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HOUSTON BRAKEMAN IS KILLED AT MUSKOGEE

By Associated Press.
Muskogee, Ok., May 3.—C. S. Brown, aged 25 years, a brakeman, was crushed to death between two cars on the Missouri, Oklahoma and Gulf railroad today. He resided at Houston, Texas, where his family is prominent.

Is This Justice?

Editor Times—I don't question the honor of any man who is a member of the city council of Wichita Falls, but after reading their ruling of the last meeting prohibiting the maintenance of tents within the fire limits, I wish to say that I believe the intentions of the council are in good faith in the performance of their duty, and will say that I am not writing this expecting the sympathy of that honorable body. They are upholding the dignity of our city as well as their own and want to make Wichita a sanitary town.

I am doing business in a so-called tent near the Kay depot, where I have rented a lot and have six months unexpired rent on the same, which I have lost. I cleaned out a corner behind the billboards on the Ward lot and in doing so had a number of loads of old rotten paper and rags removed. I hired men to put eight loads of dirt in an immense mudhole which has always existed at that place. I have paid from 80 cents to \$4.00 every week to have the lot cleaned off, and when the clean-up day was ordered the entire ground between my place and the Shivers-White drug store was clean and needed no attention. Now that this plot of ground, which six months ago was the depository of all the waste paper and rags, as well as the home of hundreds of huge rats, but now converted into a clean sanitary place, visited every other day by the trash wagon, I am told it is condemned as unsanitary and dangerous on account of fire.

Stop and think! Do you know what is the result of this action. You are taking a poor man's money that was made honestly and applied on his rents. You are taking honest bread from the mouths of children. But when I, like an Arab, fold my tent and silently creep away, I can say that I ran an honest business. I can say, too, that I never turned a sober man down for something to eat. I have taken in over \$4,000 of transient money at my little counter and paid it to the business men of Wichita Falls, not one of whom I owe. I have made a few dollars, which I expected to use to lease a building, but as I fear the future actions of the city council I will not endeavor to do such. Very truly,
W. C. CANNON.

Stock Company Will Take Sandcrabs.

Texas News Service Special.
Oklahoma City, Ok., May 3.—E. H. Gaston, representing Receiver Norton of the Galveston, Texas, league club, announced today that a stock company would be formed there and that Galveston would retain the club and that there would be no change in the personnel and that the transfer to Austin would not go through.

Will Investigate Lynching.

Texas News Service Special.
Tyler, Tex., May 3.—It is understood here that District Judge Simmons will return from Mineola the latter part of the week to institute an investigation into the lynching of Jim Hodge, a negro, here last Saturday following the attack upon Miss Winnie Harman.

The Civic League will hold its regular meeting tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Frank Kell, 904 Scott avenue, all members are urged to be present as we have important business. 305-1tc

Grape Juice. Phone 261. D. B. King, successor to King & White. 287-1f

REALTY COMPANY ELECTS OFFICERS

The directors of the Floral Heights Realty Company met Saturday afternoon and elected the following officers: J. A. Kemp, president; Chas. W. Bean, vice president; A. L. Huey, secretary and treasurer.

The directors previously elected are as follows:
J. A. Kemp, Frank Kell, Chas. W. Bean, J. T. Montgomery, A. H. Carrigan, N. C. McIntyre, J. B. Marlow, J. T. Young and Dr. J. F. Reed.

This company has been incorporated for the sum of \$125,000 fully paid up capital and having obtained their charter, are now ready to make deeds to any lots purchased.

DECLARES SUIT A GRAND STAND PLAY

TEXAS CENTRAL OFFICIAL SAYS
"JIM CROW" PROSECUTIONS
ARE POLITICAL
DEMOGOGUERY.

FIGHT TO LAST DITCH

Will Be Waged By Railroad Against
Big Penalties Sought—Prosecution
Means Business.

Eastland, Tex., May 3.—When advised of the prosecution, General Manager Hamilton of Texas Central denounced the suit for nearly six million dollars brought against the railroad as "a political grand stand play," and the result of demagoguery. County Attorney Dabney today entered a strong denial of Hamilton's charges and declared that the suits will be prosecuted vigorously. Dabney alleges a violation of the Jim Crow law. Bitter enmity has been caused here between the factions over the case.

Texas News Service Special.
Waco, Tex., May 3.—The management of the Texas Central railroad today announced that as soon as its attorney returns to the city the road will file its answer to the Eastland county suit, which asks nearly six million dollars, alleging violation of the Jim Crow law. The management is deeply stirred and says it will fight the case to the last ditch.

DECISION IS AN IMPORTANT ONE

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., May 3.—The supreme court reversed and remanded the decision of the United States circuit court in the commodities clause cases, but did not give directions as to the character of the decrease. Only directions were to enforce and apply the statute as it is now construed.

The commodities clause case reversed by the supreme court of the United States today came from the United States circuit court at Philadelphia, where the clause was decided to be unconstitutional.

FOUR DAVIDSON MEN ARRESTED

Frederick Leader.
A sensational development concerning the fire at Davidson Friday night was the arrest of four Davidson men Tuesday on a charge of arson. The men are W. L. Williams, Isom Waldrop, J. H. Kendrick and Homer Billings. The charge is that the last named person set fire to the gin, and that he was employed to do so by Williams and Waldrop, who in turn being employed by Kendrick.

The case was investigated by Sheriff Carter and Attorney Johnson, who went to Davidson Tuesday for that purpose. It seems that Billings, who is but 17 years of age, had made remark or two that aroused suspicion. He was arrested by an officer and put through the sweat box and finally confessed the entire affair. His story is that Williams and Waldrop came to him and offered him \$10 to set fire to the gin and that he did so. Kendrick, who is the principal owner of the gin, is charged with employing Williams and Wallace to burn it, paying them \$100 for the job. They then hired the boy to do the work.

Kendrick is at large under bond of \$2000. Billings was taken to Lawton, where he is in jail, and Williams and Waldrop are in jail here. Their bonds have been fixed at \$1,500 each.

Davidson has had three fires within the last three months, and incendiaryism has been suspected each time. There has been nothing so far made public connecting any of the accused men with any of the other fires, but it is hoped that the guilty parties may be located in these affairs.

FEDERAL COURT SUSTAINS TEXAS LAND DEED LAW.

By Associated Press.
New Orleans, La., May 3.—The federal circuit court of appeals here today sustained the recent enactment of the Texas legislature involving land deeds. The court held that deeds defectively acknowledged after being recorded ten years, can be admitted as evidence. The case was an appeal of George Downs vs. E. A. Blount in the eastern district of Texas, involving twenty-two acres of land.

Waxahachie's First Mayor Dead.

Texas News Service Special.
Waxahachie, Tex., May 3.—Capt. W. P. Getzenander, a pioneer aged 70 years and the first mayor of Waxahachie, died here this morning at 4 o'clock. He was a member of the State senate in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth legislatures. He was vice president of the Citizens' National Bank.

THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Cotton—Liverpool.
Liverpool, Eng., May 3.—Cotton market opened easier and closed steady. Sales 10,000 bales. Receipts none.

Open High Close
May-June 5.12 5.46 5.45 1/2
June-July 5.48 1/2 5.51 1/2 5.50
July-August 5.51 5.54 1/2 5.53
Oct.-Nov. 5.43 1/2 5.43 1/2 5.42 1/2

Cotton—New York Spots.
New York, May 3.—Cotton market opened quiet and steady and closed steady. Spots, 10.85, unchanged. Sales 200 bales. Due to arrive on contract, 3,900 bales.

Cotton—New York Futures.
Open High Close
May 10.56 10.58 10.58-59
July 10.38 10.43 10.43-44
October 10.24 10.25 10.24-25

Cotton—New Orleans Spots.
New Orleans, May 3.—Cotton market opened quiet and steady and closed steady. Spots 10 1/2 c. Sales 400 bales. To arrive, 225 bales. Contract, 2100 bales.

Cotton—New Orleans Futures.
Open High Close
May 10.31 10.31
July 10.49 10.55 10.55-56
October 10.20 10.22 10.19-20

Chicago Grain Market.
Wheat—Open High Close
May 125 1/2 126 1/2 126 1/2
July 112 1/2 112 1/2 112 1/2
September 103 1/2 103 1/2 103 1/2

Corn—
May 71 1/2 71 1/2 71 1/2
July 68 1/2 68 1/2 68 1/2
September 42 1/2 42 1/2 42 1/2

Oats—
May 56 1/2 56 1/2 56 1/2
September 42 1/2 42 1/2 42 1/2

Fort Worth Livestock.
Cattle—Receipts 3000 head.
Hogs—Receipts 4000 head.
Steers—Quality choice. Market was higher. Tops sold at \$6.00.
Cows—Quality choice. Market was higher. Tops sold at \$4.30.
Calves—Quality choice. Market was higher. Tops sold at \$5.30.
Hogs—Quality fair. Market lower. Tops sold at \$7.00.

DRIVEN INSANE BY GRIEF AT SIGHT OF MEMORIAL.

By Associated Press.
Stafford Springs, Conn., May 3.—Driven suddenly insane by the sight of a memorial card she had ordered for her daughter, who died a month ago, Mrs. Bernard Risler today beat Charles Morey, who called to deliver the cards, over the head with an axe, inflicting serious wounds, shot and killed her 2-year-old son, and then took her own life by sending a bullet through her heart.

Texas Killed in Denver.
Texas News Service Special.
Denver, Colo., May 3.—George Hall, aged 19 years, whose parents reside at Marshall, Texas, died at the county hospital here today from a broken back as the result of a steel upright falling upon him while he was applying for work at a new building here.

Class No. 12 of the M. E. church South was organized yesterday with the following officers: Kathlene Benson, president; Bess Jackson, vice president; Della Young, treasurer; Grace Nolen, secretary; O. A. Jones, teacher.

The Minnetonka Lumber Company's property in this city has been sold to the Alfalfa Lumber Company of Kansas City. J. R. Eldridge will be continued as manager by the new owners of the yards here.

RATES REVISED; PEOPLE TO PAY

NEW TARIFF SCHEDULES WILL
AFFORD NO RELIEF TO
THE CONSUMER.

THE REVISION IS UPWARD

Rapacious Republicans Will Override all
Opposition—Taft is the Last
Hope.

Washington, D. C., May 2.—That there is practically no hope for the relief of the ultimate consumer in the forthcoming tariff bill unless President Taft comes to the rescue; is the conviction that is becoming stronger about the senate and house.

Senator Aldrich and his lieutenants are gradually getting their forces organized for the passage of the tariff bill in the senate. Indications are becoming stronger that they will be able ultimately to force the bill through with comparatively little change from the language reported by the finance committee. Senator Aldrich professes confidence that four weeks more will see the bill either ready for the signature of the president or nearly so. He does expect the downward revisionists will be able to make much of an impression on the finance committee. The conference committee will play an important part in the fashioning of the bill, but a study of the personnel of that committee makes it clear that if there is to be any downward revision it must be accomplished before the bill goes to conference.

The republicans who will serye on the conference committee will be Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island, Burrows of Michigan, Penrose of Pennsylvania and Hale of Maine, and Representatives Payne of New York, Dalzell of Pennsylvania, McCall of Massachusetts and Hill of Connecticut. The democrats on the conference committee will include Senators Daniel of Virginia, Money of Mississippi and Bailey of Texas, Representatives Clark of Missouri, Underwood of Alabama and Griggs of Georgia.

It might appear that the democrats on the committee would combine with enough republicans thereon to force some of the schedules downward, but the fact is the republican members of the committee will shape the bill in conference.

At the Christian Church.

The services yesterday and last night were good and the audiences large. We are using our Sunday school room and can seat four hundred persons comfortably. We will continue this week. Services each evening at 8 o'clock. Subject tonight, "Heartfelt Religion." Some people have gotten the notion somehow that we as a people do not believe in heartfelt religion. Come and hear for yourselves. Good music. Come, we have never had better singing in our services.

Our official board meeting was the best we have had. All departments of church work were reported in good condition and the outlook hopeful. The pastor was voted a month's vacation with salary continued, which was appreciated, as it came unsolicited.

All are cordially invited to these services.
A. J. BUSH, Pastor.

Testimony in the Hains Trial.

By Associated Press.
Flushing, N. Y., May 3.—In the trial of Captain Hains here today for the murder of William Annis, Emma Lavelle, a negro domestic, testified to seeing Annis with his arms around Mrs. Hains and kissing her and that Mrs. Hains said Annis "was her affinity." The witness testified that the way the two carried on was something dreadful. She also testified that Capt. Hains was terribly affected when told of their actions.

Notice to Water and Light Consumers.

Owing to insufficient notice, the order to cut off all patrons who had not paid their accounts by the 10th of last month, was not enforced. Due notice, however, is now given of the enforcement of that order on and after the 10th day of May, and those owing this company either for water or lights will confer a favor upon the company and save themselves both expense, and inconvenience by calling at the office at 807 Indiana avenue and settling their accounts by the date above specified. Respectfully,
WATER AND LIGHT CO.,
J. B. Stokes, Manager.

Grocers Combine Against Bakers.

Texas News Service Special.
San Antonio, Tex., May 3.—War between the bakers and grocers was opened here today. The bakers are selling six loaves for twenty-five cents and the grocers are demanding seven, as formerly was the custom. The grocers have combined and say they will not buy bread under the conditions the bakers name. The bakers have thousands of loaves which they cannot dispose of without loss.

13 EXECUTIONS TODAY IN CONSTANTINOPLE.

By Associated Press.
Constantinople, May 3.—Thirteen civilians and soldiers, sentenced by military courts to death for murder, were hanged in different parts of Constantinople early today. Among the number was Maj. Yussef and son and three others who killed a Syrian deputy in front of the parliamentary building and Mourad, the editor of a newspaper, the Nizan.

Three Fires at Hillsboro.

Texas News Service Special.
Hillsboro, Tex., May 3.—Three fires occurred here within the last thirty-six hours, causing nearly six thousand dollars loss.

One hundred and thirty bales of cotton at the compress were damaged. In the business section the American express office was damaged and a residence on Paschall street was damaged.

From May 3rd to May 10th I can offer you for sale a twelve-room rooming house, close in for the small sum of \$5,250. Terms one-half cash, Act quick.

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MURDER MYSTERY AT NACOGDOCHES

Texas News Service Special.
Nacogdoches, Tex., May 3.—Following an investigation today, the authorities make the sensational charge that Odie Hillen and George Blackey were murdered by the same party Friday night. At first it was believed that Hillen killed Blackey and was himself killed by a train while trying to escape. It was discovered that Hillen's skull was crushed in the same manner as Blackey's. The body of the latter was thrown in the camp fire, and Hillen's body was thrown on the railroad track in an effort to conceal the crime.

It is known that there was a third party with the two dead men. The authorities have a strong clue, and arrests are expected soon.

Officers of Angelina and Nacogdoches counties are working on the case. The grand jury of the former county has summoned a hundred witnesses.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT BAGS ANOTHER LION

By Associated Press.
Nairobi, Africa, May 3.—Theodore Roosevelt bagged one more lion yesterday giving him a total of three lions and one lioness. Kermit brought down a cheetah. The hunting is exciting and both marksmen did excellent work.

Lumber Schedule and Income Tax Receive Attention.

By Associated Press.
Washington, May 3.—The lumber schedule and income tax of the tariff bill will receive special attention in the senate today. Senator Piles will represent the views of the timber states of the Northwest and the Pacific coast. Senator Bailey will maintain the constitutionality of the income tax amendment in a speech today.

Last of the Breathitt-Feud Trials.

By Associated Press.
Jacksop, Ky., May 3.—John Abner, charged with the assassination of J. Cockrell here during the Breathitt feud, was acquitted yesterday. This clears all dockets of the Breathitt feud cases.

J. W. Stone is in receipt of a letter from Denver stating that Mrs. Stone shows little or no improvement and that Robert has not been able to walk a step since the accident.

South bound passenger No. 2 was delayed several hours today by the overturning of a steam shovel south of Childress. So far as can be learned, no one was hurt in the accident.

OKLAHOMANS WILL ARRIVE ON TIME

110 BOOSTERS ABOARD SPECIAL
DUE HERE AT 5:50 P. M.

TRIP TO LAKE WICHITA

And Big Banquet Will Be Features of
Entertainment.

Secretary Gohlke of the Chamber of Commerce received messages this morning from the Oklahoma City excursionists en route to Wichita Falls on a special train, saying that the party numbered 110 boosters and that the special was running on schedule time and would probably arrive in Wichita Falls a little earlier than 5:50 p. m., the time scheduled.

Several members of the reception committee left this afternoon for Grandfield, Oklahoma, where they will meet the Oklahoma City special and accompany the visitors to this city.

The remainder of the reception committee will get aboard the special here and will take the visitors out to Lake Wichita, where boat rides will be enjoyed, after which the party will return to town, arriving at about 8:30 o'clock.

The banquet will be spread in the St. James dining room at about 3 o'clock. On account of the limited seating capacity of the dining hall, all who wished to attend the banquet will not be able to find seats at the table, and it has been arranged that when the eating is finished, the tables will be removed and chairs placed in hall and all members of the Chamber of Commerce and others invited to hear the post prandial talks. R. E. Huff will act as toastmaster and Hon. L. H. Mathis will welcome the visitors.

Tomorrow morning the Oklahoma City delegation will leave over the Katy for Ringgold, where they will take the Rock Island back into Oklahoma.

At Devol, Oklahoma, the special will be met by a delegation of Walter, Oklahoma, business men, who will accompany the Boosters to this city, and will constantly endeavor to impress the visitors with the desirability of a railroad connecting Oklahoma City and Wichita Falls via Walter. F. M. Estes of Cement, Oklahoma, is also here in the interest of the proposed railroad.

George Byers and F. A. Kessler are here to extend an invitation for the Oklahomans to visit Byers.

Another Fish Fry.

Having finished their spring planting, the farmers of the Friberg neighborhood and their families had a fishing party on the Wichita river in Mr. Byman's pasture, resulting in a big catch. A fish fry was enjoyed and everybody was abundantly filled and several basketsful of fish remained.

Entertainment was furnished in the afternoon by a ball game between the old men and the young men. While the score was not announced the victory was claimed by the young men.

Kentucky Derby Run Today.

By Associated Press.
Louisville, Ky., May 3.—The usual large number of visitors are here to witness the Kentucky derby which will be run here at four o'clock this afternoon. Wintergreen will go to the post a slight favorite with Friend Harry and Miami pressing him closely for that place.

A fire alarm was occasioned this afternoon by the ignition of a pile of refuse at the Denver's coal bins in the railroad yards. No damage was done.

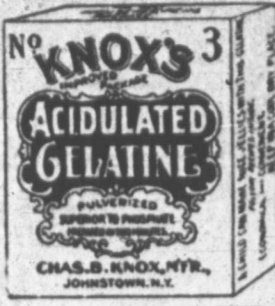
NEW GRAND JURY OF SIXTEEN MEMBERS

Texas News Service Special.
Muskogee, Ok., May 3.—A grand jury composed of sixteen men was drawn in the federal court here today to rehear the evidence in the town lot conspiracy cases involving Governor Haskell and six other prominent citizens. The jury will report at Tulsa May 10th.

Says She Was Attacked By Negro.

Texas News Service Special.
Tyler, Tex., May 3.—The officers and the posse have been unable to capture the assailant of Miss Etta Paul, who was attacked and knocked unconscious with a bottle at her home near this city last night. Miss Paul says a negro attacked her.

What Shall We Eat?



This is the question that confronts the housekeeper every day. What to have for dessert is especially perplexing since each member of the family is expecting the unexpected in the dish that gives the crowning touch to the luncheon or meal.

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"An enemy's fleet could be sent to the bottom in ten minutes before getting within five miles of Gibraltar. Not even a torpedo boat could succeed in entering the bay unobserved on the blackest night." That sums up the opinions of the most eminent naval experts as to the impregnability of the world's greatest fortress.

But disappointment awaits the sight-seeing visitor. The rock, though barren, is covered with luxuriant vegetation—not a fort prominent, not a gun to be seen even with the most powerful glasses, no discernible ammunition magazines, no strongholds, only a peaceful, prosperous harbor and a sleepy, straggling town.

It is night, and the maneuvers are on. Swift playing searchlights transform the bay into a sheet of shimmering silver upon which are seen majestic British warships and elongated flying shadows, the torpedoes. Guns answer guns out of every conceivable crevice and corner, blending in one deafening uproar, while scores of shells plow the water for miles around.

Sentries are everywhere; infantry parties crouch in the shadows; hundreds of gunners stand ready behind hundreds of guns in these mysterious labyrinths hewn out of the solid rock—"the galleries." The vicious barking of Maxim guns gives contrast to the deep toned baying of these mammoth pieces of ordnance, the mere report of which cracks stone roofs and bursts doors and whole windows. Could any fleet live through the murderous hail of gigantic shells?

Gibraltar never sleeps. By day and night two perfectly equipped signal stations, proudly flaunting Britain's flag of ownership, unceasingly sweep the seas around to a distance of fifteen miles on a clear day, instantly reporting the coming and going of each vessel. Sentries guard all the prominent forts, magazines and gateways; gunners sleep beside their guns; engineers are ever ready beside the powerful searchlights.

Modern "needle" guns, the finest in Europe, are installed on all the most prominent points. They are unreach-able from the sea, even as they are undiscernible, owing to the skill with which they are painted and draped to match the surrounding vegetation, while huge screens drop automatically before them as each shell is fired. They have a range of fifteen miles and could drop shells on Ceuta, in Africa, opposite, quite comfortably. One gun weighs 110 tons and is capable of throwing a shell weighing three-quarters of a ton. In that marvel of engineering under great difficulties, the galleries, are concealed guns for every day in the year.

These galleries are divided into three sections, entry to which is guarded, while one is closed even to high officers, containing preserved stores, munitions of war, rainwater (for Gibraltar has no springs) and a complete condensing plant—all calculated to outlast a siege of seven years.

The firing is the most mathematically perfect imaginable. The surrounding waters are mapped out into squares, upon which certain guns are kept ready trained, so that it is almost impossible to miss. During practice targets are towed across the bay, the object being to hit the water a few yards in advance of them.

Although the sentries have now been reduced, a few years ago 158 were needed daily, the most important point being the north front, where English sentries face Spanish sentries. But the mere pressure of an electric button by the officer of the guard would cause a miniature earthquake on the neutral ground.—Cassell's Saturday Journal.

Haggis as the Scotch Make It.
To make haggis take the heart, tongue and small liver of the sheep, one pound of bacon, four ounces of crumbs of bread, the rind of one lemon, two eggs, two anchovies (sardines may be used), a quarter of a teaspoonful of pepper and two teaspoonfuls of salt. Chop the heart, tongue, liver and bacon, mix thoroughly, add the breadcrumbs, the anchovies, chopped fine; the lemon rind, grated; then the pepper and salt. Beat the eggs and pour them over. Pack this into a kettle or mold, cover and boil or steam continuously for two hours. Turn it on a dish and serve very hot.

A Clever Cook.
Mrs. Nurich was in the jewelry store.
"Here are some new souvenir spoons we have just got in," said the clerk, placing a tray for her inspection.
"Oh, ain't those lovely!" she exclaimed. "I must have some of those! Our cook makes such lovely souvenirs!" —Argonaut.

Well Posted.
"What was that musty old explorer talking about?" inquired the languid lady.
"Progressive Patagonia."
"And how do you play it?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

It is not the quantity of the meat, but the cheerfulness of the guests, that makes the feast.—Clarendon.

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It Was a Great Bargain, but He Knew It Too Late.

One of the smokers had been exhibiting a diamond pin which he had purchased of a hard up traveler and made at least a hundred dollars on when the gray haired man heaved a sigh and remarked:

"As for me, I never had but one real bargain offered me, and I was fool enough not to take that."

"Something in the way of jewelry?" was asked.

"No; it was a letter press."

"But I don't see how much of a bargain could be offered in that."

"No? Well, I will tell you. I thought I was in love and was writing the girl two letters a day. Six months later, when I knew that I wasn't in love with her, I busted up things, and she sued me for breach of promise."

"But you had been careful in your letters not to pledge yourself."

"I told my lawyer that she couldn't exhibit one single loving sentence in any of my letters—that is, any having connection with matrimony."

"Yes."

"But when the suit came to trial she exhibited over forty letters in which I said that I should die if she turned me down, and the jury awarded her \$2,500 for her broken heart. Yes, sir, and I could have bought that letter press for \$7 and had copies of my letters as fast as written and knew what I was up against at the end. Great bargain, gents—great bargain, and yet I turned it down."—Baltimore American.

THEATRICAL STARS.

Some Famous Ones That Started on the Variety Stage.

Edwin Booth was in his younger days a member of a minstrel company and, unless I am mistaken, appeared in some of the variety shows of that period. He lived to become one of the most noble and dignified figures of his day as well as one of the most distinguished actors that the English speaking stage has ever known. Joseph Jefferson was also a minstrel in the early part of his career, and prior to that he and his sister, both mere children, had been wont to perform on Boston Common and pass the hat among the bystanders.

Lotta was known in the mining camps of California and in the early variety theaters of San Francisco long before she came east in the sixties to win money and fame—"a dramatic cocktail," John Brougham called her in the legitimate houses of Broadway. William H. Crane used to play the tambourine in a wandering minstrel company. Nat Goodwin, Lillian Russell and May Irwin came to the front in the early eighties at Tony Pastor's theater. Mr. Goodwin gave imitations of popular actors and lived to become an extremely popular actor himself. Miss Irwin's remarkable humorous gifts were shown in the condensed versions of comic operas that brought Mr. Pastor's entertainments to a close, and it was in one of these that Miss Russell leaped into fame in a single night.—James L. Ford in McClure's Magazine.

Football as Played in Labrador.

One must not imagine it is all work and no play with the Labrador Eskimos. Much to my surprise, I found that our good old game of football had taken hold in Ungava. The game is played with a ball of seal skin stuffed with grass. The goals are placed much the same as in our own game, and each player is armed with a short handled sling made of several thongs of seal hide bent in loops and attached to a wooden handle. The ball may either be tossed in the sling, kicked or, should opportunity offer, picked up and carried. Rough tactics are not barred. I have seen a man tossed in the air and pitched headforemost into a snow bank, while pushing, tripping and blocking are all freely indulged in.—Recreation.

The Clarinet.

The clarinet has the richest, sweetest voice of all the wood wind instruments, although its sound does not travel quite so far as that of the oboe. Whenever, as sometimes happens, there are two melodies to be played at once, the clarinet takes the lower of the two, while the violins play the upper and more important one. But in a military band, where there are no strings at all, the clarinets play the chief melody. The bass clarinet is not so smooth or so sweet as the higher ones. It has a rather choky sound, though softer than that of the bassoon.—St. Nicholas.

Reassuring Him.

"A little final advice," said a professor of elocution, addressing his pupils before the annual entertainment—"go well to the front of the stage, don't hesitate and don't be nervous!"

"But, I say, professor," remarked a very self satisfied member of the class, "suppose I forget part of my oration?"

"Oh, that doesn't matter," replied the professor. "On the contrary, the more of it you forget the better the audience will like it!"

Kept Him Busy.

"Did you do much sightseeing when you went abroad?"

"No," answered Mr. Cumrox. "Mother and the girls did the sightseeing. I had to put in my time finding the places where they cash letters of credit."—Washington Star.

Man Killed Twice.

An English paper is responsible for stating that a man "was overtaken by a passenger train and killed. He was injured in a similar way about three years ago."



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WEATHER FORECAST.

For Wichita Falls and Vicinity
—Tonight and Wednesday, generally fair. Warmer tonight.

Wichita Falls, Texas, May 3rd, 1909.

The Oklahoma City boomers will be with us this evening and they should and will, no doubt, receive such a reception from the people of Wichita Falls that will have them go away from here with the impression that Oklahoma City is not the only city which has a live, wide-awake and working bunch of business men who, when they determine to do something do not give up until every resource has been exhausted. Wichita Falls wants railway connection, direct, with Oklahoma City, and Oklahoma City wants the same thing. Under such conditions, there is no good reason why the desired railway connection should not be made, especially if the project has the backing of two such live commercial bodies as the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce and the Commercial Club of Oklahoma City. Let's get busy. Wichita Falls will do her part.

The Times wishes to join with the citizenship of Wichita Falls in extending a most cordial welcome to the visitors from Oklahoma City and wishes for them a most enjoyable time during their short stay in Wichita Falls and a most successful excursion throughout their tour of Oklahoma.

Wichita Falls is endeavoring to follow the example set by Oklahoma City in aggressive progressiveness and therefore the visitors must know that we feel a hearty admiration for their fair city. At no distant date the people of Wichita Falls hope that the commercial and social relations between the two cities may be drawn closer by the construction of a railroad connecting the two places. Again, we wish to bid the Oklahomans welcome to the best we can give them.

The Fort Worth Record has either slandered H. Bascom Thomas or that fellow is just simply a natural born fool. In Sunday's issue of the Record appears an article under an Austin date, which purports to be an interview with Thomas in which he is credited with saying some very complimentary things about himself that might have sounded all right had they emanated from a different source. The article really reads like Thomas had sought to be interviewed and said these things about himself, perhaps with the expectation or the understanding that the Record reporter would credit them as coming from some one of his admiring friends, but instead of doing that, the reporter just simply printed what Thomas said, and let it go at that.

With and abundant supply of gas furnished to manufacturers at less than ten cents per thousand cubic feet and with inexhaustible coal beds tapped by the Wichita Falls and Southern, and with railroads radiating in six points of the compass into territory undergoing rapid development, Wichita Falls offers no mean inducements for another railroad connecting with Oklahoma City. Even if it is a little dry just now, Wichita Falls looks to the future with confidence and optimism.

The ordinance adopted by the city council prohibiting the distribution of circulars on our streets or handing the same out to people who may drop them on the streets hits the printers a blow that will take from them much of their business in the event it is enforced. The Times does as much and probably more of that particular class of work as any printing plant in the city, but it must admit that to distribute them indiscriminately upon our streets is a nuisance that should be abated.

If the present dry weather continues the irrigation method of farming promises to be used wherever possible. For several years water has not generally been used even where land is under the ditch.

If you want nice barrel kraut, phone 261. D. B. King, successor to King & White. 227-12

Patrolman Pond's Up-to-Date Laundry. It opens your buttons up. 122-41

THE PLAIN OF GUISNES.

Its Transformation into the Field of the Cloth of Gold.

It was a magnificent display when Henry VIII. of England and Phillip I. of France met in good fellowship on the plain of Guisnes.

The king's retinue had been selected from the noblest of the kingdom. Wolsey, with his 300 followers, headed the escort and was followed by dukes, earls, barons, bishops and knights, with their retainers. The escort numbered 4,000 horsemen, not including the queen's escort, numbering nearly 2,000 persons and 800 horses. The French king had an equally splendid retinue. King Henry and his great cavalcade were taken, on arrival at Guisnes, to the magnificent palace provided by Wolsey. There was an old palace there, and Wolsey had established himself in that and erected one for his king. The palace was the most beautiful place imaginable. It had so many glazed windows that it looked as though built of crystal, and much of the woodwork, both inside and out, was covered with gold. All the way from the gate to the door were rows of silver statues. Inside the walls of the chambers and halls were hung with magnificent tapestry embroidered in gold, and the ceilings were draped with white silk.

But Henry was not to spend all of his time in his fine palace, for tents had been erected on the plain, and in these the two kings and their suits were to lodge. The tents of the French king were pitched just outside the walls of the town of Ardres and extended almost to the tents of King Henry.

The tents in which the two queens were lodged were covered with cloth of gold, as were also the tents of the ladies in attendance upon them and of all members of the royal families. The effect was dazzling. Beautiful pavilions, hung with cloth of gold, dotted the plain; banners floated everywhere; fountains of wine spouted in the bright June sunshine; horses, decorated with fluttering ribbons, pranced about gayly. So gorgeous had the dreary plain been made that it has become known in history as the "Field of the Cloth of Gold."

BROWNING'S "SORDELLO."

The Critics Had Lots of Fun With the Famous Poem.

When Robert Browning was twenty-eight years old and after he had written "Paracelsus" and his tragedy of "Strafford," he wrote "Sordello," about which there has always been such a variety of opinion. Dante in his "Purgatory" wrote of Sordello, who was a poet of Provence.

"When 'Sordello' appeared it made a sensation. Punch said it had offered £100 to any person who would reasonably explain one single line and that after a year no one had claimed this reward. Burlesques were written on it, and in one of these it was claimed that the funniest lines were some of the exact original ones.

A story is told of witty Douglas Jerrold, who met a friend one day and asked, "Have you read 'Sordello'? Does it mean anything?" The friend replied that it meant nothing whatever. "Thank heaven!" said Jerrold. "Then I am not mad! I read it yesterday and feared I had lost my wits. It is only Browning who has lost his."

Another story was that criminals at Newgate prison who were condemned to death were offered full pardon if they would listen to the reading of "Sordello," but in every instance they hastened with glee to the gallows. Browning once said that he blamed nobody but himself for the work and that it had many faults of expression; that he meant to lay stress on incidents in the development of a soul and that little else is worth study. This estimate of his work was given twenty-five years after it was written, when he had revised it and dedicated it to a friend. He rewrote very little of it, and his followers have a belief that he considered "Sordello" his best literary work. It certainly has many beautiful lines, and in particular there is a word picture as striking as anything in our language:

That autumn eve was stilled.
A last remains of sunset dimly burned
Over the far forests like a torch flame
turned.
By the wind back upon the bearer's hand
In one long flame of crimson; as a brand
The woods beneath lay black.
—Boston Globe.

The Boss Got Ahead.
"I came mighty near resigning my job this morning," said Ardup, ordering coffee and slinkers. "I'd made up my mind that the boss and I couldn't get along any more."

"Well, why didn't you resign?" asked the man sitting on the next stool.
"He beat me to it by just one second."—Chicago Tribune.

Smart Boy.
Mamma—Edgar, didn't I tell you not to take any more preserves from the jar? Small Edgar—Yes, ma'am. Mamma—Then, if you wanted some, why didn't you ask me for them? Small Edgar—Cause I wanted some.—Chicago News.

How He Manages Her.
"How is it that your wife is so tractable?"

"Why, I told her when we were married that she could do just exactly as she pleased, and of course she finds no pleasure in doing it."—Chicago Post.

The Fighting Eel.
Bacon—Which do you think is the gamiest fish?—Egbert—Well, the black bass is the gamiest to catch, but the eel is the gamiest when it comes to getting it off the hook.—Yonkers Statesman.

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It is said that a New England minister once told the following story just before the collection was taken up:

"I have heard of a man, prosperous and well to do, who went to church one Sunday and put a cent—just a plain copper cent—in the collection box.

"On the way home he was overtaken by a sudden heavy shower and, having no umbrella, crawled into a hollow log by the roadside to keep himself dry until the downpour was over.

"Soon the log began to swell, and the wetter it got the more it swelled until the sides finally closed in on the prosperous citizen and held him in a grip like a vise.

"The rain ceased, but the unfortunate man was unable to move hand or foot. He shouted for help, but no one heard him. He was about to give up in despair when he suddenly thought of the cent he had dropped into the collection box that day, and it made him feel so mean and small that he crawled right out of the log without any further trouble.

"Now, if you expect to get caught in a shower and be obliged to take refuge in a hollow log on the way home, by all means put a cent in the contribution basket! If you don't anticipate a crisis of that sort—well, you will know what to do when the basket is passed."

The minister expected a shower of silver and bills to follow this story, but unfortunately just as the collection began a black cloud passed overhead, it suddenly began to sprinkle, and the pennies fairly rained into the contribution basket. Only one quarter, a solitary dime and a lone nickel were found among the coppers, and they got in before the shower began.

The congregation, it seems, had all left their umbrellas at home, and they were not taking any chances.—New York Times.

Got the Number.

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One of the most remarkable freaks of wind and erosion known in the west is to be found in one of the smaller side canyons of the Grand Canyon of the Colorado river in Arizona.

In a narrow gorge, carved through centuries of flow of water and wind driven sand down the little valley, there lies a huge bowlder as big as the average house moving van seen on a city street. It is held up solely by friction on the sides of the gorge and is entirely free from any solid connection with the sides of the sandstone walls.

From the sandy bed of the little gorge to the rock is fully seventy-five feet. The Indians who once roamed over the Grand Canyon country have, of course, legends to account for the location of the big round rock, but as a matter of fact it is believed to have rolled off the slope of a rocky and precipitous mountain about five miles distant from the canyon and to have been picked up in the path of some cloudburst years ago and rolled to its present resting place.

The stone hangs only by a small projection on each side, but it is so solid that it forms a convenient foot-bridge across the gorge over which the pedestrian may take his way.—Kansas City Journal.

WATERPROOF FABRICS.

There Are Several Methods by Which They Are Treated.

Fabrics are waterproofed by impregnating them with metallic salts, by coating them with oil, grease and wax, by coating them with India rubber or by treating them with ammoniacal solutions of copper. The first process is applied to sailcloth. The canvas is impregnated with alum or calcium acetate and then immersed in a fixing bath containing soap, which forms insoluble lime or alumina soap in the cloth.

The second process is used for rain-coats, imitation leather, etc. The fabric passes between hot rollers and then over a cylinder of wax, etc.

In the third process a solution of India rubber in carbon disulphide, chloroform or other solvent is applied. This process is used for mackintoshes and bathing caps and is applied to thread.

In the fourth process, employed in the manufacture of bookbindings and Willensden canvas, cotton cloth is run through a solution of oxide of copper in ammonia, which dissolves the superficial layer and on evaporation leaves it in the form of a uniform coating of cellulose. The process is completed by passing the cloth between rollers. There are still other processes, but these are the most important.—Scientific American.

His Kindly Act.

In a Sunday school class recently the teacher sought to impress upon the small boys the virtue of kindly and helpful deeds.

"Now," said she, "let every boy here try to do some kindness during the week and next Sunday report what he did."

Next Sunday arrived, and the teacher proceeded to listen to stories of good deeds done. Finally she reached the smallest boy in the class. His age is nine.

"Well, Willie," she said, "have you done any kindness for any one, anything really helpful, during the week?"

"Yes'm."

"What was it?"

"I let another kid copy me 'rithmetic lesson off me book in school."

Early Psychotherapy.

In the Epistle of James we find the early Christian rule of psychotherapy. It was adopted by the early church and for many centuries was a rule of faith and practice in the Christian church in all its branches. It is still a rule of conduct in some of the older churches, and some leaders in churches where the rule has lapsed begin to plead for its revival and for the assumption by the church of what are called its legitimate powers. St. James said: "Is any sick among you, let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer of faith shall save the sick, and the Lord shall raise him up, and if he have committed sins they shall be forgiven him."—Christian Register.

HE SPREAD OUT.

Advice the Roofer Got From His Boss In Apprentice Days.

The man was working on the side of a steeply sloping roof. All of a sudden his foot slipped, and, with a groan, he began to slide down slowly toward the edge.

As he slid he clutched with tense fingers at the tin, but it was smooth. It offered him no hold, and his speed gradually but surely increased.

As he sat in a sitting posture, like a tobogganer, the man continued his deadly slide he began to pray in a loud, anguished voice.

Memory, as if in answer to his prayer, flashed across his brain the words: "Spread out."

The man instantly lay flat on his back, spreading arms and legs to their widest angle, making himself as much as possible like a starfish. And his speed at once decreased. The additional friction surface acted like a brake. A few feet from the edge of the roof he came to anchor.

"Help!" he then shouted.

But the slight movement of shouting acted like a push, and he slipped down a few inches more.

"Help!" And again he slid a little. But this time help came. A rope was thrown, and the man climbed back to safety.

He wiped the dew of terror from his brow.

"My boss in my apprentice days," he said, "told me if I ever started sliding down a roof slope to spread out and it would stop me. I didn't believe him; but, by Jingo, he was right."

The man smiled and sighed, musing on his long dead boss. Then he crawled back to his dangerous work on the steep slope of the roof.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Choleric Old Gentleman—Miss, if that fool boy of mine marries you—Young Woman (raising her lovely eyes to his)—Well, Mr. Scadley? Choleric Old Gentleman—Er—well, dash him, I can't blame the boy.—Chicago Tribune.

What Every Woman Knows. That the photographer can take a fine picture of most anybody else.—Cleveland News.

There is precious instruction to be got by finding we are wrong.—Carlyle.

A Billion. Great Britain clings to its own numerical system and regards a billion as a million times a million. But America differs, a billion in the United States being only a thousand millions. This is perhaps the only instance in which a thing is bigger in the old country than in the new. One has to go only a little way from England—to Calais—to find the billion lessened, for France dignifies a thousand millions with the name of billion. They are wasting a word in France in this connection, however, inasmuch as there is already a word, milliard, to designate this number.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Caterpillars. The green and yellow tints so frequently to be found in caterpillars are stated to be due to coloring matter derived from their food and passed through the blood of the spinners. By impregnating leaves with artificial colors the experimenters caused some species of caterpillars to produce silk of bright orange yellow and fine rose hues. By the aid of the spectroscopic presence and nature of colored pigments in the blood of the little creatures were established.—London Tatler.

A Postscript. Willie, aged five, had delivered a message from his mother to a lady, but did not seem in a hurry to go. Being asked if there was anything else his mother had bidden him say, he replied, "No, ma'am; only she said I wasn't to ask you for any cake, but if you gave me any I was to take it and thank you." He got the cake.

Information. "Where do all you Americans live?" inquired the European.

"About 4,000,000 of us live in New York," answered the caustic American, "and the rest of us live in caves."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Always there is a black spot in our sunshine. It is the shadow of ourselves.—Carlyle.

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No. 4 12:55 p. m. 1:15 p. m.
No. 6 3:15 p. m. 3:25 a. m.
No. 8 2:15 a. m. 2:25 a. m.

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No. 1 Leaves 2:10 p. m.
No. 7 Arrives 12:05 p. m.
No. 9 Arrives 6:25 p. m.

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No. 2 Arrives 1:00 p. m.
No. 6 Arrives 3:15 a. m.
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No. 8 Leaves 8:09 a. m.

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IT WAS NOT REFERRED.
When Lincoln's Words Were Turned Back Upon Himself.
General Robert Avery, who was wounded almost fatally at Chancellorville and recovered just in time to lose his right leg at the hip on Lookout mountain, told an anecdote of Lincoln which shows the great president's appreciation of the fitness of things and his unflinching fund of humor.
"When I had recovered from the effects of the amputation," said General Avery, "a very dear friend of mine who had served long and faithfully as a regimental quartermaster was an applicant for a position as brigade quartermaster. He died it with me, and after it had been properly briefed and indorsed I made it my business to put it before the president. There was a long line of people waiting to see Mr. Lincoln when I arrived at the White House; but, seeing I was a wounded man, he came over to me. 'I'll take my turn, Mr. President,' I said, and he turned to receive his visitors.
"The man ahead of me also had a request for an appointment—a letter which Governor Bramlett of Kentucky had indorsed. 'Respectfully referred to President Lincoln.'
"Governor Bramlett requests that I be appointed," said the man from Kentucky. President Lincoln took the letter. 'Why,' exclaimed Mr. Lincoln, 'this doesn't show that Governor Bramlett requests anything. It says simply "Respectfully referred." That means he has just passed it along. If you can get Governor Bramlett to request me I'll do it. "Respectfully referred" is only a polite way of getting rid of a person.'
"He was sitting at his desk at the time, settling lower and lower down in his chair until only his head seemed to show. I presented the papers of my friend. He read them and said, 'Why, yes.' Then he wrote on a card, 'Respectfully referred to Mr. Stanton,' the secretary of war.
" 'This won't do, Mr. President,' I said to him. 'Why not?' he asked. 'Because you have just said to that man from Kentucky that "Respectfully referred" is a polite way of getting rid of a person.'
"The president slowly rose out of his deep seated chair until he looked seven feet tall to me, and then he began to laugh. 'You've got me,' said he, and then he wrote on a card, 'Appoint this man.'—New York World.

THE BURYING BEETLE.
Dead Mice and Birds Secreted as Food For Its Young.
People often wonder what becomes of the dead mice and dead birds, for though birds and mice are constantly dying in large numbers, hardly one is ever to be seen. The fact is that they are buried by beetles. Buchner gives a brief account of them as follows:
"Several of them unite together to bury under the ground, as food and shelter for their young, some dead animal, such as a mouse, a toad, a mole, a bird, etc. The burial is performed because the corpse, if left above ground, would either dry up or grow rotten or be eaten by other animals. In all these cases the young would perish, whereas the dead body lying in the earth and withdrawn from the outer air lasts very well.
"The burying beetles go to work in a very well considered fashion, for they scrape away the earth lying under the body so that it sinks of itself deeper and deeper. When it is deep enough it is covered over from above. If the situation is stony, the beetles, with united forces and great efforts, drag the corpse to some place more suitable for burying. They work so diligently that a mouse, for instance, is buried within three hours. But they often work on for days, so as to bury the body as deeply as possible. From large carcasses, such as those of horses, sheep, etc., they only bury pieces as large as they can manage.
"There can be no doubt of the intelligence of these strange insects, as a gentleman discovered in a rather curious way. He desired to dry a dead toad, and for that purpose he fastened it upon the top of an upright stick. The burying beetles, however, were soon attracted by the smell, and, finding that they could not reach the toad, they undermined the stick, causing it to fall with the toad, which was then duly buried.—Our Animal Friends.

A Comforting Word.
A woman whose colored maid was assisting her in trying on a handsome new gown the other day got a shock when, after looking in the pier glass and admiring her really handsome figure as displayed in the new garment, she remarked to the girl:
"Julia, all I need now is a new face."
"Deed, Mrs. Dyer," replied the colored girl, "I wouldn't worry if I was you. I saw a lady the other day no better lookin' than you are."—New York Press.

Time to Do Something.
Mrs. Mimms—Mary, it was 1 o'clock this morning when you got in. I heard you. Mary—Well, ma'am, if I was you I'd take something to make me sleep better. I took my shoes off down in the kitchen and didn't make no more noise than a cat would. I've been kind of worried about you for a good while.

Satisfied.
Mrs. Skowler—You will have to go, Mary. I can't put up with your impertinence any longer. I'm sorry I can't give you a recommendation. Mary—It's all right, mem. My leaving alive will be all the recommend I need.—Boston Transcript.

The fool wanders; the wise travel.
Spanish Proverb.

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George Byers, one of Byers' influential citizens, was transacting business here today.

George Knight, one of Iowa Park's progressive business men, is here today on business.

Eugene Logan, a farmer and stockman from Archer City, is here today on business.

Mesdames Holloway, Perkins and Peters of Petrolia, were shopping in the city today.

Andrew Weeth, one of Iowa Park's trustworthy citizens, was transacting business here today.

S. E. Dempsey, one of the oil producers from Petrolia, was looking after business interests here today.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Friberg of this city visited relatives in the Friberg community the latter part of last week.

E. M. Chaplin left this afternoon for Fort Worth, where he goes to consult a specialist concerning a trouble affecting his eyes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ellinger of Petrolia were in the city today en route to Fort Worth, where Mr. Ellinger has business interests.

Mrs. J. L. Sibert of Travis avenue, who has been quite sick with stomach and bowel troubles, was reported better this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lyon and little daughter Marion of Kansas City, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Barth, 1107 Lamar avenue, returned to their home this morning.

M. C. Livermore and family from Tulsa, Texas, have located near the city and will reside here in future. Mr. Livermore has purchased 320 acres of land from J. C. Doneghy, and will engage in farming.

Mesdames W. H. Bachman, C. F. Priebe and C. M. Dole, and Messrs. W. W. and J. M. Brown left yesterday for Denison in response to a message announcing the serious illness of their brother Frank Brown, in that city.

Rev. J. L. McKee, the new pastor of the First Presbyterian church, misad connection at Whitesboro coming here Saturday night and did not arrive in time for the Sunday morning service. He came in Sunday afternoon and Sunday night filled the pulpit.

Don't forget that Wednesday, May 5th, is benefit day at Pennington's for the ladies of the First Methodist Episcopal church. Ice cream and cake will be served.

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THE OLD FLINTLOCKS.

They seem to have done some rather Tolerable Shooting.

"These old shooting irons," said a man from Virginia, who was examining an old flintlock rifle, "always have my profound respect. Our grandfathers and great-grandfathers did their hunting with them and used them in our two victorious wars with England. They were always good weapons and are now, if they are equipped with a good stock and a good lock. They could do fine service. Any man who was any sort of a marksman could do effective work with them in their day. This fact was well illustrated in an incident that happened several years ago near Richmond. The story was printed in some of the leading newspapers in Virginia and was the cause of much interest.

"There was an old farmer residing in one of the peninsular counties who was coming on the cars to Richmond and had with him one of those old fashioned weapons. In the train he got into conversation with a small party of gentlemen, who expressed much interest in his old rifle, and the farmer told of some rather extraordinary feats of marksmanship that he had performed with it.

"Finally he was persuaded to give an exhibition of his skill with the old relic, and a trial came off at Rocketts in the presence of a few gentlemen. The old flintlock was fired seven times and only missed the mark once. At first the old man fired it at some small objects—to get his hand steady, so he said. Then the old fellow handed to his son, who had every faith in his father's skill, a large potato and stationed him at fifty yards distance, holding the potato between his thumb and forefinger.

"The rifle cracked, and the potato was split into several pieces. Another shot was made at the bowl of a pipe which the boy was smoking, and the bowl was smashed. Several other shots were made at various objects, but in trying to hit a copper cent that was tossed in the air the marksman made a miss. He was considerably mortified at this and laid the blame on a bystander who sneezed loudly at the critical moment, but made another attempt, which was successful.

"The old man then declined any further trials of his skill and when offered a sum of money to repeat his feat of shooting a potato from his son's hand refused, saying he didn't care to experiment any further unless his weapon was freshly cleaned. The boy was willing, but the old man was obstinate. The young man showed not the least anxiety during the dangerous experiment upon himself."—Washington Post.

A Necessity.
"Twenty dollars for retrimming your hat!" exclaimed Mr. Madison. "But we agreed to spend nothing except for things that were positively needed."

"Well, John, this is. You see, my best friend has just had hers retrimmed, and I have promised to go with her to the concert on Friday."

"Oh, all right. But I can't give you more than fifteen this morning, because I broke my meerschaum and must have it mended."

"Can't you smoke your old briar-wood?"

"Certainly, dear. And you can wear your old hat."

"John, let's begin to economize next month after we get things all straightened out."

"All right."—New York Herald.

To Multiply by Division.

Everybody knows that learning the tens in the multiplication table is as easy as "pie" and that the fives are not much harder; but, slight as is the mental effort required in multiplying any number by five, it may be lessened still more by discarding the multiplier entirely and substituting a divisor instead. This may sound paradoxical, but by experimenting you will find that dividing by two will bring the same result as multiplying by five, provided you add a cipher to the quotient if the dividend be an even number or five if it be odd. For instance, if you multiply 2,734 by five the product is 13,670. What is still easier, divide 2,734 by two, which is done almost instantaneously; then tack on your 0 and you have 13,670.

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