MINNESOTA VISITORS TO
"Piney Woods Country Life School"
(Corporate Name)
Braxton, Mississippi

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. DeLaire, of Atikin, Minnesota, standing in front of their guest cottage in Piney Woods. Mr. DeLaire is president of the First National Bank of Atikin.

Mr. J. B. Sutherland, of the D. C. Bell Investment Co., Minneapolis, Minn., and the W. O. Finkbine party from Des Moines, Iowa, by the cedar tree under which in 1909 Piney Woods School had its beginning.

Piney Woods School,
Braxton, Mississippi
The New Year—1923.

Dear Friend:
The above Minnesota friends of standing and large business experiences have taken time to visit this little industrial school in the piney woods.

Mr. and Mrs. DeLaire spent nearly a week thoroughly inspecting every department.

Mr. DeLaire knows practical farming as well as banking and is very anxious that our agricultural department be strengthened. To do this we will need the following:

- Two registered cows: $180.00
- Small dairy barn: $350.00
- Some improved agricultural implements: $275.00
- Pair medium-size young mules: $300.00
- Some good new seed: $140.00
- Flock good Plymouth Rock: $25.00
- A young Duroc boar: $40.00
- A young Duroc gilt: $25.00
- Three Duroc gilts: $10.00 each
- Pair medium-size young mules: $90.00
- Some good new seed: $15.00
- Flock good Plymouth Rock: $20.00
- A young Duroc boar: $30.00
- A young Duroc gilt: $15.00

A few sheep at $7.00 apiece.

Salary for a well-trained agricultural instructor, $600.00. This will enable us to co-operate with the Smith-Hughes Agricultural co-operative work of the U. S. Government.

With this total of $1,935.00 we can bring about the necessary changes in our agricultural department. This will make possible both the improved methods, the better training for our boys, and a larger and better supply of daily bread for our tables.

We hope that if you know, or do not know, these splendid Minnesota men whose pictures are printed here, you will refer to them for reference as to the standing and value of Piney Woods School, and will be willing to give something toward this equipment which will be a means of self help to us. Even a dollar will help to bring this about.

Thanking you for reading this letter, in the joy of spraying a human orchard,

Laurence Jones
Founder and Principal.

SOME OF OUR OTHER MINNESOTA FRIENDS WHO HELP US

SAINT PAUL, MINNESOTA
Mr. J. Clair Stone.
Mr. Wm. Dean

NORTHFIELD, MINNESOTA
Mrs. M. W. Skinner

WINONA, MINNESOTA
Mr. C. M. Youmans
Mr. O. A. Bierce

BRAINERD, MINNESOTA
G. D. LaBar, Pres. 1st. Nat'l Bk.

DULUTH, MINNESOTA
Van Duse Harrington Co.
Mr. G. G. Dickerson
Wilbur B. Joyce

ANOKA, MINNESOTA
Mr. L. J. Greenwald
Cashier Anoka Nat'l Bank

NEW ULM, MINNESOTA
Eagle Roller Mill Co.

STILLWATER, MINNESOTA
Mr. and Mrs. D. J. McCuah

RED WING, MINNESOTA
Mrs. C. E. Sheldon

MANKATO, MINNESOTA
D. G. Willard

LITTLE FALLS, MINNESOTA
Mr. Drew Musser

HERON LAKE, MINNESOTA
C. K. Willard

WILMAR, MINNESOTA
C. W. Odell, Pres. 1st. Nat'l Bank

FARIBAULT, MINNESOTA
Mr. Alson Blodgett

JACKSON, MINNESOTA
Mr. A. G. Cheadle
Pres. First Nat'l Bk.