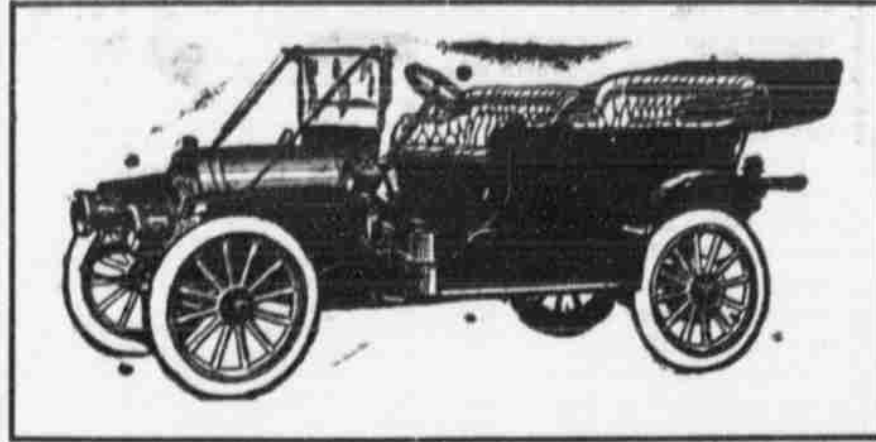


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HOMESTEADERS WORK ON BIG SCALE.

Charles W. Gray and Brother Make
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Boy Believed to Have Perish-
ed Returns Home Safe.

WHITAKER, May 30.—Charles W. Gray, who has a homestead in township 20, range 16, and his brother will clear and plant 100 acres this year, it is understood here. Mr. Gray recently came in here with a large outfit of horses and farming implements and is going at farming on a large scale.

Sumner Houston, the 12-year-old son of J. C. Houston, the stock and sheep man, who was believed to have perished on the desert, was found all safe and sound. While hobbling a horse, the boy's saddle animal got away from him and it was several days before he could catch another gentle enough to ride home.

I. W. Davis has just completed a residence on his claim here. He went to Bend Saturday to bring in his auto truck.

O. C. Henkle was out last week running lines for settlers in this vicinity.

Notice to Ladies

To the Educated and Elite People of Bend: If sufficient inducement will be given I will start a class for ladies and grown-up children in wood-carving, modeling, designing, plaster of paris casting, ornaments, etc. The most educational and instructive pastime for ladies. All the ladies in New Zealand and the British colonies are carving their own furniture, bric-a-brac, etc. For terms, etc., apply to Jean Schiffer, late professor of Durban Art School, at P. O. Corner Store. 121f

Notice.

If you wish to have your express and light freight come in a bag with your letters and daily papers, have it come in on the mail box.—THE CORNETT STAGER & STABLE CO. 251f

LIFE IN ICELAND.

Farmhouses Are Built of Turf and Often Have Earthen Floors.

The guest room in the Iceland farmhouse contained a narrow bed, a big round table and an organ made in Brattleboro, Vt. Our host produced the usual box of snuff and with it a box of good cigars.

The host and hostess then showed us all over the house. It is a turf structure and is typical of the older farmhouses, with narrow, dark, windowless corridors winding in labyrinthian maze from room to room. One passageway leads to a large open mound where a fire is made to smoke meat and fish and incidentally the whole house and everything in it. Another passage leads to another kitchen with a modern stove. The walls are all of turf, as is the roof, with just enough driftwood in the roof to make a framework to hold it in place. Very steep stairs lead up to the badstofa, or sleeping apartment. The badstofa frequently forms the sitting and common workroom of the family, especially in winter, as well as the sleeping room of the entire household.

Bunks built into the wall extend around the room and are often filled with seaweed or feathers, over which is thrown a fold or two of wadmal and a thick coverlet of elderdown. The floors are sometimes covered with boards, but more often consist of damp earth. From the ceiling are suspended numerous articles of domestic economy, while large chests containing clothing and valuables are scattered throughout the house.—Springfield Republican.

KAY McKAY.

WANTED—40 or 80 acres of good land near Bend. Have buyers for one or two good improved farms. Also wanted a good wheat farm. If you have a bargain we want it, if you want a bargain we have it.

BUILDING PLANS

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TYPEWRITTEN CIRCULAR LETTERS

The Bulletin has just installed a supply of imitation typewritten type with which it is prepared to print all kinds of circular letters, etc. This means that merchants, real estate men, etc., can reach their entire mailing lists with personal letters. The exact appearance of original typewritten letters, both in color of ink, type face and impression is duplicated. If desirable the Bulletin will not only print such letters but will address and mail them.

STORY OF A LOAN.

A Case Where the Statute of Limitations Was Not Considered.

A well known Kansas banker told a story the other day about the statute of limitations. There is a smile in it, plus some good philosophy.

One day an old southerner walked into this banker's office. The southerner was a typical gentleman of the old school, suave, courteous to the point of punctiliousness and honorable to a degree of martyrdom.

"What can I do for you?" asked the banker.

"Well," replied the southerner, "about thirty-five years ago I loaned a man down south some money—not a very big sum. I told him that whenever I should need it I would let him know and he could pay me the money. I need some money now, so I shall let him know, and I would like to have you transact the business for me."

"My good friend," replied the banker, "you have no claim on that money. You can't hold that man to that loan. You say it has been thirty-five years since you loaned it to him? The statute of limitations has run against that loan years and years ago."

"Sir," replied the southerner, "the man to whom I loaned that money is a gentleman. The statute of limitations never runs against a gentleman." So the banker sent for the money, and within a reasonable time thereafter the money came. There was a courtly gentleman at the other end of the transaction also.—Kansas City Journal.

Trees and Wind.

The effect of wind upon trees is powerful. Even the presence or absence of forests may be determined by the character of the prevailing wind or the conditions that modify it. The wind acts as a drying agent, giving a special aspect to many plants. When it is almost always from the same quarter the plants show greater development upon one side. Trees are smaller on the windward edges of forests, and trunks and branches are bent to leeward. The deformations are most marked near the sea or in flat regions. The cherry, plum, walnut, black poplar, ash and certain pines are very sensitive to the wind, but mountain pines and certain firs offer great powers of resistance, and these are recommended for reforesting wind swept lands.

His Way of Getting Even.

"You know that fellow, Jim McGroarty, the lad that's always comin' up an' thumpin' ye on th' chest and yellin' 'How ner ye?'"

"I know him."

"I'll bet he's smashed twenty cigars for me—some o' them clear Havannys—but I'll get even with him now."

"How will ye do it?"

"I'll tell ye. Jim always hits me over the vest pocket where I carry me cigars. He'll hit me there just once

more. There's no cigar in me vest pocket this mornin'. Instead of it there's a stick of dynamite, d'ye mind?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Matter of Business.

"I cannot understand, sir, why you permit your daughter to sue me for breach of promise. You remember that you were bitterly opposed to our engagement because I wasn't good enough for her and would disgrace the family."

"Young man, that was sentiment; this is business."

Afflictions.

Before an affliction is digested consolation comes too soon, and after it is digested it comes too late, but there is a mark between these two as fine almost as a hair for a comforter to take aim at.—Sterne.

Dear Talk.

"Talk is cheap," quoted the wise guy.

"Not always," replied the simple mug. "Sometimes it costs a man his reputation."—Philadelphia Record.

The average person wastes lots of time telling other people things they do not care to hear.

COWBOYS OF SPAIN.

Splendid Horsemen, but They Use Their Spurs Without Mercy.

The perfection of Spanish horsemanship is to be seen among the vaqueros, gauderos and garrochistas, by which various names the mounted herdsmen of the Andalusian plains are known—in brief, what we should call a cowboy. Every farm seems to maintain a large number of these, for each herd, flock or drove has its own herdsman, goatherd or swineherd, as the case may be. The vaqueros are a fine looking lot of men. Tall, thin, light and loosely made, they look ideal horsemen, as, in point of fact, they are, though their mounts are poor.

The vaquero rides very high on a huge saddle, with a long stirrup and straight leg, using a single rein and a very heavy curb, but he has such beautiful hands that, although using this barbarous bit, he never cuts his horse's mouth about. It is different with the animal's sides, however, for he uses his spurs without mercy, and the white horses—of which there are a large number—all have ominous red stains behind the girths.

All the herdsmen who look after cattle carry a long lance, called a garrocha, of thick and heavy wood, which, except when standing still, they always carry "in rest" and not "at the carry," presumably on account of its great length and possibly its weight. With this weapon, in the use of which he acquires amazing dexterity, the garrochista is able to control the most unruly brutes in the herd, not excepting the savage fighting bull.—Wide World Magazine.

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