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Letter From China

HATANG, FEB. 5, 1910.

My Dear Father:

Your letter telling of the Pittsburg convention came last mail. We were glad to get a word from you, and I am going to write to you in answer. We were glad you could go to Pittsburg, for it gives you a broader view of what Christian activity is in our brotherhood today. There you are at the center of things; here we are at the farthest edge on the battle line. There are good and bad at both places, but the light is brighter here. There you have the light of the 19 o'clock sun; here it is only the dawn of day. May the light grow brighter in both places. I believe that as the light increases there will also increase here.

The field must be increasing in God Nicholas, and how thankful we are. You are going to support your own missionary to the Tibetans. What a glorious step. It is still true that "the light that shines farthest shines brightest at home." I wish the Nicholas people would select a more worthy man than I, and one of greater spirituality, consecration and ability. Dr. Loftis has made us bow our heads in shame for the sacrifice he made. But in reality what we call a sacrifice is only a gain. He had humbleth him self shall be exalted." "He that would lose his life shall find it." "Give and it shall be given unto you." Would that we all could realize these things.

We have now been on the mission field four years, having arrived in Tachienlu Feb. 3rd, 1906. Our work in Tachienlu was mostly learning Chinese and Tibetan, and gaining experience. We came to Batang Oct. 31, 1908, and until lately our time has been spent in studying Tibetan, teaching daily preaching on Sunday, and learning the people and country. Dr. Shelton has had his daily clinic, and looked after the building and other things pertaining to work and study. Dr. Loftis came to us June 17, 1909, and had most of the work to take up the room Aug. 12.

Until December 19th last year there were a few who listened to our preaching, sometimes as many as twenty-thirty would come around and listen. Most of the time fewer. As I have told you before, I began a ten days' meeting in a very small room that would seat about as many as your dining room. At the end of ten days about forty-five had taken their stand for Christ. As many more individuals have done the same since the meeting closed and besides I have dedicated more than twenty-five homes to the Lord, making in all about 200 people who worship Christ. This is since Dec. 19th. It is a daily occurrence for boys and young men, old men and all to tell us their story in Chinese or Tibetan, whichever it is, and take vows to reform, believe in Jesus and trust him. Some of them, and may the Lord be merciful to them and help them, have confessed the blackest sins, and had lived the most awful lives. Some have been gamblers or thieves or opium smokers, and some have been all of these together. Some have run dens of vice and shame and closed them. Some women have been influential in severe indecency, and now a sense of shame shows that they have gone upward. I wish to see them of vice and opium smoking, and pleaded with a crowded room of these depraved people. The next day the den closed, and the keeper of it is today a professed believer in Christ. I could tell you dozens of instances, but these are sufficient. Idols are burned and God is praised; souls that were dead are quickened to life. Let all those who say there is no power in the Gospel of Christ for the uplift of fallen men and women be forever silenced, and themselves fall at the foot of the cross and pacify for mercy. In really true that the hated Chinese and the barbarous Tibetans are seeing the salvation of the Lord before some of our Nicholas people, who are yet in wicked unbelief. Is this true? Yes, it is true. I will call that my people, Which was not my people; And her beloved, that was not beloved. And it shall be, that in the place where it was said to them, Ye are not my people, There shall they be called sons of the living God.

And so are the souls of Isaiah; I was found of them that sought me not;

I became manifest unto them that asked not of me.

I plead for those in Nicholas who have not yet come to the knowledge of the truth; who still resist the pleadings of a loving Savior. Do they not know that we must all stand before the judgment seat of God? Will these Tibetans and Chinese stand justified and saved while some of our own race and blood kin are cast out? It makes me tremble. May God be merciful.

Your loving son,
JAS. C. OGDEN.

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Will make the season of 1910 at the barns of W. Ed. Kennedy, Carlisle, Ky.
CECIL JAY
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Sire of Mr. McGregor, Sire of Jay Bird.
2nd dam by Robert McGregor
McGregor by Robert Mc Gregor
Gambetta Wilkes, grandsire of Jay Bird, dam of Jay McGregor on dam side, colt one of the grandest of the state.
March 15th, 1910, ten mares by above stock horse. Three-year-olds he breed to the horses are in demand.
Small colts until season ends more parted with or sold.
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W. ED. KENNEDY, Carlisle, Ky.
JESSE H. KENNEDY, Mgr.

TIME TABLES.
Trains to effect Sunday, 1910.
North bus at Carlisle—No. 35, 9:00 a.m.; No. 8, 7:15 p.m.
South bus at Carlisle—No. 3, 9:05 a.m.; No. 5, 4:44 p.m.
DAY TRAINS.
No. 4, 9:24 a.m.; No. 6, 12:05 p.m.
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In Bad Fix
"I had a mishap at the age of 41, which left me in bad fix," writes Mrs. Georgia Usher, of Conyers, Ga. "I was unconscious for three days, and after that I would have fainting spells, dizziness, nervousness, sick headache, heart palpitation and many strange feelings. I suffered greatly with ailments due to the change of life and I had 3 doctors, but they did no good, so I concluded to try Cardui.
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Better take Cardui while there is time, while you are still in moderately good health, just to conserve your strength and keep you in tip top condition.
In this way your troubles, whatever they are, will gradually grow smaller and smaller instead of larger—you will be on the up-grade instead of the down—and by and bye you will arrive at the north pole of perfect health.
Get a bottle at your druggists' today.

Senator Mathers's Turnpike Bill Which Goes Into Effect June 13th, 1910.

SEC. 1. That it shall be unlawful for anyone to obstruct the water tables of a turnpike or any public road by putting a crossing, either private or public over the water table of a public road without providing a culvert or drain pipe of sufficient dimension to carry the full volume of water that may drain in this water table or to cut it so as not to impede the full flow of water. It shall also be unlawful to plant trees, telephone poles or fence in or closer than two and one-half feet of the outer edge of the ditch, so that a plow or machinery may be used in making, widening or deepening them. Any fencing, tree or stone falling into a water table or rolling down from above into it, shall be removed within five days by the owner of the land of which the obstruction was a part, or any person not an owner trimming trees or cutting weed growing on or any person placing any other obstruction in water table, shall be liable for all damage done by turning water into the road bed, and also two dollars for each day the obstruction has laid in the ditch more than five days.

SEC. 2 It shall be the duty of the road or county road supervisor of roads, to report every misdemeanor under this act with the name of the person, to the magistrate in whose district that part of the road may lay on the penalty of being indicted by the first grand jury for misfeasance in office, and on conviction expelled from his office. On this act becoming a law the fiscal court shall order it to be published once each week for two years in some newspaper of general circulation published in their county.

SEC. 3. Any water table that may wash out deeper than necessary to carry off the water, shall be considered an obstruction, determining the road bed or adjacent property by the permission of overseer or road supervisor, the ditch may be filled or dammed to its proper size.

SEC. 4. In making or repairing any part of a public road one sixth in value of all labor and money spent shall be used for the drainage of said road by making water tables and placing culverts or drain pipes of suitable number and size.

Workmen while excavating in the old cemetery on East High Street, Mt. Sterling, which is to be turned into a park, found a human skeleton almost intact. It was in a fine state of preservation and was the object of much interest.

Kentucky-Irish Americans.
The Danville Advocate says: Kentuckians and Kentucky-Irish Americans are indebted to Hon. John C. Linehan, of New Hampshire, for the preservation of many facts connected with the early history of their State. Mr. Linehan, although living in faraway New England, went to considerable trouble and expense to collect his data and all of it can be proved by reference to historical records.
"Mr. Linehan is Treasurer General of the American Irish Historical Society and has taked pride and interest in the work of the organization. He has facts and figures to show that Dr. Hart and William Connor were the first Catholic settlers in Kentucky, locating at Harrodsburg in 1775. The doctor was the first medical practitioner in the State, and the wife of Dr. Coomes was the first teacher.
"Among the fortified stations or Forts built for protection against the Indians in the early days in Kentucky, not a few bore, and still bear Irish names. Among them are: Bryan's Station Dougherty's Station, Brennan's Lick, now Brennan's Springs; Fagan's Station, Hart's Station, Higgin's Block House, Mc Cullough's Station and Lynch's Fort. Other stations and forts bore the characteristic names of McAfee, McFadden, McGee, Sullivan, McGuire, McFadden, McKeenan, McConnell and Kennedy.
Again Mr. Linehan shows that the following counties in Kentucky were named for Irish patriots: Adair, Butler, Logan, Hart, Montgomery, McCracken, Barry, Carroll, Bowman and Casey.
"As late as 1840 there were sixty residents of Irish birth or immediate descent who were veterans of the Revolutionary War. An idea of the Irish blood in Kentucky during those stirring early days can be formed from the character of names given. Nearly all the great Gaelic families are represented, yet the absence of Old Testament names so common among Presbyterian Irish indicates that these men were of Catholic stock."

Inflammatory Rheumatism Cured in 3 Days.
Morton L. Hill, of Lebanon, Ind., says: "My wife had inflammatory Rheumatism in every muscle and joint; her suffering was terrible and her body and face were swollen almost beyond recognition; had been in bed for six weeks and had eight physicians, but received no benefit until she tried Dr. Davenport's Relief For Rheumatism. It gave immediate relief and she was able to walk about in three days. I am sure it saved her life." Sold by Tureman & Son, Druggists.

About That Chorus.
We understand some of our Carlisle friends are indignant at what we say in regard to the question of cutting out the chorus contests in the High School Tournament. If they will only stop and think a moment they will see that it is not us but the managers against whom the indignation should be directed. Right down at the bottom of this whole trouble is the fact that Flemingsburg wants to win under the training of Mrs. E. U. Andrews, simply outclasses all of the others and this is what we are in demand. We don't care to assigning parties to the editorial boards of a portion of the honors due to a few by reason of merit. The Carlisle Commercial Club very naturally fell in line with this scheme, as it might relieve them of the burden of entertaining the chorus. That is the situation, and we do not think our Carlisle friends can justly blame us for protesting against a matter so plainly unjust as Flemingsburg's contention. We all department and made no kick. Let Carlisle do like wise.—Flemingsburg Times Democrat.
Then the only reason the Times-Democrat kicks is because the management "cut out the chorus." We don't care to pursue the matter further than to say that the editor of the Times-Democrat has acted very unneighborly.

English Spavin Liniment removes Hard, Soft or Calloused Lumps and Blemishes from horses; also Blood Spavins, Curbs, Splints, Sweeney, Ringbone, Stifles, Sprains, Swollen Throats, Coughs, etc. Save $50 by use of one bottle. A wonderful blister. Sold by Tureman & Son, Druggists.

To Arrest The Vagrants.
Farmers came to town this week bringing hands, and although plenty of idle men could be seen, few were found who are willing to work. Chief of Police McCord is determined that the idlers shall work and if they won't work for the farmers they must for the city and he has given orders to bring in the vagrants. A few were tried before Judge Pendleton and were given stiff fines.—Winchester Democrat.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day.
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Maine To Be Raised.
After twenty years the ill-fated battleship Maine is to be removed from the Havana harbor, and the bodies she went down with the vessel will be interred in the National cemetery at Arlington. A bill providing for such removal and burial, which has been passed by the House, was passed by the Senate.

What the Rat Has Cost Us in Human Lives.
For one of the most terrible all diseases the rat is now positively known to be responsible; the bubonic plague, or "black death," a scourge of mankind more fearful than this, states McClure's. It was playing the Egyptians at the beginning of recorded history; a single pest cost Athens a third of her citizens in 1200 B.C. In 1372 the pestilence killed 50,000 persons, Venice, in 1576, lost 70,000, Milan, 1630, 60,386 died, out of a population of 400,000. Rats were laying in the streets, houses were too few to carry them away. Even as late as 1771 an epidemic of the bubonic plague cost Moscow a fourth of its population. But, after the last frightful ravage in Bombay, India and the region westward toward the Mediterranean, rats have been found home; and after Europe and Africa were free.
It broke out again in 1894, from a peculiarly virulent strain that had its home in a certain district of China. The army supply trains carried the rats and the Bacillus pests to Canton, where, between March and August of 1894 it killed upward of 100,000 Chinese alone. Thence the plague spread to Bombay, and diffused itself through India. Five million persons died of the pestilence in the following five years that ended with 1898, and it was again taking its annual mortality fell below 200,000.
Before it was discovered that quarantine must include rats, it was found that the only effective means to get rid of the rats was to use the system of natural enemies, the cat and the dog, having it ground for their food use, take their shorts and mill feed home and feed it to their stock and sell what is left, and until they have first supplied their own wants. During the next year Commissioner Rankin is going to try to get every farmer in Kentucky to raise some wheat on his farm.

MILLER & HATHAWAY kindly solicit your patronage in repairing, cleaning and pressing clothes. French and dry cleaning and repairing and alterations a specialty in connection wit Miller's Barber Shop, Home Phone 37.

Prominent Farmers.
(A dispatch from Paducah, Ky.) Charged with stealing hogs, six arrests were made in Livingston county, the accused being John Woodson, Woodson Crawford, Jewell Robinson, Geo. Crawford, Ed Crawford and John Crawford. All were placed in jail except Woodson Crawford, who executed bond.
All are prosperous farmers and their arrest is the result of a deputy state fire marshal's recent visit to that county. Mysterious fires have occurred in Livingston county recently and they were believed to have been the work of night riders.
Many warning notes also have been sent to tobacco growers. Attention is said to have made a complete confession, implicating the other five. These are the alleged night riders to be arrested in Livingston county.

Will there be greys worn in men's clothing this season? Well we should say so, and many different kinds. Sam Veach is showing the greatest variety ever, in all shades of grey.

A trained lion being exhibited on an open stage at Cleveland, Tenn., suddenly became the bloodthirsty beast of the jungles and snatched a baby from the arms of its mother, carried it to the back of the stage and dibbed it to the floor. Frantic witnesses, seizing anything available as weapons, advanced on the lion and drew its attention, while a man snatched the baby from the stage. The child was terribly mauled but may die. The keeper finally got the lion into its cage.

Theodore Roosevelt was accorded unusual honors at Berlin where, at the great University of that name, he delivered his address on "The World Movement." The Emperor entered the hall with the ex-President and all the royal family were present. The Degree of "Doctor of Philosophy" was conferred upon Mr. Roosevelt, and the choir sang "Hail to Thee in the Conqueror's Wreath."

Tobacco Cut Worse Than Ever.
Foley's Honey and Tar has been a household favorite for all ailments of the throat, chest and lungs. For infants and children it is best and safest as it contains no opiates and no harmful drugs. Some genuine but Foley's Honey and Tar is the yellow package. Refuse substitutes.—Howell & Co.

The Tree Big B's.
Following the editorial in the News of last Friday suggesting ex-Gov. Beckham as the logical candidate for United States Senator, special dispatches have been received from Washington City to the Louisville press that Beckham is declared that he will be a candidate. Ex-Senator Blackburn, who was suggested in the editorial referred to, is the strongest candidate who could be put forth for consideration. He is with this week and while he does not say he is a candidate to the friends who are urging him to make the race, he has said enough for his friends to know that we would accept the nomination. The News has suggested a winning ticket in the three big B's and in a sense we have made them both sit up and take notice as well as arousing a great deal of enthusiasm throughout Kentucky for them.—Elizabethtown News.

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has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING WITH PERFECT SUCCESS. It SOOTHES the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS, ALLAYS all PAIN; CURES WIND COLIC. We believe it by Druggist in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

The U. S. Court of Claims has allowed a claim of $1,000, made by one Solomon Berlow, who was interested in the U. S. frigate Betsey, seized by the French in 1798. The claim, with interest now amounts to $40,000, which the heirs of Barlow receive.

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The Center of Population.

One interesting calculation to be made after the census is taken will be that of establishing the present center of population. The census records of 1900 describe this center as latitude 39 degrees, 9 minutes, 36 seconds, north; longitude, 85:48:54, west. On the map this spot will be found about six miles southeast of Columbus, Bartholomew county, Ind. In the ten years ending in 1900 this point moved westward fourteen miles. This was the smallest movement ever noted by the Census Bureau, and showed that the population of the United States had not increased as rapidly as in former decades. There has been a great drift of population to the southwest within New Mexico, Oklahoma and Arizona have had, perhaps, a greater increase than the northwestern states. It is not likely that the center will go out of Indiana, but it will probably shift considerably to the south of West Baden Springs.

That the central point of population remains so long in Indiana proves that we are the yet undeveloped possibilities of the West, how great a multitude of people it can yet provide for.—Indiana Star.

Foley's Kidney Pills are antiseptic, tonic and restorative and a prompt corrective of all kidney irregularities. Refuse substitutes.—Howell & Co.

Wants More Wheat.
Because the report of the crop condition in this state for the month of March showed a decided falling off in the acreage of wheat, Commissioner of Agriculture Rankin has decided to begin a campaign to induce the farmers of Kentucky to grow more wheat and less tobacco. He has a dozen or more speakers who will be in the field within a few days. Among the speakers will be Judge Lovelace, who was field naturalist and photographer with the Roosevelt safari. His talk records a fight with five lions, which did their duty as far as they were able, and earned more glory than rewards than fell to them. This May 19th issue of The Companion might well be called an African number, for it also contains a vivid account by Sir Harry Johnston of "Caesar Life in Africa" twenty years ago. It is a fascinating picture which this veteran traveller and administrator draws, and one almost regrets that civilization is so rapidly changing the last footfold of mystery into a region of white men's government and commerce.
The Memorial Day Number of The Youth's Companion is an American number, through and through. "The Roosevelt Ancestry," by Elsie Singmaster, is a story of reconciliation over the graves of the Blue and the Gray. The story of "A Man's Work," by Garland P. Ferrell, is convincing proof that a story of consequence can keep one's interest aroused to the breathless end, without the introduction of a single bad man. James A. Connolly's article on "The American Boy and the Navy" shows what opportunities lie open to the young enlisted man in the American navy service. Aside the beautiful story of this issue symbolizes a custom which is growing in our seacoast towns of scattering flowers on the Memorial Day of July to the graves of the navy men who sleep beneath the waves.

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An Important Case.

There is now pending in the Supreme Court of the United States, a case involving the question of the ownership of portions of land in four counties in Eastern Kentucky and West Virginia; the suits are based on land grants given by Virginia one hundred twenty-five years ago. At one time Harry Greene, formerly of Clark county, held deeds for a large portion of this land, but he sold it again. It is now occupied by several thousand "squatters" who threaten bloodshed if required to give up the land held by their ancestors for a hundred years.

Two Noteworthy Numbers of The Youth's Companion.

The issue announced by Theodore Roosevelt "failed to do their duty." Two others were not due to Mr.

After The Money.

A dispatch from Frankfort says:
Suits will be filed by the State Auditor today against all the distilleries in Kentucky, seeking to collect taxes for the past five years on the income derived by the distilleries from storage charged to owners of whisky.
The total amount sued for will be between $350,000 and $300,000, and for $60,000 a year hereafter. Each distillery will be sued in the county where it is located.
Every distiller in the State, who has a warehouse and collects storage from the owner of whisky, is made defendant. Forty-three of the suits are against the Kentucky Distilleries and Warehouse Company. The counties and cities in which warehouses are located will receive their proportionate part of such taxes collected.
The distiller collects five cents a month per barrel for storage, or sixty cents per year.
The State is represented in the cases by Judge J. E. Lockett and Charles Morris, of the Attorney General's office.

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