

THE PRAYER CORNER

THE HEAVENLINESS OF A LITTLE CHILD
Matthew 18:4,5.

I begin with the closing paragraph of last week's Prayer Corner on the above, on "the first lesson parents must learn."

Parents, make a study of it, to find out what the thought of Jesus' heart was when He spoke so strongly of the need of being childlike as the only path to Heaven and Heavenly Greatness. Value the childlikeness and simplicity of your little one, as its Heavenly Beauty. Realize that the little one in its tender susceptibility of impressions is all alive to what surrounds it, to the fostering influence of the Heavenly Life or the withering effect of a worldly life. Believe that between the Holy Spirit, who brings Heaven down to us, and reveals it within, and the Heavenly childhood, there is a wonderful suitability for each other. Train your children in that holy happy stillness which keeps the heart open to His workings."

But how shall the parent succeed in doing this? Our Lord's words have a second lesson. If you are to watch over the heavenliness of your children you must yourselves be childlike, and heavenly minded. Christ put a little child in the midst of strong men to teach them. Parents often owe more to the teachings of their children than these to them. your children lose childlikeness too soon because parents have so little of it. The atmosphere of the home is so little that of simple, happy, trustful living in the Father's presence. Amid many of the proprieties of religion the spirit of the world too often reigns. To be great in the Kingdom of Heaven is all too seldom the object of earnest desire. To be the greatest, as Jesus puts it, by being humble and childlike, the least, and the servant of all, this is hardly dream of. No wonder if parents, instead of maintaining and strengthening the spirit of the child and of the Kingdom, hinder and quench it. Let parents study to be childlike. There are very few studies more difficult; very few that will bring a richer reward. The little treasures entrusted to you have a higher worth than you know; their very littleness, of which you often think only in connection with their weakness and their future value, is what to Him, who looked at things in the light of God, constitutes their greatest attraction. It is only the childlike life of the parent, living in great simplicity of truth and trust with the Father in Heaven, that can maintain the childlikeness in the child too. (To be concluded next week.)

A PRAYER

(Use the Prayer for last week, adding this to it.)

Heavenly Father, help us to learn the Second Lesson of our Lord's words, that if we, as parents, are to watch over the Heavenliness of our

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children, we too must be childlike and Heavenly minded, for we often owe more to the teaching of our children than they to us.

Give us grace as parents to study to be childlike. Teach us the needed truth that though few studies are more difficult, but few will bring a richer reward. Bring home to our hearts the abiding faith that the little treasures entrusted to us have a higher worth than we know, that their very littleness, of which we often think only in connection with their weakness and their future value, is what to Him, who looked at things in the light of God, constitutes their greatest attraction, and that it is only the childlike life of the parent living in great simplicity of truth and trust with the Father in Heaven that can maintain the childlikeness in the child too.

Never, oh never, let us pause until we have learned and put in practice this vital lesson of our Lords, that if we are to watch over the Heavenliness of our children we must ourselves be childlike and Heavenly minded, and the praise and the glory shall be given unto Thee, Father Son and Spirit, now and ever. Amen. —C. D. C.

ORR CORNER NEWS

Well! We are going to have a paved road through our community after all. The tar is already being spread, and we hope no one will get "stuck up."

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Merrill and son, Jimmy, of Knoxville, Tenn., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ulys Merrill.

Mrs. Walter McGaha is improving after an illness of one week.

Mrs. D. N. Holden has returned after a two weeks' vacation in South Carolina.

Cecil Lance has gone home after spending two weeks in this community.

Mrs. H. A. Orr gave Miss Carrie Lee Powell a birthday dinner last Sunday.

Avery Merrill has accepted a position with Joines Motor Co.

Mrs. Hettie Cantrell, Bonnie Batson, Mildred Quentin and Clifford Raxter attended a baptismal service at Tryon last week.

Miss Pauline Powell, Geneva Merrill and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Merrill hiked to Dunns Rock Wednesday.

Fred Batson is improving his home.

Mrs. Elisha Gravely recently had as her guest, her mother, Mrs. D. N. Holden.

Members of the Raxter family visited their father's grave at Dunn's Creek last Sunday.

Little Edgar Holden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Holden, has not been very well lately.

Fate Raxter and Phillip McGaha were Hendersonville visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Late Bagwell and daughter, Ruby, visited relatives in South Carolina last week.

Acquitted

Judge—You're accused of shooting your wife. Have you any excuse?

Accused—Yes, Your Honor, I shot her by mistake.

Judge—What do you mean?

Accused—I was aiming at my mother-in-law.

She—You're the last man I expect to marry.

He—Zat so? How many are there ahead of me?

Lake Toxaway News

Miss Nell Robinson and brother, Cecil, of Quebec, and Paul McCoy were in Tuckasee last Sunday.

Rev. J. M. Green of Rosman, filled his appointment at the Methodist church last Sunday morning and Sunday night, also held service at the home of Willie Reid at Oakland at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Quite a number of Toxaway and Rosman people attended the service.

Little Boyd Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arrowood Lee, was very sick last week.

Quite a number of Toxaway school boys who are studying agriculture, went to Biltmore last Saturday to the Vanderbilt dairy farm to judge stock.

Mrs. Fannie McCoy spent last Friday night with her daughter, Mrs. Arrowood Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Arrowood attended the revival meeting at Rosman Baptist church last week.

Little Freddie Jean Hall spent a few days last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hall.

John Hall spent the week-end at Namur with his aunt, Mrs. Walter Hinkle.

Millard Dunn of Bald Mountain, spent the week-end with Noland McCoy.

Rev. J. M. Green of Rosman, was dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Arrowood last Sunday.

Mrs. D. C. Scruggs and children, Miss Louise Williams and Cleon Williams attended the circus in Asheville last Friday.

Miss Edna McCall spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. W. J. Raines.

Mrs. S. B. McCall of Oakland, spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Leonard Thomas.

Dock Gillespie of East Fork, spent last Friday night with Harrison Hall.

Mrs. I. S. Fisher spent last week with her daughters, Mrs. W. W. McNeely and Mrs. L. C. Case.

Miss Mabel McNeely and brother, Walter, who are attending school at Brevard, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McNeely.

Rev. G. C. Kellar of Rosman and his sister and brother-in-law were Toxaway visitors last Sunday.

Louie Miller spent last Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. Chris Fisher.

Mrs. Payne was the guest of Mrs. H. G. Rogers last Sunday.

H. G. Rogers spent the week-end in Asheville.

Jess Johnson and family moved to Moltztown last week.

Selica News Notes

Rev. N. H. Chapman preached a wonderful sermon at Cathey's Creek church, to a large congregation Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Galloway and son, Clarence, and Mrs. Ossie Stamey spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Stamey's daughter, Mrs. Dewey McGaha.

Fred McKinna cut his foot severely last week, but is improving.

Homey Corn and daughter of Asheville, were church visitors here Sunday.

Misses Inez and Ruby Glazener and Miss Mary Mann, Grady Lance, Bill Dunn, Charles and Freeman Galloway and Carley Mann were Gloucester visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Ward Breedlove is on the sick list.

Miss Carrie Chapman of Tryon, was a church visitor Saturday night.

Miss Reba Galloway of Cherryfield, is staying with Mrs. Houston Barton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Galloway and family of Rosman, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dunn Sunday.

Mrs. Nancy Brown of Cullowhee, is visiting her brother, Jim Wilson, and Mrs. Wilson.

Baxter Hamlin is visiting his father, Perry Hamlin.

Allison Orr left last week for Georgia.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Houston Barton, a son, Dennis Eugene, on Sept. 16th.

Misses Myrtle and Helen Barton, Lyle McCoy and Harrison Hall attended the singing at Carrs Hill Sunday.

Mrs. Head and daughters visited Mrs. Elzie Barton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. White and daughter, Ruth, spent Sunday afternoon with Eb Barton.

Miss Nell Lance spent Sunday with Miss Mabel Blake.

Pleasant Grove News

A large number of people attended the funeral of Walter W. Orr of the Clough Farm at Pleasant Grove Friday. Rev. C. E. Blythe of Pleasant Grove, Rev. J. H. West and Rev. Paul Hartsell of Brevard, conducted the services.

Mrs. R. M. Blythe and family of Greenville, was the week-end guest of her daughter, Mrs. Creed Banks.

Mrs. Pinkie Hill of Greenville, spent the week-end with her cousin, Mrs. J. H. Drake.

Coy Blythe has accepted a position in Spartanburg and is moving there Monday.

Egerton Fletcher was Sunday dinner guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Fletcher, of Beulah.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Fletcher and daughter and Hobson Justus, were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Egerton Fletcher.

J. M. Orr of Hebron, was Sunday evening guest of his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Drake of near Pleasant Hill, were week-end guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Jim Drake.

Paulette Gray, who is employed at Asheville, was the week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. O. S. Gray.

Quebec News Items

The young people of Calvert Baptist church gave an interesting B. Y. P. U. program at Oak Grove Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ruffy of Brevard, called on W. B. Henderson and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and family visited Mrs. V. E. Smith of Rosman Sunday.

Misses Reba McCall and Mildred Henderson spent Thursday night with Mrs. Gene Moore.

Mrs. Leila Lee, small son, and Lester Thomas of Lake Toxaway, were guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Gideon Miller, Sunday.

Rev. J. K. Henderson visited "Grandma" Henderson Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Owen had as her guest Tuesday her brother, Russell Landreth and brother-in-law, Dick Rodgers, of Enon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Moore, Mr. C. W. Henderson and son Truett, attended the revival services at Rosman Friday night.

Miss Bernice Reid of Brevard, was the guest of her cousin, Miss Gussie Whitmire, Sunday.

Messrs. Mack and Cecil Robinson and Miss Nell Robinson were Glenville visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Moore and children, Ruth, Pauline and Charles Moore and Miss Effie Owen were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Moore Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Collins of Rosman, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson Sunday afternoon.

Claxton Henderson, agriculture student of Rosman High School, accompanied other members of the class to Biltmore Saturday.

Gideon Miller is improving after being quite ill.

Miss Margaret Fisher is spending the week at the home of Mrs. B. T. Whitmire as attendant to Mrs. Jack Whitmire, who has been very ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sanders are spending this week at Lake Toxaway.

Several young people from here attended the B. Y. P. U. at Lake Toxaway Sunday night.

Modern Youth

Prodigal—Father, I've a notion to settle down and go in for raising chickens.

Father—Better try owls. Their hours would suit you better.

Nothing Unusual

A society woman was entertaining the small son of a friend.

"Tommy, do you think you can cut your meat?" she asked after watching the trouble he was having using his knife.

"Oh, yessum," he replied, "we have meat this tough at home, lots times."

TELEPHONE SYSTEM IN NEW YORK

(By An Exiled New Yorker)

First Impressions.

First, that it is very easy to waste nickels in the Pennsylvania Railroad Booth. Second, that on going from 33rd Street to an Eastside apartment in 29th Street, it was most curious how many different trips it took your hostess to reach the different telephones connected with her apartment.

We must state right here that everything in New York from calls to clinics absolutely must be by appointment only.

We forgot to say that we left Brevard on Saturday and arrived in New York on Sunday afternoon. We had already, by mail from Brevard, made our appointments for the following Monday, one professional, one personal.

The professional one was easily made from the station, the recipient being at the other end of the telephone wire.

The personal one was suburban, that is, in Greater New York. Then began what we soon called "trouble."

1st, Hall phone; 2nd apartment phone; 3rd, time for a leisurely warm bath while the Borough Central was making up her mind whether she would answer you or not. False alarm; rushed to hall phone in bathrobe; wrong number. All to do over again.

Our retirement in abject despair. Hostess heroically starting all over again. Gloom. Hostess' efforts rewarded; callee was out.

We proceed via Lexington surface car to our own hostess' apartment, first having been what Brevard calls a "pop call" but to temporary hostess spelled simple tragedy because she

was caught shampooing her lovely smokey black bob.

Our own private apartment phone at last. We sat down in joy and gladness, we arose in sorrow and despair. Literally we would have burned the insulation off the telephone wires if Polly Jerome had given us such service. Nothing that Brevard's busiest summer morning could possibly offer could remotely compare with it.

We waited until our hostess went to business at precisely 8:50 a.m. before we dare wrestle with the blessed thing again. Here is exactly what we finally were sweetly taught by "Information" to do. (We got to be quite good friends, we and Information)

First, you take off the charming French receiver; then you dial 0, then you put back the receiver, then (we think) you dial the first two letters of the exchange, then you dial the figures. Then you forget and inadvertently touch the standard of the telephone, which spills the beans entirely, and you have to start all over again. It took about three attempts to find out what we were doing that was all wrong.

Then, after your first mistake, Centrals calls you darling and you call her sweetheart. At mistake number two she calls you lambkin and you call her "best beloved" and she laughs. Actually, a New York exchange girl allowed herself to laugh out loud, we hope the inspector was not watching her.

Next, something was burning on the gas stove, where we were trying to get our noon dinner and we gave up.

End of a perfect day.



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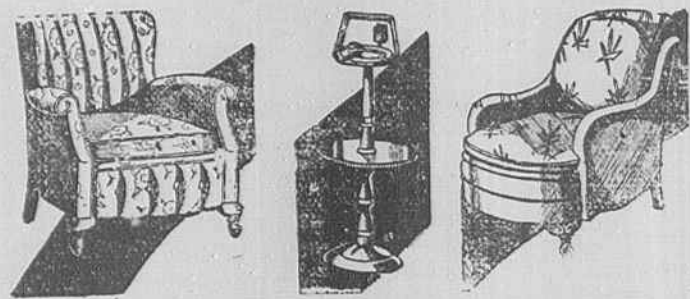
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