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A DARING YOUTH.

AN OKLAHOMA KID HOLDS UP A SANTA FE TRAIN.

But a Brave Kansas Conductor Disarms and Takes Him Captive.

The Would-Be Highwayman Now a Prisoner in the Sedgewick County Jail.

The Story of One of the Most Daring Robberies in the Southwest.

One of the boldest attempts at train robbery in modern times was made at Black Bear Creek, in the Indian territory, yesterday by Manuel Herrick, when he attempted to hold up and rob Santa Fe passenger train No. 408, known as the Missouri river express, and which arrived in this city at 6 o'clock last night.

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depended on his success, and that if he failed to follow orders they would follow him to the ends of the earth, if necessary, and kill him. He accordingly sent through the express car a hardware merchant, a farmer, a blacksmith, a cooper and a cooper, all of whom he had bought a revolver and a knife, and also a Winchester and a revolver. They gave him no money to do this and he said that he had to earn it working on a farm and doing odd jobs around the neighborhood.

He also bought, under bullet orders, two big sticks of dynamite and twenty or twenty-five feet of fuse. He states that he could not conceive what they wanted the dynamite for, and that he himself did not know how to use it; that he never had seen it used except in digging wells. He was all ready for the work assigned him and was waiting for the date. Yesterday he got a copy of the Eagle which goes into Oklahoma a day before any other paper, and saw that it was dated the 29th. He had been used to seeing Geyser papers which came into Oklahoma a day after they were printed, and not thinking about it concluded that the Eagle was the issue of the day before and that yesterday must, in consequence, be the 30th. He accordingly gathered up his guns, sword and dynamite, wrapped them up in a package and boarded the train at Norman to perform the part assigned him.

He claimed that he did not know that yesterday was the 29th till he was so informed at the office of the superintendent in this city last night. If his story is true then today is the exact day set for the robbery. To be sure, his story is that he repeated the same statement immediately after the examination, and even a rigid cross examination did not entangle him.

AL GLAZIER'S STORY. Al Glazier, the conductor of the train and the captor of the youthful and daring train robber, was seen at the depot last night by an Eagle reporter. He was as cool as a cucumber and as modest as a maiden notwithstanding the fact that 300 admiring eyes were peering at him in admiration. "I don't see what you are all ready to give a representative of the Eagle any information that I can. Well, to begin," said he, "I saw this fellow get on at Norman and took no more notice of him than I usually do when passengers get on. There seemed to be nothing about him that would indicate him to be a desperado. I collected his fare with others and he went through the train as if I took a seat. When we were going into Wharton I saw him leave his seat and go into the closet. He then had a black hat on. The train pulled out from Wharton and pretty soon I saw Herrick come out of the closet with a white hat on and I observed the change. Just then he threw a Winchester under my nose and commanded me to throw up my hands and I did so. Just then great excitement followed among the passengers and many of them threw up their hands, thinking that the command was general. One fellow who threw up spoke aloud to the robber and said: 'Mister you can have everything in my possession if you will kill me.' The robber said it was not his intention to rob the passengers.

During all this time I kept sizing up my man and I made up my mind that if I kept cool and acted judiciously I could turn the tables on him. I asked him what he intended to do with the engine. He said he intended to blow my brains out if I would let the train at the end of the bridge which we were then approaching. I pulled the bell cord twice but for some reason the engineer did not stop. I then pulled the air cord and the train came to a stand still. I then asked him what I should do and he ordered me to get down, and lead him to the engine. I did so and he followed me. The more I sized him up the more hopeful I was of turning the tables on him and so I watched every move he made. As we went toward the engine there was a guilty or something in my way which compelled me to cross him, as I was in the lead. I watched my opportunity very closely here, and sure enough my opportunity came. He took his eyes off me for an instant to see where he was stepping, and as he did so I grasped the barrel of his gun with my left hand and struck him on the side of the head with my right as hard as I could. As I did so he pulled the trigger and the gun went off. I then struck him twice more and in the scuffle I fell, but I gained possession of the Winchester. I saw him pulling his revolver and I realized that I must act quick. So without waiting twice I covered him with the Winchester and commanded him to throw up his hands. About a dozen voices called to me to kill him, but I preferred to let him live. I saw one man come to disarm him while I had him covered with the Winchester and some one did. He then started to run across the prairie and I commanded him to halt if I would kill him. He did so and we put him in the express car, and put a guard over him.

Great is the praise given to Mr. Glazier for his wonderful coolness and bravery, traits which he has exhibited on more than one occasion of a similar nature. A gentleman who remained cool during the entire exciting scene told an Eagle reporter that when the robber was captured and subdued he remarked: "Why didn't you arrest them four other fellows over there that were making a commotion and no others could be seen. This fellow is probably the best in his class. The robber has constructed the story about Bill Dalton and his gang. This same gentleman said that when the robber first gave the order to throw up the passengers were as meek and gentle as lambs, but when he was disarmed and arrested, it seemed to him every individual in the train offered him to engage in a train robbery with him. He protested, but they ailed him and said he must do it, and, pointing their guns at him, stated that if he ever dared to open his mouth about them or what they said they would riddle him with bullets. They told him that they intended using him and that if he did not obey on all occasions they would kill him. He was met by them strong and on each occasion he was given what he termed bullet orders. He learned the names of three of these men, to-wit: Bill Dalton, Bill Anderson and Arthur Gage, while he never knew what the name of the fourth man was or any other else about him except that he was from Fort Gibson. About June 18, he went over to the ten mile flats in the capacity of a detective to find out something farther about them with a view to informing the officers of their designs and meet them. They were glad to see him and they informed him that they were anxious to meet him as they had work for him to do. The man whom he calls Dalton then informed him under 'bullet orders' that he had to arm up at once and be prepared to act a part in a great train robbery which he had planned. He told him that on the 30th of June they intended to rob the Santa Fe north bound train and that he had to board the train at Norman, and when it would reach Black Bear creek he should cover the conductor and make him bring the train to a standstill at the end of the bridge, when they would be ready to rob the express car. They told him that his pay for this

youth and his green looks not much further notice was taken of it. The affair was revived yesterday when he said that he was on the train that day. IS HE CRAZY? Herrick is either insane or else he is one of the most accomplished young desperadoes in the country. It might be that he is a little off, but it is doubtful. At last night's interview he said that he was tried for insanity a short while ago at Noble and while he was not acquitted exactly he was turned loose on account of not having quite enough evidence then to send him to the asylum. He says, however, that he knows the Dalton gang for having the charge of insanity brought against him; that they became afraid that he would give their scheme to rob the Santa Fe away, and that it would be best for them to have him sent to the asylum so that no notice would be taken of what he might say. The purchase of a sword for a train robbery is not a new thing, and it might lead people to believe that he was not quite right mentally. Those who were on the train, however, and saw his methods, say that he did not act in the least like a man mentally unbalanced. He states positively, however, that he was tried for insanity at Noble. WHO HE IS AND HOW HE LOOKS. Emanuel Herrick is his name, and he states that he is the son of John Herrick who lives within two miles of Noble, O. He says he is sixteen years and two months, but he looks as if he might be nineteen or twenty. He is dressed in shabby looking clothes, including a brown pair of pants, a dark coat, brogan shoes, a white hat and a gingham shirt that is very dirty. He looks like a combination of tramp, cowboy and a verdant country youth and refers to himself variously as "the boy" and "I hope I may go to the big place if I am not telling you the truth." was a favorite expression of his at the examination last night. He was raised near Madison portville in Greenwood county, this state, and went to Oklahoma about a year ago. He stated that he lived in the territory of Fort Gibson, in the nation, but could not give any satisfactory account of himself while there, nor of his associates or the character of his companions. When arrested his outfit consisted of a Winchester rifle, two revolvers, an army officers' sword, two immense sticks of dynamite and about fifteen or twenty feet of fuse, and about fifteen or twenty feet of fuse, and about fifteen or twenty feet of fuse, and about fifteen or twenty feet of fuse.

Herrick describes Bill Dalton as a smooth faced man of average height and weight and wearing brown clothes when he last saw him. Those who knew Bill Dalton, however, say that the description does not suit him. Herrick says that the alleged Bill Dalton was always spokesman of the gang, and that when he gave orders he always did so at the point of his Winchester with the trigger cocked. The other men, he said, wore whiskers and could not describe them very thoroughly. A POSSE OUT. Thinking that there might be something in his story regarding the Dalton gang and that they might intend to rob the train at Black Bear bridge today the officers of the road have sent a special train down there with a posse of officers who are fully equipped to take care of the alleged gang if they are in that neighborhood. TALLY ANOTHER FOR WICHITA. Those who thought that the heat at this point during the "hot spell" was more intense than at other points will be surprised to learn that the opposite was the case, so far as western Kansas is concerned. The Topeka Capital of yesterday has a long report of the condition of the temperature and its effect in western Kansas, from which the following is taken: T. R. Jennings, director of the Kansas weather bureau, has just returned from a tour of inspection in western and central part of the state. He says the crops in many sections are in very bad shape owing to the lack of rain and the terrible heat. In fact, the description which will greatly help many sections a few are beyond help. The reports of the correspondents for the past week show some remarkable flights of the thermometer. The hottest days were the 23d and 24th. From 18th county comes the report that the hottest winds since 1880 had been experienced last week. The Pawnee Rock, Barton county, correspondent says: "The hot winds of the 23d were the worst ever known here. Last week, 1893, the thermometer registered 103 degrees, but the wind was better than ever known here before." Bazine, Ness county: "The hottest for this year was on the 23d. At Haven, Reno county, there were hot winds with the temperature at 104. The corn was being ruined and the wheat was being ruined. Some idea of the intensity of the heat may be gathered from the following maxima temperatures, at the various points last week: Kiowa, Barber county, 111. Stearns, Ford county, 107. Seward, Grant county, 111. Kearney, Kearney county, 108. Sedwick, Wichita county, 108. Moreland, Graham county, 106. Norton, Norton county, 106. Baxter, Baxter county, 106. Elliot, Ellis county, 111. Beloit, Mitchell county, 104. Jamestown, Cloud county, 104. Maxwell, Stafford county, 110. Stockton, Rooks county, 104. Wichita, Sedgewick county, 100. Phillipsburg, Phillips county, 106. Maxwell, Stafford county, 110. Kellogg, Cowley county, 110. Cowdler, Comanche county, 110. The only place in the eastern division where the temperature rose to 100 was Manhattan on the 21st. At Wamego it got up to 98. As only two or three of the above points did rain fall last week.

There is a movement on the way among the ladies of Wichita to organize a G. A. R. circle here in the city. It has for its object mutual protection. It takes in none but the widows of soldiers and the daughters of old soldiers. The old soldiers themselves can become honorary members, having all the privileges of the meeting except voting and holding office. Up at Hutchinson they have a large circle, with a membership of ninety-six, one of Newton of eighty-three, also at Wellington and Winfield. And surely Wichita can do as many for our soldiers. There are a great many wives and daughters of old soldiers here who do not belong to any order of that kind and to them we would say when you see the policy of their meeting, which will be in Sunday's Eagle, to go to that meeting, and hear what they have to say. Ladies and gentlemen both will be welcome. It is an excellent order and well worthy of your recognition. Another span has been taken from the Douglas avenue bridge and the approach built in and is ready for possible completion. The second span of that bridge that has been taken up as a lumber pile, making one hundred feet that the capacity of man has taken from the Great Arkansas river.

THIS IS CORRECT. Yesterday's article in this paper, taken from the Globe-Democrat relative to the reorganization of the Francis Whittaker & Sons Packing company is misleading. This company have only one packing house, and that is in this city, and their plan, if successful, will benefit Wichita and not St. Louis. The plan is as stated in the Globe-Democrat to reorganize with a capital stock of not less than \$2,000,000, and to double their present killing, curing and cold storage of the Wichita house. The plan is rendered feasible from the fact that, for forty-five years the cured meats of Francis Whittaker & Sons have borne a reputation unequalled by any house in this country and the good will and brand of the house is worth more than some entire plants. While Mr. Whittaker is very cautious in his statements as to all he proposes to do, he is perfectly frank in saying that all his plans look to operating at Wichita and at no other place, and the success of the scheme will be of great benefit to this city, while St. Louis will have the empty honor of a branch office which seems to be a matter of sufficient importance for them to congratulate themselves over. The termination of the financial embarrassment of the concern is in conformity with Mr. Whittaker's talk with the people he met in our city on the 29th. His house went into the hands of a receiver, and the matter has been discussed in the directory meetings of the board of trade, but it was deemed prudent not to give it publicity until the plans were more fully matured. We congratulate St. Louis that she gains so much importance through a packing house located at Wichita. PRINCIPAL MINES. Among all the first class properties in Marion county none are showing up better in proportion to the amount of work than the Prince Hall mine on James creek. Some weeks ago the mine was owned by Wichita, Kansas better known through our Kansas as Prince Hall came to look over zinc fields and finally bought into the Robinson place then owned by Messrs. Berry and Powers. Active mining operations were set on foot and after four weeks work the showing is excellent. A main drift seventy feet long has been driven in the mountain, with cross cuts, all of which have been squared up and they are now driving in a thirty foot cut straight into the hill. The face of the cut is about six feet high and the one bearing strata is about four feet thick clear across the face. The ground is rapidly increasing in value and the indications are that inside of ten feet the drift will be running in on solid rock matter. The mine has produced to date about one hundred tons of ore. General Myers, also of Wichita, Kan., visited the property last week, made a thorough examination of it and went away highly pleased. It is understood that a large company will be organized on this property, in which event the property will be thoroughly developed, extensive plants of machinery erected, etc. Abundant water power is on the property, which will permit of running the machinery at the lowest possible expense, all of which will tend toward operating the mine at the lowest possible expense. White river is within four miles, which permits of an easy entry to market.—Marion County (Ark.) Banner.

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Twenty-four years ago Judge Barrett was teaching school in Harrison county, Ohio, and among his pupils was one named Finlay Ross. Barrett had noticed the young man from that time till yesterday he walked into the register of deeds' office, and then there was an outpouring of genuine affection on both sides. Mr. Ross is now a prominent and wealthy man in his county.

With a view to giving a performance in the evening the manager of the traveling dramatic company was inspecting the Arizona proprietor an opera house. "Yes, it's large enough," he said, "and the lighting arrangements seem to be about right, but it hasn't quite enough. In case of a sudden alarm there would be a crash. Did you ever try to find out how long it takes to empty the hall?" "You bet I have!" answered the proprietor. "A dog fight on the outside will empty the hall in twenty-five or thirty seconds on the watch."

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