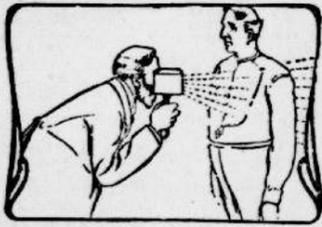


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The Cane Crop

Louisiana Planter.

Our correspondents in the country have sent in this week more favorable reports concerning the crop situation. The weather has been quite hot and dry, and the young cane has made a better showing. The stubbles are still reported to be quite disappointing and the general belief appears to be that the stubble crop will be short, but there is still room for a marked recovery, especially if we are able to get a good rain and hot weather. After the almost incessant rainfall of the past eighteen months we have now experienced a spell of dry weather and a good rain would now be welcome throughout the sugar district and would have a beneficial effect. Our planters have all taken advantage of the fair, hot days to thoroughly cultivate their fields, and although the labor supply is short most of them have succeeded in getting their field work well up to date.

There are two ways of viewing the recent order of Supt. Aswell regarding parish superintendents of instruction. If the aim of the ruling is solely to promote the interests of the school system of the state well and good. If it is, as has been freely suggested, a play in politics, it is essentially bad. Local experience in the matter leads us to believe we have hold of the political end of the proposition.—Zwolle Herald.

We believe, Bro. Stanton, that you are off on the political end of the proposition, as the progress made in the educational line since Mr. Aswell has been in office has been plain enough

to be seen by a blind man. Just open your eyes and take a peep in Lafayette, Calcasieu and other parishes and see. Bro., there are but few moss-back parishes left in the State—Boyce Advertiser.

Every Poultry Yard

Should have a pan of Crystal Grits for chickens. We have a few sacks for sale at the Moss Pharmacy.

God Reigned in Golden Gate Park.

Memphis News Scimitar.

It was Sunday in Golden Gate Park.

Thousands of men, women and children, destitute, some suffering, all close to the most sublime tragedy this country has ever witnessed, gathered about a simple old man, white-haired, peaceful faced.

There were men there who had not seen the inside of a church in years; there were those who had deemed prayer weakness, and religion a sham. There were those who had scoffed and those who had forgotten the days when they had knelt at mother's knee, and then slipped off to bed, feeling, somehow, that somewhere there was a Great Sheltering Hand that would care for them.

Yes, they were all there with their sorrow and their tears. The great fear had held them.

Then these words were read, words as grand, as impressive as God's out-of-doors:

"Other refuge have I none, hangs my helpless soul on Thee; Leave, oh, leave me not alone; still support and comfort me."

And thousands of people joined in that simple hymn and sang the sorrow from their breasts; sang till heaven seemed closer; sang still Hope found place in aching breasts; sang to the glory of the Almighty and in a belief that whatever is must be for good; sang for the better days that are to come.

Crude music and as sincere as the love of a mother; rude harmony but as true as human sympathy.

And the white haired preacher knelt in the grass and prayed, prayed as only a man can pray who has unshaken faith in a just God. He asked for a blessing on a stricken people, for strength to bear burdens. He prayed for Hope, for light, for guidance. And he told his God that a chastened people still trusted and believed, and were sure that all would be well.

No great organ pealed as a silken clad congregation passed out of a church. These people were near to God, and they wore blankets, rags, the cheapest garments, to hide their nakedness.

But they were nearer to that inscrutable Providence that rules the earth, that governs the tide and the life of the sparrow, than ever before.

There were no stained glass windows, but the setting sun was nature's own, a haven for a

multitude in time of peril.

And hope was born on that Sunday. And there was new courage to do and be and to face calamity with stout hearts; to set face toward duty and to again do men's work; to build better, cleaner, saner, finer.

Ah, the New City of the Golden Gate was born on that Sunday morning, and who shall foretell its greatness?

The comfort of real religion? The thousands found it? "All my trust on Thee is stayed; all my help from Thee I bring, Cover my defenseless head with the shadow of Thy wing."

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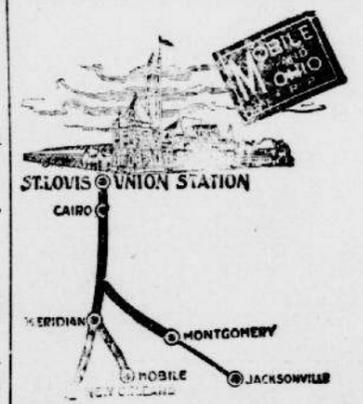
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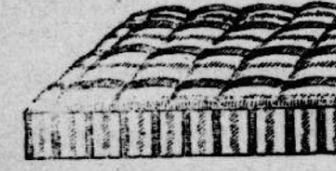
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