

TAD LINCOLN BRIDE.

New Mr. Martin Gave the President's son an Engine Ride.

Mr. John Henry Martin sends to the New York Sun a pretty story of a ride which he once gave to Tad Lincoln. It was early in the war. Mr. Martin, a soldier, had been detailed to run an engine on a little road that ran from Washington down into Virginia, and one morning, as he sat in the cab of the engine reading a newspaper, he became conscious, without paying any particular attention to the fact, that a man and a boy were walking about the engine and examining it. He says:

At length my attention was attracted by a question the boy put to the man: "Papa, can't we get up on it? Ask the gentleman, please!"

Before he could comply with the boy's request I laid aside my paper and invited the two to step up. I noticed that the gentleman was tall. He had to remove his high silk hat, and then stand in a slightly stooping position while in the cab. From his answers to the questions with which the boy plied him and his explanations of different parts of the machine, I saw that he knew something of the principle upon which locomotives are built.

"O papa! I do wish I could take a ride on it."

"Not now, my son. Maybe some day we may have a chance."

I said, "If you and your son will have a seat over there on the fireman's box I shall be glad to give the young man a little ride. I want to pump her up, anyway."

He thanked me as he and the boy seated themselves. I set the lever, opened the throttle slightly, and we moved slowly down the yard, and out to the Washington end of the Long Bridge across the Potomac. The gentleman explained to the boy all my acts in controlling the machine in a manner that showed he knew the locomotive very well.

"O papa! I do wish I could take a long ride on that engine out in the country, where it goes fast. It must be grand to be carried away by such a big, strong horse."

As the engine slowly backed once more into the sheds the gentleman again thanked me, and as I caught the wistful look in the boy's face I was prompted to say:

"My run is only three hours out and three back, sir. I leave here at 10 A. M., and return at 4:30 P. M. If you are willing to trust the boy to me, I will take him for the trip here in front of me on my seat. The road is safe. We do not go into the enemy's country. I think I can promise to deliver the young man to you at this spot at 4:30 this afternoon."

"Papa, papa, do let me go; it will be so nice, and I know this gentleman will see that no harm comes to me. Do let me go, papa, and don't tell mamma until I get back. I want to surprise her by telling her all about the trip."

The gentleman could not withstand his son's pleading. He let him go.

Words fail to tell the delight of the boy as we sped over the hills and valleys of Virginia. From the questions he asked I soon discovered he was a Western boy from the prairie land.

As the engine puffed and groaned up a long grade on the return trip suddenly the boy, who sat between my knees, looked up into my face and said:

"I have got the very best papa that ever lived. Do you know my papa?"

"No, my boy, I do not; but there was something so familiar to me in his appearance that ever since you climbed into this cab I have been trying to think where I have seen your father before. What is his name?"

"Why, he is Abraham Lincoln," replied my fellow-traveller.

For a moment I reeled on my seat in surprise, but soon it flashed on me that the tall man who had placed the child in my charge could be no other than the President, whom I had only seen as pictured in the newspapers.

You may be sure I made a doubly careful run into Washington when I found that Tad Lincoln, son of the President, was the little guest I had in my cab.

Another man, I supposed a White House servant, met the train on its arrival and took the boy away.

The next and last time I saw Abraham Lincoln was when he lay in state in Washington before the sad funeral cortege started to the prairies of Illinois to lay the martyred President to rest at Springfield.

UNLESS DELIVERY STAMP.

The Physician Thought It Meant a Quick, Prompt Delivery.

A foreign physician who was lately visiting in this country had an experience in Chicago which helped to convince him of the utility of republican institutions. This gentleman, who is a great man of science; at home and a person of profound education, was, at the house of a professor of the Northwestern University, introduced for the first-time to the special delivery stamp. It was explained to him that the affixing of this stamp secured the immediate delivery of the letter to the person to whom it is addressed.

The foreign physician at once procured such a stamp and put it on a letter. That day he went out on a tour of visits in Chicago, and returned at night. Entering the house, he proceeded to his room, and soon came running down with a letter in

his hand, and many exclamations of displeasure and indignation on his lips. "See! I've cried, holding up the letter. 'I put an immediate delivery stamp on my letter this morning, and had it on my table all day. It had not gone yet. Do stamp that not work! Nobody had called for it all day long!'" This story illustrates the well-known fact that a person of profound education may be profoundly lacking in common sense.

POVERTY OF THE BLOOD.

A TROUBLE THAT IS MAKING THE LIVES OF THOUSANDS MISERABLE.

It Brings in Its Train, Nervousness, Pains in the Back and Side, Headaches, Heart Palpitations and finally Fatal Hemorrhages. Treatment is Not Resorted to.

From the Sussex, N. B., Record.

There are now many in which people may prove benefactors of the human race. There are those who of their abundance spend large sums in erecting public buildings and beautifying public parks. Others spend their money in charitable work, and in alleviating the sufferings of less fortunate fellows, and for these acts these people are honored. The person who having obtained relief from sickness and makes public the means by which health was regained, is none the less a public benefactor. Among these latter is Miss Elena O'Neill, daughter of Mr. Jas. O'Neill a well to do farmer living near Millstream, Kings Co., N. B. Miss O'Neill was attacked with anemia (poverty of the blood) a trouble unfortunately too common among the young girls of the present day, and one which is certain to terminate fatally if not promptly checked, and the blood enriched and renewed. Having discovered a remedy that will achieve this happy result, Miss O'Neill is willing that less fortunate sufferers may reap the benefit of her experience. To a correspondent of the Record, Miss O'Neill related the story of her illness and cure. She said: "I believe that had I not begun the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills my trouble would have ended fatally. My illness came about so gradually that I can scarcely say when it began. The first symptoms were a loss of color, and a feeling of tiredness following even moderate exertion. Gradually I became as pale as a corpse, and was extremely nervous. Then I was attacked with a pain in the side, which daily grew more and more intense. It coughed a great deal and finally grew so weak that if I went upstairs I had to rest when I reached the top. My appetite forsook me, and I was subject to spells of dizziness, and severe headaches and was gradually wasting away until I lost all interest in life. I had tried a number of medicines but found no relief. In this apparently hopeless condition, while reading a newspaper I saw a statement of a young lady whose symptoms were almost identical with my own, whose health had been restored through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. This statement was so encouraging that I determined that I would try this medicine. In my case as in that of the young lady whom I had read about, the result was marvellous. The pain in my side from which I had suffered so much, disappeared, my nerves were strengthened, my appetite returned and my whole system seemed to be strengthened and renewed. I am now as well as any member in the family and have not known what sickness was since I discontinued the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

My gratitude towards this grand medicine is unbounded and I hope my statement may be the means of bringing encouragement and health to some other sufferer.

The gratifying results following the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, in the case of Miss O'Neill, prove that they are an equal as a blood builder and nerve tonic. In the case of young girls who are pale or sallow, listless, troubled with a fluttering or palpitation of the heart, weak and easily tired, no time should be lost in taking a course of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which will speedily enrich the blood and bring a rosy glow of health to the cheeks. They are a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork, or excesses of whatever nature.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold in boxes (never in loose form by the dozen or hundred) at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, and may be had of all druggists or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont.

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Woolville, Feb. 28, to the wife of B. O. Davidson, a son.

Yarmouth, March 12, to the wife of Leslie T. Porter a son.

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Freepoint, March 5, to the wife of Milton Haines, a daughter.

South Ohio, March 10, to the wife of Harry Burdell a daughter.

Brazil Lake, March 4, to the wife of N. P. Crosby, a daughter.

Buchow, Feb. 26, to the wife of Chas. Warring a daughter.

Richibucto, March 2, to the wife of Dr. T. J. Bourque, a daughter.

Upper Stewiacke, Feb. 26, to the wife of John W. Faxon, a daughter.

Boston, Feb. 10, Tilly T. Cadman to Elias Cadman of Boston, N. B.

Truro, March 2, by Rev. J. Falconer, Henry Leck to Flora MacDougall.

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Truro, Feb. 22, Charles, son of John McDowell 21.

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Oldtown, Mar. 13, Samuel J. Harris formerly of St. John, 74.

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St. Stephen, Mar. 3, Elsie L. child of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith 4.

Kentville, March George M., son of the late James Arnold, 21.

Hartford, Yarmouth, March 5, Nellie, wife of Albert Fettes, 88.

Mason Co., Feb. 11, John Lyons, formerly of Woodstock, N. B.

Markhamville, Mar. 9, Russel, son of Kine McFariand, 4 months.

Sussex, Mar. 10, Charles N. son of Chas. McDougall, 2 months.

Cape Negro Island, March 4, Seretha V., wife of Franklin Ferry, 27.

Centre Hill Florida, Feb. 23, William S. Archibald formerly of Truro.

W. New Glasgow, Mar. 10, John Geddies, son of S. M. McKensie, 6.

Earlboro, Mar. 9, Isabel G. W. child of Mr. and Mrs. John Ebbell.

Fort Maitland, Mar. 8, Josephine child of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Regan, 3.

St. John, Mar. 12, Marion C. child of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Record, 5 months.

St. Stephen, Mar. 7, George H. child of Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison 1 month.

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