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THE NEWSPAPER JOB

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A liter ^{ary} genius is a man who has the ability of saying the common things of life that you know are true and saying them in artistic form, so that when you hear them speak you say: "I had thought of that but couldn't express it in words." We take the crude marble of thought, rough and indefinite in shape and carve it into a Michelangelian angel of expression. There is a man of that type in California. He is a preacher and he thought he could run a newspaper; he tried it one day and told how it felt. Someone clipped for him and handed it to us, and we thought it entirely too good to run. What Others Say" we are going to give it more prominence. Here it is:

Many people believe that a newspaper falls together without work or concerted activity or plan. Rev. McLeod, a Presbyterian minister at Pasadena, was of the opinion, and asked to be allowed to edit an edition of the Pasadena Star. The editor gladly accepted the opportunity to go fishing and the minister took up his duties in the newspaper office. This is how he felt when he found himself at the end of the task, which, it must be said, had been done quite creditably:

"My time is almost up as I pen this last line; my hand is almost paralyzed; my brain is befuddled, and I am free to confess that I am right glad to vacate the holy spot. Such rush and riot and disarray. Such a jumble of potpourri; it strikes me as the effort to bring order out of chaos, and to do it lightning quick.

"I am reminded of the memorable words, 'The earth was without form and void, and darkness was upon the face of the waters.' Never shall I criticize newspaper men more. I shall pray for them. They will have my heart's forbearance henceforth and forever. They are the hardest-worked, shortest lived, poorest paid brain workers on this weary old world of ours."

Who said when it poured it rained? This week The Sentinel's typesetting machine has been out of fix, our gasoline engine wouldn't run, we haven't had any lights in a week, our office roof leaks so that we had to wear a raincoat and overshoes while it was raining Monday and Tuesday. Outside of that and minor troubles we are getting along all right, but it will take about two hundred renewal subscriptions during the next week to put us in good humor.

NOTICE OF TEACHERS EXAMINATION PICKENS COUNTY.

To Be Held Oct. 7th. and 8th.

By order of the State Board of Education, the regular teachers examination will be held at the Court House, Pickens, S. C., Friday the 7th, and Saturday the 8th. This examination is given under the certification rules adopted July 1st., 1921. It embraces three groups of questions: the first for Primary Certificates, the second for General Elementary Certificates and the third for High School Certificates.

The Primary examination embraces the following twelve subjects: English Grammar and Language, Arithmetic, Playground and Community Activities, S. C. and U. S. and General History, Geography, Civics and Current Events. Literature, Pedagogy, Physiology and Hygiene, Nature Study and Agriculture, School Law, Algebra.

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The General Elementary examination embraces the following twelve subjects: English Grammar and Composition, Arithmetic, History S. C. and U. S., Geography, Civics and Current Events, Spelling, Reading, Pedagogy, Physiology and Hygiene, Nature Study and Agriculture, School Law, Algebra.

The High school examination embraces the following twelve subjects: Grammatical Analysis and Composition, Literature, Principles of Teaching American History and Civics, Science, General Science, Physiology, Biology Physics, Chemistry, Agriculture, Home Economics—seven offered, (two required), Arithmetic, Algebra, Geometry, Foreign Language, (Latin, French, Spanish, German—four offered, one required), Ancient History and Modern History, and School Law.

Each applicant may choose the examination he or she prefers in accordance with the certificate he or she desires.

All prospective teachers and all teachers wishing to improve the grade of their present license might take this examination with advantage.

The examination will begin promptly at 9:00 A. M.

F. V. Clayton,
Co. Supt. of Education.

NOTICE

The patrons of Peters Creek District No. 35 are hereby notified that the Compulsory law will come in effect in the said district on November 1st.

J. E. Fiddle
W. E. Hunt
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Trustees.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

All persons holding claims against the estate of the late Julius Bowen must present the same, duly proven, on or before the 15th day of October, 1921, or be debarred payment, and all persons indebted to said estate must make payment of or before the above date to A. G. Bowen.

A. G. Bowen
Administrator

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J. M. Wood, Sunset, S. C.

Sow Wheat this Fall and Prepare for the Boll Weevil

This pest is almost certain to do a great amount of damage in this county next year. We will sell the best seed wheat for this climate to farmers at cost, which will be about two dollars per bushel. Give us or T. A. Bowen your order.

Below you will find what we consider appropriate words concerning the South of today, written by the well known Southerner, Henry W. Grady:

THE FULLNESS OF OUR DAY

"When every farmer in the South shall eat bread from his own fields and meat from his own pastures and disturbed by no creditor, and enslaved by no debt, shall sit amid his teeming gardens, and orchards, and vineyards, and dairies, and barnyards, pitching his crops to his own wisdom and growing them in independence, making cotton his clean surplus, and selling it in his own time, and in his chosen market, and not at a master's bidding—getting his pay in cash and not in a receipted mortgage that discharges his debt, but does not restore his freedom—then shall be breaking the fullness of our day."

The Pickens Bank

JUST RECEIVED

One car of Red Oats,
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We are expecting a car of Flour this week. If cotton goes higher flour will also advance. Our advice is to buy now.

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PLANTING FALL WHEAT

Clemson College.—A great many farmers are preparing to plant a fall crop of wheat this year. We heartily approve this practice of raising wheat for home consumption and believe it should be more generally practiced, says Prof. C. P. Blackwell, agronomist, who believes that our yields are too low here to make it a profitable crop to plant as a money crop but that it does pay a farmer to plant enough for his own use. He suggests that after the wheat is removed in the spring the land may be planted in either cow peas, soy beans, peanuts or a late crop of corn.

Most of the wheat crop of this state is planted in cotton or corn middles. This is a very good practice, especially if the three-tube drill is used to do the planting. If the land is plowed in preparation for wheat, it should be plowed as early as possible and medium deep. But land should not be plowed deep just before planting, for wheat needs a firm seed bed.

Varieties.—There are several varieties of about equal value, some being best in some seasons and others in other seasons. The varieties generally giving best results are Blue Stem, Lem's Profic, Red May, and Dietz Mediterranean.

Time to Plant.—The best time to plant is the earliest date possible to get the wheat up after frost. In order to avoid Hessian fly damage, wheat should not be up until after frost, but the sooner it comes up after frost the better the yield can be expected.

Rate of Seeding.—If seeded with a drill on ordinary land, five pecks per acre is best. If seeded broadcast, it is best to use six pecks per acre.

Fertilizers.—During ordinary times it is not profitable to make heavy applications of commercial fertilizer to wheat. For average South Carolina land 200 pounds of acid phosphate and 100 pounds of cotton seed meal at time of planting will give good results, if 50 to 100 pounds of soda are used as a top dressing in the early spring. Wheat should not be planted on very poor land with the expectation of getting a good yield.

It will pay to treat the seed for smut. Directions for this treatment have also been published by Clemson College.

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