

# IN THE LAND WHERE THE SAND MAN DWELLS

EVENING STORIES AND TALES FOR THE LITTLE PEOPLE

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### THE GRATEFUL MAMMA HEN.

The mamma hen said "cluck, cluck, cluck."

Her baby chicks said "peep, peep, peep."

"Now cuddle down," the mamma said "My baby chicks must go to sleep."

"Cluck, cluck, cluck, cluck," the mamma said.

"Don't make a noise, I hear a rat; Who thinks that on my little ones He soon will dine and so grow fat."

The baby chicks were still as mice, But pussy cat was wide awake; And while Sir Rat was hunting chicks, His worthless life did quickly take.

"You dear old cat," said Mrs. Hen,—"I've much to thank you for this night."

"The pleasure," said the cat, "is mine. For catching rats is my delight."

### THE WEEK END VISIT

William could hear his mother talking on the telephone, so boy-like, he listened to what she was saying.

"You want to take William home with you to spend Sunday," she was saying. "Yes I guess he can go."

"What were you and Aunt Susan talking about?" asked William. "Your uncle is coming in Saturday to take you out to the farm to spend Sunday," replied his mother. "They like to have you with them so well that I have promised them to let you go out each week to spend Sunday. You know they are so lonely since their own children have gone away to school."

Saturday morning was a clear, cold morning, such as they have in the Eastern States in mid-winter. The ground was covered with snow and all the trees were looking beautiful in their dresses of pure white.

"Oh, mother, come and look at Uncle Henry," said William, who was looking out at the front window. "He looks like old Santa Claus does in pictures, only he is driving a horse instead of reindeers. See the snow on his whiskers. Don't it look funny?"

Uncle Henry and mamma soon had Willie boy in the sleigh with the fur lap robe tucked about him and mamma was pulling his cap down over his ears so that old Jack Frost could not bite them.

Now they were ready and away they go bound for the farm, where Aunt Susan was anxiously awaiting them.

How the sleigh bells tinkled and

how swiftly they slid over the snow.

They could see tiny prints in the road that Uncle Henry said were rabbit tracks. "I will take you for a rabbit hunt this winter. I think that all boys like to hunt," said he.

"Say, uncle, don't you think that those little bird's feet must be cold?" said William.

"I thought that all the birds went south to a warmer climate in the winter. Those are snow birds and are prepared for the cold weather," replied Uncle Henry. They like the snow just as well as the other birds like the sunshiny days."

As they neared the farm William's uncle pointed out a big hill to him. "That hill," said he, "is where you will coast. I have made you a sled that will hold six children. That pond just below the hill is where the boys and girls skate. That kind of skating beats the roller skating all to pieces."

Soon William was before the fire place in Aunt Susan's cozy living room trying to get warm and wondering how long it would be until dinner was ready and when Uncle Henry was going to show him the new sled.

### JUS' CAUSE.

My mother tied me to a post, Jus' 'cause I runned away. And tol' me if I wasn't good, She'd keep me there all day.

And jus' 'cause I swore a word I can't tell what I said, She made me take off all my clothes And go up stairs to bed.

And then jus' 'cause I took the clock And winded it too tight She made me 'pologize an' say— I knew it wasn't right.

Last week I promised a little prize to the girl or boy who would write me the best little story about the squirrel and weasel. It was hard to determine which was the best but below is published the one that wins the prize.

One day in the autumn some little squirrels were looking out the front door, when they saw their mother was being chased by a weasel. One little squirrel said, "he did not mind it if she did die; they had plenty of acorns and nuts." Another little squirrel said, "But what would we do if it were not for our mother's care?" Every moment they expected

to hear a cry of pain from their mother, when suddenly bang went a gun and the weasel fell to the ground. The weasel had tried to take the squirrel's life but his own had been taken.

This story tells you must not kill any harmless creature.

Thomas Crosthwait.

### GETTING EVEN

"I am going to ask my mother if I may give a Hallowe'en party," said Bertha Jones to Lucile Smith as they were walking to school one day.

"Wouldn't that be jolly? Who would you invite?" said Lucile. "I would invite about a dozen of the High School kids, but there's one thing sure, I wouldn't invite Gertrude Fletcher, 'cause she gave me a great snub not long ago and this will be a good chance to get even."

"What did Gertrude do to gain your displeasure?" asked Lucile. "Well, she invited every girl in our crowd to her slumber party but me, and then she had the nerve to ask my sister why I did not come. I call that 'rubbing it in,'" said Bertha, "and now when she tries to be friendly I turn up my nose and look the other way."

"What are you going to do to entertain your jolly dozen?" asked Lucile. "Oh, that part will be the least of my troubles," replied Bertha. "There are all sorts of things to do at Hallowe'en parties that never grow old. I guess we had better not plan too much before mother gives her consent. I will know by tomorrow what she thinks about it and then we can make our plans."

"If mother is willing for me to have this party, can I depend on you to help me?"

"You sure can," replied Edith, and so the subject was dropped until the next day.

(The party plans next Saturday.)

NED—I don't like our baby, 'cause she aint got no teeth.

Ted—You are one of 'dem what don't know a good thing when you got it. Look here, and pulling up his sleeve he showed his friend eight teeth marks in his arm.

"Will you trade your baby for my little brother?"

Ned—Yes But first I want to show you somethin', 'cause you might go and tell the kids that I cheated you. Do you see this scratch over my left eye? Our'n can't bite, but say, she can scratch. Now what do you say, kiddo?"

Ted—I am a going to do something what's better yet. No tradin' goes, see, I'm going to have mine's teeth pulled out.

church at North Bend at 11 a. m. Sunday, Oct. 20. Sunday school at 10. R. O. THORPE, Pastor.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.**  
Christian Science hall, 227 Third street North.  
Subject, "Doctrine of Atonement."  
Service Sunday at 11 a. m.  
Sunday school 12 M., Wednesday 8 p. m.  
Reading room open on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 2 to 5 p. m.

**MARSHFIELD CATHOLIC CHURCH.**  
Rev. A. R. Munro.  
Low Mass will be celebrated at 7 a. m. and High Mass at 10 a. m. Sunday.

**NORTH BEND PRESBYTERIAN.**  
Rev. D. A. MacLeod, Pastor.  
Sunday school, 10 a. m.  
Preaching service, 11 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor, 8:30 p. m.  
Preaching service, 7:30 p. m.

**NORTH BEND METHODIST CHURCH.**  
The services Sunday will be as follows:  
Sunday school 10 a. m.  
Vesper Circle and Epworth League 7 p. m.  
Sermons by the pastor 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

**NORTH BEND CATHOLIC CHURCH.**  
Rev. Father Springer, Rector.  
Mass will be celebrated at 8 o'clock Sunday morning by the Rev. Father Springer.

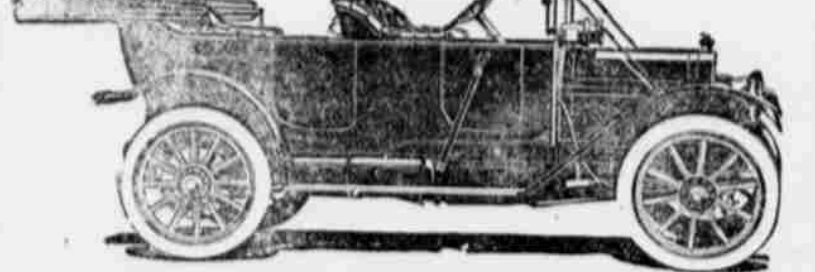
**UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH OF NORTH BEND.**  
Mrs. R. N. Lewis, Pastor.  
Sabbath school, 10 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.  
Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

**GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Services will be held in the Swedish hall on Commercial avenue between Third and Fourth streets, at 8 o'clock p. m., Sunday, September 22.  
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## At the Churches

(Ministers and others are requested to hand in the Sunday church notices not later than Friday evening to insure insertion Saturday.)

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL**  
Rev. H. I. Rutledge, Pastor.  
Sunday school at 10 a. m.  
Rev. J. T. Abbott, District Deputy, will preach at the morning service at 11 o'clock.  
Rev. Hisey of North Bend will deliver the evening sermon.  
Epworth League at 7 p. m.  
Prayermeeting on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.  
Strangers welcome.

**EMMANUEL EPISCOPAL**  
Rev. Robt. E. Browning, Rector.  
9:30 a. m., Sunday school.  
11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon.  
There will be services in St. Mary's Episcopal church in North Bend at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Sunday school at 3 p. m.  
7:30 p. m. Evening service and sermon.

**SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS**  
C. J. Cole, Pastor.  
Seventh Day Adventist services are conducted every Saturday as follows:  
Sabbath school at 2 p. m.  
Preaching services at 3 p. m.  
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**CHURCH OF CHRIST.**  
Z. O. Doward, Minister.  
Bible school at 10 a. m.  
Young People's meeting at 7 p. m.  
Communion and sermon at morning service. Special music by male quartet. "Caesar and God" will be the subject of the evening service.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.**  
Albert F. Bassford, M. A., Pastor.  
Our Bible School meets at 10. We have classes for all ages. If you are not connected elsewhere, we shall

be glad to have you join us in the study of God's Word.

Morning worship at 11 with sermon by Pastor Bassford on "How the First Church Began."

Young People's service at 6:30. Miss Helen McLaughlin, leader. Topic: "Christian Socialibility."  
Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon by pastor. First of series on "Christ and the Crowd."

Midweek prayer meeting on Thursday at 7:30 p. m. These meetings are stimulating and helpful to the spiritual life.

We extend a cordial invitation to the general public and especially non church goers to share these services with us. Come with us and we will do you good.

On Friday afternoon, the Juniors will meet at the church at 4. All young people made welcome. Mrs. G. LeRoy Hall is superintendent.

**MARSHFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**  
J. E. Burkhart, Minister.  
At the First Presbyterian church services may be expected on sabbath as follows:  
Sabbath school at 10 a. m., Prof. Tiedgen, superintendent.  
Morning worship at 11 o'clock.  
Young People's meeting at 6:30 p. m.  
Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock.

The members of the church and congregation are especially urged to be present at these services; and everyone is cordially invited to attend. Come and bring a friend.

**SWEDISH LUTHERAN**  
Dr. John E. Oslund, Pastor.  
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.  
Morning service, 10:45 a. m.  
Evening service in English, 7:30 p. m.

**NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN.**  
R. O. Thorpe, Pastor.  
Preaching services will be held in the Norwegian Lutheran church at Marshfield, Sunday, Oct. 20 at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10. Norwegian preaching services will be held in the Swedish Lutheran



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