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EDUCATIONAL.

GULF BIOLOGIC STATION, CAMERON, LA.

Editor Enterprise:

In the year of 1898, the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana authorized the creation and establishment of a Biologic Station upon the Gulf of Mexico to be within the confines of Louisiana.

At this same time a board was appointed consisting of the leading educational men of the State, who were to have complete control of the station. In 1900 this act was amended, adding the President of the Southwestern Industrial Institute to the the Board of Control. This Board was granted the power to accept and use any donatiops for the benefit of the station; to acquire lands upon which to build the Station; to receive all money appropriated by the State, or donated by private parties.

In fact they were given all power and authority to carry out the purpose of this institution, in investigating the Fauna and Flora of the gulf and its adjacent waters.

In 1899 a committee of two, Prof. B. C. Caldwell, President of State Normal School, vice-President of Biologic Station, and Prof. A. A. Morgan, Director of the Biologic Station, were appointed to visit the coast to select a suitable site for such a Station.

A desirable location at the mouth of the Calcasieu river in Cameron parish was selected.

The late Hon. S. P. Henry, who is said to have been the originator of this great movement, and through whose influence, interest and determination the bill was passed, donated ten acres of land, the amount necessary for the building and grounds.

Prof. A. A. Morgan, we can truthfully state, has the welfare of the parish at heart. His great interest in the erection of the building; the many kind words and acts only go to testify that Cameron is fortunate in having this station on her coast and so influential a man as its director.

He is doing more than is generally known. The citizens of Cameron parish appreciate his worth and I know will meet any demands that may arise.

The parish of Cameron came to the front by donating $500. Calcasieu nobly assisted her sister parish by contributions of money and lumber—money amounting to $500 and lumber, contributed by the lumber companies, approximately, 90,000 feet.

The Assembly were then asked to appropriate $15,000. Owing to the scarcity of funds, only $5000 was appropriated. The building has been erected, and it is a structure the State can be proud of.

It is massive, well ventilated, and built to resist storms. The rooms are 20x34½ and open into one another, so that the light and ventilation can be well regulated from above as well as below.

The foundations are magnificently constructed.

The building is thoroughly braced by means of iron rods, which are fastened to the base of the foundations, below the ground, and the floor above. The interior has not been completed, but the exterior has.

The total disbursements amounted to $5241.46, leading a cash balance of only $758.50.

The needs of such a station are many. So that you may better appreciate the financial embarassment, I will state needs necessary to carry on such an institution.

Boats, for shallow and deep water investigations; laboratory equipments, such as microscopes, instruments, seines, dredges, nets and shelving for laboratory.

Cultural experiments, ponds, jars for breeding, pumps and labor to carry on the required experiments.

To procure these necessities $11,385 is needed.

The Assembly cannot be expected to meet all demands without the aid of the people.

What I want to emphasize is this: Louisiana has 1950 miles of coast line unstudied.

Nine of the parishes border on the gulf, and are to be benefitted by this station. If the Police Jury of each of these parishes which are to be so benefitted by such an institution would appropriate $250, making a total of $2250 towards the purchasing of needs for the Station, the central and northern parishes would more willingly come to our assistance.

The money for these needs should be appropriated, some may say. Very true. But we must not forget one, and the most important fact, that is: capable men must be paid to carry on this grand work. By assistance, the needs may be purchased, and men secured for the work.

When once the station is thoroughly equipped and the study of the life-cycle and habits of the oyster once begun, one cannot imagine a greater inducement to offer capitalists who are interested in the marine resources of the state.

Our State will then be the banner State; for every mile of coast line contains mines of wealth and hidden treasures for the student of the sciences.

Large collection of marine plants and animals are to be, and are now being made and properly classified, preparatory for future work.

Having visited the Biologic Station, I can truthfully state that the teacher who is not interested, or makes no effort toward grasping the opportunities soon to be offered by the state, by spending the summer months studying and collecting marine life is making a great mistake.

The teacher is not the only loser. Think of the amount of information gained for the science work, to be used in the ensuing term.

All scientific problems, in reference to oysters, crabs, shrimps, etc., will be readily solved by actual experiment.

The importance of this great movement so forcibly impressed and interested me, that I have written the above synopsis of the creation and establishment of the Biologic station to awaken an interest throughout the parishes, as well as to acquaint those who have not seen a copy of the first report, in which was stated what has been and is yet to be done.

Donations are acceptable, whether large or small, and should be sent to Prof. H. A. Morgan of Baton Rouge, or Prof. B. C. Caldwell of Natchitoches. I trust that all who have not, will take an interest in this great work.

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We are helped to understand the great changes going on in the world, in the part that belongs to agriculture especially, by a statement of the amount of cotton, wool and flax used in the factories of Europe and in the United States in 1840 and in 1894. The figures are for tons.

We begin with 1840—cotton, 389,000; wool, 340,000; flax, 590. In 1894—cotton, 2,226,000; wool, 1,068,000; flax, 1,544,000. We thus get an idea of the change wrought; this exhibit giving "approximately the quantity of each fiber entering into the commerce of the world" in the course of each of the two years.

Since 1870 flax has practically gone out of the competition. From 1870 to 1880 "the commercial supply of cotton increased 45 per cent., while that of wool increased 26 per cent. In the next decade there was a gain of 45 per cent. in cotton and 51 per cent. in wool. In the last decade, from 1990 to 1900, the gain in cotton was 30 per cent., and that in wool only 9 per cent."

If we take the "entire period of thirty years, from 1870 to 1900, the increase in the supply of cotton was 174 per cent., and in that of wool 107 per cent." At the present time "there are three times as much cotton used as wool," and more than seven times as much of it as there is of flax.

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