

THE INDIVIDUAL PLAN.

A private school as a rule is an unappreciated institution. The man or woman who gives time and attention to the education of children and rises above the merely money-making consideration is entitled to public sympathy and is indeed a public benefactor. What is known as the "individual plan" of education is the outgrowth of the advanced educational systems. It is a plan that rests on the assumption that every human being is worthy of the best effort and study of the teacher for that individual child's "own" sake, not for the parent's sake or for the sake of society. The motto of the individual school is "what we do we will do well," not in the aggregate or in the mass but for the special abilities and special talent and the special gifts, great or small, that God has given to this particular child, and recognizing that no two children are gifted alike.

Wm. J. Betts, M. A., a graduate of Yale College, has established such a school at Stamford, Conn., and says of it in Harper's Magazine for September: "This is an individual school—that is to say, we make the individual, not the class, the basis of work; a bright student is not held back, and the slower boy is encouraged. We teach the student first to see, and then to tell what he sees going on around him in nature and practical life. We give a thorough and critical preparation for Technical Schools and Universities and a liberal practical training to those not intending to enter college. We make the preparation of lessons, the learning "how to study" and the mastery of the subject in hand, of first importance—recitations of secondary importance."

Salem is to have a school on the individual plan and, the system is well worthy of the investigation of the parent who believes in having the child developed from within to the very best of its God-given talents, instead of being eyed down to the average by meaningless examinations, often succeeding frantic cramming, to keep up with certain courses of study, whether the child understands what it has been over or not, both teacher and child interested only in getting over the surface in a certain time.

C. M. Beak writes from Swindon, Eng: "If an Oregon farmer had been with me he would have been frightened to see live stock selling at such large figures, viz: Cattle from \$80 to \$120 each, sheep \$14, calves \$16, hogs \$15; how do the prices compare?" He says nothing of other crops. It is a well known that live stock sells at boon prices in England. It is also well known all other agriculture has been terribly depressed the past year. Ten to one, Mr. Beak returns to Oregon to live.

In 1892 the Democrats put up a single standard candidate on a double standard platform. This year in Kentucky they are running a double standard candidate on a single standard platform. But they can't fool all the people all the time.

A JOURNAL telegram last month said the gold syndicate would put Chicago wheat down to 55 cents. They put it to 56 1/2 Tuesday.

The Republicans have a great deal of good material for president. The Democrats have a great deal of poor material.

Salem should skim the cream off this country for thirty miles each way for a big butter factory.

The stiffer the wind the better the American sailor boys like it, in the yacht contest.

The Yankee boys are sailors, too.

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NEW YORK HOP YARDS.

There cannot be said to be very much buying going on here to present, although a few sales of Humphreys and the late crop are reported at 7 to 8c.

Many will finish picking this week, and the largest growers will be through by next week. On careful inquiry it appears that while many are getting more than they expected there is a great falling off in other yards, so that about here about 60 per cent. of last year will be the average crop.

The crop is being gathered in fine shape and an extra good quantity will be the result.

(N. Y. Journal & Bulletin, Sept. 5.) There is a very light movement at the moment, brewers and growers being alike indifferent to the market. Exporters also are without orders and their advices indicate a lack of inquiry on the other side corresponding with the conditions on this side. Quotations for all N. Y. or Pacific Coast varieties are without change.

T. Rosenwald & Co. announce they have received per steamer Trays the first bale of Bohemian hops of the new crop 1895. The hops are of excellent quality.

Copertown R-publican, Sept. 4: The picking of hops is general through this section, James F. Clark will finish next week, and will have over 200,000 pounds. The estimate now made by growers is a fine quality of hops and about 60 per cent. of the yield of last year.

A STATE RAILROAD SCHEME

SIDNEY, Or., Sept. 8.

EDITOR JOURNAL:—Permit me to suggest a plan whereby the people of the state of Oregon may show to this country at large that ownership of railroads by the people is practicable.

I notice in THE JOURNAL a half column of matter on the probability of an electric railway being built connecting Salem and Portland and there is no doubt but what, as you say "it would be a profitable investment." Now I have a plan, as I said at the start, that can be worked profitably, both to the state and to all who may have to travel over the route.

We will suppose the governor has power to appoint a board consisting of three suitable persons. One a civil engineer, another a practical railroad constructor and another to be an attorney. Let them locate the road and then there will be no difficulty in obtaining the right of way; then let the contract be let in sections of five and ten miles to the lowest responsible bidder for the construction of the road.

Now to the important part, namely, the plan for raising the necessary funds for the construction of the road and its equipment. It is this: Issue state bonds of denomination of \$50, \$100, \$500 and \$1000 bearing 6 per cent, and to run twenty years, payable at the option of the state. Sell those bonds and pay off the constructors and equippers.

Then let a receiver take charge of the road and run it at cost and 10 per cent of cost. Set the 10 per cent outside for a sinking fund and when the first interest falls due call in bonds to the amount of the remainder of sinking fund after interest is paid. In this way we will run the road in the interest of the travelling public, and at the same time cause those who use the road to unconsciously pay for the road, and before the twenty years pass by we will have a road clear. Then cut down the rates to cost.

Now Mr. Editor, if you are working really for the interests of the people, place this proposition before them. Yours truly, MILTON BROWN.

The regatta committee gave the second race to the Defender on a foul. She won it fairly and can any day.

Capt. Symons was properly fired from the government works in this part of Oregon, after his bad break at Yaquina Bay.

The Cleveland Democrats are going to support the Republican candidate for governor in Kentucky.

The earth and ocean are ours so far as England is concerned. And we'll keep 'em.

Salem Baptists will soon dedicate a church that would be a credit to any town.

RAILROAD JOTTINGS.

Berlin is to have an elevated railroad like New York, with the difference that electricity is to be used as the motive power.

The Lake Shore Electric Railway company has been incorporated, with a capital of \$10,000,000. The new line will run from Chicago to Milwaukee.

The Monterey and Mexican Gulf Railroad company has arranged with the Mexican government to extend the road from Trevino to Sierra Mojada, and thence to Mazatlan, on the Pacific coast.

All the employees of the Lehigh Traction company at Hazleton, Pa., are insured by the company. This is done in order to protect the men in case of any injury, or perhaps death, that they might sustain in an accident.

Origins of Cannibalism.

Herr Henkenius, in The Deutsche Rundschau, has an interesting paper on the origin of cannibalism, which appears to have sprung up among mankind after they had made a certain social advance. The lower animals rarely devour their own species, and no traces of the vice have as yet been found among the relics of the prehistoric men. Some have attributed the practice to religious motives, but Henkenius thinks that hunger and the superstition about eating the heart or any other part of an enemy in order to acquire his courage were the original incentives, and that religious motives were a later development.

silvering Mirrors.

Mirrors are usually silvered by coating the glass with amalgam. For this purpose a large, perfectly flat stone is provided, and upon it is evenly spread a sheet of tin foil without crack or flaw. This is covered to the depth of one eighth of an inch with clean mercury. The plate of glass, perfectly cleaned from all grease and impurity, is floated on to the mercury by sliding, so as to exclude all air bubbles. It is then pressed down by loading it with weights, in order to press out all the mercury which remains fluid. This is received in a gutter around the stone. After about 24 hours it is gently raised upon its edge, and in a few weeks it is ready to frame.—Family Journal.

What do you charge to wash a shirt?" inquired the man at the counter in the laundry.

"What kind of a shirt?" asked the clerk, with his mind on outing shirts, dress shirts, negligees and the various other possibilities in that line.

"A dirty shirt," replied the man, and the clerk fell in a faint.—Detroit Free Press.

Old Lady.—Poor man! So you've been living on water for three days. Here's a quarter.

Bollingstone.—Yes'm. I was workin' me way on a canalboat.—Opelika (Ala.) People's Choice.

The Defender is declared a two-time winner. Won't England kick, though.

Cleveland is already a third-terminer—on girl babies.

The next president ought to bust the gold trust.

THE JOURNAL does not believe in the blues.

Push the Salem butter factory, that is to be.

Bust the gold trust, say the people.

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