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SCATTERING CRUMBS

I threw some crumbs from my win dow at the falling of the night, And I thought no more about them bor. till, at break of morning light

A ceaseless chirp and twitter on the frosty air I heard-

The sparrows' morning blessing! And my heart with joy was stirred For 'tis something to make happy e'en the wee heart of a bird. It gave me a pleasant keynote for

the music of the day; A song of thanks for blessings should find along the way;

A thought for the joy of others, and how oft with little care

ure to another heart, and bear in my own a double measure for the sake of another's share. -From "How Far to Bethlehem?

A GOOD START

great deal to the merchants but also find out is what makes me look best. the customers who patronize these merchants because through co-operter service and the customer in the morning. end will gain.

It will also promote a friendly feeling between the business men who are striving for the same end-

We were well pleased with the encontinuing Kings Mountain will soon good as the best.

To the officers, we say congratulations. You are pulling in the right

Faith Does More Than **Move Mountains**

Read Matthew 17:14-21

ciples were on the Mount where the Yet there is not any individual who transfiguration took place the other has faith in Christ (the kind Jesu men were trying to heal a lad of was talking about) but who not only some se fous trouble. They failed removes that mountain from his When Jesus came down He took the own heart, but helps others to do boy and healed him. Their weak- the same thing. Fait's that can tranness being thus rebuked they asked form selfishness into unselfishness for an explanation. The answer was is doing more than removing diri a further rebuke, "you failed be and rock mountains. If any reader cause of your unbelief." Then He doubts that faith in Christ does this said to them, "If ye have faith as a very thing we invite him to search grain of mustard seed" you could and find out. De this by coming to tell that mountain to move and it Jesus and making a test for himself, would do so. Well who wants to not by what svil he may see a cake move a mountain? Plenty of people ing out like a scre thumb in some and many have done so. But no man Church member's life, There is ever moved a mountain who did not nothing as necessary, as practical have faith. Faith is more than a and as available as faith. It is for tool for lazy people who only wish only those who want it. There are greater mountains to be moved than one of dirt and thek. Faith is still removing them.

Look through your New Testament and the records concerning Jesus, see what place faith played. According to your faith be it unto you." Look through your experier. ces of daily life, see what place faith plays in all you do. See what place it has played in every discovery in every field of life. See how indispensable it is to life.

Hard tests in life do not shatter faith, they deepen it. They do how ever often reveal to us the fact that we never had faith, that is, not the kind Jesus here talks about. Hardship is cultivation for His kind However it is really hard for some people to have faith in God because of their own conduct. There are some things we can't hold to and do and at the same time have fall Nothing so pulls a man upward as trust in Gridres. It pulls him up ward in h's lame ections and in his dealngs with his fellowmen. That is the resear for God's gift of faith.

What did Jesus mean by "faith as a grain of mustard seed?" did he "bt say a "grain of sand?" The difference between a grain of sand and a mustard seed is LIFE. Look at coment sidewalks broken up by roots that were at one time as tiny as that green of mustard seed That root has life in it. Then He at not so much the amount of talth an He did the quality. "If you we hving farth" is what He meant Faith has life in it. There is no limit to its possibilities. Only | living things have power to essimilate that which sustains life. Your body takes food and from that food appropriates the strength that sup ports life. A dead body can't do What your digestive system does for your blody along this line, your faith does for your spir't. As it is possible to build a strong blody that throws off disease, so it is posmible to build a atrong soul that

Here and There

By Haywood E. Lynch

The Men's Bible Class of the Methodist Church has more Charlies town. There are Charlies, Warlick, local conditions and buy the and one or two more.

And talking about denominations. There are quite a few Baptists in this neck of the woods. I always crop of peas or beans should til the organization meeting of the the fertility and texture of the soil. Dilling and Mr. und Mrs. M. A. was elected President, Baptist Brid. To stimulate quick growth some com the citizens of Kings Mountain and ges, Vice President, Baptist Hord, mercial fertilizer such as 6-8-6 can grass) is by its roots. Scatter these Temporary Secretary and Treasurer, be added. The soil should be allowed roots over the lawn and cover them and the two best speeches were to settle and only the top layer pul. with soil. It is advisable to sow made by Baptist Woodward and Cog varized for sowing the seed, gins. More power to you Baptists, Harris recommends the five

> checking up on the close observers and half in the other to assure a uni seed, the lawns can be started in whom I contacted. I had my muse form distribution. touche shaved off. I usually have this operation performed once a year. Well, I left the Barber Shop and my first stop was at Myers' Department Store and quick as a flash he noticed it. Mrs. Bryan Hord also observed the missing lecoration. Then I marched on down to the First National.

Cashier Neill, Glee Bridges and Ar-

sation, but not too much for Glee to exclaim: "it's gone.' Later on in the day Postmaster Blakely spotted 'em through the window. As a rule my better half is the last person to notice the difference in my facial ap pearance but this time as I came in the door she noticed the absence. A Merchants Association will be a Some say I look worse with my big asset to Kings Mountain. This mustache, some say I look worse organization will not only mean a without it, but what I am tryng to

Street-, Scene: Mayor Jim Herndon ation the merchants can render bet in his shirt sleeves, Weinesday

throws off evil.

But a grain of corn also has Hf. it. However it will never germito build Kings Mountain as a tracing nate and grow unless placed in prop er surroundings. Faith works upon thuslasm at the organization meet the same principle. It does not live ing Tuesday night. With that spirit it takes the sunshine of God's presbe able to boast of an association as ence, the dews and the rains of His grace. You can't save faith by freez ing it. Faith does not need saving or defending. We need the saving end only by faith can we be. saves because it puts us in the cl mate of the Spiritual, connects us with God through His Son.

Here is a mountain greater than Hermon, Carmel or any other in Palestine or any part of the world. While Jesus and three of His dis It is the mountain of selfishness.

What the People Ask of Congress

By RAYMOND PITCAIRN.

In the opinion of competent observers a long and significant session confronts the new Congress.

Many serious problems press for solution—among them reduction of the burden imposed on all workers by reckless public spending and a mounting national debt, resumption by Congress of its former initiative and authority the divorce of politics from relief, and sound preparation for adequate national

These—and various others—are spe-cific problems which demand individual action. Together they constitute part of a still more significant responsibility —the preservation and strengthening of our American ideal of democracy.

On the way in which members of Congress, and other officials at Washington, meet that responsibility may depend much of the course of history.

But, as recent events have demon strated, such responsibility cannot be fulfilled by a program devoted to name-calling and the engendering of antagonisms between groups of our citizens. It cannot be met by policies of political expediency, planned only to aid partisan interests and ambitions.

America has grown and advanced through unity, confidence and self-reliance. Those are the qualities which

Home-Mixed Grass Seed Recommended

Never buy a mixture of grass seed without knowing the contents says John H. Harris, landscape sperialist of the State College Extension Serin it than any other organization in vice. Select the mixture four your Goforth, Dilling. Williams, Hullender separate, mixing them yourself, he

If the seed bed is poor and especially if it is lacking in humus, a Charlotte during the holidays: Dr. knew they were plentiful but not un- grown and turned under to improve M. L. Harmon, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Merchants Association Tuesday Unless the soil is very fertile, a one Ware. night lid I realize just how plenti- or two-inch layer of well-rotted ma ful they really were. Baptist Keeter Pure should be worked into the soil.

rounds per 1,000 square feet, or a bout 130 pounds per acre. Half of the I had the opportunity yesterday of seed should be sown in one direction the best months for sowing grass

The quickest and most economi- tain sections.

LETS LOOK BACK From The Kings Mountain Herald NINETEEN YEARS AGO

JANUARY 15, 1920

Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Cooper returned to their home in Philadelphia Friday after a visit to relatives here.

The followng people attended the Erskine College Alumnae banquet in be and Mrs. J. E Anthony, Mr. and Mrs

cal way to start Bermuda (wire Italian rye grass with the Bermuda Harris recommends that the seed roots to provide a quick lawn and fold the soil until the Bermuda gets started.

> While September and October are the spring, especially in the moun-



WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE While playing the pinno at a party, beautiful Kay Kerrigan receives word that her young sister has committed suicide. Knowing that dissolute Thomas Knowing that dissolute Thomas Bruhm is responsible, she goes to his apartment, where there are signs that Bruhm is entertaining another woman. As a sarcastic answer to her reproaches Bruhm offers her a pistol, and in her frenzy she fires at him. Not knowing that the pistol is a blank she flees, leaving her handbag and imagining herself a murderer. Later that night, however, Bruhm is actually killed by someone else. Finding Kay's bag, the police broadcast an alarm for her. She escapes by plunging her car from a ferry, and manages to get to Honolulu where she has her hair dyed from blonde to brunette. The Chief of Detectives decides that since this is a case involving a woman the a case involving a woman the man to send after her is Sam Wye, light-hearted specialist in 'cmale fugitives.

Chapter Two

"But Chief!", Detective Blodgest protested, "If Sam Wyc likes her he'll keep her for himself—like last time when you had to fire caught with the Marich was Sam's

been there but had gone on to Shanghai looking for work-off to Shanghai! Blodgett couldn't see it.

Shanghai! Blodgett couldn't see it.
In Shanghai it was the same
thing, only the girls were Russian.
A beautiful blonde in a rickshaw
and a beautiful brunette—in a
rickshaw. And here Sam developed
a curious routine. Rlding around
with the girls he would stop at music shops and invariably play the same Chopin prelude on the piano—always with the wrong end-ing. At last, after a clerk in one shop had told Sam about an Eng-lish girl who had been in recently looking for work and had played looking for work and had played the same piece, Blodgett learned to his bewilderment that they were on their way to Indo-China—Salgon.

On the day of their arrival there Kay Kerrigan was counting the last of the money she had obtained from selling her rings. Her hunt for a job was fruitless, for even the cheapest café in Saigon would not hire an entertainer without a police card. That same night Blodgett rushed breathlessly to where Sam was playing his Chopin prelude for some Annamits girls. prelude for some Annamite girls.
"I got her, Sam!", he cried. "I got Kerrigan! Caught her redgot Kerrigan! Caught her red-handed in the lobby, smoking a Marich!"



Kay Kerrigan was even more beautiful than he had expected.

him!

"How'd he know that dame was the Commissioner's daughter!", the Chief grunted. "Besides, this time you're going along to watch him!"

Chief grunted. "Besides, this time yow're going along to watch him!"

Which was how it happened that three weeks later Sam Wye was lolling on the beach at Waikiki, surrounded by native girls who took turns dancing the hula for him under the very eyes of the outraged Blodgett. Of course they had had to wean Sam from his private investigator's office, and also from the important case he was working on at the time—a gorgeous blonds who drank champagne while Sam begged her to let him walk along the stars with her. And then there had been the problem of Jeanie, Sam's secretary and bill-staller, who affected such broad a's that she sounded as if a doctor was looking at her throst. For some reason, probably because he had told her so, Jeanie magined that she was Sam's girl, and Sam had had to soothe her by making her close her eyes for a kies—at which time/he had vanished into the elevator. Nevertheless, Hdmer Blodgett didn't feel that things were going at all the way the great Faulkner would have done them. That little blonds woman who had left for New Zealand yesterday! Didn't smoke Mariches—openly—and she cloimed to be a missionary! But Blodgett was smiling Annamite boy brought her a measage from him. "A gentleman like he, she yawned, "is always being detained."

In the thought: "Why is she here?" He knew that Jeanie, despite and ere?" He knew that Jeanie, despite and the sake Tander? He knew that Jeanie, despite and the sake folice? The knew that Jeanie had as many police contacts as he did, and he knew also from her attitude that she had its tusual effect. After a few kinses Jeanie was confessing everything. The Bruhm estate was offering a reward of \$100,000 for the capture of Kerrigan, and Jeanie knew that Kerrigan was here—under the name of Mary Holden. But the name of Mary Holden. But the said its test with the time—a few kinses Jeanie was said quickly. But this stuff Jeanie had about Kerrigan sailing for Singapore was only a blind. He happened to know that Kerrigan had everyther the first the best idea, "Sing

Jeanie. Sam's first reaction was simply to quote the polite form for Africa. "Dr. Livingstone, I pre-sume," he said eyeing her calmly. But he thought: "Why is she



"Hers, Nurse, Tell Me the Time"

Washington Snapshots

history of the world.

crowned heads of Europe laughted do about it. at it. In the intervening years most of the crowns have gone.

Yet those free Americans have remained free. The instrument of government which they established -a government by representatives has endured the test. And in Wash- are crammed into every neck and ington this week there is being start corner of Washington's official build ed a new chapter to the story which ings, will be interested in these fighad as beginning more than a cen- uses: tury and a half ago.

The chapter will be of vital interest to every American, Not only the showed that some business firms headlines but the body of the stori. must file as many as 141,000 reports es will be filed with news. h. will every year with Federal, State or be the news of how another Con. lecal authorities. gress is treating the legacy of individual freedom left y the founding fathers. The care of this freedom ported that these 427 forms reprewas left - not to the executive sent a bulk of over 450,000 pages branch of the government - not to quite a library in itself. the judicial branch - but to the representative branch, the new Congress that is convening in a world in which free nations are distress ingly few.

Eleventh hour efforts are being made to stave off amendment of the National Labor Relatiois Act. Leading she fight against any amendment is the CIO and allied in the fight for amendment are the A. F of L., and an importing percentage of the Congressmen. The big question mark is the Labor Department. No one seems to be able to find out what stand it will take in the matter

Privately, Labr Department highups are known to be opposed to a mentment, and she CIO is counting strongly on support from this quarter. Spokesmen for the administration's high-ups, however, are handling the problem gingeric, fehring bad public reaction if the amend ments are opposed by the administration. They are well aware of recent national polls indicating a strong majority of the public in favor of revision of the labor act.

There is also fear in the hearts of some in the administration that if the act is not amended, the result night be a new wave of public and Congressional indignation and finally outright repeal of the act. ****

The current brain teaser around Washington is this one:

Acting Controller General Elliott has ruled that expenditure of \$3.050. 000 in relief funds by the Farm Se curity Administration to subsidize several hosiery mills throughout the South is illegal. Further, he says these government - subeldized mills will throw workers 'n pricate industries out of jobs and increase competition with the South's biggest in dustry-cotton.

Now here is the teaser: The FSA

mills. Much if it has been spent, That was really big news. But the They say there is nothing they can

It is just a case of the stable being locked after the horse is stolen!

Tourists who may wonder what fills the moze of filing cabinets that

A survey recently made by the National Association of Manufacturers

One company which had to make out only 427 forms every year, re-

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