

SOUTH CAROLINA COLLEGE.

Scholarships for Men Teachers.

Eighty-two scholarships for men teachers! That is one of the fruits of the educational statesmanship of the late legislature. This Legislature at its first session in 1903 established in the South Carolina College forty-one normal scholarships, and at its next session doubled the number of these scholarships, making two from each county. This was to provide a new class, but as not all the holders will return, there will doubtless be as many as sixty new scholarships awarded this summer, one in every county and two to a county in many instances. Any person interested should write to President Benjamin Sloan or Prof. Patterson Wardlaw, Columbia, S. C.

Each of these scholarships pays \$40 in money toward living expenses, and exempts the holder from a fee of \$15, which is exacted of other students, and also exempts from the tuition fee of \$40, which, however, is remitted to any student who makes proof of inability to pay it. It admits a man entirely free and pays about half of his board. This munificence of the State is designed primarily to provide better teachers for the country, schools but incidentally it aids poor but worthy young men to obtain a College education and fit themselves for higher things in life. In order that the scholarships shall go to this class of young men and not be gobbled up by young fellows who could get to college without the scholarships, the awards are not made solely with reference to the marks made on the examination, and in nineteen years of its existence it has given preference to the country young man, whose technical preparation may be far less than that of the fifteen-year-old graduate of a town graded school, but whose maturity and earnestness are a guaranty that when given an opportunity to study in college he will pull through and make a man of himself. Preference is still further given to young men who have taught school. It is often the case that a young man in the country, although with poor preparation, attempts to teach the neighborhood school. For his own sake and for the sake of the schools he ought to be given a better education before he becomes settled in a life of inferior work. Hence the special effort of the authorities of the South Carolina College is to prepare young men teachers who are ill prepared for work while they can. The scholarship men last year were of the average age of 22-3 years, and the oldest was 33. It is hoped that such young men, having already developed some taste for teaching, and going to college with a definite purpose, will adhere to teaching as their profession. If the beneficiaries of these scholarships are conscientiously selected, a larger proportion of them would do as college men so often do, turn their backs on the country forever and become professional men in towns and cities. But where they have previously committed themselves to public school work, and then stop and go to college with the ideal of fitting themselves for better work in that line, there is a strong probability that for the most part they will return to country school teaching—a result which will richly repay the State for its liberal policy in providing for their training as teachers.

Each year better salaries are being paid in the country schools, and for several years there have been in several counties country schools which college-bred men of high reputation are proud to teach. The simplicity, freedom and beauty of country life, and the growing advantages, with telephones, mail deliveries, and libraries, have peculiar charms for the scholar and the thinker. The present indications are that within this decade country school teaching in South Carolina—so long held in disrepute—will be recognized as a choice profession. Already six to nine hundred dollars a year, with little expense for living, is not an inferior salary. Professor Wardlaw's men readily find desirable places, and the demand for such men increases each year.

The course of study is specially designed to improve the public schools. Last year it included, besides the usual subjects, special instruction in pedagogics, physics, nature study, and drawing, and the course for next year has been enlarged and improved and will include sight singing. The students had the benefit of observation and practice under a critic teacher, and next year will practice teaching in the Columbia public schools, having the benefit of the supervision and criticisms of Columbia's best teachers.

The better to impress the school spirit and arouse the young men to a sense of the dignity and magnitude of their profession, there will be a series of lectures by leading school superintendents and principals. Thus this body of young teachers combine theory and practice in their studies, and every two or three weeks will be stimulated by a special message from some notable educator fresh from daily contact with the practical problems of the schoolroom.

It is thus that the College is seeking to execute the wise plan of Legislature for improving the common schools of the State and raising the standard of citizenship. Assembling within her walls and at her seat of State government annually eighty-two young men teachers from the forty-one counties of the State, inspiring and broadening them by contact with students from all sections of the State and all spheres of life, strengthening their State pride and their unity of spirit with the best teachers of the State, the South Carolina College will teach them how to study and how to live, and how to teach, and will leave upon them her mark as men and gentlemen.

INVESTIGATION OF SCUPPERNON GRAPES.

The United States Department of agriculture is investigating the Scuppernon grape with a view to determining the best varieties, methods of culture, pruning, training, etc., as well as the uses to which the fruit can be put. One of the features of this investigation which is considered of particular importance is the locating of vines of this type either wild or in cultivation, that are known to excel in productiveness, size, color or quality of fruit, or in some other important particular. In this connection, the Viticulturist of the Bureau of Plant Industry, who has the work in charge, will be glad to receive reports on such vines from persons who know of their existence, stating the facts regarding them and the points of special merit that have been observed in them.

Correspondence regarding such vines should be addressed to Geo. C. Husman, Viticulturist, Bureau of Plant Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. The Department will, upon a application, furnish special mailing boxes and franks with which specimens of choice varieties can be forwarded to the Viticulturist for examination, without cost to the sender.

THE WORLD'S FAIR.

Millersburg, Ky. Aug. 20, 1904.

The feeling that came over me, on entering the grounds, of the largest Exposition the world has ever seen, was one of laziness. I felt at first, as if I wished to seat myself and look and look never to move again. But fortunately this feeling didn't linger long. I realized that to see all that lay before me meant that I must "be and do." Spread, but fan shape, before you, are the eight main buildings, Mines and Metallurgy, Liberal Arts, Education and Social Economy, Manufactures, Electricity and machinery, Varied Industries, Machinery Hall and Transportation Building, The Grand Cascades partly encircled by the Festival Hall and Terrace of States, back of which stands the beautiful group of buildings devoted to Fine Arts, form the main part of the view. The buildings are all ivory white, with just a touch of color at the tops to rest the eyes. Surrounding all the buildings are beautiful gardens and velvety lawns. Sagoons separate the buildings but across them are bridges guarded by statuary. The Palace of Education and Social Economy is the first building we visited. This building contains displays of the schools and colleges of the United States and Foreign Governments. The Palace of Varied Industries is one of great interest to all. Hall after hall of support, Oriental rugs, the beautiful Delft ware from Holland, Royal porcelain, from Denmark. Germany has a most extensive exhibit here. The most beautiful rooms are fitted up, toys and pottery of all sorts are displayed. One of the most beautiful exhibits I saw was one of color and a rack about six feet high covered with rose vines, was in the center of the exhibit; out of this rack burst a spring of rose water. The water was changed every day, the same water going over and over the rock during the day. The odor was perfect. Days could be spent here, but there is so much yet to be seen. We went next morning.

The Administration groups of buildings form a part of the future seat of Washington University. These buildings are situated on a hill side and the river from the steps of the main building is fine. In one of the rooms in this building is found the Queen's Jubilee presents. The presents are not very interesting as they are nearly all addresses from different countries. These are in different cases and are very costly. At the entrance stands a great big English soldier, and after walking through the long room you have to pass down the stairs at the other end of the room or be turned back by the guard at the door through which you entered. Leaving the Administration Building we visited a number of the Foreign Buildings; nearly all of these Buildings contain something of interest, relating to the country they represent. Nearly all of them have beautiful resting rooms, furnished with easy chairs and divans. Here too can be found delightful ice water, and is at such a premium on the grounds. Any where on the ground can be found slot machines, where, by putting a penny, a glass of water is gotten. It seemed odd, however, to have to pay for water. The Foreign Buildings are nearly all grouped together, just below the Administration Building. We visited nearly every one of them, but no one knows what a large amount of time it takes to see them all. Then, too, some of them are really not very interesting. Brazil has a beautiful building, and on one of the beautiful verandas is served coffee in real Brazilian style. Belgium, Italy, Austria, China, Cuba, Holland, and many other Foreign Buildings are grouped together here. Away from the others stands the French Building. You can't enter without a pass except at certain hours, certain days. We did not go there until our last day and thought we could get in but found it was impossible without a pass. I was so disappointed, and the Jefferson Guard, standing at the gates, said, "Do you really want to go in?" We all spoke at once, saying how disappointed we were. He had a pass in his pocket and handed it over and we went in. The building is a reproduction of the historic Grand Trianon at Versailles, and is surrounded by beautiful plat of ground, fifteen acres in extent. The interior is all and more than the outside promises. The Picture Gallery and the Billiard room are particularly beautiful. The Grand Trianon was one of the favorite residences of Napoleon. The gardens that surround this place is a most beautiful specimen of the landscape gardener's art. Germany's building was designed by Emperor William. It is on the high hill, from the crest of which, leaps the beautiful Cascades. The structure is a partial reproduction of the famous Schloss Castle at Charlottenburg, near Berlin. The gorgeous rooms, with their beautiful walls, hangings and chandeliers are filled with furniture and silver services that belong to the Emperor. In the great tower arches that strike the hour, thus impressing the visitor with the German Palace. Ceylon has a beautiful pavilion, and it is lavishly furnished with bric-a-brac, brought from the far East. The building is a reproduction of the Kandian Temple, which is one of the oldest pieces of architecture standing. Here I saw the most exquisite hand carved tables and cabinets, made of ebony. In the inner court, tea, hot and iced, is served by natives in their picturesque costumes, with their hair rolled over large tortoise shell combs. It was very interesting to listen to them and watch the way they used their eyes and hands to make things more explicit. England's building was right interesting in part. The main hall was lovely, had the tallest wains coating I ever saw. 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The rooms are all furnished with the Davis furniture. Across from this building is the New Jersey building. We visited here to call on Mrs. L. T. Bryan, but found that she had gone to Atlantic City. On entering this building some one called Mr. Brown, and it proved to be Patterson Butler, a negro boy from Abbeville. He is employed in the New Jersey building and

was very polite and kind to us. The Missouri building is the most magnificent building on the grounds. Entering we found an electric fountain in the center of a gigantic rotunda, the air is cool and sweet here, even on the warmest day. The other parts of the buildings are beautifully furnished and given over to the weary sight-seers. "West End."

State of South Carolina, COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE,

Court of Common Pleas. R. E. Cox, Plaintiff, against Abbeville Furniture Factory, Defendant.

By virtue of an order passed by his Honor Judge J. C. Klugh on the 6th day of August, 1904, in the above stated case, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder at Abbeville Court House, S. C., on Saturday, Monday, September 5th, 1904, within the legal hours of sale, the following described property belonging to the Abbeville Furniture Factory, to wit: All that lot or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the City of Abbeville, S. C., upon which is located the Abbeville Furniture Factory, with all buildings thereon. Machinery, Tools, Hardware, Glass, Oils, Varnish, Implements and appurtenances thereto; including all rough lumber on hand and in process of manufacture, all finished and unfinished furniture that may be on hand unsold on date of sale, and all other property belonging to the said corporation, except the accounts and claims now outstanding.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash. Purchaser to pay for papers. If terms of sale are not complied with in 30 minutes after property is knocked down, the same will be resold immediately in accordance with the order of the Court.

JOHN A. HARRIS, Receiver. Abbeville, S. C., Aug. 15th, 1904.

New York Boys for Abbeville.

Columbia, Aug. 17.—Commissioner of Immigration Watson expects in a few days to send to this State a couple of boys from the Children's Aid Society of New York. These boys are placed all over the country and several dozen will be brought to this State as soon as the regular season, Mr. Brace, returns from his vacation. The acting secretary does not feel like taking the responsibility of sending out a large number. As has been stated, these boys are not reformatory inmates, but usually foundlings cared for by this society and make excellent farm workmen. The two will be sent to Abbeville.

A Warning to Mothers.

Too much care cannot be used with small children during the hot weather of the summer months to guard against bowel troubles. A sure rule is to give them a dose of castor oil to correct any disorder of the bowels. Do not use any laxative that will give the child a grip, but see that it is fresh, as rancid oil nauseates and has a tendency to gripe. If you check the bowels, give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and they give a dose of castor oil, and the disease may be checked, but if the child is in danger avoid it. The castor oil and this remedy should be prepared at once and kept handy for use. The Foreign Buildings are nearly all grouped together, just below the Administration Building. We visited nearly every one of them, but no one knows what a large amount of time it takes to see them all. Then, too, some of them are really not very interesting. Brazil has a beautiful building, and on one of the beautiful verandas is served coffee in real Brazilian style. Belgium, Italy, Austria, China, Cuba, Holland, and many other Foreign Buildings are grouped together here. Away from the others stands the French Building. You can't enter without a pass except at certain hours, certain days. We did not go there until our last day and thought we could get in but found it was impossible without a pass. I was so disappointed, and the Jefferson Guard, standing at the gates, said, "Do you really want to go in?" We all spoke at once, saying how disappointed we were. He had a pass in his pocket and handed it over and we went in. The building is a reproduction of the historic Grand Trianon at Versailles, and is surrounded by beautiful plat of ground, fifteen acres in extent. The interior is all and more than the outside promises. The Picture Gallery and the Billiard room are particularly beautiful. The Grand Trianon was one of the favorite residences of Napoleon. The gardens that surround this place is a most beautiful specimen of the landscape gardener's art. Germany's building was designed by Emperor William. It is on the high hill, from the crest of which, leaps the beautiful Cascades. The structure is a partial reproduction of the famous Schloss Castle at Charlottenburg, near Berlin. The gorgeous rooms, with their beautiful walls, hangings and chandeliers are filled with furniture and silver services that belong to the Emperor. In the great tower arches that strike the hour, thus impressing the visitor with the German Palace. Ceylon has a beautiful pavilion, and it is lavishly furnished with bric-a-brac, brought from the far East. The building is a reproduction of the Kandian Temple, which is one of the oldest pieces of architecture standing. Here I saw the most exquisite hand carved tables and cabinets, made of ebony. In the inner court, tea, hot and iced, is served by natives in their picturesque costumes, with their hair rolled over large tortoise shell combs. It was very interesting to listen to them and watch the way they used their eyes and hands to make things more explicit. England's building was right interesting in part. The main hall was lovely, had the tallest wains coating I ever saw. The building is after "The Orangerie," a green house, for England's Queen's most choice flowers. The garden surrounding this building is the queerest and ugliest I ever saw. The box hedge is cut in all sorts of shapes; some dogs, cats, chickens, and so forth. I failed to see anything beautiful about these. Canada has a very good building; the parlors are as pretty as any on the grounds. The gentleman in charge of the immigration bureau, was very pleasant and offered me a whole lot of land in Canada if I was a widow. Nearly all the states in the Union except South Carolina, North Carolina and Alabama have buildings. Without a single exception, they are beautiful and no expense or trouble has been spared to make them attractive. New York has a lovely building; there is a large pipe organ in the rotunda and when we visited the building they were having a recital and we enjoyed it immensely. Mississippi has reproduced "Beauvoir," the home of Jefferson Davis. The rooms are all furnished with the Davis furniture. Across from this building is the New Jersey building. We visited here to call on Mrs. L. T. Bryan, but found that she had gone to Atlantic City. On entering this building some one called Mr. Brown, and it proved to be Patterson Butler, a negro boy from Abbeville. He is employed in the New Jersey building and

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Any person whose qualifications as an elector will be completed after the closing of the Registration Books but before the next election shall have the right to apply for and secure a registration certificate at any time within sixty days immediately preceding the closing of the Registration Books, upon an application under oath to the facts entitling him to such registration.

The registration of voters must be by polling precincts. There must be a Book of Registration for each polling precinct, that is for each township, or parish, or city, or town of less than five thousand inhabitants, or ward of cities of more than five thousand inhabitants. Each elector must vote in the polling precinct in which he resides. If there is more than one voting place in the polling precinct, the elector may vote at any voting place designated on the registration certificate. The Boards must designate in the registration certificate the voting place in the polling precinct at which the elector is to vote. If there is more than one voting place in the polling precincts, the Boards shall designate on the certificate the voting place selected by the elector. G. H. MOORE, Chm. S. S. BOLES, R. H. ARMSTRONG, Board of Supervisors of Registration

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