

WHEN BABY CAME.

When baby came, she brought with her
A lot of freight the angelic maid;
New joys within our breasts to stir,
New blessedness that long has tarried.
Her father felt his arm grow strong,
Another life on his depending;
Her mother's heart was full of song,
From dawn until the daylight ending.

When baby came, the purse was lean,
And small the home, the roof but lowly.
But wealth was brought by hands unsewn,
And all the place grew bright and holy,
The wealth of love, the wealth of hope,
Those tiny fingers clasped, possessing
A secret, heaven had deigned to give,
And pour on us in rains of blessing.

CHANGING HIS NAME.

DEBORAH HANCOCK was busily engaged in decorating her birthday cake. She sighed as she placed the last candle, one more than the previous year. How fast these little waxen milestones seemed to multiply!

Several years before, when the whole surface of the cake was so thickly studded that she could find no place for the new taper, Miss Hancock paused to ponder.

Was not 35 a good age at which to lose count?

The temptation was great. But all false pretense was abhorrent to the sturdy Hancock nature. Prevarication even to one's self was not to be tolerated.

The tapers were red, white and blue. The republic and Miss Deborah brated the anniversary of their birth upon the same day.

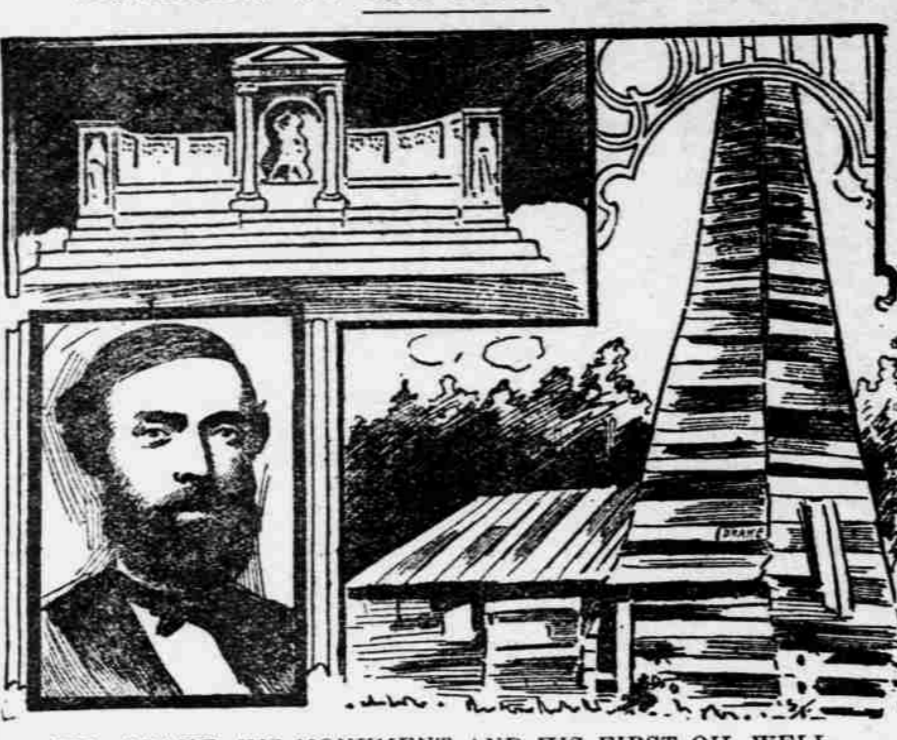
A light tap sounded at the door. Deborah carefully locked her pantry door before admitting her visitor.

"Mother wants to know if you won't go over to the picnic with us to-morrow."

"Me go to the picnic? Why, Ellen Ann, I ain't been to a picnic for twenty years! Thank you ma, but—"

"Oh, do come, Miss Deb. You know we're going to celebrate the incorporation of Hills, as well as the Fourth."

MONUMENT TO THE DISCOVERER OF OIL.



COL. DRAKE, HIS MONUMENT AND HIS FIRST OIL WELL.

At Titusville, Pa., a \$500,000 monument, in memory of Col. Edwin M. Drake, the discoverer of petroleum, has been unveiled.

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JERUSALEM'S WATERWORKS.

The inauguration of the first water works ever built in Jerusalem since those of Solomon were destroyed by the Moslem conquerors took place recently.

Spring water carried by rail was sold in Jerusalem at about 54 pilsners for 1,500 pilsners. The exceptional scarcity of water during the summer season caused the first water works to be undertaken.

A Serious Defect. Paderewski Joseph Fortissimo Lee rendered fantasias, gavottes and cantatas.

Fearless Bishop Whipple. Henry Benjamin Whipple, the late Bishop of Minnesota, will be known as the friend of American Indians, second only to John Elliot.

When Endurance Rebelled. The hospitality of Scotland is quite as well established as the hospitality of Ireland.

Wouldn't Cut Prices Nor Size. Glatton Zimmermann has just returned from a visit to Ohio, and on his journey back he had with him a little railway station to have dinner.

Misouri's Earth-Products. The geologist of Missouri holds that the material of that State is in diversified soil, innumerable bodies of workable coal.

Mental Exercise. Berenice—What is the nature of this brain work Cholly has undertaken?

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U. S. Land Office.

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