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WASHINGTON, N. C., NOV. 23.

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Parties leaving town should not fail to let the News follow them daily with the news of Washington fresh and crisp. It will prove a valuable companion, reading to you like a letter from home.

MUST BE SIGNED.

All articles sent to the News for publication must be signed by the writer, otherwise they will not be published.

GOOD CITIZENS AND THE HOME TOWN.

The following article is clipped from a Western paper. It contains such timely suggestions, and so much of wisdom pertaining to the duty of a citizen toward his community, we gladly give it editorial space. It can be read and considered to advantage by all of us.

Good citizens always have a good word to say for their home town. They know its good points, and if there are other peculiarities they do not present them.

The grumbler who knows all the bad features of a town and mentions them at every opportunity is not only a poor citizen, but one who does nothing to improve the town he lives in. It is good enough to provide a home for him and perhaps a place of business, or an occupation, but that is forgotten in the general flow of complaint.

Every resident can do something for the betterment of his town. If he cannot improve property for lack of means or ownership, he can at least keep his own home neat and clean. He can have a clean yard, a grass plot or something to add to the appearance of the place, and above all he can say a good word for the place at every opportunity.

The grumbler should take a trip out west and hear the boomers there talk about their towns. It may be only a string of shacks and shanties, the most pretentious being one story high with a dash of front, but the enthusiastic citizen will tell you how long it is since the first settler located, and how the place is growing. He will point out the things which have acquired local fame or notoriety, will tell of the prospects, of the things they are going to have and the room for expansion, which is bounded by the horizon.

The visitor can't help smiling, but he feels that the prospect has the right spirit. He is doing the things which will make good in time. And even in a small community, where all are imbued with the same spirit, wonders are accomplished.

How much better this spirit is than that of the grumbler, who is sure that his town was the last place made, and was made of the leavings. How much better it would be for the grumbler to examine his home and his place of business to see if he is not contributing his bit to make his home town look cheap and untidy. If every grumbler should take time to clean up his own surroundings, the town would look better at once, and the new interest in it that would be bred of a conscious effort to improve it, even in a small way, would make the grumbler a better neighbor and a better citizen.

REPAIRING FIRE LOSS IN RECORD TIME.

Repairing the Elizabeth City, N. C. switchboard after the fire in the telephone office of that town was a good example of modern "rush order" business methods. The switchboard that had served the telephone users of that vicinity was totally destroyed on Saturday, November 5. On Wednesday of the next week, exactly five days later, a new one was shipped from the factory at Hawthorne, Ill. by experts.

The fire broke out in the back of the switchboard itself. Before help could arrive it had completely consumed the telephone office equipment. It is said that the blaze was the result of spontaneous combustion. Elizabeth City was saved and way without its telephone service. When a fire of this sort occurs, crippling the entire telephone facilities.

of every sort are bound to suffer. It was, therefore, up to the people in charge to see that as little delay as possible would ensue before service could be resumed and everything smoothly again.

Word was at once wired to the house of the Western Electric Company, at Atlanta, Georgia. The Norfolk & Carolina Telephone Company, which supplies service for Elizabeth City, is an adjunct of the Bell system, and the Western Electric Company makes all "bell" telephones and apparatus.

Atlanta was able to furnish at once a small 100-line emergency board to take care of the toll business, which was most urgent at the Elizabeth City office. At the same time a "rush order" was entered for a duplicate of the original installation, which was a common battery, lamp-signal switchboard, completely modernized.

So it was that at Hawthorne, just outside of Chicago, where the principal factory of the electric company is situated, a telegram was received early on that Saturday morning, stating that a duplicate of the original board was wanted in a great hurry. The details were given briefly, with orders for haste, to relieve Elizabeth City from its plight. The Hawthorne people wired to Atlanta on Sunday night in reply, stating that the replacing equipment would go forward on Wednesday, November 10th.

All possible speed was made at Hawthorne. The factory was able to make good on the job, and Wednesday saw the new board on its way.

Replacing switchboards under time pressure is out of the situations which it is very often necessary to face. It will not do for any city or town to be long without telephone service. The superiority of American methods in this respect was demonstrated when about a year ago fire destroyed the Gutenberg exchange at Paris, France. All of the telephone traffic of the business center of the French capital was handled through this switchboard, which was really a very extensive piece of apparatus.

The French Government, which has telephone matters in charge, notified a number of European concerns, which were invited to bid, informing them that a time limit of sixty days, with a penalty for each day over the sixty, would be imposed.

All the European makers balked at these terms. Paris was crippled without her telephone service, and turned to this country for aid. The Western Electric Company at Hawthorne, Illinois, was able to make the board, send it to Paris, have it installed without her telephone service, and meet, all within the time limit. Incidentally affording foreign companies a demonstration of up-to-date American methods.

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Hoping it may be an incentive to the farmers of Beaufort county to strive in the future to see the improvements that can be made in the culture of corn, I also wish to thank the citizens of Washington in behalf of Richland township, for the many courtesies extended to us on that day. And can truthfully say I feel highly honored as being the happy recipient of so many valuable premiums.

Very respectfully, R. F. D. 2. W. H. ROSS.

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