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**THE 1ST REGLAR**  
**SATTERDAY EVG BINGVILLE**  
 HORN BAND CONCERT OF THE SEASON WAS GIVE IN BINGVILLE TOWN HALL LAST SATTERDAY EVG AND WAS--A BIG SUKNESS

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**EDDYTORIUL**  
 The 1st reglar Satterday evg Bingville Horn Band concert of the season was give in the Bingville Town Hall last Satterday evg and was a big sukness.

Unless all signs fail these concerts will be give evry Satterday evg all winter long, and if all of em is as poplar as the 1st one they will be a big wkly feachure in our midst.

About 2 wks ago down to Hen Weathersbys store Cy Hoskins who was present askt the question why Bingville folks couldnt have free band concerts evry wk during the winter. He said that it was the citizens of Bingville who paid for the band insterments & unyforms in the 1st place and he thort the band boys ort to show their appreshiashion in returning by furnishing musick at least onct per wk.

Everybuddy else present except Hank Dewberry thort this was a awful good idea that Cy had thort up. Hank, who plays the trombine in the band, said he was agin it being as after working hard all wk he thort it was askin too mutch of him to set up until a late hour at the Town Hall and nearly blow his lungs outen his chest and rench his arms outen their sockets aplayin that dogmashion trombine.

But some of our best citizens kep agitatin the matter until the band boys met and tuk a vote on whether they would give Satterday evg concerts or not and decided by about two thirds majority that they would being as they usually meet onct per wk for practkise enyhow and they might as well meet Satterday evg as enny other evg and do their practkising before a audience jest as if the audience wassent there.

The 1st concert begin last Satterday at 7 o'clock prompt with all the members present. There was a big crowd of our most respected citizens & citizennes turned out to hear the musick. The band was all up on the stage and Jed Peters, our intelligent school teacher and leader of the band, stood up and swung a stick about three feet long beating time for the band to go by.

The 1st seleckshion playd was "My Country Its of The." Jed swung his stick turrible vishious at one pint and the stick flew outen his hand and went back into the

audience striking Deacon Snodgrass right on top of his bald shiny head then bouncing off and jest missing hitting Mrs. Eph Higgins in the eye. The deacon started to crawl under the seat thinking the plastering had started to fall and he wore his hat on his head all the rest of the evg.

Hod Wilkins who plays the big bass horn had a awful cold on his chest and every time Hod would coff into the horn a awful blast would come outen the other end of it which could be heard above everything else and skeering the other members of the band to such a extent that they almost stopt playing every time.

When the band played "Marching Through Georgy" Ham Peters by who plays the base drum and was probably deeply mooved by patritism hit the drum a little mite too hard a wallop and stove a hole clean through one side of it. Ham said he was sorry he busted the drum, but that he done it in a good cause.

If we as editor & prop of the Boogle may be permitted to make a sujestshion we would say that in our opinyun the Town Hall is a leetle too small & cramped up a place for the Bingville Horn Band to give a concert in. We set about haff way back and when the concert was over we had a splittin headache becus the musick was so loud. Others we have spoke to says the same thing. Enos Snodgrass says he went erly so as to git a front seat and he thort to goodness there one while the band playd so loud that his ear drums would bust on his ears and he helt both fingers in his ears to git relief. Old Dad Henderson who is as deaf as a post and cant hear thunder also set rite up front, but the musick of course diddent bother Dad in the lease becus he diddent hear a note all evg. When the band was makin the loudest noise Dad drapt off to sleep and when he woke up haff a hour later he had to ask Sim Wilkins who set next to him what the band was playin now.

If the band could play a leetle softer it would be a great relief to them who attends the concert & loves musick.

**Us & Wife Invited Out**  
 Ourself & wife was last Sunday the guests of Hen Smiley & wife by spehial invitation to a Sunday chicken dinner to which we done full justice and then some.

There was nothink marrd this pleasant & joyous festal occasion except when we inadvertently got the shikens wishbone fast in our throat and thort for a minnit we was a going to choke togeth & expire on the spot.

Hen however come to the reskue and begin to pound us on the back and thus dislodged the bone and saved our life, but our back is black & blue at present. Hen might of pounded us a leetle more gentle but of course he meant well.

We have often wonderd why more of our nabers dont invite ourself & wife to Sunday dinner? It is more pleasant to have agreeable company at a chicken dinner than to set down all soul alone and eat by yourself. Think this over the next time you kill a hen.

**Lokal Squibs**  
 Sime Hinsley was woked up tother night by his red rooster crowin and thort he must of overslep so he jumped outen bed and drest and went out and fed the stock and come back and set down by the fire to wait for daylight when he happend to glance up at the clock and blamed if it wassent only haff past 10 P. M. Sime was so dogged mad that he went right out to the hen house and yanked that rooster offen his perch and rung his neck for him and had him for dinner next day. Sime says that aint the first time that rooster playd the same trick on him, but he kalkulates its the last time.

There is good slaying in this vicinity at present but it would be a good call more pleasant slaying if it wassent so allfred cold that a person nearly freezes.

Eph Higgins our accommodating P. M. says that bizness has fell off awful sinst the 1st of the yr being as he aint sold only three two cent stamps sinst Jan. 1st., and four postage cards the profit on which aint enuff to pay him for the wood he burns in the P. O. stove.

Harve Hines our t'nsorial barber has purchased a new safety razzer with which to shave customers hereafter perviding they prefer to be shaved by it instid of by the regular old fashioard razzer which Harve has used for the past nine yrs. Harve says he kalkulates he wont cut so menny of his customers on the chin, cheeks and ears with this safety razzer as heretofore. Give him a trial and find out.

Wes Woodruff while coming home from his traps tother evg about dusk seen somethin in the road ahead of him which he thort was a cat or something and he kicked it but instid of being a cat it was hedge hog full of quills and Wes hollered with pain being as some of the quills went clean through his mockers into his foot. This made Wes so mad that afore he thort what he was doing he kicked the critter with tother foot with the same result.

Miss Amelia Tucker our raining sossiety queen & leader of the Bingville 400 give a spehial New Yrs party to her house on New Yrs eve. About 10 couples all young folks was present to watch the old yr out and the new yr in, but they was so bizzly playin "Copenhagen" & "Post Office" that it was nearly haff past midnite afore they thort of the New Yr and then it was too late being as the New Yr had came in without them seeing it.

Lige Green is at present engaged in breaking in a new yoke of oxes which he purchased recent. He says he must work out three brads on them oxes in 2 wks and that them oxes hides must be powerful tuff or else the brads wassent made out of tuff enuff stuff.

Link Whiteley has been trouble with cold feet a good cal this winter. Finally Link got to goin to bed with his boots on and he says by doing that he can keep his feet warm as toast. Links wife dont like it very well. Sinst he tuk to doing that she has took the sheets offen the bed and sleeps by herself in the spare room.

**Personal Mentchion**  
 Ame Hillyer our talented lawyer, legal lite and J of the P. says that sinst the cold weather set in there hasnt been much doing in the law bizness and as a result Ame spends most of his time close to the stove in Hen Weathersbys store playin checkers for the seegars with whoever will play with him.

Bill Hepburn, our artistick blacksmith made a trip to the co seat last Satterday as usual and when he arrove back in Bingville about dark he diddent have enny hat on and had lost his watch. Bill was fullern usual on this occasion if ennythink. It tuk him too days to re cooperate from this spree so as to be able to git back to work in his blacksmith shop.

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Bugle perviding you have not alreddy did so and if you have alreddy did so then why dont you call at this office and pay us somethink on your back subscription like a man, or a woman as the case may be.

It was awful cold in church last Sunday morning. Rev. Moore our beloved pastor preached a red hot sermon on the "Burning Lake of Fire," but Lem Simpson said after the service sich a lake had no terrors for him a cold morning like that and if there was a lake like that around handy he diddent know but he would go swimmin in it and git warmed up.

We have on hands a few copies of the Bugle of the yr 1885 which we will dispose of while they last at the ridiculust low price of 10 cts each. The reglar price of the Bugle is 5 cts per copy but being as these is so old and valuable for their historick value we will haff to git 10 per copy for the trouble of keepin em on hands so long. Git a copy of this date while they last and find out what was going on in Bingville nearly a quarter of a century ago. These is all the "Personals" which we can think up at this time. More of the same kind next wk.

**Country Correspondence**  
**CALAMITTY CORNERS**  
 Amri Haines says he would like to hire a smart boy for about 50 cts per wk or less to help him milk his seven cows which is too menny cows for him to milk. Amri says nes got to git outen bed about 3 a. m. these cold winter mornings in order to git all them cows milked afore breakfast and almost afore he realises it has got to start in agin about haff past 1 P. M. in the afternoon in order to git em milked afore supper time. Here is a good opening for a smart boy.

Roomer has it that Miss Hetty Brown and Luther Long will be married next spring. This same roomer has been going the rounds for the past several yrs. In the fall its allus roomerd that theyll be married in the spring and when spring comes its roomerd that theyll be married in the fall. We wisht to goodness theyd git married and relieve this commoonyity of this awful suspense.

Jake Baldwin reports that his appels is rotting turrible fast on him for some reason or other. Jake says he aint never et so menny appels in his life as he has sinst he discovered that they was beginning to rot being as he wants to save as menny of em as possible even though hes et so menny that now he hates the very sight of a appel.

The roads is very bad hereabouts owing to the fact that the snow is drifted as deep as three and four feet in some places.

These is about all the news we can think of at this writing. More anon.  
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**Hank & His Open Fire**  
 Hank Dewberry says he is teetotally disgusted with his open fire place this bitter cold wether and for 2 cts hed brick gorrammed fire place up tite forever.

Hank says that on a cold night its almost impossible to git warm and keep warm by that open fire. Take last Wensday night for instants when it was 19 degrees below zero.

Hank says he stood up before that fire for a hour freezin togeth on one side and baked on tother. When the front side of him would git so hot he couldnt stand it enny longer hed turn around and stand with his back to the fire until he could smell his pants scorchin and the front of him would be so cold he shivered, then hed haff to turn round agin and it would be vicy vicy.

Hank says he kalkulates he turned around and around before that fire 200 times during the course of the evg until he was all wore out and still haff froze togeth and then he went to bed in disgust taking a hot soapstone with him.

**All Bill's Fault**  
 Miss Phronishia Watkins is at present laid up with a turrible bad cold in her chest which she ketchted tother night whilst out taking a ride in a pung with Bill Lawler who has been keeping stiddy company with Phronishia for the past five yrs and its roomerd theyre engaged.

Of course it aint none of our bizness but we kalkulate that if Bill had of placed his arms around Phronishia while giving her a pung ride she would not of ketchted cold.

LATER--We are told on good orthority that Bill was drivin that skitfish two yr old colt of him and that he had his hands full handlin the reins let alone pertekking Phronishia.

**New Callenders FOR 1915!**  
 Have you got a new callender for the yr 1915 to hang up on the wall yet? If not you ort to have one. A callender is a awful handy thing to have in the house so as you can tell what day of the wk & month it is. Otherwise a person dont know where he is at haff the time. Suppose you wanted to write a letter or somethink, how would you tell what day to write it on if you diddent have a callender? I tell you a callender is more important than you think it is.

Lissen & I will tell you how to obtain a callender for the New Yr. I recently received 50 callenders from a inshoance company for which I am the agt in Bingville. They allus make me a present of this menny callenders every yr to pass around among my reglar customers. Before I pass them around however, let me state that these callenders is beautiful works of art with a pickshure of a handsome gal on the front of em.

To obtain one of these callenders absolutely free all you haft to do is to bring me a lawsuit or consult me about some legal question. Then I will charge you whatever is right for my advice and persent you with one of these callenders free. I notice in lookin over my books that quite a number of my clients aint paid me up what they owe me. Well, if they will do so at onct I will give them each one of these handsome callenders for nothink.

Ennybuddy else can have one of these callenders by paying me 10 cts each for same. I really ort to git a quarter apiece for em, but being its you the price will be only 10 cts. Come early and avoid the rush for callenders, because I kalkulate they will go like hot cakes.

Yours for Free Callenders,  
**AME HILLYER,**  
 Attorney, Notary Publick,  
 J. of the P. and El. Cottery  
 Bingville.

**BILL HEPBURN OUR ARTISTICK BLACKSMITH MADE A TRIP TO THE CO SEAT LAST SATTERDAY AS USHUAL AND WHEN HE ARROVE BACK IN BINGVILLE ABOUT DARK HE DIDDENT HAVE ENNY HAT ON AND HAD LOST HIS WATCH**