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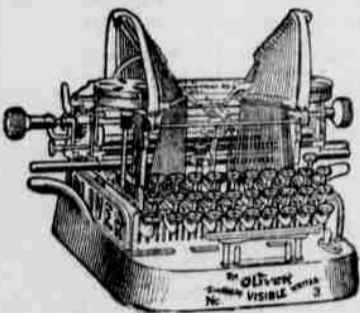
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TRIP TO NEW JERSEY

CHANGES THAT TWENTY-SIX YEARS HAVE BROUGHT ABOUT

Destruction of the Industry of Peach Growing—Cheap Lands Near New York City—Family Reunion of 6,000 Smiths—Great Profits in Small

Farming, Especially in Poultry. George R. Demott greatly enjoyed his trip to Hunterdon county, New Jersey, after an absence of 26 years, and is apparently tickled to get back. Mr. Demott left here the last of November, and was absent a few days over six months. During that time he visited New Jersey and many of the intervening states, returning home by way of Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona and California.

Young Men Leaving the Farms. One of the most noticeable things in New Jersey revealed to him by his trip is the fact of the discontent of the present generation of young men raised in the country, with farm life. The exodus of this class from the farms to the cities and larger towns is very noticeable. There is no longer any contentment, or at least very little, on the part of the young men with country life. Mr. Demott fails to see just why this is, but recognizes the fact.

Small farming in New Jersey is still very profitable when conducted as it should be, by those who understand it. Nevertheless, there is a great deal of abandoned land, and the tendency is more and more that way. To be sure the lands are badly exhausted, but it is often and easily demonstrated that a year or two of faithful application of work and fertilizers restores its condition and makes it profitable. At the same time there is no land anywhere in New Jersey that is profitable unless fertilizers are systematically and persistently used. The proximity of first-class markets is one factor in making Jersey farming profitable.

Mr. Demott is confident that most of the young men who go to the cities from the farms make a grievous error in so doing.

Money in Cheap Land. Mr. Demott says that land from which good money can be made by those who understand small farming, and work hard and stick to it, can be bought for as low as \$15 per acre, but it has to be "built up" after purchasing. When the big slump in land values took place about 10 years ago, the Jersey farms at once suffered from the deterioration of neglect, and they have been neglected ever since from the conviction that they were not worth reclaiming. Yet nothing could be further from the truth.

Mr. Demott met and visited with friends who rent 100 acres of land last year sold from it \$7,700 worth of products, largely chickens, ducks, geese and eggs. They keep 15 good cows, 20 hogs, 350 ducks, 60 geese and 700 hens. From the ducks they sold 5,000 young ducks for the city markets, and from the hens 600 eggs daily. The owner and the tenants of the land divide equally the expenses and profits.

Fruit in a Decline. Mr. Demott remarked with great regret the decline in fruit raising, especially in peaches. The San Jose scale has destroyed hundreds of peach orchards and hundreds of thousands of trees. As yet no adequate remedy for the scale has been found.

Small Dealers Obliterated. Mr. Demott noted with extreme regret and curiosity that there are no longer any small wheelwrights, shoemakers, blacksmiths and other artisans going business for themselves, and on a small scale. With the small merchant, they have been obliterated by absorption into large concerns—the survival, perhaps not of the fittest, but of the brawn and aggressiveness of capital.

Southern Notes. Mr. Demott visited Washington, D. C., and parts of Virginia and North Carolina en route home. Of course he took in all the features of interest as Washington, with which all travelers and reading people are familiar.

Being a Northerner, with a North-western transplanting, Mr. Demott observed at once upon crossing the Potomac, the sharpness with which the color line is drawn: separate railway compartments, and separate waiting rooms in the depots, and other evidences of radical social inequality very emphatic to a comparative stranger in the South.

Throughout Virginia and North Carolina the average price per day paid for colored labor is 75 cents, and the laborer "finds" himself. Colored women do housework for \$1 per week.

Tobacco, peanuts and sweet potatoes are the staple crops of that region, while the dependence of the people—laborers, merchants, land owners and everybody else—for ready money is on the tobacco crop. As a traveling man put it, "There isn't a dollar in cash in the country except following the marketing of tobacco." Cash grows scarcer and scarcer in a steady ratio following each tobacco crop, until the great bulk of business is done on credit for the few months preceding the harvest of the next crop of tobacco.

Southwest Notes. In New Mexico and Arizona very

many of the best track hands in the employ of the railroads are full-blood Indians. They are infinitely more reliable than the Mexicans—both for industry and sobriety.

The prevailing livestock in the semi-arid regions is goats, sheep and burros.

The tule lands of Central California are very interesting. It is bought in the raw from the government. The buyers lease the lands to Chinese, giving them all of the first crop raised, one-half of the second crop and one-third of the third crop. In return the Chinamen dyke, ditch and drain the land and cut down and root out the tules.

Fairly Prolific Family.

Mr. Demott incidentally mentioned attending a family reunion of the descendants of his great-grandfather. His father's mother was a Smith and was one of 17 children, all of whom grew to manhood and womanhood, married and all had children. Today the descendants of Mr. Demott's paternal grandmother and her brothers and sisters number 6,000 people. The annual reunion is held at Peapack, N. J.

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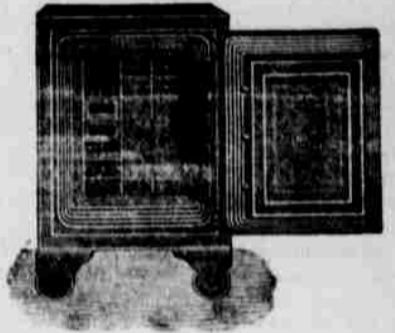
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