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WANTS A HEARING.

To the Editor of The Bee: The Council Bluffs Nonpartisan of Saturday, May 27th, contains an article signed by W. H. Hall, bitterly assailing and traducing the management of the Feeble-Minded Asylum at Glenwood. His charges not only reflect upon myself but also upon Dr. Thrall of Ottumwa, D. M. Baker of Chariton, Fred O'Donnell of Dubuque, and E. R. S. Woodson of Glenwood, the latter two being his associates on the present board. The article charges the grossest abuses, and abounds in wicked and cunningly worded insinuations and enuocues.

I prepared a reply on presenting it to Col. Chapman for insertion in his paper was met with a positive refusal, after his paper had given publicity, with a cruel editorial comment, to an article which sought to make infamous my management of an institution which I had organized and made a grand success, if the opinion of scores of the good men of Iowa is worth anything. Will far minded people consider the refusal to give me a hearing in my own defense as just and honorable treatment.

Will you please publish the reply, and with the hope that all concerned will give it a careful perusal, I am, Very respectfully, O. W. ARCHIBALD, ARCHIBALD'S ANSWER.

In Gov. Gear's message to the last General Assembly a table is given showing the cost of the various state institutions, from which we quote as follows: Monthly cost per inmate, College for the Blind, \$24.00; Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, \$18.00; Hospital for Insane at Mt. Pleasant, \$15.00; Asylum for Feeble-Minded, \$13.75.

Now, it seems singular that an institution with an exhibit showing a smaller expense per inmate and a smaller ratio of employees to inmates should be named, should be singled out as an "extraneous" and unwarranted. The trustees of the institution the governor was correct, inasmuch as they report: "The Glenwood asylum is one of the best managed institutions to be found among the charities of Iowa."

My object in writing this article was to give the public a fair and correct view of the management of the institution, and to show that the three unprincipled legislators do not agree with the report of the governor's commission. I wish to be understood as saying that the management of the institution is not what it is represented to be in the report of the governor's commission.

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Frankenstein and died before it reached the asylum. Mr. Hall grows really facetious in noting the runaway and the breaking of my buggy; he calls it "gossamer like"; true, it was a light rig, suitable for two persons, but it was used for the benefit of the institution. When it was broken the trustees kindly allowed the expense of repairing it to be paid from the funds of the state. The state owned the light buggy and they thought if I was willing to buy or a with my own money, the state could well afford to keep it in repair. Every vehicle owned by me has been loaned in the service of the institution.

Now, while having a little "horse talk," it will not be amiss to set Mr. Hall right in the matter of expense connected with the keeping of the one team. The team in question was bought by the trustees for \$125, about seven months ago, September, 1881, and was the first money the state of Iowa ever invested in horse flesh for the institution for feeble-minded children, except in a pair of horses bought previously, and not being suited to the work were sold and the money invested in this team. The team originally cost me about \$200, and when sold, after two years of free service for the state, they were worth the price paid by the trustees, but the loss by the deterioration in price was mine.

These personal losses and sacrifices made by me for the benefit of the institution, will not be forgotten. Mr. Hall's sawdust array of expenses connected with keeping them during the last winter period. As was said the state's own money was used, and a considerable sum had to be diverted from the living expenses of the inmates. It is a matter of fact that the amount of full consumed was greater than during any previous winter, and a considerable sum had to be diverted from the living expenses of the inmates. It is a matter of fact that the amount of full consumed was greater than during any previous winter, and a considerable sum had to be diverted from the living expenses of the inmates.

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