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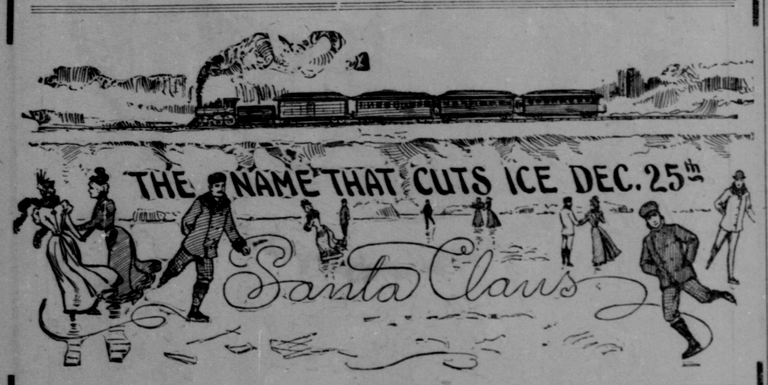

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IDA H. ENGLAR,

late of Carroll county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 16th day of June, 1910; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 16th day of November, 1909.

LINCOLN W. RINEHART, Executor.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, Md., letters of Administration on the estate of

BARBARA E. FREEMAN,

late of Carroll county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 15th day of June, 1910, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 15th day of November, 1909.

HARVEY C. FREEMAN, Administrator.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, Md., letters Testamentary on the estate of

CATHARINE MYERS,

late of Carroll county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 9th day of June, 1910; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 9th day of November, 1909.

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THE SINNER AND THE SONG.

By Will S. Thompson.

A sinner was wandering at eventide;
His tempter was watching close by at his side;
In his heart raged a battle for right against wrong;
But hark! from the church he hears the sweet song,
"Jesus, lover of my soul,
Let me to Thy bosom fly."
He lingered and listened to every sweet chord;
He remembered the the time he once loved the Lord.
Come on, says the tempter, come on with the throng;
But hark! from the church again swells the song:
"While the billows near me roll,
While the tempest still is high!"
O, tempter, depart, I have served thee too long.
I fly to the Saviour. He dwells in the song,
O Lord, can it be that a sinner like me
May find a sweet refuge by coming to Thee?
"Other refuge have I none,
Hangs my helpless soul on thee."
I come, Lord, I come, Thou'll forgive the dark past,
And O, receive my soul at last.

THE JOURNEYS OF JESUS.

This is the title of a new book by the Rev. John O. Yoder, pastor of the Silver Run Lutheran Church, this county, which the author, as he says in his preface sends forth "with the hope that it may prove helpful to those who read it, in quickening the consciousness of the unseen presence of Jesus Christ, who accompanies us in all our journeys, even unto the end."

He has not attempted to write a "Life of Christ," for the volume contains only 156 pages, too brief a compass within which to tell the story of that wonderful life. It is just what it claims to be, a study of the journeys of the Saviour, "when He walked here, the shadow of Him—love."

The general outline of his studies was suggested by the Gospel according to St. John, though that outline is filled in from the Synoptic Gospels. It is divided into nine discourses, for the chapters were originally prepared for the instruction of his congregation, and were afterward published at the earnest desire of those who heard them. The titles of the divisions are:

I—Introduction, The Hope of the Promised One Realized.

II—From Infancy to His Hidden Years in Nazareth.

III—From Hidden Years in Nazareth to Passover.

IV—From Passover to Feast of Purim.

V—From Feast of Purim to Feast of Tabernacles.

VI—From Feast of Tabernacles to Feast of Dedication.

VII—From Feast of Dedication to His Triumphal Entry into Jerusalem.

VIII—From His Triumphal Entry into Jerusalem to His Burial.

IX—From His Burial to His Ascension.

Accompanying each division is a complete harmony of the Gospels and an outline map, by the aid of which the reader may follow the footsteps of Jesus in His journeys.

Every page reveals the earnest work of the author and his careful study and research. The story is told in simple language without attempt at fine writing, just the style that will appeal to one who seeks the information that the volume is designed to give, though there are many passages of great beauty, teaching not only faith in Jesus but the truest philosophy of life.

The following passage, commenting on the parable of the "Good Samaritan," well illustrates the author's style.

He says: 'This parable is prefaced by a lawyer, who lacked, not knowledge but the willingness to do what he knew to be his duty. Of this man, we know nothing further; but from the inimitable, beautiful parable we may learn: that the knowledge of the law is useful to make us acquainted with our own sinfulness and need of a Saviour; that it is not he who professes most kindness that he really loves most, but he who will most deny himself that he may do us good in times of want; that religion requires us to do good to all men, however accidentally we may become acquainted with their calamities. Hence we see the beauty of religion. Nothing else will induce men to surmount their prejudices, to overcome opposition and to do good to those who are at enmity with them. True religion regards every man as our neighbor; prompts us to do good to all; to forget all national or sectional distinctions, and to aid all those who are in circumstances of poverty and want. If religion were valuable for nothing but this, it would be the most lovely and desirable principle on earth; and all, especially in their early years, should seek it. Nothing that a young person can gain will be so valuable as the feeling that regards all the world as one great family, and to learn early to do good to all."

The hope of the author, voiced in his preface, will be realized for all who read his book.

A YOUNG WESTERN HUNTER.

A True Story by Robert F. Gilder, in September St. Nicholas.

When John Wesley Wolf was scarcely ten years of age he was a good shot with his father's Winchester, although it was too big for him to put up to his shoulder in the proper manner. He learned to shoot after a fashion of his own, and could knock the head from a deadly rattlesnake at fifteen to twenty paces, five times out of six, and he easily acquired skill in "roping" and "cow-punching."

He had grown upon the Eastern Wyoming plains, in sight of the picturesque Rawhide Mountains. He had no brothers nor sisters nor neighborhood children with whom to play, and it is not surprising that at a very early age he accompanied his father on some of his trips over the range.

Although rattlesnakes and coyotes, gray wolves and wildcats are pretty good game for a boy of twelve or thirteen years, this one had never been allowed to accompany the hunters of the ranch on their quest for animal supply of winter meat into the haunts of big black-tailed deer. However, when John had reached the age of thirteen years, the opportunity came.

The storms of an unusually early winter had sent the range cattle belonging to his father fifty miles southeast of the ranch, drifting along in front of the cutting northwest wind, and this before the winter's supply of beef had been safely housed in the log icehouse. When this predicament faced the family, some of the cowboy hunters decided to inaugurate a hunt and obtain the full quota of the usual supply from the foothills, where a large herd of black-tailed deer had been seen a few days before. This was agreed to, and John was allowed by his parents to accompany the hunters.

It is pretty well established that the boy didn't sleep much the night before the hunt. Before daybreak, the hunters were in the saddle, the boy being the first one to get ready. His rifle was slung in a holster at his pony's side and his belt, loaded with shells, was buckled about his waist. Day had not broken when they left the ranch, and they had been out but a few hours when a fearful blizzard set in. During the storm the hunters were separated, and the boy soon found that he was entirely alone. He was not troubled on that account, however, and he resolved to go to a place where he had often seen deer grazing. The snow had drifted badly all day, and his parents on the ranch were not a little uneasy least, in the fearful storm, John might become separated from the others and lose himself in the great plains where every hill looks just like its neighbor and where trails are unknown.

The sun finally burst through the clouds, but the boy did not return. Of the four cowboys who had started out all returned by twilight and reported they had not seen the lad for hours. Although cold and benumbed by their battle with the storms, the hunters did not remove their saddles, intending to start out to look for John. Finally, just as a searching party was starting a telephone message from a neighboring ranch announced that the boy had just reached there on foot leading his pony, upon which were roped the carcasses of two deer.

There was joy at Nine-Bar when the message was made known, and when the lad came into view it was let loose in such a welcome as anxious parents and cowboys only know how to give. Sure enough, there were two deer roped to the saddle of the little fellow's pony, and then all crowded around as he related the story of the day's adventures.

John said he had gone to a canyon, after he realized that he was alone, about eight miles from the ranch, reaching there after the storm broke, where he remained under a protecting ledge of rocks awaiting clearer skies. He had found and followed deer tracks in the snow, and had finally come upon a heard of a score of fully-grown black-tailed deer. He had succeeded in getting within a hundred and fifty yards of the herd without being seen. Just as he was about to fire, the leader of the herd saw him, and the deer were off with the wind. As quickly as possible, he aimed and fired and succeeded in securing two.

The boy said he found that the deer were too heavy for him to lift to the pony's back and he was at a loss for a moment as to what he should do. If he left them and went to the ranch for help it would give the big gray wolves a feast. Finally he said he thought of a hunter's trick. He took his rope from the horn of his saddle and, fastening one end to the saddle horn, he fastened the other to one of the deer and dragged it over the snow to a pine tree near by. He then threw one end of the rope over a limb and started the pony so that the rope wound about the tree, and the deer was lifted higher than the back of the horse. He then lowered it to the pony's back and fastened it securely. The same method was followed with the second animal.

When, after two hours' hard work, the two deer were securely fastened with his lariata, there was no place on the horse for him, and there was no alternative but for him to walk to the ranch and lead his horse. The distance to the ranch was ten miles and most of the trail was obliterated by snow, but John was the son of a plainsman, born on the great central plains, and reared under just such conditions as now confronted him.

So, leading his pony, he began his long march home. A score of times he was neck deep in snowdrifts, through which he managed to flounder, finally reaching home and receiving a royal welcome.

The hardship of a ten-mile tramp under the conditions which the lad was obliged to encounter, with the mercury in the thermometer hovering about the zero mark, would have caused grown men to hesitate before they made the attempt. But John Wesley Wolfe made nothing of his trip, and it was with difficulty the author could get him to relate it.

The summer of 1907 found John Wesley Wolfe a member of the Harlan I. Smith archæological reconnoitering party in the neighborhood of the Rawhide Mountains. Mr. Smith is a well-known scientist connected with the American Museum of Natural History, New York City. In the course of this trip the boy, then fourteen years of age, made some important discoveries, and his name figures in the official report of the expedition.

LETTERS FROM CARROLL COUNTY.

The following taken from The Baltimorean, of August 2nd, 1870, a paper published in Baltimore, relating to events in this city has been handed to us by a friend asking that it be republished in the Sentinel.—Editor.

Westminster, August 2, 1870.

I have again been passing a few days in this exceedingly pleasant and healthful little country city. It is, indeed, rising into quite an enviable notoriety, owing to the agreeable facilities afforded citizens of Baltimore and elsewhere, to repair hither and pass their summer months; besides advantages proffered them of enjoying the healthful properties of a mineral or medical spring, recently discovered on the premises of John C. Frizzell, Esq., immediately within the town.

Your well-known and distinguished chemist, proffessor Wm. E. A. Aiken, M. D., has recently given a very full and complete analysis of its waters, showing them to possess decidedly valuable medical properties. I enclose you his analysis and general remarks, to be publised elsewhere in the SATURDAY NIGHT, and call special attention thereto.

It is but fair and truthful to assert that quite a number of wonderful cures have been realized by the use, for only a brief period, of this medicinal water. Several of them are directly within my own observation.

I refer first to that of Mr. Lee McElroy, a well-known, intelligent clerk and superintendent at the Westminster hotel, originally from Ireland, but for many years a resident of Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, and latterly of this town. He is a nephew of the celebrated Father John McElroy, now in his ninty-third year, and fifty years ago officiating priest at Frederick city, Maryland, still preaching twice every Sabbath in New York city. The patient, his nephew, was afflicted seriously with kidney disease for fifteen years, and at times had to use a cane in walking, being a great sufferer. Four or five weeks ago he commenced using the waters of Mr. Frizzell's spring, and is now thoroughly cured, enjoying perfect health. He feels entirely confident that the use of this mineral cured him.

Others, among whom may be named Mr. Henry Snader, Mr. John Jarn, and many more who might be named, afflicted with dyspepsia, liver complaint, kidney disease, and various other ailments, have experienced wonderful relief from using the water of this spring. The most prominent physicians here, now freely recommend it to their patients and hundreds may be seen wending their way thither, late and early, to partake of its healing advantages. So great has been the run and demand, that Mr. Frizzell, the proprietor, to meet expenses and afford facilities to all, has determined to sell the water at a moderate price, and is already receiving orders from different points, including Baltimore.

It is proposed in due time to erect a splendid summer hotel on the premises, near the spring, within a beautiful enclosure of forty acres, possessing fine lawns and shrubbery, situate on an elevated and commanding position, not more than two hundred yards from Main street, or the centre

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MONDAY, the 13th day of DECEMBER, 1909, for the purpose of electing TEN DIRECTORS to serve one year. The election will take place between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M., and 12 M.

By order,

C. GLOYD LYNCH, Secretary.

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