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A WINTER IN THE SOUTH.

[By Mrs. Laura Dorn Miller.]

On September 21st 1886, we left our native state, Penn'a. for a trip south. Our first stop was in Washington, D. C. We arrived there in the evening, and the first sight of this city, as we beheld it, with its lofty marble and granite buildings, its very wide, and beautifully paved streets, was indeed a grand sight as the soft rays of the electric lights showed all as perfect as sunlight. During our stay there, we visited the "White House," U. S. War and Navy Departments, U. S. Treasury, Patent Office, U. S. Post Office and Dead Letter Office, National Museum, Smithsonian Institute, and the U. S. Capitol. Of each one of these many interesting things might be said if time permitted. I shall however mention a few. We spent more time in the Capitol than any other public building, we saw there many things which time will not efface while memory lasts. On entering the Model room where are the statues of our departed statesmen which are so life-like that for a moment we are almost reluctant to make ourselves believe that it is but cold marble. The Library of Congress is a grand sight with its thousands of books of all kinds and styles of two copies each, of all copyrighted books of the United States. The Senate Chamber, the Marble room, the President's Reception room, are all magnificently furnished, the furniture in the Reception room alone costing \$87,000. In the National Museum we see wonders from all over the world. Many beautiful things from Japan, China, and India, as well as the clothes George Washington wore when he was christened. Another beautiful sight we saw, was the interior of the new building of the Patent Office. Our visit there was about 4 P. M. just as the Autumn sun was shedding her lovely rays through the colored glass of a vast variety, and falling on the soft, rich carpet, and the bright glass cases, reflecting clear as crystal, (in which are the numerous articles). This sight held the writer spell bound. The many colors blending in lovely harmony, the order and purity seemed more than a building made with hands.

The evening of the 29th we entered the waiting room of the Baltimore and Patonae depot, preparatory for our onward journey. This was the memorable room where our beloved Garfield was assassinated; we had the pleasure of talking with the lady who raised and pillowed his head after the fatal shot—she still remained there as the overseer of the ladies department. She showed us the position of Guiteau, and the spot where Garfield fell, which is marked with a silver star.

We were bound via Piedmont air line for Greensboro, N. C., and on the following morning passengers breakfast at Danville, Va. In a short time we cross the line, and are in the old "Hickory State," North Carolina. We see from our window bare sandy soil, and now and then a small log cabin, without any window at all, the only accessible light being through the cracks and the open door, which the reader will bear in mind is seldom closed during the entire year. If until the present time we have been so interested in new sights and faces as to give home and friends only a passing thought, we now feel our loveliness as we think of the beautiful green fields and hills, the golden corn fields and the orchards with their trees heavy laden with delicious fruit, and when we have reached our destination we find such a marked change from our own customs and habits, that we can hardly realize that we are only a distance of six hundred miles from Central Pennsylvania.

The houses are peculiarly built, without a cellar or foundation, but instead a pillar of brick placed on the ground (or sand) about two feet high under each corner. Few of the houses are two stories high, and the bedrooms are on the first floor, so

there is often an additional room added as the family increases. Each room having an outside door and a large veranda. Mason stone chimneys are built on the outside of the houses, as open fire-places are here used instead of stoves and furnaces. The majority have no carpets on their floor, some have rugs and stained floors, and we were told by some of the few who have carpet that when once put down it is never taken up again until it is worn-out. They have no kitchen but a "cook room." This is generally a small building by itself, and has a floor of stone, the appearance would be difficult to describe. Every family, however small, has a colored cook. White women do not cook or wash dishes, and to do their own washing and ironing is never thought of, that is work sent out of the house.

No one ever speaks of an afternoon, as they "morning" until 12 M. when evening begins, so as you pass to and from your dinner you are saluted with a hearty "Good-evening." Dinners are served from 2 to 6 P. M. (CONCLUDED NEXT WEEK.)

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Sufferers from catarrhal troubles should read the above carefully.

MARRIED.

Dec. 19, by Rev. S. P. Orwig at his residence in Middleburgh, Rev. Francis C. Bowersox and Hattie C. E. Hassinger, both of Franklin twp.

Dec. 25, by the same at the same place, James E. Walter, of Franklin twp. and Senora Prutzman, of New Berlin.

On Sunday, January 6, by E. Hummel, J. P., Mr. Samuel Hare and Miss Barbara Shelley, both of Middleburgh.

Jan. 1, 1889, by Rev. J. F. Wampole Mr. William Yeager of Criscent, to Miss Amelia Rabuck, of Perryville, Lycoming co.

On the 20th ult. by Rev. W. A. Haas, Emma A. Boyer, of Washington township, to Charles E. Romig, of Salem.

On Christmas by Rev. W. A. Haas, Annie P. Yoder, of Globe Mills, to D. F. Hottenstein of Mahonoy, Pa.

DIED.

Dec. 22, in Selingsgrove, Daniel Duke, aged 77 years, 2 months and 10 days.

Dec. 23, in Washington township, of apoplexy, Conrad Bickhart, aged 81 years, 6 months and 14 days.

Dec. 26, near Salem, Peggy, widow of William Moyer, aged 85 years and 2 days.

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 Cough, Cold, Bronchitis,
 Neuralgia, Toothache, Rheumatism,
 Headache, Sick Headache, Vertigo,
 Dyspepsia, Bilious Stomach,
 Suppressed or Painful Periods,
 Whites, too Profuse Periods,
 Croup, Cough, Difficult Breathing,
 Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Scalds,
 Rheumatism, Rheumatic Pains,
 Liver and Gall, Chills, Malaria,
 Piles, Hemorrhoids,
 Ophthalmia, or Horns or Weak Eyes.

HOMEOPATHIC

1 Catarrh, acute or chronic, Inflammation,
 Whooping Cough, Violent Coughs,
 Asthma, Suppressed Breathing,
 Ear Discharge, with or without Hearing,
 Scrofula, Enlarged Glands, Swelling,
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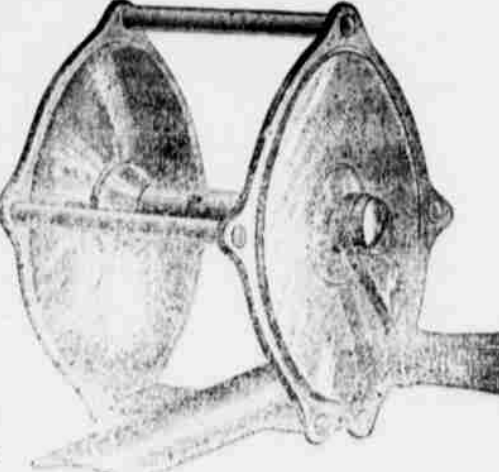


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