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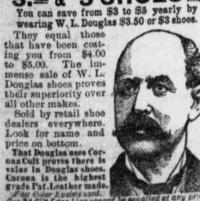


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John W. Williamson, of Nebraska, Relates Details of Fearful Encounter Between the Pawnees and the Sloux.

GREAT TRAGEDY OF THE WESTERN PLAINS

Genoa, whose memory of of whom there were probably 1000. events, as told to E. E. Things looked discouraging. Blackman, has made possible this ac-

dies of the Western plains. 1872. This was two years before the come. removal of the Pawnees to their new reservation in Oklahoma.

the vast buffalo plains of Kansas and a white man with the Pawnees. Nebraska, and this territory was rapidly filling with settlers.

pany them in the capacity of trail attention was paid.

thority of this chief became absolute below. during the time for which he was rected by him.

just arrived from the East, and, wish- the defenseless squaws and children. ing to see some real Western life, asked permission to accompany the ex-

a small stream called Stone Creek. you before the Sioux should get behind He was killed and then there was a us. great feast.

fied, doubtless thinking that the In- were killed in this way. dians were hostile.

the game for the whites.

On the evening of August 3 some white men came into the camp and other side. told Mr. Williamson that Sioux Indians had been watching the Pawnee band

In the midst of the attack on the buffalo the Sioux intended to attack the Pawnees. After so many attempts mined to make the surround of the the squaws.-New York Herald. buffaloes early in the next morning as

planned. Mr. Williamson, however, concluded from the manner of the hunters that they were telling the truth, and tried by every means in his power to have the Indians abandon the chase. They already had all the game and pelts they could carry home, and there was no good reason for slaughtering anresist the pleasure of another chase: Sky Chief was the leader in supreme command in this chase. He insisted that the white men were lying, and when advised by Mr. Williamson to abandon the chase grew angry and

"Buck Skin, you are afraid. Many Sioux have I killed, and many more will bite the dust if I meet them. No. we will make the chase. You shall stay with the women if the Sioux

All arguments having proved unavailing, Mr. Williamson started withthe hunters. They located the herd about six miles west of where Culbertson now stands, and almost half way, between the Republican and Frenchman forks. Three or four miles from to place, and he even went so far as to camp stray buffalo were seen coming southeast, as if they were being chased, but no signs of Sloux were seen.

The straggling buffalo were cut out and a few killed. Sky Chief and another Indian took after a bunch which went east, while the rest of the band, his mistake. He took advantage of keeping an easy pace until more buffalo should be sighted, were strung out over more than half a mile. As the straggling buffalo were chased into the rolling country, the Pawnee forces;

became badly scattered. "Presently," says Mr. Williamson, in relating the story, "I saw signs of excitement among the Pawnees up in front, and a young buck came riding toward me. When he came up to where I was, he cried out that the Sioux were coming. I rode forward and soon saw a band of Sioux on a rise of ground about a mile and a half northwest of us, holding a council and

making the war signs to the Pawnees. "Terre-e-cocks, a Skeedee chief, was near me and I asked him what we would better do. 'What do you say?' he asked. I suggested that we fall back to a clump of cottonwoods about two miles down the canyon. The Skeedee chief agreed to this, but the Kitke-Hawki-i chiefs wanted to fight, and

Sky Chief was a Kit-ke-Hawki-i. "In his absence the chiefs of his band tried to assume authority and things were thrown into confusion. A Kit- after having been converted into gold

INCOLN, Neb .- One of the | small band and that he could whip most interesting charac- them if they came. When we got on ters in Nebraska history higher ground, however, we saw that is John W. Williamson, of the hills were fairly alive with Sioux,

"They were not prepared to meet count of one of the great Indian trage- such a formidable foe, and soon began to weaken. At this point Sun Chief, Mr. Williamson came to Nebraska who was head chief of the whole band from Wisconsin and became assistant of Pawnees, took command, and the farmer for the Pawnees at Genoa in discord which had existed was over-

"The Sioux were moving rapidly toward our line when Sun Chief asked In the summer of 1873 the Indians in me to ride out toward them with a the reservation at Genoa asked permis- white flag, in hopes that the Sloux sion to take an old time buffalo hunt. had a trail agent with them and that They had given up their right to all he would hold them back when he saw

"It was a pretty hard thing for one man to ride out and face a band of The old time spirit of savagery al- 1000 Sioux ready for battle, and I did ways seemed to return to the Indians not like to do it. However, I told the during the exciting adventures of the interpreter, who was in citizen's chase and the settlers were never safe clothes, that if he would go with me from depredations during such a hunt. we would go to meet the advancing Accordingly, in granting permission to Sioux. We rode to within eighty rods the Indiaus to go on the hunt, the Gov- of them and I waved a white handkerernment agent, William Borgess, com- chief as a signal to the trail agent, if missioned Mr. Williamson to accom- there should happen to be one, but no "Now the enemy ceased riding in

The trail agent was expected to re- circles, and, lying flat on their ponies, strain the Indians from any lawless- made a dash. We wheeled and raced ness, but his authority was only ad- for our lives to the Pawnee position. visory, as the various chiefs who ac- This opened the battle. The Pawnec companied the expedition selected one braves had gathered on the hills at the of their company as supreme com- brow of the canyon, while the squaws mander from time to time. The au- and pack horses were in the canyon

"The squaws were chanting a mournchosen, and every movement was di- ful song and danced a slow measure in long lines or half circles to instill The start was made from the reser- bravery into their warriors. The outvation on July 2, 1873. Mr. William- numbered Pawnees could not stand son was the only white man in the ex- long against the attack of the Sioux. pedition save one, a Mr. Lester Platte, The fight immediately became very nephew of Mrs. Alvira G. Platte, who close, almost hand to hand, and the lived among the Pawnees for many Sioux gained a position where they years as a missionary. Mr. Platte had could shoot down into the canyon or

"The Pawnee warriors were gradually driven from their position on the hills down into the canyon, which was There were 600 Pawnees in the experapidly being surrounded by the Sioux. dition, including squaws and papooses. I saw that it was a hopeless case for The first buffalo seen on this hunt the Pawnees and sent word to the was a lone bull north of Arapahoe, on chiefs to make a break down the can-

"Before the word had had time to The first surround was made eight reach them, as if by a preconcerted in our public road system at present or ten miles south of Arapahoe, and plan, the thongs which bound the they succeeded in killing all of the packs were loosened or cut and the herd, to the number of 150 or so. Some whole band of Pawnees fled at full white men were stalking this herd speed. The Sioux pursued along the from the south, but, on seeing the In- sides of the canyon, shooting down on dians they took to their horses and the struggling fugitives, and many

"They followed us until we reached Several times in the course of the the river, into which we plunged, and lourney white hunters had come in to soon reached the south bank, but many the Indian camp with some story call of the Pawnees were killed while culated to turn the Indians back, told crossing. We then started along stream doubtless for the purpose of saving down the side of the river, and in less than three miles met several hundred soldiers marching up stream on the

"The soldiers offered to go with the Indians to the scene of the battle and for several days, and had run their rescue the meat and their packs, but buffalo herd into the region as a de- the Indians would not have it. They said they would not take it if it would

be brought to them." In all about 150 Pawnees were killed and those who escaped lost everything to deceive them the Indians were not they had except a few packs of willing to believe the story, and deter- blankets which served as saddles for

Living by the Watch.

In an article in Harper's Weekly entitled "Where Minutes Count," Franklin Matthews writes of the modern man of affairs and his continual effort to crowd as much activity as possible into the least time. Mr. Matthews tells of a physician for whom the rush of modern life proved fatal: "He had other herd, but the Indians could not had every minute of the day scheduled beforehand for his work. He was especially strong in consultations. Every patient who called to see him had the time fixed in advance, with just so many minutes set apart for looking himfover. The physician calculated to the second how long it took to get people into his office, and how long it took to get them out. He had his secretary calculate how long it would take his carriage to reach a certain place; how long he would stay there. and the exact minute he would reach the next place, and so on. He did his reading-for he was always making addresses and writing papers, being a high official of the university therein his carriage. He dictated his papers to his secretary as he drove from place have his meals served sometimes in his carriage. He died comparatively young; he burned out, because he never took any time for play, never seemed to have any leisure, and never did have any. That's where he made every labor-saving device in those days, but he did it only to do all the more work." His Foot in It Again.

"I don't suppose," confessed the fair poetess, "anybody has the slightest idea how hard it is now and then for one who is in the literary grind to express with the precise shade of meaning the idea one has in one's mind. I have worked sometimes three hours or more upon a single line." "Dear me," commented Mr. Makin-

brakes, anxious to be complimentary, "your poems don't read as though you bestowed the slightest thought upon them. I mean, of course, they do. That is, they seem, you know, so kind of-or, rather, you understand, so-so easy to do, don't you see, that-thatwell, you just dash 'em off, you knowanybody can see that-and-don't you think there's altogether too much fuss over this yacht race, Miss Rybold?"-Chicago Tribune.

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The Newspapers and Good Roads.

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The good roads proposition has been agitated long enough to enable our people to determine whether or not it is a good thing, and the fact that our newspapers constantly advocate a progressive policy along this line is a good indication of its permanency as a public question.

Several of our leading papers devote each week considerable space to the subject, and upon any public occasion when good roads are to be discussed, special representatives of the press are sent, sometimes long distances, in order to secure complete and accurate reports of the proceedings. A few days ago such a meeting was held at Lakeview, in Moore county (N. C.) and the leading dailies on the following morning contained a full account of what was done there.

Upon the publicity afforded by an intelligent press must the advocates of good roads depend for the education and inspiration of our citizens; and it is believed that through this medium-more than any other-will be brought about the ultimate reform advocated by a rapidly increasing minority.-Exchange.

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fools of both of us." "What!" said Sydney. "In one short summer?"

"No," said Nesbit, "in two short weeks.

"What did George do?" inquired "George, poor fellow," replied Nesbit, "threw himself into Lake Cham-

"Drowned himself?" "Drowned himself!" "Well, what did you do, Nesbit, old

"What did I do? I didn't do a thing, Sydney; I wrote some verses about the affair and sent them to a magazine."-Silas Xavier Floyd, in October Lippincott's.

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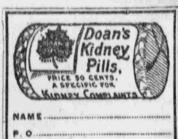
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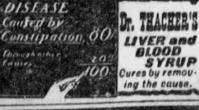
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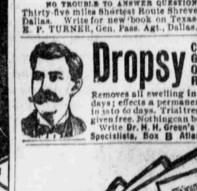


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