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"BEGIN TO GO TO CHURCH, SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 15th."

WHAT IS THE USE?

Arguments in Favor of Going to Church Sunday to be Had Sunday Feb. 15

THE IDEA IS BEING PUSHED

As an habitual church-goer and consequently one who has spent a good deal of time in God's sanctuary, the writer has been asked to express in these columns his private conception of the propriety of church attendance. In other words, what's the use of spending time which could be employed in other pursuits—at least two hours every Sabbath in the house of God? We are fully convinced that the average man of affairs places too great a premium upon his available time to concern himself with things which do not make for his benefit. It is, therefore, of first importance to establish a real profit derived from church attendance before we expect attention to what we have to offer.

In the first place, there is hardly a one of us who has not at some time wished for a better country than this earthly abode. If therefore we realize that the turmoils and cares of this life, together with whatever we may be able to glean of this world's goods, must all be left behind at the close of life, does it not behoove us, once every seven days to turn aside from the battle of the commercial world and fix our attention upon things eternal? Does it not appear to be the part of sound judgement to cultivate, together with the fleeting things of life, the only thing which we know is enduring?

It is hardly true that many of us wilfully neglect to go to church when Sunday comes around. Few of us cultivate a grrouch at the Almighty, or are inclined to infidelity. Why, if the churches were suddenly to give it up as a bad job and quit the town, some of us who rarely, if ever darken the portals of the sanctuary would be the first to deplore the loss of what we well know is a great influence for good in our community life. Now isn't that the truth? And yet have you shown it by your actions? How does the church know you care whether it stays?

Perhaps, too, you say you owe a bounden duty to your family as its natural provider and that you cannot properly fulfil your parental part by them without continuing with unrelaxed efforts every day and Sunday too. That's a commendable spirit. But had you ever stopped to think that you have to leave everything you manage to scrape and save behind; that life at best is a fleeting existence, and they too must soon follow you into the great beyond? And had you thought of that inevitable influence? You can't escape it. The main thing is for us to stop and think. That done, results will nine times out of ten, take care of themselves.

And lastly, man is an animal who needs regular periods of relaxation. Time and again has it been demonstrated that more is eventually accomplished if one day in seven is observed as a period of absolute rest and quietude. Link with this the inspiration of meeting your fellow man in the pew, the cheering songs of praise, the minister's words of admonition and encouragement—in short, you are a better man or woman, physically, mentally and spiritually, and the Sabbath's experience links itself in-

separably with the week's routine. To those you have given regular church attendance the most consistent try-out, it proves and indisputable source of strength. Your father and mine found it a good thing for their health and strength of mind and soul. Has the son outgrown the father? We hardly think so.

A CITIZEN AND BUSINESS MAN

From the standpoint of a citizen and business man, we heartily approve of the measures taken by the pastors of the different churches of the town, in an effort to get the people to go to church.

Having lived in the community for a number of years, and having previously lived in a church-going community, we can say, that the general tone of the business, moral and social life in any place, is by far the better where people attend church. A community is generally what the people living in it, make it. In one portion of this county, blessed with natural resources, where a person can view the beauties of nature at all times, and intended to be a pleasant place to live, several American families of the best type of citizenship left that district for the simple reason that there were not good churches or suitable schools. To quote one of the most successful business men in Lincoln county, "Undoubtedly live churches and good schools are the best assets to any country."

From personal observation children who have the example from church-attending parents, make better citizens and better business men and women. Let us set the example for our children and for the world, and join in the work which should be done in our churches.

PASTOR'S STANDPOINT

We as pastors come to you in unity of heart and message and ask you frankly, What are you going to do about paying your vow to God? Our one view-point is your spiritual interest. We call your attention to the fact that we are arranged in way of lighting, heating, and seating as to give to every comer every bodily comfort. We belong to this world of life and desires and we therefore know that from the pulpit we offer a sursease from our old selves, weakness and remorse, which you can gain refuse.

We have our car, our blacksmith, our tin, our cobbler, our auto shops, but without our churches what hope is there for a careworn, sin corrupted, remorse ridden soul.

Now, brethren, you may have criticised the ministry because its pulpit utterances appear commonplace, or because they troubled and occasioned counter currents in sentiment which you may have hoped to control, or because, perchance, they did not adopt and preach some peculiar religious or political theory you held dear. But after all the minister still continues to pour forth, Sunday after Sunday his volume of teachings and reproof and correction. He is rather difficult to escape. Wherever you go, you are not long there until he is on the ground and little time passes until he begins to pour forth his message. If you have made up your mind that it is all worthless confusion; had you better not reconsider, and give him another hearing? In fact, with all his weakness, which he confesses, has he not the very message you need? We do not have in mind to interfere with your choice in the matter, we just come to you as a friend and ask your consideration of these vital questions which are always with us. Come and risk us to give you a square deal.

Yours for a better citizenship.
J. W. HENDRIX,
Methodist pastor.

RECENT LAND DECISIONS

Several Points in Question Settled by Rulings of Land Office Recently

GOOD FAITH THE MAIN POINT

We quote below a few extracts from opinions in land matters handed down by the Secretary of the Interior during the last two months.

By careful reading many questions now arising in Homesteaders minds will be settled.

"Residence upon the land may be excused when the winters are severe and snow falls to such a depth that nothing can be done upon the land either by cultivation improving or keeping stock there. Under such conditions, removal to a lower altitude will be excused."

"The homestead act requires residence and the making of a home as a condition to obtaining title under the homestead laws. Improvements and cultivation without residence do not comply with the law."

"A prior Indian selection is in the nature of a prior settlement claim. When a homestead claim is in conflict with a prior settlement claim and the prior settlement be abandoned before the rejection of the subsequent claim, the objection is removed and the subsequent application or claim attaches and may stand."

"While cultivation is necessary to show good faith on the part of the homesteader, the cultivation thereof necessary to demonstrate good faith depends upon circumstances."

"The mere act of marriage is no bar to completion of a homestead entry, made by an unmarried woman. It is only in cases where the entry-woman is in default, whether by reason of marriage or otherwise that contest will lie; when marriage does not cause failure to perform the duties with reference to a homestead entry, the entry cannot be successfully attacked upon that ground."

"When application is made for land subject to appropriation by a party qualified to make entry therefor and the only objection to its allowance is some informality in the execution of the application or the form in which the fees are tendered, the applicant is entitled, as a matter of right, to a reasonable opportunity to amend his application or to tender the fees and commissions, in cash, currency, or postal money order, as required by the regulations."

"When tracts in a homestead entry have been left non-contiguous by reason of the elimination of portion of the entry for good cause, patent may issue for the remaining portion upon confirmation by the Board of Equitable Adjudication. This rule particularly applies to a timber entry, when no land is required."

FINAL PROOF

"The leave of absence permitted under the act of June 6th, 1913, of five months each year, is upon the condition that the entryman actually reside upon the land during the remainder of each year and that it shall be continuous for a period of not less than three years. This does not mean that he may

not be absent temporarily for brief periods, for good and sufficient reasons, such as obtaining supplies, marketing crops, etc., but does contemplate that the absences must be of such brief duration and infrequent occurrence as not to interrupt the substantial continuity."

DESERT LANDS

"When a settler upon unsurveyed land dies prior to survey, having resided upon and cultivated the land claimed, for five years, his widow or heirs are entitled to complete the claim by making of entry and submission of proof."

A settlement upon unsurveyed land, prior to second form withdrawal, Reclamation Act, confers upon the settler the right to perfect his claim by entry and proof, to the full 160 acres claimed.

"Tilling of the land or other appropriate treatment for the purpose of conserving the moisture with the view of making a profitable crop the succeeding year will be deemed cultivation within the terms of the act, where the manner of cultivation is necessary or generally followed in the locality."

The act of June 6th, 1913, requiring cultivation of one sixteenth and one eighth for the second and third years, respectively, does not apply to an entry under the Reclamation Act."

NUPTIALS

Miss Anna Fewell of White Oaks was quietly married to Ernest Lacey of the same place on Tuesday by Justice Ed Massie in Carrizozo. Both are well known in the county and are receiving the best wishes of their friends for a happy voyage over lives turbulent waters.

On the same day Will Bourne was united in marriage to Miss Pearl Cravens both of near Oscura. The young couple are among the popular young people of the Oscura mountains.

JICARILLA HAPPENINGS

Mrs. Coomes and Mrs. Deel of Ancho was in camp this week visiting Mrs. Pitts.

Some of our dry farmers are getting ready for their spring crops by repairing fence and plowing.

H. A. Handy and T. W. Stone-road have been for the last month working at Leadville hill.

Joe Ross has leased the "Prospect" claim to Mr. Schultz of Indianapolis, Ind., consideration \$7000. Terms of lease 1 year.

Mrs. Davenport of the "Jacko" country who has been very low for the last two months died, last week and was buried Saturday.

Mr. Schultz and wife departed for Denver a few days ago but will return in a short time and commence work on the "Prospect" which Mr. Schultz recently leased.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Short are the happy parents of a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rolland and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Chasa were visitors in Oscura one day this week.

Thos. Keehn and son William were here this week filing on land near Oscura. They have resided upon the land for sometime.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John B. Baird a baby boy Tuesday morning. All reported as doing well including the father.

Welch & Titsworth of Capitan have just received a car load of Studeraker wagons, buggies and hacks.—Adv. 3t

Mrs. Wm. E. Whittingham who has been visiting at the Sagers for several days left this week for El Paso where the Whittinghams will make their future home.

LINCOLN COUNTY NOTES

News of Week from Around Lincoln County Briefly Told

ANCHO NOTES

T. J. Straley made a trip to White Oaks Monday.

Juan Romero and family moved to Carrizozo Monday.

Mr. Price has been on the sick list for several days.

George Weiser was here from the Jicarillas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wood went to Carrizozo Sunday.

Jim Cooper, Bryan Hightower and Albert Carter made a trip to White Oaks last week.

King's grading camp has moved to Ancho. Work on the grade is progressing rapidly.

Mr. Strickland unloaded his well drill here last Friday. He is to drill west of Ancho for Mr. Jenkins.

S. F. Fambrough was operated on for appendicitis in El Paso one day last week. He is reported as doing nicely.

G. W. Wills, superintendent of Ancho Brick company, spent a few days in El Paso, returning here Friday.

Miss Annie Anderson and Miss Annie Mackey came up from Tularosa to visit Miss Anderson's father, who is foreman for the Ancho Brick company.

A big dance is to be given at the Ancho school house Saturday night, Feb. 7, under the auspices of the Ancho Dancing club. Everybody invited.

OSCURO OBSERVINGS

Thos. McDonald has left for his ranch.

Chas. F. Grey has completed a fence on his claims near here.

Elias G. Raffety is building some fence.

S. F. Craws has filed on a desert claim at one time owned by L. B. Chose.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth F. Craws were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Guido Ranniger Sunday.

Emma McDonald is quite seriously ill with fever at her parents home.

Tom Moody accidentally shot himself in the leg a few days ago but the wound is not proving serious.

Whooping cough is prevalent in the town. Five cases among the McDonald children and Johnny Boyd.

Deputy Assessor L. B. Chasa was here assessing local parties this week, but has not completed the precinct.

Mr. Wolf is operating the Raffety traction engine with a gang plow on the Riddle place which is being prepared for a large orchard.

The Oscura Development Association have received a car load of orchard trees. There are 14,000 trees, assorted apple and peach. These trees will be planted here this season in tracts. The timbers for the derrick for the deep well drill has also arrived.

Oscura citizens are complaining that the freight trains lying on sidings do not cut to allow pedestrians and wagons to pass without long waits. Recently three passengers had to climb thru a freight train which had started in motion in order to catch a passenger train which was on the other side.

ADMIRAL FLETCHER THE SCIENTIFIC SAILOR OF UNCLE SAM'S BIG NAVY

Noted Naval Officer Has Invented Some of the Most Valuable Mechanical Contrivances in Use in the Service—He is Also Exceedingly Well Read in International Law—Was Born in Oskaloosa, Iowa, in 1855.

Washington.—Friday Fletcher everybody in the navy calls him.

He got his nickname in a rather odd way. It so happened that the officer, who now commands the American naval forces in Mexican waters was born on the sixth day of the week in the town of Oskaloosa, Ia. The exact date was November 23, 1855. His father on this account used to call him "my little man Friday."

When he was a little chap of seven his father died. At fourteen he was appointed to Annapolis, and in due course was escorted thither by an older brother, who when called upon to put the youngster's name down on the roster of boys entering the Naval academy, wrote "Frank Friday Fletcher."

This did not particularly please the family, because Friday was not really a part of his name. But naturally under the circumstances it stuck. He was called Friday all through the five years he spent at the academy—



Admiral Frank Friday Fletcher.

he dropped back one class, being rather young to keep up—and ever since that time his fellow officers in the service have known him as Friday Fletcher and nothing else.

Young Fletcher was graduated from Annapolis on June 21, 1875, and soon afterward was assigned to duty on board the United States steamer Tuscarora, which was engaged in surveying a submarine route for a projected cable to connect California with Japan. This, by the way, was a very interesting job.

It involved an exploration of the ocean depths, almost the first ever made, and specimens of the materials composing the sea floor were brought up from the bottom all the way across the Pacific. Just east of Japan the Tuscarora discovered the deepest hole that exists anywhere in the world, a marine abyss, known to this day as the Tuscarora Deep, the soundings falling to touch bottom at five and a quarter miles below the waves.

Although accident first directed young Fletcher's attention to scientific matters, incidentally to his profession-

al duties, he soon showed a special aptitude for such pursuits. He has an investigative turn of mind, and if he had not happened to become a naval officer it is altogether likely that he would have been an inventor.

Indeed, some of the most valuable mechanical contrivances used in the navy, especially in connection with guns, were originated by him. Among these are improvements in telescopic sights; the well-known Fletcher breech closing mechanism, and a frictionless gun mount for quick fire rifles.

Another very remarkable cruise, in 1879-1881, took the young officer to Korea, on the steam sloop Thetis, then a formidable warship, commanded by Commodore R. W. Shufeldt, she was sent around the world in obedience to a special order of congress, and in behalf of the department of state, to make what was called a commercial and diplomatic cruise. The most important object of the expedition was to open negotiations with the government of Korea for a treaty which would insure the protection of the lives and property of Americans.

It was also desired to open Korea to American commerce, and Japan, being at that time on very cordial terms with the United States, had signified her willingness to lend assistance toward this end. But when the Thetis entered the harbor of Pusan, May 14, 1880, the officials refused to accept the letter handed to them by Commodore Shufeldt, on the ground that it was addressed to the king of Korea, whereas their monarch was properly designated as the king of Choo-Sen—which, being translated, means "Land of the Morning Calm." Accordingly, the American vessel was obliged to withdraw with nothing accomplished, her departure being signalled by a derisive salute from a Korean fort.

Korea, although nominally an independent monarchy, was in reality under the suzerainty of China. Accordingly, the expedition proceeded to Chinese waters and, after spending a year there all difficulties were surmounted, and the Thetis returned to Korea, thereupon negotiating a treaty which was signed by the high contracting parties in a temporary pavilion erected on an point of land opposite the ship.

The next noteworthy duty to which Fletcher was assigned was an expedition of a purely scientific character, the object in view being to determine with accuracy the longitude of a series of points in South and Central America. This work was accomplished by observation of the stars, supplemented by the use of telegraph, the task being part of a network of longitude determinations made by various civilized nations and encircling the entire earth.

On the way back from the Peruvian Andes, where the last longitude observations had been made, Fletcher reached the city of Panama, just in time to find that town suffering from a more than ordinarily severe epidemic of yellow fever. People were dying of the disease like flies, and during a fortnight which he spent in the harbor much against his will landing parties were going ashore from the vessels every day to bury victims.

That was in 1884. Since then Fletcher's professional duties have been of a much varied character. At different times he has commanded the torpedo boat Cushing, the gunboat Kanawha and Eagle, the cruiser

Raleigh and the battleship Vermont. Three years ago, although only a captain at the time, he was made aid for material to the secretary of the navy, a place ordinarily not assigned to an officer under the grade of rear admiral. For some time he was in command of the torpedo station at Newport, and in regard to torpedo boats and submarines he is considered an expert. Noteworthy improvements in fleet tactics have been suggested by him. But his most remarkable inventive ideas have been developed in connection with naval ordnance.

It is said of Admiral Fletcher that he is forever inventing something. He was born with a mechanical bent. At the naval academy, however, he attracted no special attention, being quiet, shy and studious. Modesty has always been a conspicuous attribute of his, but when something important is to be done he is the readiest man in the world.

Fletcher and efficiency are almost synonymous. Even his mechanical inventions are aggressive of the same quality. The Fletcher breech closing mechanism shuts the breech of a rapid-fire gun in the quickest imaginable time and with the fewest possible



The Battleship Rhode Island.

motions. The gun mount already mentioned is an arrangement of truncated cones on a roller path by which friction is reduced to such a point that a weapon weighing thousands of pounds can be trained literally with one finger and clamped instantly to fix it upon the target.

He is a man of medium height, neither stout nor thin, and too ragged looking to be handsome.

Unlike most naval officers he did not marry until he had reached middle age. His wife was a Washington girl, Miss Susan H. Stetson. The Fletcher home is in Washington at 1441 Massachusetts avenue, and they have two young daughters.

Admiral Fletcher's flagship in Mexican water is the battleship Rhode Island. In addition there are under his command the battleships Nebraska, Virginia, New Jersey, Michigan, South Carolina and Louisiana; the cruisers Tacoma and Chester, the gunboat Wheeling and the supply ship Calgoa. It is a formidable fleet.

Is "Associate Head of Family."—Chicago.—Mrs. Caroline Polachek, first woman applicant for a job as election clerk in the next municipal election, gave her occupation as "associate head of family." She is the mother of 11 children.

Futurist Musicians on Job. Paris.—Jealous of the laurels won by futurist painters, an orchestra of futurist musicians will give a concert and attempt to reproduce the sounds of a railroad collision.

FIND BIG PRE-GLACIAL LOG
Piece of Wood Nearly Seven 46,000 Years Old is Unearthed by New York Builder.

New York.—Wherever it was that went out of the cave, near Lower Broadway, for some building wood, one evening more than 46,000 years ago, and, after splitting it with a stone ax, left a big hunk for the mason's gathering, probably didn't stop to consider how many years would go by in Little Old New York before that piece of wood would be picked up. But it has been found. Officers of the Thompson-Sharrett company have it in their possession.

It is a cedar log from the pre-glacial period, found in the excavation for the Equitable building, which this company is erecting. Scientists say the log has been there since the glaciers swept over this portion of North America 46,000 or more years ago. At that time nearly half of North America was buried under glacial ice. The log has been nearly cut, and is in perfect preservation.

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Sometimes Lunkheadedness.
"It is often impossible to distinguish science from wisdom."
"Naturally! Because it is often the same thing."—Boston Evening Transcript.

Needed Supply of Oatmeal.
It is the nature of an Irishman to give a spice of whimsical humor to commonplace incident or observation. Fat was crossing a broad, shallow stream, carrying a bag of oatmeal upon his back. Mike watched him from the bank. Now, a hole had broken in the bottom of the bag, and as Fat moved the oatmeal trickled down in a thin rivulet into the water.

"Pat," shouted Mike from the bank, "I'm thinking if the oatmeal isn't plenty with you, you'll have thin porridge."

Crazy Snake an Exile.
To live during the remainder of his life with an alien tribe in order that he may escape the restraint of civilization and enjoy the liberty and freedom of his fathers is the fate of Chitto Harjo, the Snake Indian chief, who led his people in revolt against the federal and state governments in the Creek Indian country of Oklahoma in 1899. He is now with the Niagra Indians in Bolivia, who speak a language similar to that of the Creeks and who enjoy much the same liberties the North American Indians once did. They hunt through the Andes and fish along the Desaguadero and in the waters of Lake Titicaca.

SKIN CLEARED.
By Simple Change in Food.
It has been said by a physician that most diseases are the result of indigestion.

There's undoubtedly much truth in the statement, even in the case of many seemingly eruptions, which many suppose can be removed by applying some remedy on the outside.

By changing her food a Kan. girl was relieved of an eruption which was a great annoyance to her. She writes: "For five months I was suffering with an eruption on my face and hands which our doctor called eczema and which caused me a great deal of inconvenience. The suffering was almost unbearable.

"The medicine I took only gave me temporary relief. One day I happened to read somewhere that eczema was caused by indigestion. Then I read that luxury persons had been relieved of indigestion by eating Grape-Nuts.

"I decided to try it. I liked the taste of the food and was particularly pleased to notice that my digestion was improving and that the eruption was disappearing as if by magic. I had at last found, in this great food, something that reached my trouble.

"When I had a victim of this affliction I remember my own former suffering and advise a trial of Grape-Nuts food instead of medicine."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Well-Ville," in page "There's a Reason."

Never read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

"The Devil to Pay?"
The expression, "The devil to pay and no pitch hot," had its origin in the ship yard. When calking the seams of the deck it was important that the oakum in those seams should be kept dry. This was done by "paying," or in other words filling the seams with hot pitch, which was done with a long-handled mop made especially for that use. If a sudden shower should come up and wet the oakum before the seam was "payed" or filled with pitch, the fresh water would rot the oakum and there would be "the devil to pay."

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Much Better.
"Have you any family ghosts in this old house?"
"No, but we have some fine family spirits."

The Cause.
"They say they've made a failure with eugenics in Milwaukee."
"Serves 'em right. They ought to stick to the old makes of beer."

Red Cross Bag Blue makes the laundry lumpy, makes clothes whiter than snow. All good grocers. Adv.

Every once in awhile you meet a man whose actions you can't fully describe without swearing.

Rheumatism Is Torture

Many pains that pass as rheumatism are due to weak kidneys—to the failure of the kidneys to drive off uric acid thoroughly.

When you suffer achy, bad joints, back-ache too, dizziness and some urinary disturbances, get Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy that is recommended by over 150,000 people in many different lands. Doan's Kidney Pills help weak kidneys to drive out the uric acid which is the cause of backache, rheumatism and lameness.

Here's proof. **A SOUTH BEND, INDIANA CASE.**
"My Father has a story," says W. R. Sears, Belle Fourche, S. D., says: "When I was a child I had a terrible case of rheumatism. I had to give up work. I had to be lifted around and was perfectly helpless. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me. I have never had any more of the rheumatism. It even left me entirely and I haven't had an attack since."

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CUPID A VERY "QUEER KID"
Beginning and Ending of Romance in Which Not a Single Word Was Spoken.

Huntington, W. Va.—For two years persons living near the railroad tracks here have watched for the Overland freight, which is due through here at 4:30 in the afternoon. To those who were disinterested watchers the event simply meant a glimpse at the "road freeman," as they called him, for, as the train whirled by here that member of the crew would hang out of the cabin, wave a piece of waste or a handkerchief in the direction of the long hill and presently throw himself until the train was out of sight. "Some nut" was the verdict of the spectators.

But away up on the hill Miss Sylvia Price, standing on the veranda of her father's house, waited for the daily performance, and when it had ended sighed "some dream." She had never spoken to the freeman, but more than two years ago began to correspond with him. He waved each day, and

finally one day when she stood on the platform at the little railroad station he dropped a card with his name and address near her.

The courtship began by correspondence and continued until all arrangements had been made for their marriage. She had never heard his voice, and her only impressions of him were obtained from his letters and his persnickiness at the door of the engine.

Recently Miss Price went to Ashland, Ky., to be married to the freeman, who corresponded with her under the name of F. L. Francis. She waited at the church for hours and then went to the railroad office. No one of that name was employed there, she was told. She returned to her home heartbroken. Next day the Overland pulled through town; an old man was sticking the engine, and he didn't even look up.

Cupid's a queer kid, isn't he?
Insure Your Tree for \$25,000.
Los Angeles.—An alligator pear tree, owned by H. A. Woodworth, has been insured for \$25,000 by Lloyd's of London against fire or frost.

A Modern "Flying Dutchman"

HANTOMS of the deep—strange shapes that come in the darkness on missions of terror and death—these are among the visions that haunt the brain of every old sailor man. It is when the few remaining sailing vessels come into port from their long voyages that these tales are usually forthcoming. The bark Annie M. Reid of New York is the last vessel to bring in a tale of mystery.

"We were standing by the mizzen topsail halliards, when the shackle broke and the yards crashed down," said the sailor who told the story. "We came up into the wind and hove to, and it was at that moment that we saw the strange trader—at least we thought it was a trader, probably to the Western Islands, off which we were. We signaled for help, for we did not know how we were coming out of the squall. The strange steamship—a tramp we took her to be—was not more than an eighth of a mile away, but she made no reply whatever and kept right on her course. If there had been anybody alive on the tramp he certainly would have seen us, as there was no fog to interfere. There are only two things to think of, either every soul on board was dead or we had seen one of those phantom ships they tell about. It couldn't have been a warning of death, however, for we came out of it all right."

A ship that sails by in the moonlight and does not answer when spoken, nor show any light or sign of life on board, is an even stranger apparition of the deep than those many phantom vessels which have loomed upon the sight of sailor men from out the fog or darkness. The crew of the Hengist, out of Liverpool, Captain Thearston of Liverpool in command, once saw such a specter. Capt. J. C. Norton, who was first officer of the bark Hengist, when the phantom ship passed her by, tells the story of the weird vision:

"It was in the Indian ocean that I saw her—the strange ship that I have never forgotten," said Captain Norton. "We were out of Calcutta, bound for New York, and although there was a haze the moon shone and the haze was so light that we could see perfectly well across the water. The haze was just enough to make a nice, pretty silvery veil that made everything look sort of mysterious and interesting without closing us in at all.

"There were no lights on the vessel and we couldn't see a soul on board. We spoke to her, but she didn't answer. She passed right under our stern about a biscuit's toss away, and we thought she was going to foul us. She was so near that we could feel the wind of her sails as she passed, but not a sign did she make to all our signaling—just sailed away into the hazy moonlight. Next day we had a terrible gale, one of the worst that I remember while I was at sea, and everybody thought the phantom ship had come to give warning. Way we should have been favored I don't know; but, of course, there is always a reason why those ships are seen by one vessel and not by others. Sometimes they mean harm for everybody on board, and sometimes they come simply to give a friendly warning. There was one man on board who believed that our phantom ship came to warn us of the gale because her captain had been a friend of our own captain, and when his ship went down with all on board he continued to haunt the sea. Naturally, as he felt friendly, he would show himself or his ship before a storm. I can't say I believed all that myself. All that I know was that the phantom ship did come just as I've described it."

One of the most thrilling tales of the fateful appearance of phantom ships is told by a retired first mate, who in his youth sailed under Capt. John Stebbins on the steel tramp Marietta, bound from Madeira to Brazil. "Captain Stebbins was a bluff, direct, matter-of-fact person," said the mate, "and he had little tolerance for what he declared was merely superstition, so the crew were not apt to speak over loud of their supernatural experiences. That they had them, however, was sure enough, and as I was a bit more approachable than most men in my position, they were very wont to tell their stories to me.

"There was one fellow among them named Gould, whom I could not help watching because of the strained and almost hunted look on his face. I made friends with him on purpose to get at the reason for his queer look and one day when I caught him white and shuddering on the forward deck I got it out of him.

"It seemed that a couple of years before he had been on the bridge of a passenger vessel running between Kingston and New York when they



THERE WAS NO SIGN OF LIFE ON THE TRAMPING SHIP

had run down a ship in a fog. The ship had gone down with all on board before anything could be done to save them, and this man had seen the last of her crew leaning over the side and cursing at him horribly, just before he was sucked into the water.

"He promised to find me out and to do for me wherever I should go," said the shuddering wretch, "and he'll do it, too. I look for him every night and I know he'll get me before long."

"I warned him to keep quiet about his fears and not mention his story to Captain Stebbins nor to any of the crew, for as luck would have it, with such a captain, we had on board about as superstitious a lot as I have ever seen. Italians most of them, and so bound to tell their stories of apparitions that the captain had already caught one of them at it and had him flogged as an example to the others.

"My man didn't look any more contented as the days passed and I caught him more than once whispering with some of the Italians. I asked him what they were talking about and at first he mumbled that it was nothing, but at last he admitted that the sailors had several of them seen strange sights during the night watch. They all decided that again and again they had seen a figure with wildly waving arms appear from the darkness. The man was always cursing horribly, but he was gone, in a second and they could not tell exactly what he said.

"I tried to comfort Gould with the idea that since the man had not appeared to him there was no reason that he should regard the apparition as that of the man he had run down, but he would not let this ease his mind in the slightest. It was just the night after our conversation when he was, on watch that the climax of the thing came.

"I heard a terrific scream from the bridge, and so did everybody else on board. I was the first up there, but the poor fellow, who was whiter than any human being I have ever seen, could not tell me what had happened before Captain Stebbins had run up on the bridge and was shaking him, declaring that he had a relapse of the fever, which we all know he had suffered after coming off the voyage when he had run down a vessel.

"The fellow had been too much startled, however, this time to be managed even by Captain Stebbins. "I did see him," he declared, "and he was cursing and waving his arms at me just as he did when he went down. The ship came up just like it did before out of the fog. There it was all of a sudden a great gray thing, and there was he waving his arms, and screaming curses at me. And then we kept right on, running straight through the ship."

"That was all of it, and so far as I know he never saw the apparition again and he had no more hard times than fall to the lot of most sailors. But here was the remarkable part of the thing. If he had been the only one to know that anything strange had happened, then you might think it just the fragment of a brain overwrought with fever. But it wasn't only his scream that brought captain and crew running to his side. Just at the time when he saw the phantom ship and as our own vessel went through it, every man on board felt a peculiar sensation. It was something like an earthquake and something like the shock that might come from running a vessel down."

New York and Liverpool, that a specter appeared with such persistency that for a long time, until the vision vanished forever, no member of the crew ever consented to make a second voyage. The Nottebohm was one of the old Liverpool packet ships, which carried steerage passengers as well as freight. During one of her previous voyages the captain and several of her crew had had a terrific struggle, in the course of which the captain had been so injured that he had died as a result of his wounds. No matter what the skeptical might say, crew after crew which shipped on the Marianne Nottebohm after this tragedy left the vessel at the end of the voyage swearing that every night a spectral figure appeared from the pilot house and wandered over the vessel, seeking everywhere apparently for something or somebody.

There was a terrific storm one night and the apparition was for once in a way pretty well forgotten in the more pressing perils of the moment. The night was very black and no one felt any too secure as they slipped on through the darkness. Suddenly they felt the ship come about so swiftly that they knew something strange must have happened.

"Unusual as it was," said Capt. F. C. Norton, who tells the story, "we could not stop to find out about it that night, for every man was too hot on his own part of the work to pay much attention to any other's.

"After everything was all over and we could take time to talk about it the next day the helmsman told us that a spectral figure he had at first thought to be the captain had stood beside him, showing him how to lay his course. It was not until the helmsman had handled a charm his daughter had given him that he discovered his visitor was a spirit. The power of the wrath was broken at that and the helmsman put about just in time to avoid an uncharted reef the specter had evidently been guiding him onto.

"But the Swede and his Italian mate must have seen something of the vision that night, also, for in the morning they looked like dying men and they could not be persuaded to ship again for the next voyage. Afterward we heard that they had been members of the crew which attacked the former captain of the Marianne. No doubt the murdered captain came back looking for some of his old assailants and when he found them sought to drive the vessel on the reef."

Cecil Rhodes's Eggs.
Cecil Rhodes used to take a coop of hens on board to provide fresh eggs on his numerous voyages between England and South Africa. But those were three weeks' journeys, and not a mere five-day crossing of the Atlantic. Hence another prominent South African personage was asked why he did not follow Rhodes's example and provide himself with the luxury of new-laid eggs at sea. "Oh, I don't bother to take a coop of fowls on board," he replied, "but I tip the boatman who looks after Rhodes's hens, and I get Rhodes's eggs."

Had Right to Select Place.
"Bobby, my son," exclaimed the dismayed mother as she saw all her boy's belongings stacked in a corner of the closet, "haven't I tried over and over to teach you that you should have a place for everything?" "Yes, mother," said the boy cheerfully, "and this is the place."

Good Bowels Are An Aid to Growth

Growing Children Need a Mild Laxative to Foster Regular Bowel Movement.



MARIE DEY

As a child grows older it requires more and more personal attention from the mother, and as the functions of the bowels are of the utmost importance to health, great attention should be paid to them.

Diet is of great importance, and the mother should watch the effect of certain foods. A food will constipate one and not another, and so we have a healthy food like eggs causing biliousness to thousands, and a wholesome fruit like bananas constipating many. It is also to be considered that the child is growing, and great changes are taking place in the young man or young woman. The system has not yet settled itself to its later routine.

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In the face of a world-wide tendency toward shorter hours for the worker, a determined effort is being made in England to make the hen work overtime. The motto of the movement is "A longer working day for hens." It has current interest just now because of the howl over the high price of eggs—the purpose of the "longer day" obviously being a larger crop of eggs per hen. Mr. William H. Cook has, for nearly a year, kept his poultry house lighted artificially in the early morning and evening. He uses 300 incandescent electric lamps, and has them so arranged that he can imitate sunrise and sunset by turning them on or off gradually.

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SUCCESS CERTAIN

Success never comes without an effort. Years of patience and endurance are sometimes necessary before rewards are to be received. New Mexico settlers are holding down one of the finest portions of Uncle Sam's domain, and it will only take a few more years to prove its value to the world at large. The ones who stay will receive the reward.

Drop failures have prevailed throughout the West, and the New Mexico farmer who has labored faithfully now finds himself as well fixed as his Kansas, Texas or Oklahoma brother.

New land cannot be expected to produce as well as land in a proper state of cultivation and as soon as the ground is properly cultivated a better showing is sure to be made. The soil of the New Mexico plains is far richer than the level land of Oklahoma or Kansas and with the same natural rainfall would leave both states far behind in the amount of production. This one of rainfall is the problem that confronts the scientific agriculturists today and will undoubtedly be solved by this generation. It is not expected to change the annual rainfall but by careful handling of the soil with improved machinery, moisture will be retained sufficient to raise abundance of everything.

There are cereals that have already proved themselves good yielders here, and they are commanding good prices in the markets of the world.

People must put in hard work on the land both before and after planting. Plowing should be done in the odd months of the year and the grain planted when the proper season comes. This is where the man with a 320-acre farm has the best showing as he can work his land every other year.

It requires courage to face the privations and hardships in any new country. The first settlers always have the hardest battle to fight.

This land has now passed the rough stage of its history and from now on it will be smooth sailing. If a living can be made, the value of the land itself will repay the claimholder for his time.—Ex.

RESOLVED

The man who will lie to save his friend, or to save some one pain, or to protect a reputation, is just a saint. The one who tells the cruel truth which brings tears or starts scandal, is a despicable cur. If you are going to insist on being truthful, hold your tongue. If you keep the Golden Rule you'll keep quiet—that's what you want others to do for you. If you can't

say something nice about your friend you're in a bad fix—you'd better say nothing at all. You can tell a lie by a shrug of the shoulder. You can tell the truth by forgetting what happened. Let us all cultivate forgetfulness. Forget the unpleasant things, then you can tell the truth when you say you don't remember. A lie, like a gun, should only be used to protect our friends, not to injure them.—Buster Brown.

New Mexico is to have an election this fall, and there will be an army of candidates as usual, but the right men, the men who would creditably fill the positions, will be scarce as usual. There is a state house of representatives to be elected, the state press is urging the people as usual, to send their best men to represent them in the legislature. But it will be a political battle, as usual, with the odds very much against the best interests of the state and the people. This is the time, if ever there was a time, when each county of New Mexico should elect able, honest and conscientious men as representatives to the coming legislature of the state. The people will demand it.—Ex.

BAPTIST CHURCH

(Herbert Haywood, Pastor)

Bible school at 10 a. m.
Young people's union at 6:30.
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There will be preaching at Capitan from Friday to Monday night of this week, Feb 5th to 9th. Regular preaching services at 7:30 and Sunday morning at 11 in Baptist hall. Woman's Missionary Union, Teacher Training Class and Sunday school at the regular hour.

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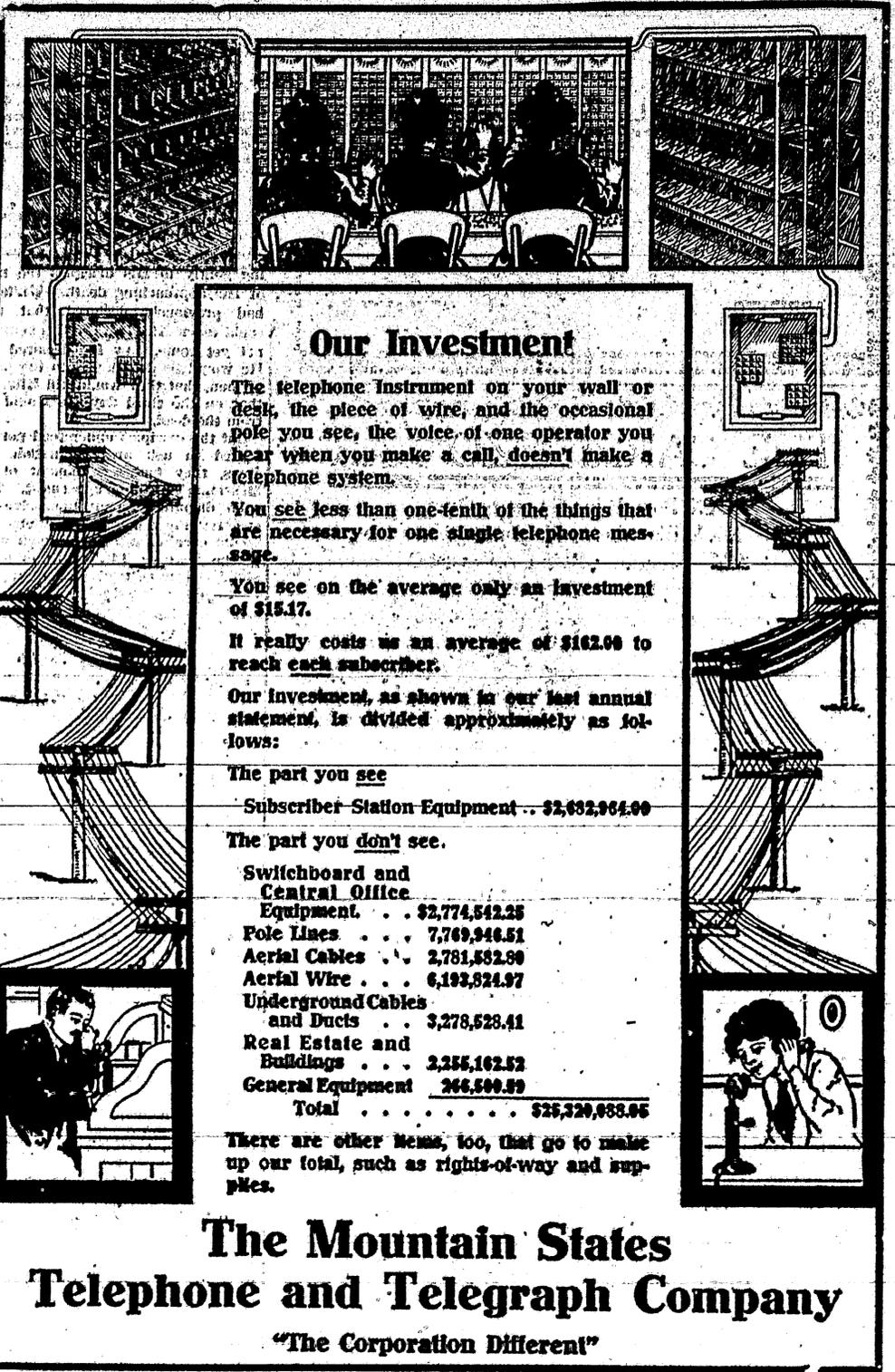
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LINCOLN COUNTY NOTES

NOGAL NOTES

James Cooper, Jr., has bought the yearling steers from M. B. May of Tortolita.

James Cooper and wife and Lin Brannum and daughter, Alice, visited Nogal Tuesday.

Mr. Cardwell of Alto has been employed to teach an eight months' term of school at Nogal this year, beginning May 1st.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sterling on the 24th inst. a new boy. Mother and child doing nicely.

An eastern capitalist came in Wednesday to look at some mining property belonging to Mr. Peacock on the Rio Bonito.

The public road has been well graded from Jose Vega's place to Nogal and a force of hands are now at work in Nogal.

Work to enlarge the Watson lake on the Nogal hill will be resumed March first, with a large force of hands and teams.

Born on the 5th inst. to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henley a new post master. Mother and baby doing well.

T. W. Henley has been commissioned game warden. Blanks will be left in points of the county for accommodation of those desiring licenses.

THREE RIVERS

Mr. Bell of El Paso was in town one day last week.

Mrs. Robert Blair was the guest of Mrs. Reichelt Saturday.

Miss Florence Nabours of White Mountain has been visiting friends in town this week.

Miss Augusta Greenberg of Newell, South Dakota, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Woodside and Miss Freda Greenberg.

The dance at the school house Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd. Punch was served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Menges, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Reichelt, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Woodside, Mrs. Calfee, Mrs. Blair, Misses Agnes Bennett, Freda Greenberg, Alla Blair, Florence Nabours, Anna Lumley and Miss Ketchum; Messrs. Gene Montague, Clarence Menges, Frank Finney, Gus Reichelt, Charles Miller, J. M. Fall, Fred Crosby, John Terry, Ben Nations, Carl Bagley, Frank Hunt, W. H. Roan.

FORT STANTON NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Lovett spent last Saturday at Glencoe.

Dr. M. F. Sloan will leave on the 16th for Baltimore.

Dr. Littlejohn with Messrs. McKorkle and Hanna visited Lincoln Sunday afternoon.

Monday being Candlemas day special services were held in the chapel at 6:30 a. m., Chaplain Frund presiding.

Mr. and Mrs. Leach entertained at dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Lovett, Dr. Lincoln and Mr. J. Hanna last Friday evening.

Next Sunday will be "Home Sweet Home Day" at Fort Stanton with special services in the hall at 7:30 p. m.

The Corral attendants will give a dance to their many friends in Library hall Friday evening, February 6th. The Hightower orchestra will furnish the music.

Last Sunday evening was Children's evening at the non-sectarian services conducted by the Chaplain in Library hall. The subject treated was the fourth commandment of God which is "Honor Thy Father and Thy Mother."

PARSONS PICKINGS

Wm. Carnett is making an extended stay in El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grissel of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, are visiting Mrs. Grissel's aunt, Mrs. J. M. Rice.

Lee Goats has returned to his native haunts and will spend some time with the family of Tom Bragg.

A spell of zero weather and big snow storm has been followed by days of warm weather.

Tom Bragg and son, Lee, last Sunday killed two of the largest mountain lions that have been seen in these mountains for years.

SOCIAL DANCING SCHOOL

Social Dancing School at Bank hall, Carrizozo, every Wednesday night, lessons from 8 to 9 o'clock, social dance from 9 to 12. Admission; ladies free, gentlemen \$1.00. Children under 12 years not allowed on the floor. Children's class Thursday afternoon, at 4 o'clock. Admission 25 cents. Private lessons by appointment.

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The proposition of 6 per cent Loans obtainable with special privileges and on reasonable terms to remove incumbrance from real estate; or to improve and buy farms orchard and city property, may be had by addressing Dept. R. E. 1527 Busch Bldg., Dallas, Texas.—Adv.

STRAYED or STOLEN:—From a pasture near Oscuro, N. M., about the 17th of November, one dark sorrel horse, weight 850 or 900, branded 4 on left thigh, white

spot in forehead, and a small hole through left nostril. This horse was raised by Bert Shipp, on the Block Range, and if strayed probably went that way, but I think he was stolen. \$5.00 reward will be paid any person furnishing information leading to the recovery of this horse.—W. J. McCallum, seuro, N. M.

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BIBLE STUDY ON
JESUS AND THE CHILDREN.
Mark 9:30-41; 10:13-16—Jan. 4.
"Gird yourselves with humility, to serve one another; for God resisteth the proud, but giveth grace to the humble."—1 Peter 5:5, 6, 7.

THE Master knew that the time of His death drew near. He passed hastily through Galilee, en route for Capernaum. He desired this opportunity for breaking gently to His disciples the news of His approaching death. While He had previously declared that none could touch Him because His hour had not yet come, now He declared that He would be delivered into the hands of men, that they would kill Him, and that on the third day He would rise from the dead.

But the disciples understood not and feared to ask an explanation. As Jews, they had the thought of the Messianic Kingdom uppermost. They even disputed among themselves respecting the honorable positions they would occupy, and as to which would be the greatest. Little did they understand the great trials and disappointments only a few days ahead!

Jesus inquired respecting their dispute; but they were ashamed to tell Him. Then He advised them that the selfishly ambitious, seeking honor rather than service, would be disappointed.

In His Kingdom self-seekers would find lowest place. Then He took a child and set it in their midst, saying, "Whoever shall receive one such little child receiveth Me." The Master sought to show His disciples that the humblest among them, if favored by God, would have a high position in His Kingdom.

Blessing the Children.
The Master loved children, though so far as the record shows, He did not generally give them His time. When some fond parents brought their children, desiring Him to bless them, the disciples rebuked them. As the subject of the Kingdom was uppermost in His teachings and in their minds, Jesus took this opportunity of teaching the disciples a lesson. They had, perhaps, felt too sure of being members of the Kingdom class.

When Jesus said, "Suffer little children to come unto Me; and forbid them not; for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven," we do not understand Him to mean that all in the Kingdom would be children. On the contrary, no little children will be in the Kingdom. Only developed, tried, perfected characters will constitute the overcomers who will sit with the Master in His Throne during the blessing of the world. The thought which the Lord would impress is that even His twelve Apostles would not be in the Kingdom unless they became childlike, teachable, trustful. The proper child, unspolled by its elders, is disposed to be trustful. All who become God's children must reach this condition of heart as respects the Heavenly Father. Only such will participate in the Kingdom.

Manifestly none can receive a kingdom until it has been offered. With the Jews this offer came at the close of Jesus' ministry, when He rode into Jerusalem on the ass. The worldly scribes and Pharisees were too wise to receive Jesus, and plotted His death. His disciples fully believed God's Word that there would be a Kingdom, and that Jesus was the appointed King, to reign in due time.

The multitude cried, "Blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord!" The wise scribes and Pharisees called out that the multitude be silenced. But Jesus replied that the shout had been foretold (Zechariah 9:9); and that if the people did not shout, the very stones would cry out, that the prophecy be fulfilled.

Mistaken Kingdom Views.
It seems remarkable that after all the Bible has said respecting Messiah's Kingdom and its work of blessing all mankind, so few believe the Message. The majority today, like the scribes and Pharisees of old, are too wise to believe in the possibility of its establishment. They realize the need of the Kingdom, but have certain theories which blind them to the Truth.

Some mistakenly hold that Christ's Kingdom was set up at Pentecost, and that Christ has reigned ever since, conquering the world. How unreasonable this seems, when we know that the heathen double every century! How strange that Christians have so long prayed, "Thy Kingdom come!" and yet have not really believed that it is to be established at Jesus' Second Coming and the resurrection change of His Church!



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PROFIT BY GOOD CARE

Poultry on the Farm Receives Indifferent Treatment.

Close Watch Should Be Kept on Business All Round and Every Comfort Provided to Prevent All Infectious Disease.

(By R. G. WEATHERSTONE.)

No matter how good the stock may be if they have not the proper care they will pay you no better than mongrels. Poultry on the farm, as a rule, receives indifferent treatment.

What does "care" mean? It means a close watch on the business all round. It provides every comfort, prevents disease by keeping the premises perfectly clean, never overcrowds, and keeps the fowls busy, sorts out the drones and gives the workers better attention. In short, "care" means using business principles in every sense of the word.

The farmer is not giving the proper care when he allows his fowls to roost on trees, in wagons, wagon sheds, or on the board fences. The proper care is not given if the appetites and conditions of the fowls are not studied.

System and regularity play an important part in care. Economy in labor, the saving of steps, the saving of muscles, the saving of time—all are important.

Shiftlessness causes expensive experiences. There is sure to be profit in anything we take care of. Success is accorded to management. Profits depend upon the quality and quantity of brain work put into the enterprise.

If a man performs his work in a mechanical way he will not be apt to do it well. There are too many who go by "luck." They do not stop to think. They do not take notice of the little matters. They are always hurrying to get done.

It is said quality makes prices, but it costs considerable labor and brains to make quality. Good management curtails expense. Successful poultrymen use good common sense methods, some others but little method, and alas, some not any method at all.

Hard luck is generally brought about by mismanagement. Disorder creates disgust. Study and care, and not luck and big talk, are the elements of success.

To quote Judge Brown: There are too many poultrymen who let their enthusiasm go down as the mercury in the thermometer goes up or down. The men who make the marked success in poultry raising are those who never flag in their attention—those who know that the increased labor and close attention hot weather brings must be religiously observed, the same being the case when the cold weather is with us. It is the man or woman behind the hen rather than the breed that brings success.

Scrub treatment will bring about scrub results. The best paying breed is the one that is best cared for. Zeal in the prosecution of the work should be the characteristic of every poultry breeder.

In conclusion, it must not be forgotten that success depends on management. Business attention given to a flock of properly housed hens would be a revelation to many, especially to the farmers themselves.

Two Sheep Pastures.

Sheep owners should realize that having two or more feed lots is economy. As soon as one pasture is picked bare, a change should be made. In this way the pasture becomes freshened and the weeds will be kept down better. Sheep do much better on less ground when this system is used and many more sheep can be kept.

Avoid Scaly Leg.

Don't allow your chickens to have scaly legs. Clean and apply a good disinfectant, then rub in plenty of good grease.

BREEDING STOCK FOR DAIRY

Cow is Machine to Convert Food into Milk—Should Possess Large Udder and Strong Constitution.

In selecting dairy cattle the real test must be the scales and the Babcock tester. The cow is a machine to convert food into milk; thus she must have a large middle and a strong constitution to insure the best results; she must also have a large udder, large milk wells, large crooked milk veins and good sized teats.

Her head should be clean and angular in appearance, with the eyes standing out prominently. The neck should be rather long and lean; the shoulders pointed and the backbone rather prominent. The skin should be loose and soft to the touch. In selecting herd bulls either mature animals which have already demonstrated their worth as sires or younger animals from high-testing dams and sires only should be used.

The best and surest results will always follow the use of a mature sire which has sired heifers with

REQUIREMENTS FOR SUCCESS

Clean, Dry Place With Plenty of Fresh Air and Sunshine Among Essentials in Wintering Sheep.

There are four very essential things necessary in wintering a flock of breeding ewes. The first is a clean, dry place with an abundance of air and all the sunshine possible. The house or shed must be sufficiently warm for the lambs to do well from the start, should they come in March or February, but there must not be a hothouse warmth.

The second essential is pure water, and plenty of it. Sheep that eat snow for water will be found in a very different condition from those which have access to water at all times. Remember that a sheep drinks but little



Rambouillet Ewe.

at a time, and often. A flock having pure water is seldom found with parasites, the worst enemy with which we contend.

The third essential is feeding. The writer, says an exchange, has obtained the best results by feeding hay and clover mixed. The sheep like this very much, and if the mixture is put into the barn in good shape they will more than thrive on it. Sheep relish a good corn fodder, and it should be given to them at least once a day.

About six weeks before the ewes are due to lamb they should be fed a mixture of bran one part and oats two parts.

Salt for the Chickens.

Salt, in aiding digestion, also keeps the whole system of the fowls in good working order. The blood is kept from impurities and the birds will be less likely to suffer from colds, cancer or roup, also the gizzard worms find it impossible to live in salt-fed food.

Salt can be fed in the scalded oats. A teaspoonful to each eight or ten quarts of oats is sprinkled over the top of the oats and then boiling water poured over them, being careful not to use more water than the oats will readily absorb. Stir the mixture well

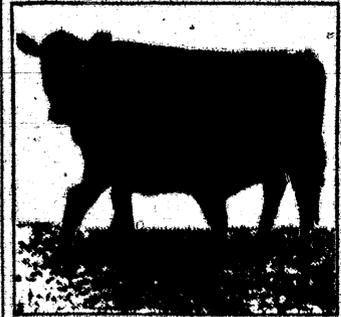
Pays to Cull the Sows.

When the breeder culls out his sows that produce stock that never attains good size; when he promptly sends to the block the sow with small litters; when he gets out of his herd the peevish hogs and the hogs of low vitality, then he will hear less about the relative advantage of the crossbred hog.

Will Make Colt Thrifty.

Cooked roots, mixed with wheat bran or ground oats or barley occasionally will go a long way in making a better and more thrifty colt.

good records. A good dairy bull should be kept until he is twelve or fifteen years old; in fact, as long as he is a sure sire. Real good sires are



Aberdeen Polled Angus, Cow and Calf.

so rare that when we do find one he should die only of old age.

All breeders of dairy cattle should secure yearly tests on each and every cow in the herd. Shorter tests do not really mean very much



SEEING THINGS.

The bartender had reached that state where he was staggering visibly under the blows and jars of too much rum to the brain. He was seeing double.

The dignified gentleman who entered the bar every evening at a certain hour, with his hat on a certain angle, and with the heels striking the floor with a certain velocity, walked up slowly and asked for his customary glass of beer. The bartender, with elaborate care, prepared two glasses and set them down in front of the sober and unshaken customer.

"I ordered only one glass of beer," said the patron in a smooth manner. "Why in the name of suffering heaven give me two?"

"Well, said the bartender, lurching forward to emphasize his curiosity, "ain't your friend goin' to have one?" —The Popular Magazine.

Hints Lost on Him.

"I always did dislike men who have no ear for music," said one girl, "and now I dislike them more than ever. Charley Nevergo called to see me yesterday evening. At eleven o'clock I went to the piano."

"And played 'Home, Sweet Home'?" said the other girl.

"Yes. First I played it as a ballad. He didn't move. Then I played it as a waltz, a polka and then a ragtime."

"And what did he do?"

"He said, 'Gracious, Miss Jones, what a jolly lot of tunes you know! And all so different!'"

BE THE GOAT.



"You need exercise, old man. Come out and go skating with me."

"Why, I haven't been on skates in twenty years."

"Well, come right along; I'll get up a party."

A Modern Gait.

"Life is real! Life is earnest! Still we new excitements crave; Some of us get thrills a plenty, 'Turkey trotting' to the grave."

Disatisfaction.

"Men are very hard to please," said the patient looking woman.

"Is your husband finding fault?"

"Yes. He used to complain because clothes cost so much. Now he scolds because there isn't enough material to make the expense worth noticing."

A Cautious Porter.

"So you gave up the job at the depot?"

"Yes, sah. I ain' lritin' no mo' suit cases. When dem militant suffragettes is so busy dar ain' no tellin' which of 'em is kerryin' wardrobe an' which is kerryin' dynamite."

Disheartened.

"Squabbles used to poke a great deal of fun at the kind of clothes women wear."

"Yes, but that was before men began to wear hats with little bows behind."

Affluent Homes.

"This seems to be a prosperous part of town."

"Well, I should say so! I could lay my hands on at least a dozen English butlers within a block of where we stand."

A Good Home Fellow.

Mrs. Fattleigh—My husband loves me dearly; he says that when I am away the house seems empty.

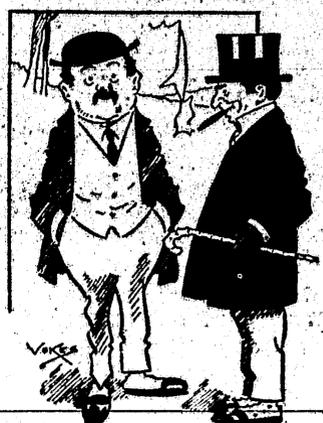
Mrs. Shim—That isn't love necessarily; he may have referred merely to your size."

Bargain Day.

"Why are all the women fighting to get into Morian's drug store?" asked the innocent bystander.

"He is selling out his entire stock of postage stamps at cost," replied the traffic officer.

WOULDN'T BURN.



Green—Sinhom is making plans for the future.

Wise—Well, if he wants to keep them he'd better make them on asbestos.

Still There.

"Beyond the Alps lies Italy," "Twas thus her essay ran. We're glad to know that this is so; Disprove it, if you can."

Had Nerve.

"No-o, he isn't the sort of a husband I should have chosen for my daughter, but I think perhaps he'll get along in the world all right."

"What way does he differ from the man you would have chosen?"

"When he proposed to my daughter and she had told him to see me, he sent me a note telling me where his office is and what his office hours are, and asking me to drop around and see him when convenient."

If They Had Lived.

On one occasion a census clerk, in scanning one of the forms to see that it had been properly filled up, noticed the figures 120 and 112 under the heading "Age of Father, if Living," and "Age of Mother, if Living."

"But your parents were never so old, were they?" queried the astonished clerk.

"No," was the reply, "but they would ha' bin, if living."

The Incomplete Rescue.

The Seedy Individual (who has come up just after the rescue)—Are you the cove wot 'as just pulled my boy aht o' the sea?

The Other (modestly, after effecting a very gallant rescue)—Yes, my friend, but that's quite all right—don't say any more about it.

"Orl' right? It ain't orl' right! Wot about 'is bloomin' 'at'—London Opinion.

The Office Boy.

"Mr. Lane called again this morning, sir," said the new office boy, as his employer entered.

"Very well. Did you tell him I'd gone to Europe, as I directed?"

"Yes, sir. I said you'd started this morning."

"That was right, sonnie. And what did he say?"

"He wanted to know when you'd be back, sir, and I said, after lunch."

The Barber Stuffed.

"The barber never annoys you about tonic or sea foam?"

"Never."

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"What's your secret?"

"I've got him on the denstive. I'm trying to sell him some life insurance."

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MOLLY McDONALD

A TALE OF THE FRONTIER

By **RANDALL PARRISH**
Author of "Keith of the Border," "My Lady of Doubt," "My Lady of the South," etc., etc.



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SYNOPSIS.

Major McDonald, commanding an army post near Fort Dodge, seeks a man to intercept the Indian outbreak. He is headed for the post. An Indian outbreak is threatened. Sergeant "Buck" Hamlin meets the stage in which Molly is traveling. They are attacked by Indians, and Hamlin and Molly escape in the darkness. Hamlin tells Molly he was discharged from the Confederate service in disgrace and at the close of the war enlisted in the regular army. He suspects one Captain LeFevre of being responsible for his disgrace. Troops appear and under escort of Lieut. Gaskins Molly starts to join her father. Hamlin leaves to rejoin his regiment. He returns to Fort Dodge after a summer of fighting Indians, and finds Molly there. Lieutenant Gaskins accuses Hamlin of shooting him. The sergeant is proven innocent. He sees Molly in company with Mrs. Dupont, whom he recognizes as a former sweetheart, who throws him over for LeFevre. Later he overhears Dupont and a soldier hatching a money-making plot. Molly tells Hamlin her father seems to be in the power of Mrs. Dupont, who claims to be a daughter of McDonald's sister. Molly disappears and Hamlin sets out to trace her. Hamlin finds McDonald's murdered body. He takes Wasson, a guide, and two troopers and goes in pursuit of the murderers, who had robbed McDonald of \$50,000 paymaster's money. He expects Dupont to be the murderer. He accomplishes his purpose. Hamlin's party is caught in a fierce blizzard while heading for the Cimarron. One man dies from cold and another almost succumbs. Hamlin is shot as they come in sight of Cimarron. Hamlin discovers a log cabin hidden under a bluff, occupied by Hughes, a cow thief, who is laying for LeFevre, who cheated him in a cattle deal. LeFevre escapes, believing Hamlin and Dupont as one and the same. Hughes shot Wasson mistaking him for one of LeFevre's party. Hamlin and Hughes take up the trail of LeFevre, who is carrying Molly to the Indian's camp. Two days out they sight the fugitive. A fight ensues in which Hughes is shot by an Indian. Dying, he makes a desperate attempt to shoot LeFevre, but hits Hamlin, while the latter is disarming LeFevre. LeFevre escapes, believing Hamlin and Molly dead. Molly tells Hamlin that her father was implicated in the plot to steal the paymaster's money. Hamlin confesses his love for Molly and finds that it is reciprocated. Molly declares her father was forced into the robbers' plot. They meet an advance troop of Custer's command, starting on a winter campaign against the Indians. Hamlin remains as a scout. The winter camp of Black Kettle is discovered. Custer plans an attack.

very Indian lines, came a four-mule wagon. The quartermaster was on the box, driving recklessly. Only Hamlin and a dozen other men were still in saddle. Without orders they dashed forward, spurring maddened horses into the ranks of the Indians, hurling them left and right, firing into infuriated red faces, and slashing about with dripping sabres. Into the lane thus formed sprang the tortured mules, sweeping on with their precocious load of ammunition. Behind closed in the squad of rescuers, struggling for their lives amid a horde of savages. Then, with one wild shout, the dismounted troopers leaped to the rescue, hurling back the disorganized Indian mass, and dragging their comrades from the rout. It was hand to hand, clubbed carbine against knife and spear, a fierce, breathless struggle. Behind eager hands ripped open the ammunition cases; cartridges were jammed into empty guns, and a second line of fighting men leaped forward, their front tipped with fire.

Dragged from his horse at the first fierce shock, his revolver empty, his broken saber a jagged piece of steel, Hamlin hacked his way through the first line of warriors, and found refuge behind a dead horse. Here, with two others, he made a stand, gripping a carbine. It was all the work of a moment. About him were skurrying figures, infuriated faces, threatening weapons, yells of agony, cries of rage. The three fought like fiends, standing back to back, and striking blindly at leaping bodies and clutching hands. Out of the mist, the mad confusion of breathless combat, one face alone seemed to confront the Sergeant. At first it was a delirium; then it became a reality. He saw the shagginess of a buffalo coat, the gleam of a white face. All else vanished in a fierce desire to kill. He leaped forward, crazed with sudden hate, hurled aside the naked bodies in the path, and sent his whirling carbine stock crashing at Dupont. Even as it struck he fell, clutched by gripping hands, and over all rang out the cheer of the charging troopers. Hamlin staggered to his knees, spent and breathless, and smiled grimly down at the dead-white man in that ring of red.

It was over, yet that little body of troopers dared not remain. About them still, although demoralized and defeated, circled an overwhelming mass of savages capable of crushing them to death, when they again rallied and consolidated. Custer did the only thing possible. Turning loose the pony herd, gathering his captives close, he swung his compact command into marching column. Before the scattered tribes could rally for a second



The Mad Confusion of Breathless Combat.

attack, with flankers out, and skirmishers in advance, the cavalrymen rode straight down the valley toward the retreating hostiles. It was a bold and desperate move, the commander's object being to impress upon the Indian chiefs the thought of his utter fearlessness, and to create the impression that the Seventh would never dare such a thing if they did not have a larger force behind. With flags unfurled, and the band playing, the troopers swept on. The very mad audacity of the movement struck terror into the hearts of the warriors, and they broke and fled. As darkness fell the survivors of the Seventh rode alone, amid the silent desolation of the plains.

Halting a moment for rest under shelter of the river bank, Custer

hastily wrote his report and sent for Hamlin. The latter approached and stood motionless in the red glare of the single camp-fire. The impetuous commander glanced up inquiringly.

"Sergeant, I must send a messenger to Camp Supply. Are you fit to go?"

"As much as anyone, General Custer," was the quiet response. "I have no wounds of consequence."

"Very well. Take the fastest horse in the command, and an Osage guide. You know the country, but he will be of assistance. I have written a very brief report; you are to tell Sheridan personally the entire story. We shall rest here two hours, and then proceed slowly along the trail. I anticipate no further serious fighting. You will depart at once."

"Very well, sir," the Sergeant saluted, and turned away, halting an instant to ask: "You have reported the losses, I presume?"

"Yes, the dead and wounded. There are some missing, who may yet come in. Major Elliott and fourteen others are still unaccounted for." He paused. "By the way, Sergeant, while you are with Sheridan, explain to him who you are—he may have news for you. Good night, and good luck."

He stood up and held out his hand. In surprise, his eyes suddenly filling with tears, Hamlin felt the grip of his fingers. Then he turned, unable to articulate a sentence, and strode away into the night.

CHAPTER XXXVIII.

At Camp Supply. There are yet living in that great Southwest those who will retell the story of Hamlin's ride from the banks of the Washita to Camp Supply. It remains one of the epics of the plains, one of the proud traditions of the army. To the man himself those hours of danger, struggle and weariness, were more a dream than a reality. He passed through them almost unconsciously, a soldier, performing his duty in utter forgetfulness of self, nerved by the discipline of years of service, by the importance of his mission, and by memory of Molly McDonald. Love and duty held him reeling in the saddle, brought him safely to the journey's end.

Let the details pass unwritten. Beneath the darkening skies of early evening, the Sergeant and the Osage guide rode forth into the peril and mystery of the shrouded desert. Beyond the outpost picket, moving as silently as two specters, they found at last a cottee leading upward from the valley to the plains above. To their left the Indian fires swept in half circle, and between were the dark outlines of savage fops. From rock to rock echoed guttural voices, but, foot by foot, unnoted by the keen eyes, the two crept steadily on through the midnight of that sheltering ravine, dismounted, hands clasping the nostrils of their ponies, feeling through the darkness for each step, halting breathless at every crackle of a twig, every crunch of snow under foot. Again and again they paused, silent, motionless, as some apparition of savagery outlined itself between them and the sky, yet slowly, steadily, every instinct of the plains exercised, they passed unseen.

In the earliest gray of dawn the two wearied men crept out upon the upper plateau, dragging their horses. Behind, the mists of the night still hung heavy and dark over the valley, yet with a new sense of freedom they swung into their saddles, faced sternly the chill wind of the north and rode forward across the desolate snow fields. It was no boys' play! The tough, half-broken Indian ponies kept steady stride, leaping the drifts, skimming rapidly along the bare hillsides. From dawn to dark scarcely a word was uttered. By turns they slept in the saddle, the one awake gripping the other's rein. Once, in a strip of cottonwood beside a frozen creek, they paused to light a fire and make a hasty meal. Then they were off again, facing the frosty air, riding straight into the north. Before them stretched the barren snow-clad steppes, forlorn and shelterless, with scarcely a mark of guidance anywhere, a dismal wilderness, intersected by gloomy ravines and frozen creeks. Here and there a river, the water icy cold and covered with floating ice, barred their passage; down in the valleys the drifted snow turned them aside. Again and again the struggling ponies floundered to their ears, or slid headlong down some steep declivity. Twice Hamlin was thrown, and once the Osage was crushed between floating cakes and submerged in the icy stream. Across the open barrens swept the wind into their faces, a ceaseless buffeting, chilling to the marrow; their eyes burned in the snow-glare. Yet they rode on and on, voiceless, suffering in the grim silence of despair, fit denizens of that scene of utter desolation.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Interested. "The earliest mention of coal is said to have been made by Theophrastus," said the professor, at breakfast. "And what did he say was a ton, professor?" inquired the landlady, pouring the coffee.

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CHAPTER XXXVII.—Continued.

The bugle rang again, and they turned, facing back, and charged once more, no longer in close formation, but every trooper fighting as he could. Complete as the surprise had been, the men of the Seventh realized now the odds against them, the desperate nature of the fight. Out from the sheltering tepees poured a flood of warriors; rifles in hand they fought savagely. The screams of women and children, the howling and baying of Indian dogs, the crack of rifles, the wild war cries, all mingled into an indescribable din. Black Kettle was almost the first to fall, but other chiefs rallied their warriors, and fought like fiends, yielding ground only by inches, until they found shelter amid the trees and under the river bank.

In the cessation of hand to hand fighting the detachments came together, reforming their ranks, and reloading their arms. Squads of troopers fired the tepees, and gathering their prisoners under guard, hastened back to the ranks again at the call of the bugle. By now Custer comprehended his desperate position and the full strength of his Indian foes. Fresh hordes were before him, already threatening attack. Hamlin, bleeding from two flesh wounds, rode in from the left flank, where he had been borne by the impetus of the last charge, with full knowledge of the truth. Their attack had been centered on Black Kettle's village, but below, a mile or two apart, were other villages, representing all the hostile tribes of the southern plains. Already these were hurrying up to join those rallying warriors under the shelter of the river bank. Even from where Custer stood at the outskirts of the devastated village he could distinguish the war bonnets of Cheyennes, Arapahoes, Kiowas and Comanches mingled together in display of savagery.

His decision was instant, that of the impetuous cavalry leader, knowing well the inherent strength and weakness of his branch of the service. He could not hope to hold his position before such a mass of the enemy, with the little force at his disposal. His only chance of escape, to come off victor, was to strike them so swiftly and with such force as to paralyze pursuit. Already the reinforcing warriors were sweeping forward to attack, two thousand strong, led heroically by Little Raven, an Arapahoe; Santans, a Kiowa, and Little Rock a Cheyenne. Dismounting his men he prepared for a desperate resistance, although the troopers' ammunition was running low. Suddenly, crashing through the

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—Jack Cleighorn was here Monday from White Oaks.

—Frank W. Gurney left for El Paso Wednesday on business.

—L. R. Hust was in from his Mesa ranch this week transacting business.

—Phone 40 for Willow Springs coal, \$6.50 per ton.

—John M. Cravens was in this week from the Oscura mountains.

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—George Spence was a business visitor to White Oaks the first of the week.

—Mrs. Pons spent the week at Capitan where Sebe Gray is reported as being quite ill.

—G. T. McQuillen local telephone manager has been out on repair work most of the week.

—Deputy Assessor Nye has been in the Corona country this week assessing.

—A fine large Hexophone and a Soda Fountain are among the acquisitions at the Rolland Bros. store this week.

—U. S. Marshall Hudspeth left Tuesday evening for Santa Fe after spending several days at White Oaks, his former home.

—FORSALE—1 Remington Typewriter, one Baby Carriage, one Washing Machine, cheap for cash. Call Outlook office.—H.

The Baptist church is getting out of debt and pastor Haywood hopes in a few days to announce a clean slate.

—The firm of Welch & Titworth of Capitan have received a large shipment of Cotton Seed Cake.—Adv.

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—Harry Johnson and wife and Wm. Norton and wife of Capitan left Tuesday noon for an extensive auto trip to Phoenix and other Arizona points.

—Ben F. Nabours of the forest service was in town this week, Wednesday, he has recently been detailed to special work in Arizona but is again in service here.

—Lee A. Rudiselle of White Oaks was down Monday of this week on business. While here he arranged for the printing with the Outlook of a 60 page G. A. R. record book of the state encampments.

—Dr. E. B. Walker and wife left Tuesday evening for San Antonio and New Orleans for a month or so. Mrs. Walker will visit relatives and friends while the doctor will take a Post Graduate course in special medical matters while away.

—The "Begin to go Church" movement will be "moving" next week when a representative from each of the churches will make house to house canvas, one from each organization going together. Welcome and encourage them.

—M. S. Crockett came in from the Renfrou Crockett well this week and says there test of the well is proving satisfactory and they believe that they have a good supply of water. Keehn Bros. of Oscura drilled the well and dropped it to the 802 ft. level in 37 days. The owners are very well pleased with the Keehns as drillers.

—Chas. L. Kennedy of Jicarilla was here Wednesday on business matters. Mr. Kennedy has recently been admitted to the New Mexico bar and is now a full fledged attorney. He has had considerable experience earlier in life in the practice of law and has hung out his shingle in White Oaks where he will be located in the Hewitt & Hudspeth offices. His professional card appears elsewhere.

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