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And Forgotten So Soon.

The name and memory of the average man are mighty soon forgotten by other men once he is dead or gone somewhere.

tions of the state, but it can't get within forty years of date." To which observation George W. Martin, secretary of the society, replies in his paper that "it is strange what an impression prevails concerning the Historical society."

Lawton Was Just as Well as Brave.

Everybody who has campaigned with Lawton says he was the bravest of the brave. A correspondent of Leslie's Weekly writes: "I saw Lawton wade the Norigary river where other men were swept away by the current."

Nineteenth Century Achievements—Athletics.

With a century as full of athletic achievements as the one just closing, it is difficult, indeed, to select any one great success and label it "the achievement" in an athletic way of the hundred years.

A Party That Is Short of Patriotism.

Can a political party survive while failing of patriotism? However much it may profess of solicitude for the well-being of the individual, and for chances for the masses, without the preservation of the country and its institutions as its principal aim, no party can make a successful appeal to the majority of any people.

General Sanger, director of the Cuban census, has announced the result of a preliminary count which shows the total population of the island to be 1,572,545.

If J. C. W. Beckham shall succeed in making good his claim to the governorship of Kentucky, he will doubtless be the youngest state executive in the country.

Buller to Do It or Die.

Yesterday's London dispatches assured the world that Buller would surely enough relieve Ladysmith, and many will be expecting in this morning's dispatches that the Boer investment has been broken and the British soldiers relieved from their living tomb.

Carbolic acid has become so costly, on account of its use in making hydrite for the British army, that the result may be a serious depression in the outside industry in this country.

It is announced that a Democrat will be elected to succeed Polk as senator from Utah.

The chairman who introduced Bryan at his Boston meeting said: "Lincoln's mantle has certainly fallen on this man."

The Song of Solomon.

"You will kindly tell Mr. Burns that I have called for Mrs. Dames' papers. I am Mr. S. S. Black Sam bowed respectfully and opened the door of a private office."

"Please step in here, ma'am. Mistah Burns will be in in a few minutes. He is waiting for you in the study."

"So now she took out the old sorrow and looked at it, while she waited there in that hushed room with the hoarse and clanging city barred outside."

"Ah, God! When will it be worth while to live!" she cried. And she laid her head back and interlaced her fingers over her tearful eyes and wished she were as dead as those who were dead.

Then he bent over her and gently took her two hands in his own strong fingers. "Forgive me! But you seem ill. You are my client's friend, Mrs. Sterling?"

"From a little cabinet he brought her a glass of wine. She drank it obediently, her eyes with closed eyes. He had gathered together a bundle of papers. Her pulse was beating with a strange quickness. She did not know how or why she had entered that room."

Two weeks later she sent him a letter. "I care for you very greatly," she wrote. "Your love came to me suddenly and sweetly and dangerously. It has wagged war with every law from the first, yet it is as impossible to fight against it as to turn the Tiger with a reed."

"It will not last. It will fade into dead grayness. The gods give us the present, but they exact their pound of flesh, and tomorrow is theirs. But they have given us the present—and each other."

And after he read the letter he went to her. He held her face between his two hands and kissed her once and then he said gently: "The strip of steel is no longer there. She died yesterday—in an instant. Her hand was ever present close to her heart. He loved the limit that was in her hand."

Outlines of Oklahoma.

The territorial normal school at Edmond "points with pride" to an enrollment of 250 pupils. The police docket of Ponca City shows twenty-five offenses against the city ordinances during the month of January.

Harry Gilstrap, of the Chandler News, contends that the movement for immediate statehood has become diffused with a severe attack of locomotor ataxia. Oklahoma City has made preparations to give the Anti-Saloon League a warm reception. "Uncle" Henry Overholser is chairman of the reception committee.

The Masonic temple at Guthrie has reached the second story stage of completion. Architecturally it will be the most distinctive structure in Oklahoma. Senator Felix Winkler, of Kingfisher, denies that he ever applied to the governor's office, explaining that he wouldn't have the necessary time to devote to the job.

The recent advancement of the Stroud postoffice from the fourth to third class is substantial proof of that enterprising town's advancement and the energy of Postmaster Rush. Guthrie Leader Guthrie is now almost pure. The honk-tonk and the gambler houses have gone; the Scroggins case has been disposed of, and six bands of misdoers are holding revivals on the streets.

F. C. Richardson, who lives on leased land near Sapulpa, was mobbed by a gang of Indians Wednesday night, who tied a rope around his neck and threatened to strangle him because he wouldn't give up his lease. Harry D. Byers, who is a leading member of the "Darkest Russia" company which recently toured Oklahoma, is a brother of Mrs. Frank Greer, who has herself appeared in Guthrie amateur performances to strong advantage.

Cushing Herald: Pete Clavert says that there is a new kind of Baptist in his neighborhood. They have already the appearance of a small, soft shell, 40-gallon, 20-gallon, and down to half-pint Baptists, but the new order of Baptists are called the "Hell-Fire Baptists." One of the deacons in the gentlemen were paid 5 cents for a drink of whiskey and refused a built flight down in Texas not long ago. Oil Inspector Amos Ewing and Senator Jim Lynch, of Ponca City, have been engaged in a fierce fight over a matter which will have the honor of contributing the choicest specimen to Attorney General Cunningham's famous collection of deer horns. Recently Ewing added to the collection a superb spread of elk antlers and Lynch proposes to go him one better by the presentation of a mounted sacred ox, which Ewing contemptuously called "that virgin cow."

Ferry Enterprises Oklahoma now has thirteen cities of the first class. Of these three are in Kay county, Ponca City, Blackwell and Nowata. Six of the thirteen cities are located in the Strip, which is a great showing, when we consider that it has only been open to settlement since September, 1889. Shawnee and Weatherford are two more cities that have sprung into existence, which leaves but five to the credit of old Oklahoma, and still that portion wants the earth.

Alva Courier: As everyone knows, Probate Judge Bower walks with a crutch and seldom goes to the postoffice, permitting the clerks to bring him his mail. The other day, however, he received notice of a registered letter at the postoffice for him and was compelled to shuffle in, which was a humbling and painful experience. He had had a splint cast and could not use the license. The judge will not divulge the names of the parties.

Along the Kansas Nile. The smolpx scare has just reached Dickinson county. The Santa Fe will build its own light plant in Newton for the shops, offices and stores. Dickinson county has contributed 1,000 bushels of corn and \$500 in cash for the relief of famine sufferers in India. Hint to neighbors, from Governor Eskridge: "Deaf and dumb married folks should certainly be unacceptably happy."

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