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As the Editor Sees It.

Has it occurred to you that there are many people today who sincerely believe that the world is coming to an end, and that the day is near at hand? The present unsettled conditions throughout the earth are to them but visible signs of the approaching dissolution.

But regardless of their beliefs, and no matter what happens, the world keeps right on moving, and it will continue to move until time ceases to be.

Many years ago the members of a religious sect were convinced that the end of the world was at hand. They even set the date when all will be wafted to heaven, or to hell, or wherever else they might go.

There was much excitement, many wild eyes, and no little uneasiness, or apprehension.

They dressed themselves in white, ascended high mountains or hills, raised their eyes to heaven, and awaited the grand smash.

They are still waiting—those who are left of them.

And the world still moves.

In the early days woman was something of a chattel—a possession of mankind, to be disposed of as his fancy might desire.

Among the rich and powerful she was an ornament, a plaything. In the humbler walks of life she was a drudge, little better than a beast of burden.

If any person had told the kings and knights of old that the time would come when woman would be man's equal in all things that person would have been considered a lunatic, or a liar, or both, and a dangerous person to remain at large. His days would have been short.

Yet for centuries woman has been forging forward, fighting for and obtaining greater privileges, until today she is recognized as man's equal in many countries.

In the past doubting ones have made dire prophecies for such a day. The rise of womanhood to them meant chaos, disintegration, dissolution.

But woman still progresses, and the world still moves. If man doesn't like it he can lag behind.

Some people profess to believe that the great war marked the beginning of the end of time, and that Christ was to return to earth in 1925 and rule for a thousand years. This belief is based upon mathematical computations applied to certain passages in the Bible.

It may be true, or it may not, but if your heart is clean you need have no fear of meeting Christ in 1925.

If Christ were to sweep the rulers of the earth into the seas and seize the reins of government himself we would not be the losers thereby.

Even with Christ as the Emperor of the Earth the world continue to move—at least for a thousand years.

And as the earth moves, so do we who inhabit it move with it.

A great conference is to be held in Washington. Wise men of the earth will seek to curtail armaments, eliminate war and make the land one of peace, happiness and plenty.

While they are talking the world will be moving. It may be moving toward better days, or it may be approaching horrors as yet even unheard of.

But still it will move, steadily, surely, without pause or deviation from its course.

God made the world for a purpose and when that purpose is accomplished the world will cease to be.

We are but little specks in this world that moves—less than a tiny grain of sand upon a mighty beach.

Great is the world, greater is God, but infinitely small are we who doubt that the world will continue to move.

Trinkle Elected

Democrats Carry State By 60,000 Majority.

The democrats somewhat increased their usual majority in the state election yesterday and elected E. Leo Trinkle for governor by a majority that will reach 60,000.

Although returns are not complete yet, local democratic leaders claim a majority for Trinkle in the Ninth District. W. W. G. Dotson, democratic candidate for House of Delegates from Wise and Dickenson is probably elected by about 200 majority over his republican opponent, J. H. Hagy. Following is a majority the candidates received in Wise county, except the Pound, which Dotson claims by 150 votes or more. He also claims Dickenson county by the same amount.

Table with 3 columns: Precincts, Hagy, Dotson. Rows include Stonega, Imboden, Virginia City, Tacoma, St. Paul, Round Top, Blackwood, Roaring Fork, Appalachia, East Stone Gap, Norton, Big Stone Gap, Coeburn, Wise, Pound (estimated), Dickenson County (est.), Total.

In the local election Trinkle received a majority of 111, while Dotson received 87. Below is the vote each candidate received:

Governor.—Trinkle, 376; Anderson, 265; Mitchell, 12. Lieut. Governor.—West, 383; Hassinger, 242; Muller, 4; Nash, 11.

Sec. of Com.—James, 385; Parsons, 250; Buechler, 19.

State Treasurer.—Johnson, 376; Flanagan, 276; Jackson, 29. Supt. Public Instruction.—Hart, 377; Oley, 262; Walker, 22.

Com. Agri. and Immigration.—Adams, 392; Twigg, 266.

Senate.—No opposition—Sergeant, 537.

House of Delegates.—Hagy, 305; Dotson, 392.

Announcement.

Trinity M. E. Church, South, Rev. R. G. Reynolds, P. C. J. S. Hamblen, S. S. Supt., C. W. Bennett, Epworth League president, Mrs. Otis Mouser, president of Woman's Missionary Society, Sunday school 10:30 a. m., preaching 11:00 a. m. by the pastor. Subject, "Methodist Missionaries." Senior League 7:30 p. m. Preaching at East Stone Gap 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening 7:30. Good music every service. Come!

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NOTICE

Interstate Railroad Company v. Julia Banner et al.

Take notice that the undersigned, having been appointed Special Commissioner in the above cause, now pending in the Circuit Court of Wise County, Virginia, by decree dated November 4, 1921, to ascertain the liens, if any, and their priority on the fund paid into said court by the complainant to the credit of said cause and to whom and in what proportion said fund should be paid, in order to make said inquiry will sit at his office in the Town of Norton, Virginia, on the 28th day of November, 1921, in order to execute said decree when and where all persons interested are requested to attend.

This November 9, 1921. J. L. CAMBILOS, Special Commissioner.

Tax Notice!

I will sit at the following places on the dates mentioned to collect 1921 taxes.

- East Stone Gap Post Office, Tuesday, November 8th. Appalachia, Clear Creek Water Company Office, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, November 10th, 11th and 12th, and Monday and Tuesday, November 28th and 29th. Inman Commissary, Tuesday, November 15th. Linden Commissary, Wednesday, November 16th. Stonega Commissary, Thursday, November 17th. Roda Commissary, Friday, November 18th. Arno Commissary, Saturday, November 19th. Imboden Commissary, Monday, November 21st. Exeter Commissary, Tuesday, November 22nd. Big Stone Gap, W. E. Wampler & Company's Store, Friday and Saturday, November 25th and 26th and Wednesday, November 30th and Thursday, December 1st.

All tax payers in the Richmond District are requested to see either me or C. F. Blanton, between now and December 1st, in order to pay their taxes, as a penalty of 5 per cent. will be added to all uncollected taxes after that date.

W. C. ELKINS, Deputy Treasurer.

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