

Daily Eagle

WHEN GRADY WAS STARVING.

Incident in the Early Life of the Brilliant Journalist.

It is just about ten years ago—no, it's eleven—that Grady arrived in Washington on his way from New York to Atlanta, a very hungry man. As he says himself in telling the story: "I had been to New York to seek employment as a correspondent for The Herald. Mr. Bennett had appointed me the correspondent for The Herald at a good salary for the states of Georgia, South Carolina and Florida. I did not like to ask him for an advance; in fact, I gave him to understand by my manner that I had a pocketful of money. But, as a matter of fact, I had no money. When I got to Washington I had not a cent left, except 50 cents and my ticket to Atlanta. "Well, I knew that it was a long way to Atlanta, and that I would be apt to be hungry even had I a cent. I had no money. I said to myself: 'Shall I spend all this money now on one goodly square meal or shall I spend it in bits on my way down?' I concluded finally that, inasmuch as no one of the little bites I might get on the way home would give me even temporary satisfaction, I had better spend the whole 50 cents for the biggest meal I could get and then hold out as best I could. So I went into an eating house and said to the proprietor: 'Give me as much to eat as you can for 50 cents.' He did so, and I ate it. I never ate so much in my life before or since. "On the strength of that meal I went on all right until we got to Danville, where we were delayed for some reason three or four hours beyond the schedule time. This delay, of course, I had not reckoned on. After a while we got started again, however, and we got on all right so far as the train was concerned all the way down. But I suffered the tortures of Tanaliss. I remember that one woman had got on near Danville with a big, old-fashioned cheese box in her arms. By and by, just as the hunger began to take its grip on me, she took out the lid. It was her lunch box. She drew out all sorts of eatables, one after the other, and ate of each sparingly, throwing the remainder out of the car window. Oh, how exasperatingly tantalizing it was. I remember most distinctly a delicately browned chicken and a deep, dark old-fashioned pumpkin pie. That wretched old woman just ate that chicken, just nibbled at that pie, and then threw the rest away while I sat staring in the next seat."—Washington Cor. Philadelphia Record.

Surprising the Famous Raider.

Among those who will retire from congressional life at the close of the present session is Gen. Wolford, of Kentucky. He was the only man who ever made John H. Morgan, the famous raider, tremble for his life. Morgan with his command was on one occasion at Campbellsville, Ky., and was awakened out of his sleep early in the morning by the announcement that Wolford's cavalry was entering the town and demanding his surrender. The Confederate chief was quick to see that, without stopping to dress himself, could only in his undershirt and drawers, he sprang out of the bed or tavern in which he was sleeping and ran into a livery stable close at hand in which eighty men of his command were with their horses putting up for the night. Hastily an attack was made and the stable doors were suddenly opened and the little band dashed out. Wolford himself was right at hand and Morgan and his men overcame them before they were fairly aware of what had taken place. Morgan fired a shot at Wolford and captured the general and bore him off in triumph. Wolford fled freely from his wounds and his surgeon who accompanied Morgan pronounced his condition dangerous. The old man, however, said he was all right, and asked that no surgeon be fit on account of his condition. Finally it was deemed best to leave him, for fear that the continual jolting of the ride on horseback, particularly when it was necessary to go so fast, would soon cause him to die. In the face of a protest from Wolford that he was no danger of succumbing from weakness he was about to be allowed after being treated as well as possible considering the rapid flight the fugitives were compelled to make, the surgeon being left with him. Wolford recovered and while he himself had met with disaster his command was effectively reorganized and Morgan, a Cleveland Leader.

Wages of Restaurant Clerks.

One of the girls who has been employed as a waitress in a well known restaurant for about two years told her employers: "There are about six of us here, and we are paid \$3 per week, but the other girls' wages average about \$4 a week. "What are your hours?" "I come here at 7 o'clock in the morning, get breakfast and go to work at half-past 7. I remain on duty continuously until half-past 7 at night." "Do you get plenty to eat?" "Yes, we have everything we want except the delicacies—such as oysters, turkey and eggs. Sometimes I take lunch before the regular dinner, because we are too busy waiting on people at noon. About half-past 3 we have dinner and before we go home we can eat our supper."

How do you pay your board and clothe yourself on such small wages?

"Most of the girls live at home with their mothers. Another girl and myself live in a room together. It costs us \$1 a week each. We get our meals here, and at the end of the month I have left about \$5 to dress myself and purchase other necessities. It's mighty little for a young girl like me. I am 19 years old and my room mate is 18. We are trying to live respectably, but we are subjected to all sorts of insults. There's no chance to earn any extra money in a restaurant. If a stranger should give me a dime or quarter the other girls would talk about it and insinuate that I was not as good as I ought to be. You can see we are at a great disadvantage over the men waiters, who can pick up some money for service."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Woolwich Hammer.

You ought to see this Woolwich hammer. It weighs forty tons, and when it drops it falls forty feet to a block that rests on steel, massive masonry and enormous quantities of iron. Between two great shafts this hammer is suspended, a solid block, which, driven forward by steam and gathering impetus as it falls, strikes with a force of many hundred tons. A veteran workman has charge of this massive hammer. He starts and drops it by a touch of his thumb and finger. I saw an open face watch laid down on the block; then he dropped the hammer, and it stopped it just in time to break the crystal—and nothing more.—Cor. Boston Herald.

The most popular Russian in this country at present is the black Russian, A. V. K. K.

He is the arch-enemy of Jack Frost.—Washington Post.

Winter Roads in Norway.

In riding along the roads you see at fixed intervals stones with inscriptions on them more or less extensive, sometimes simply initials and some times names with numbers. These are placed there in winter when the road is covered with snow and the sleds are required to keep it up in the winter, and for what distance the sleds are used. This duty, so far as keeping the roads in repair is concerned, is fulfilled most admirably. From the snow sleds which you see used on the road at intervals, I understand that keeping a good winter road is equally well attended to. This is a duty imposed on the farmers, and only in exceptional cases is any compensation made for it.—Col. George Bliss in New York Times.

ARCTIC ANIMALS.

METHODS OF HUNTING EMPLOYED BY THE MUTES OF ALASKA.

Habits of the Seal—Summer Sports—The Cleverness of the Walrus—The Polar Bear in His Icy Habitation—White Whales.

Nature seems to have provided certain animals peculiarly adapted to the hyperborean region, and eminently fitted to afford sustenance to the race who live in that region. The principal animals inhabiting the waters of northern Alaska are the various members of the seal family. During the winter the seals, rising on the surface, strike against the thin young ice and make a hole. Through these holes they crawl upon the smooth surface and lie sleeping at the brink. In the early spring the first glimpse of sun induces them to forsake their watery homes, and to bask in the warm rays seems to afford great pleasure to these amphibious creatures. When lying in these positions the hunter crawls upon all fours in a stealthy manner as possible. When, after a while, the ice is broken up into small leads a net made of stout seal hide is stretched across the chasm, and the seals rising to blow become entangled in the meshes. Within the last decade brood-leads have been used by the Mutes in hunting, but previous to their introduction spears made with copper or iron heads were used, the frame for carrying the spear being carved from walrus ivory. To the end of the spear a long coil of seal line is attached, which, at intervals of three or four feet, is fastened. In these ways the hardy natives hunt the animal which affords them not only food, but also oil for their lamps and hides for their clothing. When the icy wind sweeps over the frozen expanse of sea, carrying with it small pellets of snow that, striking the face, cut the skin like a charge of shot; when fog and snow mist envelop the landscape, a Mute hunter has to possess grit and nerve to face conditions that no white man has ever yet done.

SUMMER SPORTS.

In the summer, when the ocean is again free from the grasp of the iceberg, seals depart from their usual haunts, and are everywhere and riddled in order to catch fish or sealions. Then the kayak is called into requisition. In this frail construction of skin and wood the hunter, launched upon the waves, paddles quietly and gently upon the seal until within range. Naturally a very favorite animal, an indication of the evening meal prepared for the hunter is to immerse a seal swim on the top of the water with its head protruding, thereby insuring a good object to aim at. Whistling is also resorted to in attracting the seal to the surface. The natives of seal know as the "black hair" is highly prized by the natives throughout the territory of Alaska north of the Aleutian islands. Its large hide forms the covering for boats and canoes, and also serves as boat sails entirely impervious to water. Seal bladders are rarely seen to the north of Point Hope. These are very hard and conspicuous animals as they lie basking in the sun upon the ice. Their hide is a deep chocolate brown, with a broad band of white, shaped like a saddle, which extends from the back around the belly, and from this peculiar marking they derive their name.

Forty years ago immense herds of the bulky walrus might be seen sporting in the waters of the Behring and Arctic seas. Owing to the price which their ivory tusks were valued at, the hunting of these animals became a source of profit to the whaler. As a consequence of indiscriminate slaughter their numbers have been sensibly reduced, and except around Bristol Bay and Cape York upon Wrangell island, of the Pribyl group but few walrus are now seen in the Alaskan seas.

There is perhaps no animal in nature that appears so clumsy and so ill adapted to locomotion as this enormous brute. Upon land they are utterly helpless. When striving to crawl, landward, the head and neck rocks, and their feet appear to hold on by and wait for the assistance of each wave to hold them up to the desired spot. In hunting the walrus the rifle is used by the natives, but it would be safe to say that within the past few years not more than a hundred have been killed. The walrus is a very hardy animal, being able to endure the rigors of the Arctic. While walrus ivory has been depressed in value that it does not pay to bring it to this port, a demand has sprung up for the hides, which have been found to make fine mats and mats and also for better purposes. The use of the tusks that form the appendage to the walrus' head is to enable the animal to dig for clams and other shell fish and also the bulb root of sea weeds that are to be found at the bottom of the numerous small streams and creeks that flow into the Arctic.

WHALES AND SEAL.

Schools of white whales—beluga, or grampus—are the first of the cetacea family that appear along the Alaskan shores when the ice begins to break up. Their gleaming white color is usually visible as they gracefully follow the dark green waters of the sea. Following the ice pack as it drifts to north and west, these animals seem to be the forerunners of their gigantic brethren, the bowhead whale, in their passage to the northern waters. In hunting these white whales the natives on Kotzebue sound display great ingenuity. A fleet of kayaks armed with muskets follows the school, gradually driving the frightened fish toward low water, until, being unable to escape by reason of grounding upon the beach, they fall easy victims to the spear or harpoons of their hunters. On the coast to the north of the head of the Bering sea, a species of whale is again seen as a species to kill the beluga. White whales resemble limburger cheeses in taste, while the fish, if of a calf, is tender and palatable. The fish when boiled and covered with vinegar are an excellent substitute for pig's feet.

Great Americans or the white polar bear is also a food supplier for the Mutes. The extent of their travels in the Arctic region are far and wide. Observations by Capt. Healy, of the United States revenue marine, prove the fact that the polar bear's southern limit of range is St. Mathew island—60 degrees, 50 minutes north latitude in the Behring sea. I believe that a few of these bears were seen some years ago near the Seal Islands. Probably the reason was a late one, and they were seen upon a large ice floe drifting. At St. Mathew's the polar bears have a great deal to do among the rocky shores and diversely that island. In summer the hairy coat of the polar bear turns to a dingy yellow, and its pelt becomes useless. These bears are abundant coasts, and will attack any one unless they are very close company. As soon as they scent a man approaching they run away as fast as they can. There are but few records of a bear killing any native along the northwestern coast. The Mutes are very partial to white bear meat, but the blubber they reject and even the denials that they are very hungry, turn up their noses at the only morsel. It is almost impossible to obtain an entire skin of any kind of bear. The Mutes throughout the summer cut off the head and claws and either throw them into the sea or run away or else bury them in the ground. This is done to enable the hunters to kill more bears, and the idea is that if the other bears see the heads or claws of their dead friends they will leave the district.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Black and white gained about two and a half feet territory from Connecticut in the recent settlement of the boundary line dispute.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Choice seed potatoes, 90c per bushel, at Steinhilber-Merkle Supply Co. 127-1f

A choice residence location No. 162 1/2 feet, 7 roomed house, bath room and all conveniences. You cannot build and buy the ground for the money, \$3000. Good terms. This is a genuine bargain. Walker & Field. 123-1f

100 ft. of Emporia ave, near 13th, will be offered at a bargain if sold this week. 130-1f ADDINGTON & SMITH, 149 N. Main.

100 ft. cor 16th and Emporia, the best and finest corner in Eagle add, only \$3,000. Good terms. ADDINGTON & SMITH, 149 N. Main.

4 lots on 4th near 14th, \$2,300. 50 ft on River st, 4-room house, \$3,500. 120-1f ADDINGTON & SMITH, 149 N. Main.

Buy lots in Judson University addition. For sale by ISRAEL BROS. & HOLLINGER. 4-115-1f

I have had eight years experience in dress-making and am prepared to do first-class work. Cutting and fitting a specialty. Call at 283 South Oak street, west side. 1217-1f NORA FRASE.

Choice seed potatoes, 90c per bushel, at Steinhilber-Merkle Supply Co. 127-1f

All my property is this day withdrawn from the market. All real estate agents are requested to take notice. WALKER & FIELD. 124-1f

Four lots on Hydraulic \$400 if sold quick; east front. WALKER & FIELD. 123-1f

Not Speculation. We will sell 100 or 300 acres of land very near Wichita for \$100 per acre on easy terms. This is a rare chance. 1116-1f BUNNELL & MOREHOUSE.

Buy lots in Judson University addition. For sale by ISRAEL BROS. & HOLLINGER. 4-115-1f

Choice seed potatoes, 90c per bushel, at Steinhilber-Merkle Supply Co. 127-1f

Four lots on Ohio, south of the Frisco, very cheap. Will pay you big in this and buy it. WALKER & FIELD. 123-1f

Two show cases for sale cheap by Post, the pawnbroker, 428 Douglas ave. 461-1f

Ohio addition, 13th street and Hydraulic ave. Good lots, easy terms. DeJager & Co., 129 E. Douglas. 851f

College property. The plot of College Green is now filed and the new town is now on the market for sale. The streets are graded and work on the foundation of the new building is in progress. The site tract will be graded in a few days and the depot will be built. The Catholic Investment and Building Company will build a number of good residences in this beautiful suburban villa, and several others who have bought property there are to build houses, and within sixty days there will be quite a town. Lots are now selling at \$20 and \$25 each, but will soon be raised. Now is the time to get bargains and choice lots.

Apply at the office of the secretary. Office in the European hotel, Douglas ave. 111-1f W. H. GRATTAN, Secretary.

Cont'd thread in all numbers at New York prices to dealers. Larimer & Stinson, 132 Main st, Wichita. 92-1f

There having been a considerable demand for shares of stock in the Wichita Union Stock Yards company, none of which has been for sale, the board of directors has decided to sell \$20,000 of the shares in small blocks. Applications should be made to J. O. Davidson, president of the company, at the Citizens bank. 87-1f

To the Citizens of Wichita and Vicinity. We wish it known that we have located a branch office at Wichita, Kansas, that we now business and have come to stay. We intend making Wichita a distributing point. We ask for your patronage, and your assistance in our business. We will do our best to look at the samples of our stock on exhibition at the west end of the iron bridge opposite the Riverside hotel and get our prices. They will find it to their interest to buy direct from a responsible nurseryman, especially a home nursery. Avoid buying of dealers and tree peddlers, who guarantee our stock to be first-class in every particular. We make a specialty of setting and guaranteeing stock, particularly evergreens. Our stock of shade and ornamental trees and shrubs is full and complete.

W. C. Shaw and R. H. Southwell are our fully authorized agents, and any others who sell hereafter for us will be far from us with a certificate of authority under the nursery seal. Any orders entrusted to them will be responsible for. Headquarters at the Riverside hotel until further notice. C. H. FISK & SON, Proprietors, Leamer, Mo., and Wichita, Kan., nurseries. 111&107-1f

Choice seed potatoes, 90c per bushel, at Steinhilber-Merkle Supply Co. 127-1f

Choice seed potatoes, 90c per bushel, at Steinhilber-Merkle Supply Co. 127-1f

Choice seed potatoes, 90c per bushel, at Steinhilber-Merkle Supply Co. 127-1f

Choice seed potatoes, 90c per bushel, at Steinhilber-Merkle Supply Co. 127-1f

A special bargain, 150 acres only three and a half miles north of Douglas ave. Can be bought very low if taken at once. 127-1f SHURT & FURBER.

Choice seed potatoes, 90c per bushel, at Steinhilber-Merkle Supply Co. 127-1f

Choice seed potatoes, 90c per bushel, at Steinhilber-Merkle Supply Co. 127-1f

Choice seed potatoes, 90c per bushel, at Steinhilber-Merkle Supply Co. 127-1f

ROBT. SPURGIN & CO.,

Room 8, Citizens Bank Building, Wichita, Kansas, Handle

WICHITA REAL ESTATE

AND FARM PROPERTY.

If You Wish to Buy or Sell Property in this

CITY OF DESTINY,

Or vicinity, please communicate with us. The judicious investment of funds for non-residents a specialty. Reference by Permission, H. W. Everest, Chancellor Garfield University, Wichita: Citizens Bank, Wichita, Kan.

S. D. PALLETT,

—DEALER IN—

Northern & Southern Pine Lumber

LATH, SHINGLES, SASH, DOORS AND BLINDS.

OFFICE and WHITE WARE YARD West End of Douglas Avenue. YELLOW PINE YARD ACROSS THE STREET. WICHITA, KAN.

Tucker & Jackson

Real Estate & Loan Brokers.

WE OFFER THE FOLLOWING BARGAINS

70 acres adjoining John Bright University \$42,000. 50 feet and a large brick house on Douglas ave \$45,000. 25 feet and a 3-story brick house on Main st \$25,000. 42 feet on Fifth ave \$5,500. 35 foot business lot on West side \$3,000. 10 lots on Cleveland ave \$8,000. 50 feet and 3-room house on Ohio ave \$2,500. 25 feet and 5 room house on Ohio ave \$1,200. 90 feet and fine house on Waco st \$11,000. 4 lots on Hydraulic \$1,600. 4 lots in East University add \$1,000. 4 corner lots in South University add \$640. 4 lots in Mattew 2nd add \$1,250. 2 lots in Garfield's add \$3,000.

Tucker & Jackson

144 NORTH MAIN ST. 144

Dunham, Young & Walker,

Real Estate Brokers.

Will open an office at 108 E Douglas Avenue, occupying west side front of Deming, Lynch & Co.'s Real Estate Exchange

On or about Monday, April 11, 1887.

WICHITA NATIONAL BANK.

Successors to Wichita Bank, Organized 1872.

Paid-up Capital, \$125,000. Surplus, \$25,000.

DO A GENERAL BANKING, COLLECTING AND BROKERAGE BUSINESS.

Eastern and Foreign Exchange bought and sold. U. S. Bonds of all denominations bought and sold. County, Township and Municipal Bond bought.

MAJOR & BREESE,

REAL ESTATE & LOANS

Money always on hand at the lowest rate. Abstracts furnished and examined. 106 WEST DOUGLAS AVENUE.

Great Bargains

Boots, Shoes & Slippers

Wichita Shoe Parlor,

Corner Main and First Streets.

Ladies' dressed kid, flexible-sole shoes, silk-worked button hole on opera and common-sense last, in widths from B to F, only \$1.50

Our own line of ladies' flexible-sole button boots are made of the finest quality of Braz kid, and are as soft as French, and we warrant them to wear better. We carry this shoe in opera and common-sense lasts, in widths from A to F, for \$3

Our ladies' fine French kid Turn are the finest ever brought to the west, in all styles and widths.

Our ladies' low shoes and slippers are the best in the market and we carry them in opera and common-sense lasts, in all widths at the very lowest prices.

If you will call at our store, we will guarantee to give you the best shoe for the least money.

We warrant every pair to be as represented.

LOCKE & FINDEISS,

Masonic Building, S-W. Corner Main and First Street.

W. O. RIDDELL & CO.

REAL - ESTATE - AGENTS,

CITY PROPERTY AND FARMS FOR SALE. Rent Collected and Taxes Paid. Business Promptly Attended to Correspondence Solicited.

OFFICE - Over Kansas National Bank Main Street. WICHITA, KAN.

BANK OF WICHITA.

Corner Douglas and Lawrence Avenues.

Authorized Capital \$200,000. Paid-Up Capital \$76,000.

OFFICERS.— G. FISH, President. J. H. SLATER, Cashier. OLIVER DUCK, Vice-President. W. F. ROBINSON, J. G. FISH, W. L. DUCK.

Directors.— G. F. FISH, OLIVER DUCK, J. H. SLATER, W. F. ROBINSON, J. G. FISH, W. L. DUCK.

Stockholders.— G. F. FISH, OLIVER DUCK, J. H. SLATER, W. F. ROBINSON, J. G. FISH, W. L. DUCK.

Correspondents.— ST. LOUIS NATIONAL BANK, St. Louis, Mo. FORTY-NINTH NATIONAL BANK, New York. BANK OF KANSAS CITY, Kansas City, Mo.

General Banking Business. Respectfully solicit a share of your patronage.

STILES & SMITH,

Real Estate Agency,

112 EAST DOUGLAS AVE. Over J. M. Allen's Grocery, opposite Eagle Office.

Send in a List of Your Property

If You want it Sold.

We are making a specialty of several new additions near the 113 Garfield and Judson Universities.

Areher Electric Manufacturing Co.

No. 321 West Douglas Ave. CAPITAL 60,000.00 DOLLARS.

N. A. ENGLISH, Pres. C. A. PHILLIPS, Treas. E. A. HUTCHINS, Sec.

Manufacturers of and dealers in Batteries and Instruments, Electric Motors, Electric bells, annunciators, speaking tubes, physical batteries and instruments. Hotels and private residences furnished with electric bells or speaking tubes. A full line of electrical supplies. Repairing of every description. Nickel and silver plating. First-class work work in every department at lowest possible rates. Get our prices before giving out your work.

First Arkansas Valley Bank.

The Oldest Money Institution in the Arkansas Valley, No. 33, Main St. - Wichita, Kan.

Wm. C. WOODMAN, President. Wm. S. WOODMAN, Cashier. U. G. WOODMAN, Asst. Cashier.

Do a general Banking Business in all its modern functions. Loan money in any desired amounts on approved application from one day to ten years. Sell tickets for all European ports via the best and fastest steamers in the world. Have a Burglar Proof safe vault deposit cabinet for customers, and respectfully present to those whom it may concern, the following statement:

STATEMENT.

RESOURCES. LIABILITIES.

Real Estate, \$100,000.00. Deposits subject to draft and certification, \$100,000.00. Bills receivable, 75,000.00. Mortgages, investments and other securities, 10,000.00. Bonds, 25,000.00. Cash on hand and exchange, 5,000.00. Loans, 5,000.00. Total, \$215,000.00. Total, \$215,000.00.

Surplus above Liabilities \$50,000.00

At the request of W. C. Woodman, President of the First Arkansas Valley Bank of Wichita, Kansas, we have reviewed the books of the bank and find the same to be correct and true to the best of our knowledge and belief. Wm. S. WOODMAN, Cashier. U. G. WOODMAN, Asst. Cashier. Wm. C. WOODMAN, President.

REMOVED.

B. COHN, JOBBER OF CIGARS,

Has removed office and salesroom to 124 and 126 West Douglas Avenue, Union Block.

KANSAS LOAN AND INVESTMENT CO.

CAPITAL, \$100,000.

Money Always on Hand to Loan on Farm and City Property OFFICE IN WICHITA NATIONAL BANK BUILDING, WICHITA, KANSAS.

OLIVER BROS.,

Lumber Dealers

Wichita, Kansas.

Occidental Town and Land Co.,

Wichita, Mayfield, Wellington, Harper, Alton, Garden Plain, Anthony, Arkansas City, Andale and Haven.

A. J. EDGEWORTH & CO.,

Real Estate, Loan & Insurance

—BROKER—

ADDITION & SMITH, Real Estate Agents,

120 N. MAIN STREET.

COME AND SEE US.