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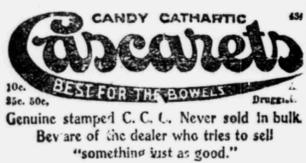
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CLOSING HOURS

Of the State Teachers' Association.
Election of Officers—Next Meeting
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Monday Afternoon

Miss Annie Sharpe, principal of the Kindergarten of our city, read one of the finest papers presented to the Teachers' Convention on Monday afternoon, upon the purpose and plan of the kindergarten system. The ability of Miss Sharpe is fully recognized among her patrons and our home people and we are glad the teachers of the state had the privilege of hearing her splendid paper.

State Superintendent Sheats was loudly called for and in response he said he did not care to take up the time of the association, but they would not take no for an answer, and he proceeded to make one of his soul stirring educational talks, that fairly glowed and bristled with indisputable facts. He spoke of the influences that created public school sentiment and made the cause a progressive one. In illustration he spoke of the splendid school building that was erected last summer at Gainesville. He said that community had less money now than twenty years ago, but through the untiring efforts of one man, who had done a world of sound school work, he so impressed those whose children should be the beneficiaries of the improvement, public sentiment soon expressed itself in an election that gave the money for the purpose.

We need money, more money than in the past to prosecute this work. We need more saturated school officials—so saturated with the spirit and purpose of the system that tangible results will flow from it. He said what one man could do in a community, a body of men could do for the county and state. God's plans are the right plans. God chose Martin Luther to do grand work—a man of strong individuality, force and power. A good cause, a good school needs no apology. He said one cause of apathy in our state was the fact that many of the tax payers felt the money given to the negro for school purposes was not given the returns in improved citizenship that it should. The speaker admitted the situation was a grave one, but the negro is here and we must shoulder the burden and give him a helping hand. We must have qualified teachers; without them we can not make progress. All the officials connected with schools should be able to tell good teachers at sight. None others should be employed. Poor schools were poor investments. Our schools should be conducted like a business—to make the investment pay. He closed by laying stress on the character of those who controlled and taught our schools. This was the paramount consideration, and with hearty, active, untiring co-operation, the good work was bound to proceed with the best results. To illustrate again the influence and power of work along these lines, he instanced the effort made in the last legislature to strike out the 5 mill limitation in the constitution for school purposes and insert an 8 mill rate of taxation. When the bill was first voted on it failed with twenty-eight votes. He immediately sat down and wrote forty letters to men of various sections interested in schools, and when the bill was reconsidered, there were forty-nine votes and it passed the house. This bill failed in the senate by three votes, which could have been amended, had the proper interest and pressure been brought on our legislature, and the result would have been different. If we only do our duty we will not cease to win a great victory. We need this work. The South needs this work and this advancement and if we only persevere, the work will live, shine and influence after we have passed beyond.

Mr. Sheats' address was a most forceful and masterful one, and his enthusiasm and fervid, eloquent words stirred the hearts of his hearers as few addresses during the session of the association.

Mr. Hale

This charming elocutionist was called on and delighted the audience by his rendering a very humorous piece entitled the "Little boy and the bear," one of Whitcomb-Riley life like poetic effusions. The audience insisted on an encore and got the tramp's history of Columbus' discovery of America.

C. L. Hays, president of the DeFuniack Normal, was called on and told how the Southern Educational Association, held last week at Columbia, elected Mr. Sheats president of that distinguished body over a man like President McIver of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Greensboro, N. C. It was an honor worthily bestowed and speaks well for the

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An Atlanta Professor Captures One of Marion's Fairest, Brightest Teachers

Miss Sarah Bull, of this city, who is teaching the Orange Springs school this term, was married at 12:30 today, at the home of her father, W. C. Bull, to Prof. A. H. Foster, a professor of languages in an Atlanta college. The wedding was a great surprise to the friends of the popular and accomplished bride.

There were none present at the marriage excepting the immediate family and the faculty of the Florida Conference College at Leesburg, where Miss Bull taught last year.

Professor Lang, principal of the college, performed the ceremony which joined the two young lives.

The young couple took the 2 o'clock Plant System train for Orange Springs, where they will remain till tomorrow, and will then separate, Professor Foster going to his duties in Atlanta, and his wife remaining to finish her school at Orange Springs.

The young folks met last spring at Titusville, where they both were teaching.

The groom is a fine specimen of young manhood and is a great favorite with the faculty of his college.

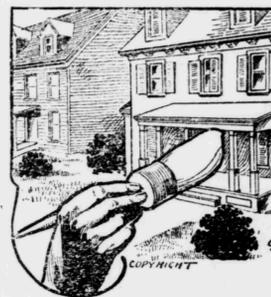
Miss Bull, his fair bride, is one of the most successful of the young teachers of this county, and if she continues the profession, will make a name for herself. She has grown from childhood to womanhood in this city and has many friends here who wish her well.

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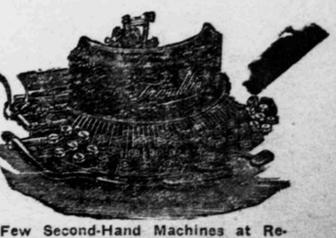
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