as the controller was thrown on again and the car started with a jerk.

"Just felt it," he laughed; "didn't know it. A fellow's affected that way in this business. How many people nowadays signal the motorman when they want him to stop? It's some sort of power, I guess, that tells me. I can't explain just what it is."

This patient knight of the motorvoiced one of the most bewildering psychological truths found in the entire downtown propaganda, where about every nip and tuck of the human habit, custom or peculiarity finds a shining place. Taking metropolitan humanity as a whole, there are few who do not use intuition in the course of the average workday.

A certain teller in a large Chicago bank recognizes intuition as a faithful and valuable ally, one that can be put to good uses, though one that is not infallible. A "J. Rufus Wallingford" may stroll into this man's bank, toss a thousand dollar check over the counter in a blasé manner and something may "tell" the teller that the check isn't any good.

"I just feel it," he explains the strange power of intuition.

And the check may be turned down, or, on the other hand, something may "tell" the cashier that the man is good—he just feels it.

Scoffers are referred to the average policeman.

Does the city detective always know a crook when he plucks him out of a downtown crowd, when the man's back perhaps is turned to the officer of the law?

He feels that the shoulders and neck ahead of him—the head crowned by a battered derby—is wanted. Often he does not know the crook's name and could not tell why he arrests him until the man is hauled back to the station and his photo is found etching the limelight in the rogues' gallery some months or years back, the intuition in a case of this sort being extremely strong, as records prove amply.

Policemen and detectives are supposed to study the photograph, the terse history and "story" of each crook as they are placed on the city's police records. We know that the mind of mortal man cannot carry all of this data in his mind, which is a good indication of the wonderful power of intuition which will draw the detective to the crook like a magnet from among a crowd of a thousand people.—Chicago Tribune.

How Good News Spreads.

"I am 70 years old and travel most of the time," writes B. F. Tolson, of Elizabethtown, Ky. "Everywhere I go I recommend Electric Bitters, because I owe my excellent health and vitality to them. They effect a cure every time. They never fail to tone the stomach, regulate the kidneys and bowels, stimulate the liver, invigorate the nerves and purify the blood. They work wonders for weak run down men and women, restoring strength, vigor and health that's a daily joy. Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction is positively guaranteed by J. E. Shell.

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Harder-Working Acres.

Charlotte Observer.

As illustrating the truth of the assertion that what this country needs is better farming rather than more farms. The Kansas City Star cites a Kansas farmer who cultivates fifteen acres and last year sold \$5,400 worth of vegetables and fruit therefrom. Those fifteen acres were part of a 640-acre farm his father formerly had tried to cultivate with the aid of a family of boys, but he never produced as much on the entire farm in one year by the old style of farming as his son did last year under the new. Commenting on this instance The Washington Post says, that what is needed, is not more farmers but better farmers. There are millions of farmers in the United States today, it declares, who are land poor and every season are over-cropped. It has no doubt that there is land enough in this country planted "to feed the Caucasian races of the entire world if the same skill, industry and care were brought to the work that is devoted to it in England or France or Germany or Belgium."

We are glad to note that in this State, as is the case in others, the farmers are beginning to understand the new style and as they do so it is becoming more popular. The Agricultural Department of the State and Federal government are doing valuable work in giving instructions in this matter, through establishment of numerous experimental farms where the mode of intensive farming and its results are illustrated, and in other ways. These farms consist of a few acres selected by an agent of the department who instructs the owner in the manner of cultivation, the proceeds going to the owners of the land. In the near future there will be several such farms in every county in the State. Then the old style will soon disappear and farming will become what it should be—an enjoyable and remunerative profession.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

The undersigned, as trustee will sell at private sale that valuable improved town property within one block of the public square, in Lenoir, N. C., known as the "Spainhour lot," upon which Mr. J. G. Hall now resides. This lot fronts 210 feet on South Main Street; the same on Mulberry Street; and 165 feet on College Avenue.

Also, a farm in the Yadkin Valley, in Caldwell county, twelve miles from Lenoir, containing 380 acres, more or less; being the greater part of the "Cold Springs" farm on the North side of the Yadkin River, the property of Mrs. Annie E. Hall. The bottom land on this farm is among the richest and most productive of the lands of the Yadkin Valley.

For price and terms of sale, address

EDMUND JONES,
Attorney at Law,
Lenoir, N. C.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years it was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

Boiled alligator flesh tastes very much like veal. It is much eaten in India.

It is said by anatomists that people hear better with their mouths open.

Industrial School Founded.

An important movement in the way of industrial education for the children of the mountain districts Western North Carolina has reached a practical conclusion, and on Tuesday an institution will be started at the old Byer's home—stead, about two and one-half miles from Fletcher, in Henderson county, under the auspices of the Seven Day Adventist church, which will have for its principal object the industrial education of the residents of the mountains district. The farm contains about 435 acres.

The idea of the trustees is to establish a school which will prepare teachers in the various forms of industrial work, such as scientific farming, stock raising, practical household duties, cooking and nursing. The young men students will be instructed in the scientific methods of farming, trucking, stock raising and will, under the instructions of the professors and specialists, cultivate the whole farm. The products sold therefrom will defray all expenses of the school.

When the institution is well established training schools for nurses will be instituted and a primary department established where children can be given elementary instruction in farm work, as well as prepared for the higher branches of education.

The trustees for the school are as follows: Mrs. J. E. Rumbough, Asheville, Prof. Sydney Brownsberger and Prof. A. W. Spaulding of Asheville, Prof. E. A. Sutherland and P. T. McGinn, of Nashville, Tenn., and R. L. Williams, of Graysville.

NOTICE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a real estate mortgage, I will sell for cash to the highest bidder at the court house door in Lenoir, Caldwell county, North Carolina, on Monday, May 2nd, 1910 the following described real estate:

Lying and being in King's Creek township, Caldwell county, N. C., adjoining the lands of Lee St. Clair and others, and bounded as follows:

Beginning on a forked white oak T. B. Knight's corner and runs North to the original line; then East with said line to a conditional line made by Mary Dyson and V. L. Dyson; then with said line to a double chestnut corner; then a South-west course to a maple on a branch bank Lee St. Clair's corner; then up the branch to T. B. Knight's line; then a North-west course back to the beginning; containing 20 acres, more or less.

SECOND TRACT.—Beginning on a double white oak T. B. Knight's corner and runs West 4° North with said Knight's line 23 poles to a stake Knight's corner; thence with said Knight's line 80 poles to a stake in William Maltba's old line, then East with said Maltba's line to his own; then South with his own line to the beginning.

THIRD TRACT.—Beginning on a poplar in T. B. Knight's line near a small branch and runs North with said line 14 poles to a double white oak Knight's corner; then West 4° North 23 poles to a stake said Knight's corner; then South-east a straight line to the beginning.

The above described land is mortgaged to Wm. Koonce by Carter Phillips and Iano Phillips to secure a debt of \$100 and interest, dated 2nd day of December, 1908, and due 25th day of December, 1909. Said mortgage is registered in the Register's office in Caldwell county in book 4, page 318.

This March 14th, 1910.

WILLIAM KOONCE,
Mortgagee.

Fully one out of every ten cases of rheumatism is simply rheumatism of the muscles due to cold or damp, or chronic rheumatism, neither of which require any internal treatment. All that is needed to afford relief is the use application of Chamberlain's Liniment. Give it a trial. You are certain to be pleased with the quick relief which it affords. Sold by J. E. Shell and Dr. Kent, Druggists.