

An Acknowledgement.

COOPERSTOWN, April 28, 1883.

MR. EDITOR:—Feeling conscious that we have disregarded and disobeyed the law of the Lord God in that we have broken and dishonored Holy Sabbath Day since our coming to this our Dakota home, we ask the use of your columns to acknowledge before our fellow men and neighbors our great ingratitude and our sin against the God of Heaven in thus violating His commands, and to ask our fellow citizens of this place to join with us in a strict and holy regard for this divine and benign law of our kind and loving God who has been so gracious and good to us during our sojourn in this Dakota land.

For the Lord hath said: “Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy—six days shalt thou labor and do all thy work, but the seventh day is the Sabbath of the Lord thy God, in it thou shalt not do any work, then, nor thy son, nor thy daughter, nor thy servant, nor thy maid servant, nor thy cattle, nor thy stranger that is within thy gates.”

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