

# Takoma



His troubles to his officer  
King Solomon did tell,  
Who with Takoma Biscuit  
All the children's grief did  
quell.

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their teeth  
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night,  
Till Solomon, who fain would sleep,  
Was driven desperate quite.



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Inquire of nearest Burlington Route agent.—4-24-98.

### To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

### Movements of the Teachers.

With the closing of the schools comes the dispersion of the out-of-town teachers: Miss Gorby departed on No. 2, Tuesday, for Nelson, where she will spend the summer with a sister. Miss Hewitt left on No. 12, Tuesday morning, for Hiawatha, Kansas; she expects to attend some Wellesley function or meeting during the summer. Miss Smith departed, Thursday morning, for Lincoln, where and at her home in Inez, Holt county, she will pass the summer vacation. Miss Powers returned to her home in Trenton, last Saturday, and Mrs. West to her home in Hayes Center on Monday; we understand Mrs. West expects to remove to this city in the near future. Miss Griffin left on last Saturday morning for Greeley, this state; it is broadly hinted that she will soon exchange occupations. Miss Andrews departed for her Cambridge home, Saturday morning last. Miss Budlong took No. 2, Tuesday morning, for Detroit, Michigan, where she will visit a sister during the summer. Miss Rathbun will attend school in Denver during the interim. Miss Thomson will visit her brother John in Montana during the vacation days.

### GREATLY ALARMED.

A Persistent Cough Permanently Cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

H. P. Burbage, a student at law in Greenville, S. C., had been troubled for four or five years with a continuous cough, which he says, "greatly alarmed me, causing me to fear that I was in the first stage of consumption." Mr. Burbage, having seen Chamberlain's Cough Remedy advertised, concluded to try it. Now read what he says: "I soon felt a remarkable change and after using two bottles of the twenty-five cent size was permanently cured." L. W. McConnell.

### More Low Rates.

The Burlington will sell round trip tickets, July 1 to 10, as follows: San Francisco and return \$50.00, Los Angeles and return \$50.00, San Diego and return \$50.00. Ask the ticket agent for particulars. 6-5-98.

THE TRIBUNE—Only \$1.00 per year.

### BARTLEY.

Mr. J. Fletcher is here from Omaha visiting the family.

Miss Fitzgerald of McCook who has been visiting Kiss Nellie Farrell returned to her home on 5, Monday evening.

Miss Lucy Peake of Indianola who has been teaching in our school for the last two years is again engaged for the coming year.

Miss Maud Vickrey who, for two years past has taught in the primary department of our schools has been retained for another year.

Prof. N. J. Wyne who has been principal of our high school for the last two years returned to his home at Peru, Neb. Saturday May 30.

Mr. Etherton, Mr. G. W. Jones and Dr. Morefield attended the preliminary examination, Monday, at Indianola, of the man who shot Lee Jones.

Mrs. Jacob Stenner who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cowles, in Bartley went to Indianola Sunday afternoon to visit her sister, Mrs. Toogood.

Ralph Clark who has been attending business college at Grand Island returned home Monday on No. 3. His brother Ivan left the same day for Denver where he will visit relatives.

The county superintendent Mr. Dutcher, held a special examination session in the Bartley school house June 2nd. Seven or eight teachers from Indianola and about the same number from Bartley took the examination.

On account of inclement weather the morning exercises of the program for Memorial Day were annulled. In the afternoon there was a large attendance at the M. E. church where the afternoon program was carried out in singing and recitations and an interesting address by S. R. Smith of Indianola after which a monument was erected near the church and the usual ceremonies to the unknown dead were executed.

The people of Bartley were shocked Sunday morning to hear the sad news of the murder of one of our citizens, Mr. Lee Jones, while at Indianola last Saturday evening. He was fatally shot through the heart by a drunken man by the name of McMillan. The body of the deceased was brought to Bartley Sunday evening about six o'clock and lay in his father's home until 10 a. m. when the corpse was taken to the Christian church. Minister C. F. Martin preached a pathetic funeral sermon to the bereaved parents, relatives and sympathizing friends. Every seat was occupied and all available standing room taken. After the sermon the body was laid away to rest in the Bartley cemetery and thus a sad scene is closed which will long remain impressed upon the minds of the people of this vicinity as one more crime as the result of the curse of intemperance.

In almost every neighborhood someone has died from an attack of cholera or cholera morbus, often before medicine could be procured of a physician summoned. A reliable remedy for these diseases should be kept at hand. The risk is too great for anyone to take. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has undoubtedly saved the lives of more people and relieved more pain and suffering than any other medicine in use. It can always be depended upon. For sale by L. W. McConnell, druggist.

### SOUTH SIDE.

Mrs. W. G. Dutton is visiting with the children in Lincoln.

We seem to be in the rain belt, and the roads are hardly passable.

Amos St. Germain is home from Traer, Kansas, for a week or ten days. He had just finished listing the Kansas farm to corn.

Frank Everist got stuck in the mud with a barrel of salt—rather the team did. He says he will treat the boys right if he helped him out.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitch pleasantly surprised the home folks, Monday, by coming in unexpectedly. They will visit for an indefinite time.

W. S. Fitch is having an addition built to his farm house occupied by John Hesterworth. Mr. Fitch has just recently finished remodeling and building on the home place.

Wheat in this vicinity is looking fine, but beet is a little the worse for the cold, wet weather. Several will have to plant their beets over as soon as the ground is dry enough.

Your correspondent understands that Miss Pearl Hayes of Danbury has applied for our school. She is an energetic teacher and the district will be fortunate in securing her services.

### June Bargains.

The Burlington offers round trip tickets as follows: Indianapolis and return \$26.65, June 13-14; St. Louis and return \$20.60, June 15 and 16. Ask the ticket agent for particulars. 6-5-98.

### ADDITIONAL RAILROAD NEWS.

E. J. Cunningham is a new fire-up man nights.  
C. W. Holt is a new member of the boilerwashers.  
H. Hillary machinist, resigned on Saturday last.  
Clyde Scott returned, Thursday, from Blue Hill.  
Henry Housh is visiting in Beaver City, this week.  
A. F. Mangles was in Denver, first of the week.  
S. R. Bragg, machinist, resigned on last Saturday.  
Joseph Kubick was a Holdrege visitor, Wednesday.  
V. H. Radcliffe is visiting Holdrege relatives, this week.  
Engineer and Mrs. Hugh Brown are visiting in Denver.  
J. A. Finnegan spent Sunday in Bartley with his parents.  
W. D. Sweet has just been added to the force of night wipers.  
John Eckhardt of the night-force resigned, first of the week.  
C. H. McBride visited his parents near Holdrege over Sunday.  
Frank Traver, boilermaker, resigned from the service this week.  
Mrs. John Schlager is visiting relatives in Culbertson, this week.  
Abram VanValkenburgh handed in his resignation, first of the week.  
W. J. Krauter, piecework inspector, has gone to Aurora, Ill., on a visit.  
No. 150 got a few cars crossways of the track in the Wray yard, Monday.  
F. R. Rolfe is calling nights until R. H. Trowbridge returns from the east.  
J. A. Finnegan has been transferred from the force of wipers to the paint-gang.

Tax Adjuster Pollard went east in a special attached to No. 2, Thursday morning.

J. Powers, Switchman Byrnes and Ed Smith were Denver visitors, first of the week.

Reports from Conductor Everett Dwyer indicate that he is not getting on very well.

Fireman G. E. Hoxie left on No. 6, Saturday night, for Washington, Kansas, on a business trip.

Conductor Steve Dwyer and crew have been retired from the service of the Burlington at Denver.

J. A. Cullen, having served his time, left on No. 6, last Friday night, for Omaha, where he expects to get work.

W. H. Anderson of the paint-gang has been transferred to the machine shop and is now shop-clerk vice "Dusty."

Brakeman Lewis of Denver visited the boys at headquarters, a few days, on B. of R. T. business, going on to Chicago on the Trainmen's special, Sunday.

Engineer Roy Zint left, yesterday, with the pilot driver for use on the Southern division, which is "all shot to pieces" by the flood. It will be gone a couple of weeks.

### ADDITIONAL PERSONALS.

H. H. BERRY was in Stratton, Monday.

MISS MABEL BISHOP is visiting in Lincoln.

J. B. MESERVE arrived home, last night, from a trip to New York City.

VERNE NEVIN of Exter is a guest in the L. R. Hileman home, this week.

MISS MAGGIE LAMONT, of Boulder, Colorado, is visiting Miss Mabel Wilcox.

MAYOR ELDRIDGE delivered the Decoration Day address in Bonkelman, Saturday.

JOHN GAARDER of Minden is assisting in the work in the First National Bank.

Mrs. J. G. SCHROEDER left on No. 12, this morning, for Minden, on a visit to her parents.

MISS STELLA FULLER departed on No. 2, Friday morning, for Lincoln, to be absent until Sunday night.

### Another Bloody Kansas Tragedy.

Meager details of one of the most bloody tragedies in the history of northwestern Kansas comes to us from St. Francis, Kansas. It seems that bad blood has existed between the cowboys on the great ranch of the Dewey Cattle Co. and a family by the name of Berry living a homestead within the enclosure of the Dewey ranch fence. Wednesday about two o'clock a band of cowboys from the Dewey ranch rode up to the Berry farm, and in a battle which ensued the father and three sons were shot and killed outright and a fourth son was shot but not killed; he managed, it is stated, to save his life by crawling into the house. The statements as to the cause of the trouble are so at variance that no adequate idea can be gotten of the facts. But it is known that the trouble has been one of long standing, and to those acquainted with the situation over in the disturbed country between Atwood and Bird City, where the tragedy occurred, this bloody affair causes no surprise. The cowboys have been arrested and will have a preliminary trial at Atwood, W. S. Moran appearing for them today or tomorrow.

### Progressive High Five Party.

Dr. and Mrs. W. V. Gage, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Tartsch and Mrs. Adele Phelan gave a progressive high five party, last evening at the Gage home to about fifty guests. It was a very clever and delightful affair. Mrs. James Hatfield won the first prize and J. E. Kelley the booty. Dainty refreshments were served.

This afternoon, Mesdames Gage, Tartsch and Phelan gave a Kensington of felicitous details to a large company of lady friends at the Gage residence.

### The Great June Flood of 1903

Will go down into history so far as Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa and Missouri are concerned. The deluge of water in the Missouri and Mississippi and their tributaries great and small has been unprecedented, and the loss of life and property appalling. Railroad traffic has been greatly retarded and entirely suspended in some instances. The tale of woe from Kansas City, Topeka, Beatrice, Des Moines, and other places is especially distressing.

### Fine Rains, Great Crop Prospects.

Five or six inches of rain has fallen all over this part of Nebraska, the past ten days, and the prospects for small grain are simply immense, never have been better in the history of the country. Corn has not been doing very well on account of so much rain and sugar beets have suffered some from the same cause, but the general crop prospect is superb.

### Broken Leg and Injured Head.

By the overturning of a car belonging to the circus, in the local yards, one show attache had a leg broken and another received head injuries.

No formal action has been taken yet by the board of education in the matter of the election of school teachers. However, it is quite probable that a tentative understanding exists, in that an announcement will shortly be made covering at least the greater portion of the corps.

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### COLEMAN.

Bert Wales has over 100 acres wheat. J. Lair of Iowa was in town recently. Harry Wales has bought another horse.

W. M. Rozell has 210 acres of fall wheat and it looks fine.

I. M. Smith of McCook was in this town, one day last week.

S. C. John from near McCook was up here and bought a horse of M. H. Cole.

Mrs. E. M. Easterday of McCook was looking after her interests here recently.

J. Kelley sowed his farm to fall wheat and is planting eighty acres of the Easterday farm to corn.

A letter from Mt. Vernon, Ill., of June 2nd says, "A good many farmers are not half done planting corn yet."

Frank and Roy Coleman were hauling wood out of the grove, Monday. They have enough up now for summer fuel for a couple of years.

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### BOX ELDER.

The steel range men are in these parts. A creamery station has been located at Centertown.

John White has taken a cream separator on trial.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. James Modrell, June 2, a daughter.

Glenn Modrell took dinner with Virgil Gordon, Sunday.

Miss Florence Younger visited her uncle George Harrison, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John White spent Sunday with George Younger and wife.

This cool, wet weather is hard on the corn but small grain was never known to look better.

Miss Allen of the Children's Home at Omaha gave a very interesting talk at the church, Sunday morning.

Florence Younger's hand has gotten better and she is now helping Mrs. T. M. Campbell with her household.

Fred Satchell, Len Younger and the Misses Ida and Stella Modrell spent Sunday with Maude and Clarence Stone.

Rev. and Mrs. Satchell are expecting their daughter Mrs. Mather of Aurora, Nebraska, home, this week, on a visit.

It looks quite natural to see Edward Shepherd back in these parts again and making his weekly trips to Spring Creek.

Will Stone's team took a little spin, last Sunday, and tore his buggy to pieces. It was a short run, but a rather lively one.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Harrison expect their daughters Mrs. John Miller and Mrs. Schloscher of Friend home on a visit, soon.

Joseph Pominville, Stillwater, Minn., after having spent over \$2,000 with the best doctors for stomach trouble, without relief, was advised by his druggist, Alex Richard, to try a box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. He did so and is a well man today. If troubled with indigestion, bad taste in the mouth, lack of appetite or constipation, give these tablets a trial, and you are certain to be more than pleased with the result. For sale at 35c per box by L. W. McConnell, druggist.

### DANBURY.

Harry Butler is on the sick list, this week.

Lawyer Starr of McCook was in Danbury, Monday.

Rev. Pogue is in Lebanon, this week, doing some painting.

L. Cann has the foundation of his new home nearly completed.

D. A. Waterman of Lebanon was on our streets, last week.

E. A. Ruby was a Lebanon visitor between trains, Wednesday.

The Danbury village board met, Monday night, but took no action on the saloon question.

U. O. Leistre was a business pilgrim, the first of the week, to Herndon and Traer, Kansas.

### Meats For Tender Teeth

Are a specialty at Paul Anton's market. Spare your teeth and at the same time help your digestion by ordering from him. Phone orders just as carefully and promptly filled as though you came in person.

See that string of lawn mowers at Waite's. All sizes. Prices from \$3 up.

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