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n.

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llard.

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4, John Enright.

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r meeting first Monday in Febru-
ch year, and at such other times as
d necessary. Robt. Gallagher, Page,
n; Wm. Bowen, O'Neill, secretary;
rk, Atkinson.

TRICK'S CATHOLIC CHURCH.
ices every Sabbath at 10:30 o'clock.
v. Cassidy, Postor. Sabbath school
tely following services.

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y Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, im-
followed by Sunday school. Preach
e evening at8o'clock. Prayer meeting
day evening at 8 o'clock. Epworth
devotional meeting Sunday evening
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eill Post, No. 86, Department of Ne-
. A. R., will meet the first and third
evening of each month in Masonic
eill. S. J. SMITH, Com.

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ows' hall. Visiting brothers cordially
o attend.
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s on first and third Thursday of each
n Masonic hall.
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F P.---HELMET LODGE, U. D.
nvention every Monday at 8 o'clock p.
dd Fellows' hall. Visiting brethern
invited.
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ILL ENCAMPMENT NO. 30. I.
O. F. meets every second and fourth
of each month in Odd Fellows' Hall.
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REBEKAH, meets every 1st and 3d
of each month in Odd Fellows' Hall.
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E SCOTT, Secretary.

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ular communications Thursday nights
fore the full of the moon.
EVANS, Sec. A. L. TOWLE, W. M.

T CAMP NO. 1710. M. W. OF A.
ts on the first and third Tuesday in
nth in the Masonic hall.
Cronin, clerk. R. J. Hayes, V. C.

U. W. NO. 153. Meets second
d fourth Tudsday of each month in
onic hall.
cHugh, Rec. G. W. Meals, M. A.

POSTOFFICE DIRCETORY

Arrival of Mails

E. & M. V. R. R.—FROM THE EAST.
ay, Sunday included at.....5:15 p m

FROM THE WEST.
ay, Sunday included at... ... 9:35 a m

PACIFIC SHORT LINE.
every day except Sunday at 9:25 p m
" " 7:00 a m

O'NEILL AND CHELSEA.
Monday, Wed. and Friday at 7:00 a m
Tuesday, Thurs. and Sat. at..1:00 p m

O'NEILL AND PADDOCK.
Monday, Wed. and Friday at..7:00 a m
Tuesday, Thurs. and Sat. at..4:30 p m

O'NEILL AND NIOBRARA.
Monday, Wed. and Fri. at....7:00 a m
Tuesday, Thurs. and Sat. at...4:00 p m

O'NEILL AND CUMMINSVILLE.
Mon., Wed. and Fridays at...11:30 p m
Mon., Wed. and Friday at.....1:00 p m

Supervisors' Proceedings.

CONTINUED FROM LAST WEEK.

COUNTY ROAD.

To tax due at last settlement	348 78	
To int. collected	2 60	
To excess in tax list	60	351 98
By tax collected	5 75	
By int.	2 60	
By error	6 69	15 04
Bal realty delinquent	30 40	
Bal personally delinquent	306 54	336 94

1887

COUNTY BRIDGE.

To tax due at last settlement	697 57	
To int collected	5 15	
To excess	1 11	703 83
By tax collected	11 47	
By int collected	5 15	
By error	13 33	29 95
Bal delinquent realty	60 80	
Bal delinquent personalty	613 08	673 88

COUNTY FUNDING BOND.

To tax due at last settlement	278 97	
To int collected	2 10	
To excess	44	281 51
By tax collected	4 56	
By int collected	2 10	
By error	5 31	11 99
Bal delinquent realty	24 31	
Bal delinquent personalty	245 21	269 52

COUNTY JUDGMENT.

To tax due at last settlement	174 40	
Int collected	1 28	
By excess	27	175 95
By tax collected	2 88	
By int collected	1 28	
By error	3 33	7 49
Bal delinquent realty	15 20	
Bal delinquent personalty	153 26	168 46

LABOR FUND.

To tax due at last settlement	2358 00	
To int collected	1 29	2359 29
By tax collected	3 00	
By int collected	1 29	
By deficiency	6 00	10 29
Bal delinquent tax		2349 00

DISTRICT SCHOOL TAX.

1887

To tax due at last settlement	2402 46	
To int collected	16 80	
Excess in tax list	2 20	2421 46
By tax collected	36 94	
By int collected	16 80	
By error in tax list	45 52	99 26
Bal delinquent realty	219 22	
Bal delinquent personalty	2102 98	2322 20

SCHOOL BOND.

To tax due at last settlement	703 32	
To int collected	7 74	711 06
By tax collected	18 05	
By int collected	7 74	
By deficiency	1 84	
By errors	21 61	49 24
Bal delinquent realty	104 35	
Bal delinquent personalty	557 47	661 82

CENTER PRECINCT BOND.

To tax due at last settlement	143 20	
To int collected	2 60	145 80
By tax collected	6 10	
By int collected	2 60	
By deficiency	42	
By errors	6 78	15 90
Bal delinquent realty	24 73	
Bal delinquent personalty	105 17	129 90

VILLAGE.

To tax due at last settlement	382 71	
To int collected	8 64	391 35
By tax collected	19 93	
By int collected	8 64	
By deficiency	2 60	
By errors	13 02	44 19
Bal delinquent realty	90 73	
By delinuqent personalty	256 43	317 16

1887

VILLAGE SIDEWALK.

To tax due at last settlement	102 97	
To int collected	7 22	110 19
By tax collected	16 80	
By int collected	7 22	24 02
Bal delinquent realty		86 17

ADVERTISING.

To tax due at last settlement	51 60	51 60
To int collected	00 00	
By tax collected	2 60	2 60
Bal delinquent		49 00

1888

CONSOLIDATED STATE.

To tax due at last settlement	1192 64	
To int collected	18 43	
To excess in tax list	16 96	1228 03
By tax collected	59 25	
By int collected	18 43	
By errors in tax list	5 62	83 30
Bal delinquent realty	162 53	
Bal delinquent personalty	982 20	1144 73

COUNTY GENERAL.

To taxes due at last settlement	1506 77	
To int collected	23 56	
To excess	21 66	1551 99
By tax collected	75 20	
By int collected	23 56	
By errors	7 10	105 86
Bal delinquent realty	205 45	
Bal delinquent personalty	1240 68	1446 13

1888

To tax due at last settlement	669 66	
To int collected	10 54	
To excess	9 65	689 85
By tax collected	33 54	
By int collected	10 54	
By errors	3 15	47 23
Bal delinquent realty	91 26	
Bal delinquent personalty	551 36	642 62

COUNTY FUNDING BOND.

To tax due at last settlement	217 63	
To int collected	3 41	
By excess	3 14	224 18
By tax collected	10 92	
By int collected	3 41	
By error	1 00	15 33
Bal delinquent realty	26 66	
Bal delinquent personalty	179 19	208 85

COUNTY JUDGMENT.

To tax due at last settlement	167 41	
To int collected	2 50	
To excess	2 43	172 34
By tax collected	8 40	
By int collected	2 50	
By error	80	11 70
Bal delinquent realty	22 80	
Bal delinquent personalty	137 84	160 64

LABOR FUND.

To tax due at last settlement	2268 00	
To int collected	3 79	2271 79
By tax collected	12 00	
By int collected	3 79	
By deficiency	9 00	
By errors in tax list	3 00	37 79
Bal delinquent		2244 00

1888

DISTRICT SCHOOL.

To tax due at last setttlement	2820 75	
To int collected	34 40	
To excess	27 55	2882 70
By tax collected	109 31	
By int collected	34 40	
By error in assessment	16 73	160 44
Bal delinquent realty	358 34	
Bal delinquent personalty	2363 92	2722 26

SCHOOL BOND.

To tax due at last settlement	672 34	
To int collected	12 22	
To excess	7 17	691 73
By tax collected	39 12	
By int collected	12 22	
By errors in assessment	4 87	56 21
Bal delinquent realty	126 53	
Bal delinquent personalty	508 99	635 52

CENTER PRECINCT BOND.

To tax due at last settlement	51 80	
To int collected	3 57	
Excess in tax list	1 38	56 75
By tax collected	11 52	
By int collected	3 75	
By errors in assessment	36	15 45
Bal delinquent realty	22 81	
Bal delinquent personalty	18 49	41 30

VILLAGE.

To tax due at last settlement	314 98	
To int collected	11 02	
To excess in tax list	1 28	325 28
By tax collected	35 23	
By int collected	11 02	
By errors in assessment	3 17	49 42
Bal delinquent realty	85 05	
Bal delinquent personalty	192 81	277 86

1888

TOWNSHIP.

To tax due at last settlement	880 00	
To int collected	15 53	
To excess in tax list	12 14	908 47
By tax collected	49 95	
By int collected	15 53	
By errors in assessment and footings	4 74	70 22
Bal delinquent realty	142 53	
Bal delinquent personalty	695 72	838 25

ADVERTISING.

To tax due at last settlement	114 10	114 10
To int collected		
By tax collected	6 90	6 90
Bal delinquent		107 20

1889

CONDOLIDATED STATE.

To tax due at last settlement	818 84	
To int collected	21 83	
To excess in tax list	15 91	856 58
By tax collected	98 27	
By int collected	21 83	
By errors in assessment and footings	14 74	134 84
Bal delinquent realty	159 52	
Bal delinquent personalty	462 22	721 74

COUNTY GENERAL.

To tax due at last settlement	1199 72	
To int collected	31 66	
To excess	23 22	1254 60
By tax collected	145 81	
By int collected	31 66	
By errors	21 64	197 17
Bal delinquent realty	380 03	
Bal delinquent personalty	677 40	1057 43

1889

COUNTY ROAD.

To tax due at last settlement	266 60	
To int collected	7 00	
To excess	5 11	278 71
By tax collected	31 96	
By int collected	7 00	
By errors	4 80	43 76
Bal delinquent realty	84 39	
Bal delinquent personalty	150 56	234 95

BRIDGE.

To tax due at last settlement	533 21	
To int collected	13 16	
To excess	10 26	556 63
By tax collected	63 92	
By int collected	13 16	
By errors	9 60	86 68
Bal delinquent realty	168 77	
Bal delinquent personalty	301 18	469 95

COUNTY FUNDING BOND.

To tax due at last settlement	166 63	
To int collected	4 36	
To excess	3 11	174 10
By tax collected	19 97	
By int collected	4 36	
By errors	3 00	27 33
Bal delinquent realty	52 77	
Bal delinquent personalty	94 00	146 77

COUNTY JUDGMENT.

To tax due at last settlement	33 32	
To int collected	90	
To excess	62	34 84
By tax collected	3 99	
By int collected	90	
By errors	60	5 49
Bal delinquent realty	10 54	
Bal delinquent personalty	18 81	29 35

1889

LABOR.

To tax due at last settlement	1437 00	
To int collected	9 85	
To excess in tax list	24 00	1470 85
By tax collected	45 00	
By int collected	9 85	
By error in assessment	12 00	66 85
Bal delinquent		1404 00

DISTRICT SCHOOL.

To tax due at last settlement	1611 37	
To int collected	33 40	
To excess in tax list	29 86	1677 63
By tax collected	165 44	
By int collected	36 40	
By errors in footinge	25 71	228 55
Bal delinquent realty	430 45	
Bal delinquent personalty	1018 63	1449 08

SCHOOL BOND.

To tax due at last settlement	786 28	
To int collected	28 58	
To excess	22 74	837 60
By tax collected	130 65	
By int collected	28 58	
By errors in assessment	24 06	183 29
Bal delinquent realty	317 94	
Bal delinquent personalty	336 37	654 31

CENTER PRECINCT BOND TAX

To taxes due at last settlement	161 75	
To int collected	7 20	
To excess	1 16	170 11
By tax collected	32 80	
By int collected	7 20	
By errors	1 57	41 57
Bal delinquent realty	103 08	
By delinquent personalty	28 51	128 54

1889

VILLAGE.

To tax due at last settlement	343 87	
To int collected	12 20	
To excess	1 50	357 57
By tax collected	55 70	
By int collected	12 20	
By errors in assessment	3 35	71 25
Bal delinquent realty	221 83	
Bal delinquent personalty	64 94	286 32

TOWNSHIP.

To tax due at last settlement	627 48	
To int collected	16 80	
To excess in	12 44	656 82
By tax collected	77 44	
By int collected	16 80	
By errors	10 71	104 95
Bal delinquent realty	211 28	
Bal delinquent personalty	340 49	551 77

SPECIAL SCHOOL.

To tax due at last settlement	3 75	
To int collected	90	4 65
By tax collected	3 75	
By int collected	90	4 65

ADVERTISING.

To tax due at last settlement	150 20	150 20
To int		
By tax collected	16 70	16 70
Bal delinquent		133 50

VILLAGE SIDEWALK.

To tax due at last settlement	54 09	54 09

1890

CONSOLIDATED STATE.

To tax due at last settlement	1147 93	
To int collected	41 44	
To excess	17 70	1207 07
By tax collected	394 06	
By int collected	41 44	
By errors	14 78	450 28
Bal delinquent realty	364 10	
Bal delinquent personalty	492 69	757 79

COUNTY GENERAL.

To tax due at last settlement	2088 87	
To int collected	72 25	
To excess	31 58	2112 70
By tax collected	689 60	
By int collected	72 25	
By errors	26 40	788 25
Bal delinquent realty	462 10	
Bal delinquent personalty	862 35	1324 45

COUNTY BRIDGE.

To tax due at last settlement	892 83	
To int collected	32 00	
To excess in tax list	13 97	938 80
By tax collected	306 43	
By int collected	32 00	
By errors	11 74	350 17
Bal delinquent realty	205 38	
Bal delinquent personalty	383 25	588 63

COUNTY FUNDING BOND.

To tax due at last settlement	267 84	
To int collected	9 69	
To excess	4 09	281 62
By tax collected	91 92	
By int collected	9 69	
By errors	3 43	105 04
Bal delinquent realty	61 64	
Bal delinquent personalty	114 94	176 58

1890

COUNTY JUDGMENT

To tax due at last settlement	223 21	
To int collected	8 08	
To excess in tax list	3 44	234 73
By tax collected	76 60	
By int collected	8 08	
By errors	2 91	87 59
Bal delinquent realty	51 38	
Bal delinquent personalty	95 76	147 14

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

To tax due at last settlement	66 96	
To int collected	2 40	
To excess	1 11	70 47
By tax collected	22 98	
By int collected	2 49	
By errors in assessment and footings	85	26 23
Bal delinquent realty	15 42	
Bal delinquent personalty	28 82	44 24

LABOR TAX.

To tax due at last settlement	1944	
To int collected	48 62	
To excess	3 00	1995 62
By tax collected	465 00	
By int collected	48 62	
By errors	3 00	516 62
Bal delinquent		1479 00

DISTRICT SCHOOL.

To tax due at last settlement	2933 55	
To int collected	99 43	
To excess	59 28	3092 25
By tax collected	948 92	
By int collected	99 43	
By errors	39 37	1087 72
Bal delinquent realty	653 86	
Bal delinquent personalty	1350 67	2004 52

1890

SCHOOL BOND.

To tax due at last settlement	1128 60	
To int collected	39 91	
To excess in tax list	17 80	1186 31
By tax collected	380 69	
By int collected	39 91	
By errors	4 31	424 91
Bal delinquent realty	353 68	
Bal delinquent personalty	407 72	761 40

CENTER PRECINCT BOND.

To tax due at last settlement	292 63	
To int collected	12 33	
To excess	5 92	310 88
By tax collected	117 49	
By int collected	12 33	129 82
Bal delinquent realty	169 96	
Bal delinquent reality	64 12	181 06

VILLAGE FUND.

To tax due at last settlement	874 67	
To int collected	31 50	
To excess	34 43	940 60
By tax collected	299 47	
By int collected	31 50	330 97
Bal delinquent realty	397 54	
Bal delinquant personalty	212 09	609 63

TOWNSHIP TAX.

To tax due at last settlement	963 27	
To int collected	35 65	
To excess	10 10	1009 02
By tax collected	339 72	
By int collected	35 65	
By error	13 20	388 47
Bal delinquent realty	194 27	
Bal delinquent personalty	426 18	620 45

1890

O'NEILL R. R. BOND.

To tax due at last settlement	364 12	
To int collected	16 48	
To excess	9 00	389 60
By tax collected	156 12	
By int collected	16 48	172 62
Bal delinquent realty	147 45	
Bal delinquent personalty	69 55	217 00

GRATTAN R. R. BOND.

To tax due at last settlement	556 17	
To int collected	23 62	
To excess	11 03	590 82
By tax collected	224 32	
By int collected	23 62	247 94
Bal delinquent realty	229 03	
Bal delinquent personalty	113 85	342 88

ADVERTISING.

To tax due at last settlement	197 70	
To int collected	000 00	197 70
By tax collected	67	67 00
Bal delinquent		130 70

1891

CONSOLIDATED STATE TAX.

To tax due at last settlement	19030 83	
To int collected	374 18	
To excess	74 63	19479 64
By tax collected	16867 81	
By int collected	374 18	
By errors in assessment and footings	354 50	
By realty tax Turtle Cr	140 28	
By person tax Turtle Cr	82 05	17818 82
Bal delinquent realty	622 02	
Cr delinquent personalty	1038 80	1660 82

COUNTY GENERAL.

To tax due at last settlement	27403 97	
To int collected	534 63	
To excess	107 87	28051 47
By tax collected	24289 76	
By int collected	539 63	
By error	510 31	
To tax transferred to Boyd county (Turtle)	320 28	25659 98
Bal delinquent realty	895 64	
Bal delinquent person	1495 85	2391 49

COUNTY BRIDGE.

To tax due at last settlement	6089 87	
To int collected	119 77	
To excess	23 88	6233 52
By tax collected	5397 70	
By int collected	119 77	
By error	113 40	
By tax transferred to Boyd county (Turtle)	71 15	5702 02
Bal delinquent realty	199 08	
Bal delinquent person	332 42	531 50

COUNTY FUNDING BOND.

To tax due at last settlement	3044 92	
To int collected	59 85	
To excess	11 96	3116 73
By tax collected	2698 85	
By int collected	59 85	
By errors	56 70	
To tax transferred to Boyd county (Turtle)	35 58	2850 98
Bal delinquent realty	99 55	
Bal delinquent person	166 20	265 75

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

To tax due at last settlement	913 42	
To int collected	17 97	
To excess	3 63	935 02
By tax collected	809 65	
By int collected	17 97	
By errors	17 00	
By Boyd Co trans. Turtle	10 67	855 28
Bal delinquent realty.	29 87	
Bal delinquent person	49 86	79 73

1891

LABOR FUND.

To tax due ot last settlement	5994 00	
To int collected	82 53	6076 53
By tax collected	3618 00	
By int collected	82 53	
By errors in assessment	12 00	
Deficiency	21 00	
By transfer to Boyd county (Turtle)	114 00	3847 53
Bal delinquent		2229 00

DISTRICT SCHOOL.

To tax due at last settlement	44887 39	
To int collected	899 20	
To excess	169 47	45956 06
By tax collected	40367 58	
By int collected	899 20	
By error	257 23	
By Boyd Co trans (Turtle)	552 03	42076 04
Bal delinquent realty	1317 46	
Bal delinquent person	2562 56	3880 02

SCHOOL BOND.

To tax due at last settlement	10667 00	
To int col	206 74	
To excess	59 59	10933 33
By tax col	9267 73	
By int col	206 74	
By error	70 18	
By Boyd Co. trans. (Turtle Cr.)	133 30	9677 95
Bal delinquent realty	583 33	
Bal delinquent person	672 05	1255 38

CENTER PRECINCT BOND.

To tax due at last settlement	1651 47	
To int col	31 00	
To excess	27 43	1709 90
By tax col	1395 45	
By int col	31 00	
By errors	2 16	1428 61
Bal delinquent realty	184 85	
Bal delinquent person	96 44	281 29

[CONTINUED NEXT WEEK.]

OF TWO ANCESTORS.

A Woman Inherited the Instincts of the Coward and the Hero.

Among the women in and about Boston who know who her great grandfathers are is one whose ancestors played prominent but widely different parts in the battle of Concord.

One was appointed to lead the yeomen, the other was one of the yeomen to be led.

When the cry of battle sounded the leader, the man to whom the troops looked for direction, deserted them. At the last moment his fear overcame him and he fled.

The other ancestor, seeing that the troops were without a commander, rushed from out the ranks and shouting: "For God's sake, fire!" made himself the leader the men needed.

From the time this woman was a little girl in short dresses she had repeatedly heard this story and had been proud of the brave man, and oh! so ashamed of the coward. As she grew into womanhood she found in her nature parts of both ancestors.

"Let me tell you how I often feel," she would say. "For instance, when I go to a party I am happy in anticipation until I get to the drawing-room door and catch a glimpse of the guests within and the hostess standing stiff and prim to receive me.

"There comes over me a terrible fear and the runaway ancestor in me says, 'Take to your heels, Annie, you can never face these people.' I'm on the point of obeying this impulse when 'For God's sake, fire!' takes full possession of me. With a bound I attack my hostess and the battle's won."

BATTLES FOUGHT ON SUNDAY.

Historical Engagements of Waterloo, Bull Run and Chickamauga.

Many of the most famous battles of history have been fought on Sunday. To go no further back than the beginning of the present century, the Globe-Democrat cites the battle of Eylau, won February 8, 1807, by Napoleon over the Russians and Prussians, and the battle of Friedland, June 14, 1807, won by Napoleon over the same allies, were both fought on Sunday. On Sunday, May 21, 1800, Napoleon was defeated at Essling; on Sunday, May 2, 1813, won the victory of Lutzen, and on Sunday, June 17, 1815, was overthrown at Waterloo. Wellington, besides Waterloo, won several of his greatest victories on Sunday, being victorious at Vimereira, in Portugal, August 21, 1808; at Fuentes de Onoro, May 5, 1811; at Orthez, February 27, 1814; at Tarbes, March 20, 1814, and at Toulouse, April 10, 1814, all these battles being fought on Sunday. During the civil war in this country the first battle at Bull Run, July 21, 1861, was fought on Sunday, and the battle of Chickamauga, September 19 and 20, 1863, ended on Sunday. Vicksburg was surrendered on Saturday, July 4, 1863, and formally occupied on Sunday, the following day, and on the same day Lee began his retreat from Gettysburg. Petersburg fell on Sunday, April 2, 1865, and on the following Sunday Lee surrendered.

JIM-JAM VALLEY.

A Beautiful Vision of Paradise Among the Mountains of California.

"In the Jim-Jam valley, in California, there are many wonderful and reasonable mirages," said John E. Owens of New York. "It is named Jim-Jam valley because of the curious and strange sights seen there. The valley is about forty miles long and thirty miles wide. Not a soul lives within its territory. Mountains capped with snow all the year surround the valley. In it the eye sees lakes, green trees, bubbling springs, and even lilies growing in the marshes. Contrast these with the rugged mountains that surround you, and the picture is one of indescribable loveliness and beauty. You imagine that no paradise, ethereal or heavenly, could surpass it. In the distance there are beautiful lakes with lovers paddling softly over the calm waters; fantastic craft and beautiful water nymphs show themselves. Weird and somber figures gleam at you from all directions, and dimly outlined forms of all colors, shapes and sizes may be seen.

"Occasionally there is a storm in the valley. Forked lightning leaps from the mountain tops and in its light you see strange animals, different from any you have ever heard about before.

"These mirages strike the observer with awe, and few men who see them once care to repeat the visit."

Preaching Monkeys.

The author of "The History of Brazil" tells of a species of money called "preachers." Every morning and evening these monkeys assemble in the woods. One takes a higher position than the rest and makes a signal with his forepaw. At this signal the others sit around him and listen. When they are all seated he begins to utter a series of sounds. When he stops these cries he makes another signal with his paw, and the others cry out until he makes a third signal, upon which they become silent again. This author, Mr. Maregrove, asserts that he was a witness to these preachings, but no other traveler has confirmed the statement.

Anecdote of Sherman's Son.

A detachment of soldiers was told off to take charge of young Tom, now Father Sherman, while crossing the pontoon bridge across the Potomac when the armies of the country were coming to Washington to take part in the great review there in 1865. He was then about eight years old.

One of the men asked him if he expected to grow up as smart a man as his father, the general, and he promptly answered "No."

"Why?" was the next question.

"Well," he replied with the same readiness, "there are plenty other men who have grown up, and why ain't they as smart as my father.