Message From California

Los Angeles, Cal. 4-9-1?

DEAR EDITOR:

I was just ruminating as to what would be better calculated to make one more contented with the [illegible] than rustling down the Metropolis of the Southwest, the rich man's paradise, winter and summer resort. Were we gifted in rhetoric, or master of adjectives, to tell in romantic language, what a beautiful story we could write of this country, upon whose hills are roving thousands of horses, cattle, sheep, of every breed, and their white and pale pink pennants, laughing in the lee of every vagrant breeze which left their icy kiss in the frozen North.

Yes, I read so much back yonder in Kentucky of snow, ice, and all the frosty incidentals of a gloomy, frozen winter, now melting and rushing down the Ohio, into the Mississippi and on to the Gulf, carrying death and destruction in its wake.

After leaving Kentucky I traveled over most all the state of Texas, spending the winter in Houston, while there are better places, I must admit. I never spent a milder or pleasanter winter in my life. I could hardly realize it was winter. It is not my intention to speak of Texas now, but want to tell you all about it later on.

On March the 6th I got myself down to the Union Station in time to catch No. 6, and there I stood ready. The warning bell sounded, and the fireman leaned far out for the signal. The conductor shouted "All aboard" and the train moved out of the station, rounded a curve, entered an absolute straight line, and settled down to business. I glanced back to take a farewell look and I could see Houston's tall sky-scrapers disappearing in the distance.

We were Westward bound to the sage-brush deserts, the Golden Gate of the western slopes. As we glide along over the country I found nothing to disturb a meditative mood, nothing to excite admiration or arouse curiosity, until I awoke the next morning in the State of Kansas, and there it was no mistake, the whole earth wrapped in a mantle of snow, the first I had seen. Men curled up in their overcoats, and no one spoke to his neighbor, by reason of the cold, as the train crept along.

At Newton, Kansas, I changed cars for Denver, over the Western Pacific, the World's Wonder, way, for truly it is.

To all lovers of natural scenery there are peculiar charms in mountain traveling, and one should not fail to take a trip over this famous road of rugged mountains, proud peaks, deep canyons, rushing rivers and verdant valleys—eleven miles through Eagle River Canyon, the inspiration of the Royal Gorge.

After leaving Denver in the morning we had a steady climb all day, amid grand scenery and dense snow storms. At six thirty we reached the summit and began to descend, arriving in Salt Lake City at noon the next day—no snow to speak of.

Here the chief attractions are the Mormon Temple, a splendid piece of architecture, and the Tabernacle, to which Gentiles are admitted. If being Sunday I attended. The next morning I had to meet my train through six inches of snow.

After leaving here we had a forty mile ride through the shimmering silver sheen of the Utah Plains, where mysterious mirages appear to excite the wonder of the traveler. As we speed on down the western slope, we strike Feather River. Great walls of granite rise hundreds of feet straight into the air, crazy cataracts tumbling madly over their tops look like silver strands as they run into the river below. We pass on down into Sacramento Valley, through the State Capitol, and the green orchard country of San Leandro, then into San Francisco.

I spent three days here viewing its many wonderful attractions. It is a great city upon which nature has lavishly bestowed favors, making it the most appropriate and desirable place that could be found for the Panama Pacific International Exposition.

I understand the grounds begin near the Ferry Building on the Bay and extend for miles, skirting the Bay, into Golden Gate Park, which in a short time can be transformed into a perfect paradise. Circling around here are mountains covered to their very peaks with evergreen foliage and looking down upon lake valleys green with its glory of vegetation. Here is where I love to gaze out upon the bosom of the mighty deep to watch the blue waves roll upon the sandy shores.

Then Nature has nothing prettier than the long-tailed white gulls, which sail over the emerald shallows of the land-locked seas—and take the green upon their bodies as they trail the meteoric splendor against the mid-day sky.

From Frisco I boarded a Southern Pacific for Los Angeles—to come and see again and again.

Very respectfully,

JERRY SIMMONS.

Stringtown

The sick are improving. F. M. Darrell is able to be out, while Mrs. Sparks is confined to her home. Wallace Terrill, wife and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Emma McCracken. Miss Mary Collins spent a part of last week with their sister, Mrs. H. E. Soper. George Warner has returned from Mo. after an absence of several weeks. Miss Emma Brierly was called Tuesday to the bedside of her brother who is dangerously ill with typhoid fever. Miss Anna Laura Thompson spent Sunday afternoon with little Miss Lodusky Blake. Misses Jane and Nellie Clancy of Carlisle, visited J. M. Wilson and wife the past week.

Miss Mabel Wasson who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. H. Dalzell at Carlisle, returned home Monday. The handsome, gallant Jimmie Bell Banta passed through our town Sunday afternoon. Look out Ella! Uncle Davy Skein is 88 years old and has never missed a single year plowing since he was 11 years of age. Now boys and girls there is an example. Here in the 20th century when one can take hygienic precautions, we should beat that record. John Banta and wife spent Sunday with L. B. Brierly and wife. Miss Lillian Thompson is expecting as her guest Miss Nellie McNeil from Bradford soon after the Spring term closes at E. K. S. N. where Miss McNeil is now attending school. A man is considered a bachelor at 25. Listen Mr.? Charlotte Smith a well known "woman's rights" woman is laboring before the Massachusetts legislature to get a law passed taxing all bachelors $5 per year; the proceeds to be for the benefit of "improvident spinsters". Oh you poor bachelor! Try to think as Teddy R. does. "To have a better opinion of the 'fairer sex' than some evidently have of themselves!" Miss Anna Ward went to Torrent last week to attend the wedding of her cousin.

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At the same time and place

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[The Blue Ribbon Sire]

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BEN RALLS is 15 1-4 hands high, has big bone and feet, big ears, good head and great weight, is black with white points. He was bred by Nack Ralls, who is second to no man in Kentucky as a breeder of fine jacks.

BEN RALLS is out of the dam of Henry Ward, one of the most prominent jacks and the dam of the sire of another old jack sold for $1200. More of his colts sold at weanlings at from $150 to $350 than any jack that we know of. One of his colts took the blue ribbon at Lexington and Cynthiana Fairs, and was second in the sweepstake ring at Cynthiana.

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The Half Percheron Stallion

King Stephon, Jr.,

[illegible]

$8.00 to Insure a Living Colt.

[illegible]

3rd dam Bradley [illegible]

Henry

[illegible]

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Kehoe

Will make the season at the stable of T. L. Kehoe, one mile from Myers Station.

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KEHOE is a coal black mare, 7 years old, weighs about 1800 pounds.

He was sired by Tower 657, imported from France by Taylor & Jones, of Williamsville, Ill.

1st. dam sired by Gripon, perfected by Kiser & [illegible]

2nd. dam by Cesar.

3rd. dam by Eclipse.

This horse has recently been purchased by Mr. Kehoe, one of the greatest breeding establishments of Illinois, and what is needed in this section. Be sure to see him before arrangements

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This young horse will make the season of 1912 at my stable, one-fourth mile southwest of MOOREFIELD, Nicholas County, Ky.

Jr. Old Red Cloud. He by Indian Chief.

RED CLOUD, Jr.'s 1st dam by Time Onward, 2nd dam by Nahum, 3rd, dam by Abdallah Drago, 4th dam by Frank Alcfalfa.

TIME ONWARD by Onward, 1st dam Nettie Time, one of the greatest brood mares that ever lived.

RED CLOUD, JR. is 12 years old this spring; 16 hands high; brown, two white hind feet, star and snip; has a good way of going and will trot fast.

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Mar. 21 - 10t

A bill limiting the number of saloons in Washington to 200 was passed today by the Senate. Senator Bayburn, opposing the measure, proposed that the drinkers, rather than the sellers of liquor be required to take out licenses. He said he preferred a "moderate drinker to a sober fool." The bill goes to the house.

The Ewing Fair will be held August 22, 23, 24, 1912, at Ewing, Ky. E. F. Ewing, President; J. G. Collins, Treasurer; S. H. Price, Secretary.

The Ocean Grave

Fathoms deep in the turbulent Atlantic lie all that is mortal of millionaire and pauper, of banker and peasant. A nation is in tears with its great heart torn with grief and once again the human mind is dazed at the pitiless struggle of man against the ocean's wrath.

Let no scoffer rise his voice with the cry of a "day deserved" of master and slave, for only the wild waves of the ocean can tell the true story of the last sad struggle that will live in the tears and sympathies of those who sorrow.

Though some may have worn their glittering diamonds and their purple and fine linen while others were arrayed in the garments of the poor and the colors of the rainbow, they were one countrymen—each with home and loved ones—and were mingling their prayers with the roar of the deep leaving the scream of the sea-gulls for their last funeral dirge. Well may Republic with tribute contribute take note of the strong, brave men that lie blood red in their watery graves.

In primeval days the fires of persecution served as torches to show Heaven the heroism that was in man. Perhaps there were exceptions to that rule and like ourselves they too fell before the small trials of daily life. But the scenes and circumstances attending the sinking of the Titanic palace proves that because of time's growing hoar of age, the courage and noble sacrifice of the Anglo Saxon is one the less existent.

How calmly alike did millionaire and pauper bow to the inexorable law of the sea, "women and children go first," and then when the last hope was gone and the gloom of celestial death threw its black shadows over the Queen of the Atlantic, they went down to the sleep of their coral beds until time shall be no more and earth and sea shall give up their dead.

For our heritage they leave a benediction and a prayer, the laughing babe, the grief stricken parents, the broken hearted husband and weeping wife ever keep the memory of those whom the God of the deep saw fit to give an ocean grave.

The waves roll on
And the inshore creep
With their utter sings
Over the lonely ones they sleep
For our hero dead
We sigh and moan
For the God above
That called them home.

May they sleep in peace
Where the waves roll high
And the brave went down
In their strength to die.

SAMUEL KERNS.

His First Visit

Mr. John Mathias, of Carlisle, Ky., who was a brief visitor here this week, the guest of his cousin, Mrs. George Hurf, of Pine street, is in the insurance business, representing a number of fire companies. Mr. Mathias is a son of Mr. Lucas Mathias, brother of Mrs. Elizabeth Keller, a former Chillicothean. He is familiarly known among his associates in his Kentucky home as "Chillicothe," and, strange to say, he had never seen this place until this brief visit this week. Mr. Alois Peters, who will be pleasantly remembered as another Chillicothean, is located in Carlisle, and has been there for eighth term as counselor, and is very highly esteemed by all his acquaintances.—[Daily Scioto Gazette, Chillicothe, Ohio.

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For Carlisle City Schools

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GRADE II.

Special Honor—Ninetta Wauch 96; Howard Mastin, 95; Adaline Asbury, 95; Ruth Collier, 95; Lois Talbert, 95. Honor Roll—Ruth Grimes, 94; Frank Alexander, 93; Ruth Crump, 92; Louella Crowe, 92; Carrie Conway, 92; Christine McCormick, 92; Clarine Shannon, 92; Cynthia Ashby, 91; Ruth Carter, 90; Drucilla Anderson, 90; Ruth Woodward, 90; Margaret Fulton, 90; Lillie Cecil Taylor, 97; Mabel Reed, 96; Catherine Canbey, 96; Ginnie B. Fisher, 96; Elizabeth Pollitt, 96; Nannie Simms, 95; Ada Maher, 95; Elizabeth Cole, 95. Honor Roll—Margaret Fishback, 94; Nellie Paris, 94; Dudley Spencer, 94; Carrie Feebeck, 92; Helen James, 92; Sterling Kerns, 91; Edith Tyne, 91; Roger McClannahan, 91; Mary Burns Chandler, 90; Naomi Conway, 90; Richard Cummins, 90; Burroughs Gillispie, 90; and Willie Ruth Lawrence, 90.

GRADE IV.

Special Honor—Minnie Bush, 97; John Parker Ross, 96; Marion Insko, 96; Wynona McNew, 95; Gladys Feebeck, 95; Nellie Wilson, 95; Honor Roll—Agnes Clanbach, 96; Evelyn Templeman, 96; Lenora Plummer, 92; Mary Potts, 92; Rubbie Maher, 92; Ruby S. Reed, 92; Virginia Huddleston, 92; Stanley Trumbo, 92; Cordia Stone, 91; James Rose Roberts, 90; Lillie Collins, 90; Willie Rogers, 90.

The fourth grade, realizing the near close of the year's work, are rounding up their tasks quite well. In the last month's test, all pupils, excepting one, made the A class. In their spelling contest Miss Bright, Ruby Reed, Florence Anderson, Mamie Booth, Marion Insko, John Parker Ross and N. D. Clay answered every question. The class is much interested in drawing. The same summer rose and blue ribbons are: Ruby Reed, Wynona McNew and Mary Donnell Potts.

SUE TUTTLE, Teacher.

GRADE V.

Special Honor—Martha Dorsey, 98; Elizabeth Ross, 98; Elton Rice, 98; Mamie Reed, 97; Frankie Fleming, 96; John Feebeck, 96; Evelyn Templeman, 96. Honor Roll—Ninetta Wauch, 96; Ida Effrop, 94; Frank Lacombe, 93; Reynolds Irvine, 93; Ethel Wilson, 91; Fred Linville, 90; Ida E. Plummer, 90; Robert Fisher, 90; Virginia Harrison, 90; Stanley Galbraith, 90.

GRADE VI.

Special Honor—Lula Batts, 97; Kathleen Collyer, 96; Honor Roll—Frances Gillispie, 94; Bishop Lawrence, 93; Emma Henry, 92; Ocarrie Feebeck, 92; Helen James, 92; Margaret Dowling, 92; Florence Cole, 91; Arthur Trumbo, 91; Edith Campbell, 90.

GRADE VII.

Special Honor—John Berry, 96; Gladys Bowen, 96; Elizabeth Watson, 95. Honor Roll—Helen Asbury, 92; Ray Carter, 90; James Hamilton, 90; Hunter Taul, 90; Eugene Wise, 94; Arenia Secrest, 93; Eva Priest, 93; Ruth Paris, 93; Anne Keller, 92; Ruth Calbraith, 91; Hunter Taul, 90; Herbert Blount, 93; Sterling Blake, 91; Effie Anderson, 93; Elsie Reed, 92; Virginia Huddleston, 92; Katie Henry, 91.

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