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GREEN GOODS MEN AT WORK

TOOK ADVANTAGE OF THE GREEN COUNTER CLERKS

And their Present Whereabouts is a Mystery Hard to Solve.

On Saturday evening about 8 o'clock a couple of crooks got busy in the business district of Broken Bow, trying to circulate counterfeit bills amongst many of our merchants and business men. If the crooked gentry had this town on their map as an easy mark they have changed it by this time, as they were successful in but one or two instances, and that in small bills. Mrs. Crable, of the Annex Cafe, has a \$5 bill to remember them by. They also took Mr. McMillan, the druggist in Baisch's drug store, for Mr. E. Z. and presented him with a 20. Mack scrutinized the bill a moment and returned it, remarking that he lost the best job he ever had in St. Joe, Missouri, for changing \$20 bills without the "show me" mark on them. Drake's dry goods store was next and there he succeeded in leaving the 20 with one of Mr. Drake's busy clerks. The bill is issued on the Planter's Bank of Georgia, the same on both sides and is a very poor imitation of a \$20 bill. Word was received here Sunday that they had been in Ansley on Saturday and that several of the business men of that town were holding funeral services as a result of their visit. Both men had on black clothes and black felt hats with overalls.

One of Mr. Ryerson's clerks also changed a \$20 counterfeit bill Saturday night for one of the slippery gents. On receipt of a telegram from Grand Island on Monday stating that the officers there had two suspicious characters under arrest the sheriff immediately left for there with a warrant. He returned to Broken Bow Tuesday night, bringing with him one of the men, but nobody being able to identify the prisoner he was turned loose.

Pump Fraud Exposed.

The Kansas City Journal of September 26, states, that the government secret service men and United States deputy marshals swooped down on the officers of the Western Pump and Manufacturing company, in the Beals building yesterday, and gathered in President W. M. Myers, H. S. McGowanard, J. F. Rud, and took them before U. S. Commissioner J. M. Ruckals on charge of fraud. They were bound over till October 4. It is claimed that in six months the company has taken in \$60,000 and have not delivered a dollar's worth of goods. Their scheme was to sell county rights to individuals for \$200, the agent getting half the price of the sale, so that each sale nets the company \$100. The pump in question is worked by a spring and any 18 year old boy can wind up the pump in fifteen minutes enough to run it for 12 hours and raise water from a 60 foot well. The government experts were on hand and claim that there is no power in the spring that is put in the pump and that the model will not resist the weight of a pound. The full size machine would not resist the weight of four pounds, and an inch column of water sixty feet deep would make the pump helpless, and was never made to sell but to show. The company sold rights to nearly every county in Kansas; 40 counties in Missouri; 8 in Oklahoma; 56 in Texas; 45 in Nebraska; 8 in Iowa; 2 in Ohio, and so on. We are informed that a farmer near Westerville purchased the right for Custer county. A citizen of Broken Bow paid \$200 for the Sherman county right.

Farewell Reception.

A farewell reception was tendered M. A. Walters and family at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pigman Saturday night by the members of the Baptist church. A very pleasant time socially was enjoyed, after which light refreshments were served.

MUST SIGN THE ENGAGEMENT

AFTER THE COMING EASTER IT WILL TAKE EFFECT

Catholics Will Have to Sign Contract When they Engage to Marry.

After next Easter, the Roman Catholics will have to sign contracts when they engage to marry. This is a part of the new matrimonial regulations which Pope Pius X has ordered enforced in America, as they have been in Catholic countries since the council of Trent in the Sixteenth century.

At present Catholic churches publish the banns several Sundays before a wedding. This consists in an announcement from the pulpit by the priest that the persons are to be married at a certain date. The new marriage regulations require a man or woman engaged to marry to sign a written agreement to that effect in the presence of two witnesses. Then the engagement is binding and is published in church.

The young people must marry unless they can show the bishop of the diocese in which the agreement was signed a reason why it should be broken. The bishop may then issue a dispensation and an agreement to break the engagement must be signed by the two parties in the presence of two witnesses.

"These laws regarding matrimony have been in force in the Catholic countries of Europe and Asia since their publication in the Sixteenth century," said the Rev. Anton Kuhls of St. Marys church on the west side. Father Kuhls has been studying the marriage regulations and he will deliver a series of Sunday night lectures on them, beginning on October 6, in order that his parishioners may understand every detail.

"This country was an unknown wilderness when the Council of Trent held its sessions," continued Father Kuhls. "As the regulations were never published here they have never been enforced. Now the pope desires that the regulations be enforced in the New World and amongst all the Catholics. Easter, 1908, is the date set for the regulation to go into effect."

Other priests said that they would also deliver lectures on the marriage regulation.—Kans City Star.

Returned from the Carnival.

Mr. and Mrs. McComas, Mr. Willing and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rublee and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Martin returned on Sunday from Omaha, where they have been enjoying the carnival festivities.

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Pickpockets in Our City Park.

Broken Bow can boast of a city park menagerie. It's pet squirrels are the cutest and smartest little creatures on earth. While the tired pedestrian sits on the grass or perches himself upon a bench to rest, the little animals are going through his pockets in search of nuts, candy and other confections. One large squirrel, who is well known by all park visitors, becomes quite indignant when you try to brush him aside and will show fight when chastised for his light-fingered habit.

Pleased With Broken Bow.

Col. J. T. Green, wife and daughter, of Kansas City, Mo., arrived in town the latter part of last week and intend making this their home, for a time at least. Mr. Green is president of the P. D. Smith Lumber Co., and is not an entire stranger here. Mrs. G. L. Turner is his daughter. He has lived in Denver and Kansas City, but prefers the western Nebraska climate to them all. Mr. Green made this office a pleasant call Saturday and proved himself to be a very jovial and interesting gentleman. Although he was born and raised in the blue grass

state of the south, he is a staunch republican, and is beginning to warm up to the political situation of this state and county already.

A New Organization.

Broken Bow has an organization known as the Ancient Order of United Whittlers. The meetings take place about three evenings a week all summer long and their meetings are held on the stone steps in front of the Broken Bow State Bank. The evidence of a successful meeting can very easily be detected by the unsightly quids of chewing tobacco displayed on the sidewalk the next morning. Sargent, Callaway, Ansley and Merna have also organized clubs known as the Oriental Gobblers and meet every night in the week at the corner grocery to prognosticate the merits of county division. That's all.

Violin Lessons.

Miss Virginia L'Amoreaux, pupil of William Hofman of Ann Arbor, Mich., is located in Broken Bow and will give violin lessons. Terms, 50c per lesson. For particulars call at Taylor's studio.

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