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### REMARKABLE LAKE.

#### A Body of Water With a Roof of Solidified Salt.

A lake with a salt roof isn't frozen salt, and it isn't underground. On the contrary, this remarkable lake may be seen at any time during the year, fully exposed, being even at its best when the sun is shining directly upon it. This wonderful body of water is one of the saltiest of the salt lakes and is situated near Obdorsk, Siberia. The lake is nine miles wide and seventeen long and within the memory of man was not entirely roofed over by the salt deposit. Originally evaporation played the most prominent part in coating the lake over with salt, but at the present time the salt springs which surround it are adding fast to the thickness of the crust.

In the long ago rapid evaporation of the lake's waters left great salt crystals floating on the surface. In course of time these caked together. Thus the waters were finally entirely covered. In 1878 the lake found an underground outlet into the river Obi, which lowered its surface about three feet. The salt crust was so thick, however, that it retained its old level and now presents the curious spectacle of a salt roofed lake. The salt coat increases six inches in thickness every year. The many islands with which the lake is studded are said to act as braces and to help keep the arched salt crust in position.

#### Unique Hotel Rules.

Following are the rules and regulations posted in a certain hotel in Illinois:

Board, 50 cents per square foot; meals extra; breakfast at 6, supper at 7.

Guests are requested not to speak to the dumb waiter; guests wishing to get up without being called can have self rising flour for lunch.

The office is convenient to all connections; horses to hire, 25 cents a day.

Guests wishing to do a little driving will find hammer and nails in the closet.

If the room gets too warm, open the window and see the fire escape.

If you are fond of athletics and like good jumping, lift the mattress and see the bed spring.

If the lights go out, take a soda—that is light enough for any man.

Any one troubled with nightmare will find a halter in the barn.

Don't worry about paying your bill; the house is supported by its foundation.—Detroit Free Press.

#### Modifying It.

Mrs. C. was horrified to discover that her little seven-year-old daughter was acquiring the habit of audiating very freely to the devil, and at last she told her determinedly that a repetition of the obnoxious word would bring severe punishment.

The child knew that her mother was in earnest, so she set a seal on her lips. At last she seemed to have forgotten it, but one Sunday Mrs. C., who had been too ill to go to church, asked her if she could tell what the minister had preached about in his sermon.

"Oh, yes'm," she answered. "He preached about our Lord going up into the mountain and being tempted by—by—the gentleman who keeps hell!"

She didn't intend to run any risks of being punished.—Francis E. Wadleigh in Lippincott's.

#### Their Fate.

The late Dr. Talmage once called on his lawyer and found two of his parishioners there on legal business of a private nature.

"Ah, doctor," called the lawyer in greeting, "good morning! Here are two of your flock. May I ask without impertinence if you regard them as black sheep or white?"

"I don't know as yet," replied Talmage dryly, "whether they're black or white, but I'm certain that if they remain here long they'll be felled."

#### Very Sad.

"Yes, it's very sad."

"How is that?"

"Why, he always held that to train a wife properly you should catch her while she's young. So he did."

"Well, it seems that she had the same idea about a husband, and now there's a crisscross of training ideas that is simply home wrecking."—Chicago Post.

#### Why He Objected.

"But, papa," pleaded the millionaire's daughter in behalf of the poor young man she wished to marry, "surely it is no disgrace to work for a living?"

"N-no, my dear—no. What I object to is being the one who is worked for it."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

#### Perpetual.

Wigwag—My wife threatens to go on the lecture platform.

Henpeck—My wife doesn't need a platform.—Philadelphia Record.

We have often wondered which comes first—the thought in the widower's mind of marrying again, or the story on him.—Atchison Globe.

### INDIANOLA.

Rev. Halbersleben is on the sick list. Lottie Kennedy went up to McCook, Friday evening.

Prof. Casner visited the McCook schools, Tuesday.

Mrs. Joe Trissel visited her sister Mrs. McCord, a few days this week.

Section Boss Kern and family spent last Sunday with relatives in McCook.

The W. R. C. will give a chicken-pie dinner at the Masonic hall, Saturday.

Ed Smith went down to Stamford, Tuesday, to work at his trade-painting.

Mrs. Walker Andrews and daughter Nellie visited friends in McCook, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Pearl Skinner of Trenton visited part of last week with her uncle, W. H. Smith and family.

This precinct has redeemed itself. Indianola went Republican for the first time in fifteen years.

Miss Hattie Wadsworth entertained a number of her friends at a Halloween party, last Friday evening.

Mrs. A. Thacker and Mona returned home, Saturday morning, after a seven weeks' visit with relatives in Ohio.

Mrs. Frank Howe and Norman left, Saturday evening, for Denver. Frank has secured work at that place and they expect to stay there at least this winter.

Mr. Marion Lee, who lectured and sang at the M. E. church, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday evenings, was greeted by a large and appreciative audience. The church was crowded each evening—even standing-room was at a premium.

A very pretty wedding occurred at the home of Charles Holze, last Wednesday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, when his daughter Tillie was united in marriage to B. B. Bobb, of Denver, Rev. John-on officiating. The happy couple left on No. 5 the same evening, for Denver, where they will make their future home.

It is said that every bride has many friends, but in a few years they dwindle down to one; that's Rocky Mountain Tea. Makes and keeps her well. 35c. McConnell & Berry.

### BARTLEY.

Lee Jones was home from Kenesaw, Sunday.

G. W. Jones finished threshing his wheat, latter part of last week.

Mr. Richmond's girls are the proud possessors of a new upright piano.

Mr. Short is putting in a co-fectory first door north of the lunch room.

Henry Burton has bought the old harness shop recently occupied by A. E. Crosby.

Mr. Brobasco had the misfortune to get kicked by a mule recently breaking his arm and fracturing his skull.

You either have to wear an engagement ring or get married to be in the swim; the latter is the most popular nowadays.

Harry Burton surprised the natives a few days since by bringing home a bride from Oklahoma. The happy couple have the best wishes of the many friends of the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lavin from Hastings visited her mother, Mrs. Liston, a couple of days last week, on their way west looking for a suitable place to locate and make their future home.

The ladies of the M. E. church are giving the parsonage a genuine renovating. Papering and painting inside and changing the color of the outside from brown to blue, which makes a grand improvement.

Otis Farrer accompanied his sister as far as McCook, Saturday night, returning, Tuesday morning on 12, stopping at Bartley between trains to bid goodbye to homefolks, and departed, Thursday morning on No. 2, for North Platte to work in the U. P. shops.

### MARION.

Campmeeting closed, Sunday night.

Rev. Pogue will preach at Shiloh, Sunday afternoon.

D. Steele attended quarterly meeting at Lebanon, Saturday.

J. T. Dimmitt and family have moved to their farm over in Kansas.

A. Lake and wife spent the past week visiting friends at Oronoque, Kansas.

L. Clay and Mildred Pew started for Kansas City on Monday, but we are not able to say how far they went.

The postoffice is being moved into a larger building and a small line of groceries will be added in connection.

### Good Advice.

The most miserable beings in the world are those suffering from dyspepsia and liver complaint. More than seventy-five per cent of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effects, such as sour stomach, sick headache, habitual constipation, palpitation of the heart, heartburn, water-brash, gnawing and burning pains at the pit of the stomach, yellow skin, coated tongue and disagreeable taste in the mouth, coming up of food after eating, low spirits, etc. Go to your drugstore and get a bottle of Anagist Flower for 75 cents. Two doses will relieve you. Try it. Get Green's Special Almanac.

### Luck in Thirteen.

By sending 13 miles William Spry of Walton Furnace, Va., got a box of Buckler's Anemia Salve that wholly cured a horrible fever sore on his leg. Nothing else could. Positively cures bruises, felons, ulcers, eruptions, boils, burns, corns and piles. Only 25c. Guaranteed by McConnell & Berry, druggists.

### Fraternal Insurance Order Cards.

R. C. I. P. A.—Lodge No. 612 meets first and third Thursdays of each month. McConnell's hall, 829 p. m. E. R. HUBER, President. W. S. GUYER, Secretary.

ROYAL HIGHLANDERS—McCook lodge No. 375 meets on second and fourth Monday evenings of each month at eight o'clock in McConnell's hall. J. R. McCARL, Illustrious P.O.; ROBT W. DEVOR, Secretary.

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To the consumptive he brings the strength and flesh he so much needs.

To all weak and sickly children he gives rich and strengthening food.

To thin and pale persons he gives new firm flesh and rich red blood.

Children who first saw the old man with the fish are now grown up and have children of their own.

He stands for Scott's Emulsion of pure cod liver oil—a delightful food and a natural tonic for children, for old folks and for all who need flesh and strength.

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