The Kent News

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POACHERS OF ENGLAND.

Who They Are and How They Ply Their Nefarious Avocation.

Just as a liar may be something else besides a liar, so a poacher may be, and usually is something else besides a poacher. Very commonly he calls himself a farm laborer. Short and intermittent "jobs" are what he likes best, and he often changes his master. He will engage himself to a farmer in order to gain the right of going upon certain land, and then, after a careful survey, he will set gins where he thinks proper. To be ordered to work in a field next to a covert is what he likes best, and when his master's back is turned he notices the hares' runs in the fence that divides the field from the wood. At night he returns to the scene of his observations and sets a loose purse net over each run. He then goes into the covert and walks through the side of it next to the fence, when the chances are that at least a hare or two will become entangled in his nets. The "innocent laborer" type of poacher sometimes carries a ferrit and a rabbit net in his dinner basket, and seats himself on a hedge bank honeycombed with burrows to take his midday meal, with a result which can easily be imagined.

Cattle drovers and butchers' men often do a great deal of poaching. They are fond of keeping greyhounds, and they train one dog to range while the other sneaks about in readiness to run into any hare or rabbit that may be turned to him. Sometimes they carry their greyhounds in a light cart and when they see hares feeding in a field by the roadside they stop and send their dogs over the fence. These greyhounds are taught to hunt by scent as well as by sight. A still more favorite dog among poachers of this sort is a lurcher, although many fear to keep one, because his very existence is enough to stamp his owner as a man of doubtful character. Properly speaking, a lurcher is the result of a cross between a greyhound and a colly; but he is not always the first cross, and he frequently inherits a strain of some other breed. He is a desperate and deadly enemy to hares and rabbits, and he generally unites an excellent nose and great speed with surprising sagacity and cunning. Of all things it is most important in a poacher's dog that he should never give tongue. We can remember the time when lurchers' tails used to be cut to give their owners an excuse for pretending that they were sheep dogs. In these days, however, sheep dogs are usually allowed to keep their tails, so there is no object in docking a lurcher.

Colliers are much given to poaching in some districts. Their favorite dog is produced by crossing a very small greyhound with bull terrier or spaniel. Sunday is their great day for poaching. During the hours of divine service they go for walks in little parties of three or four, along public footpaths, and allow the dogs to range in the fields and to draw the hedgerows. As every magistrate has good reason for knowing a large number of petty poaching cases depend upon the question whether the culprit was or was not upon what he calls the "futtpath" at the time the offense was committed, keepers who hints at anything like sharp practice with regard to a neighbor's boundaries are never to be trusted about his own master's interests. We remember a keeper who was employed on an outlying shooting some miles from home. The man had always a good show of birds and sent a regular supply for the table, but it turned out that he was one of the greatest poachers in the county, that he had killed and sold the neighbor's game, if not his master's, in considerable quantities.—*Saturday Review.*

In Central California.

Heretofore the eastern tourist has been accustomed to hear only of Southern California and its so-called semi-tropical climate while scarcely anything has been said of the merits of the climate in central California. To such an extent has this puffing of one portion of the State to the detriment of another section been carried that many of the eastern tourists now visiting the counties adjacent to the bay seem to be surprised that fruits of many kinds are grown outdoors until Christmas. Particularly is this so in regard to grapes. Some surprise has been expressed that the fine grapes on exhibition at the rooms of the State Board of trade should be found outside of Los Angeles and San Diego counties, whereas the fact is that the best grapes grown anywhere in California are produced outside of Southern California, and those grown in Sonoma, Napa, Santa Clara and along the eastern foothills of the Sacramento valley have never been surpassed anywhere.

Another fact worthy of becoming known is that there ripen in Butte county, 600 miles north of Los Angeles, and at Los Gatos, in the Senta Clara valley, some fifty miles south of San Francisco, the first orange crops of this season. They are of fine quality and nearly two months earlier than the Riverside crops. In Santa Clara county some of the finest white Verdel, Tokay and black Ferrara grapef get ripe and ready for the table at Christmas. In this same county strawberries and raspberries can also be had up to the holidays.—*San Francisco Alta.*

To Save Doctors' Bills.

Never go to bed with cold or damp feet.

Never lean with the back upon anything that is cold.

Never begin a journey until the breakfast has been eaten.

Never take warm drinks and then immediately go out into the cold.

After exercise of any kind never ride in an open carriage or near the window of a car for a moment; it is dangerous to health or even life.

Never omit regular bathing, for, unless, the skin is in regular condition, the cold will close the pores and favor congestion or other diseases.

When hoarse, speak as little as possible until the hoarseness is recovered from, else the voice may be permanently lost, or difficulties of the throat be produced.

Merely warm the back by the fire, and never continue keeping the back exposed to the heat after it has become comfortably warm.

PROSPEROUS COLORED PEOPLE.—Statistics just published show that outside of church property the colored people of Augusta, Ga., are worth $554.050; they have $64,729 81 invested in the city banks. they have $14,000 in the Mutual Real Estate and Building Association, and a large amount in another real estate stock organization. This is a telling answer to the charges of ill-treatment and oppression of the colored people in the South indulged in by republican stumpers and speakers.

PLAIN words make the most ornamental sentences.

SUNDAY READING.

Knowing Our Friends in Heaven.

BY T. L. CUYLER, D. D.

There is not enough in the Bible about heaven to satisfy our curiosity, but there is quite enough to satisfy a reasonable faith. It is certainly more than a happy condition of glorified spirits. It is a holy place. Such expressions as "a city with foundations," a "building" or structure of God, and a "habitation," all point to a definite locality. Certain characteristics of the abode of the blessed are clearly indicated. A rest that remaineth for people of God. No sin can penetrate it, or anything whatever defileth. Neither shall any of its inhabitants suffer from sickness or pain. Knowledge shall be commensurate with the enlarged powers of the glorified soul. We shall know even as we are known. Companionship with the spirits of the just made perfect will furnish endless variety and unbroken harmony of social intercourse. Above all, we shall see God, and not die. These are among the most distinct truths which the Scriptures reveal concerning that Jerusalem the Golden, whose walls are like unto precious stones, and whose gates to orient pearls. For whom is this celestial habitation prepared? For beings of other worlds, or for those occupants of this globe whom Jesus hath redeemed unto Himself? Certainly the latter. Christ to His disciples, "I go to prepare a place *for you.*" Where He is, He desires that His own shall be also. The occupants of heaven shall be those who were once occupants of this sinful earth. The transfer from earth to heaven does not, according to the only Book which reveals heaven, destroy personal identity. On the contrary God's word assumes continually that this identity will be preserved. The same living organism, the same characteristics which made the patriarch Abraham a different man from everybody else in Chaldea, will make Abraham a different person from any one else in heaven. These physical and mental traits enabled neighbors in "Ur" to recognize him. He has carried with him into the eternal world also such personal characteristics, that he is recognizable there. According to Christ's statement, the rich man "saw Lazarus in Abraham's bosom."

He also delared that the righteous will yet sit down with Abraham, Isaac and Jacob in that celestial kingdom. Paul before the throne is, and inevitably must be, the identical Paul who preached at Athens and was martyred at Rome. When he longed to "depart and be with Christ" he expected to be not somebody else, but the same individual. Moses died fifteen centuries before the advent of Jesus Christ. Yet there was a personality still existing, who appeared at the time of Christ's transfiguration on the mount, and who was addressed by him as Moses. The prophet Elijah, had died seven hundred years before was there also. When the great apostle speaks of his Thessalonian converts as his "glory and joy in the presence of the Lord Jesus Christ," he assuredly expected to meet the same persons in heaven that he had labored with in Thessalonica. If they were not the same people, and if he could not meet them there how could they be to him a "crown" or a "joy?" If identity is preserved in eternity, will the faculty of memory also survive the grave? Undoubdtely it will. The obliteration of memory would amount to a partial destruction of the individual. It would remove some of heaven's richest enjoyments. If I cannot remember what my Redeemer has done and suffered for me, how can I join in the ever "new song" of grateful praise before His throne?

Put now together these two facts: 1, personal identity is not lost in eternity; and 2, memory remains also unimpaired. It follows inevitably that we shall know each other in heaven. When David cried out over his dead boy, "I shall go to him, but he shall not return to me!" that bereaved father expected to meet again the child whose spirit had flown home to God. Certainly we shall not be more stupid in heathan we are on earth. If I could recognize such a person as Chalmers in his pulpit, I cannot fail to recognize that same servant of God in his celestial apparelling. Martin Luther in his "Table Talks," makes much of this intercourse with father and mother and kindred in the heavenly home. Sharp, unpoetic old Dr. Emmons used to say, "I hope to have some talk with the Apostle Paul in heaven." And who of us would not experience a fearful shock, even mid the hallelujah raptures of Paradise, if the sweet affection of kinship were to be obliterated forever? Surely God would not so punish those whom he loves to bless.

Oh! then what raptured greetings,
On heaven's happy shore!
What knitting severed friendships up,
Where partings are no more!

LET us not mistake His meaning. He asked us, not that our love should equal His, but that it shall resemble it, not that it should be of the same strength, but of the same kind. A drop of dew will not hold the sun, but it may hold a spark of its light. A child of the sea, trying to catch the waves as they dash in clouds of crystal spray upon the sand, cannot hold the ocean in a tiny shell, but he may hold a drop of the ocean water. Says Christ: "There is an ocean of love in my heart; let a drop of that ocean come unto yours."

NOTHING is eternal but that which is done for God and others. That which is done for self dies. Perhaps it is not wrong; but it perishes. You say it is pleasure—well, enjoy it. But joyous reflection is no longer joy. That which ends in self is mortal; that alone which goes out of self unto God lasts forever.

IT is a truth often spoken that there can be but little piety in the church until there be piety at home. And the home piety must be fed by the still smaller stream of individual life of secret prayer. We would go not to the multitude to be enthused, but to the one true and living God.—*Rev. R. F. McMichael.*

IT is a great thing, when our Gethsemane hours come, when the cup of bitterness is pressed to our lips, and when we pray that it pass away, to feel that it is not fate, that it is not necessity, but divine love for good ends working upon us.—*Chapin.*

THE love of Christ is like the blue sky, into which you may see clearly, but the real vastness of which you cannot measure. It is like the sea, into whose bosom you can look a little way, but its depths are unfathomable.—*McCheyne.*

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JOHN P. HENDRICKSON,
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d10-tf. Collector Second District

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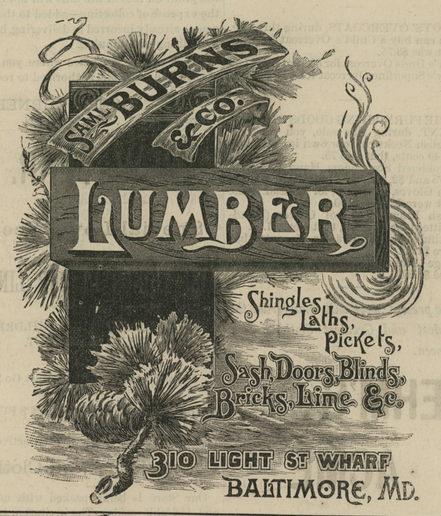

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Sep. 23, 1887. GEO. WARFIELD, PRESIDENT.

Balto. and Delaware Bay Railroad.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT 1887.

Connecting with the Delaware Railroad at Clayton on and after Thursday, December 1, 1887, until further notice, Sundays excepted, Trains will run as follows;

GOING NORTH. Pass. and Freight No. 1, Daily.	Pass.&Freight No. 3 Thursdays only	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. Pass.&Freight No. 2 Tuesdays only	Pass.&Freight No. 4 daily except Thurs.	Pas No.1, Thursday
Read Downwards			*Read Upwards.*		
a. m.	p. m.		p.m.	p.m.	p.m.
6 15	1 20	*Lve* Chestertown *Arve*	1 15	12 15	6 50
6 35	1 45	" Worton *Leave*	12 45	11 56	6 32
6 40	1 53	" Lynch's "	12 35	11 41	6 25
6 45	2 00	" Still Pond "	12 25	11 35	6 20
7 00	2 15	" Kennedyville "	12 15	11 20	6 13
7 13	2 30	" Black's "	12 00	11 10	6 00
7 28	2 45	" Lambson's "	11 48	10 58	5 50
7 40	3 00	" Massey's "	11 35	10 45	5 40
7 55	3 15	" Delaney's "	11 20	10 30	5 25
8 00	3 20	" *Bingham's "	11 15	10 25	5 20
8 25	3 40	*Arrive* Clayton "	11 05	10 15	5 10
8 36	5 08	*Leave* Clayton *Arrive*	10 00	10 00	4 58
9 00	5 35	" Middletown *Leave*	9 33	9 33	4 37
9 42	6 35	" Wilmington "	8 30	8 30	3 50
10 32	7 40	*Arr* Philadelphia "	7 27	7 27	3 01
11 10	8 32	" Baltimore "	6 40	6 40	2 30
a. m.	p. m.		a.m.	a.m.	a.m.

Stations marked (*) have no agents.

Freight for Bingham, Flatland and Nicholson's must be prepaid.

The Morning Trains make close connection at Clayton with Trains on the Delaware Railroad going north or south. Passengers to and from Baltimore change at Porter's.

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DELAWARE DIVISION.

On and after Dec. 12th, 1887, (Sundays excepted), trains will run as follows;

SOUTHWARD. PASS	EXP.	PASS	PASS		NORTHWARD. PASS	EXP.	PASS	PASS
P M	P M	A M	A M		A M	A M	P M	P M
5.21	3.01	11.55	7.27	Philadel'a	9.32	10.32	1.25	7.40
5.17	2.30	10.08	6.40	Baltimore	11.10	11.10	2.05	8.15
6.25	3.50	12.55	8.30	Wilming'n	8.43	9.42	12.25	6.35
6.36		1.04	8.43	Hare's Cor.	8.33			6.24
6.42	4.02	1.09	8.48	New Castle	8.28		9.31	12.10 6.17
6.48		1.15	8.53	State Road	8.23		12.03	6.09
6.55		1.20	8.58	Bear	8.17		11.57	6.03
7.06	4.14	1.25	9.04	Porter's	8.12		9.19	11.51 5.57
7.11		1.30	9.08	Kirkwood	8.06		11.46	5.52
7.20		1.39	9.23	Mt. Pleasant	7.57		11.36	5.43
7.22			9.27	Armstrong	7.53			5.37
7.30	4.38	1.49	9.33	Middletown	7.49		9.00	11.26 5.34
7.39		1.58	9.43	Townsend	7.40		8.50	11.17 5.25
7.43		2.02	9.48	Shoe'ksville	7.35			11.12 5.20
7.50		2.09	9.54	Green Spring	7.28			11.05 5.12
7.55	4.59	2.14	10.00	Clayton	7.24		8.36	11.01 5.06
7.45	4.49	2.04	9.50	Lvesmyrna	7.15		8.28	10.51 4.49
7.59		2.19	10.05	Brenford	7.19			10.54 4.57
8.04		2.25	10.11	Moorton	7.15			10.49 4.53
8.07				Dupont	7.09			
8.15	5.15	2.35	10.22	Dover	7.06		8.20	10.41 4.45
8.21	5.21	2.42	10.28	Wyoming	6.59		8.12	10.34 4.38
8.28		2.49	10.41	Woodside	6.53			10.28 4.31
8.32		2.54	10.45	Viola	6.49			10.24 4.27
8.37	5.33	2.59	10.49	Felton	6.45		8.00	10.19 4.23
8.45	5.44	3.12	11.02	Harrington	6.35		7.50	10.08 4.13
	5.52	3.20	11.09	Farmington			7.41	9.59 4.03
	6.01	3.29	11.18	Greenwood			7.32	9.49 3.55
	6.11	3.39	11.28	Bridgeville			7.23	9.40 3.46
	6.16	3.51