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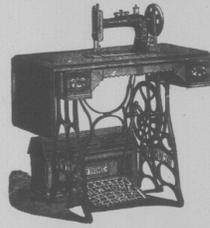
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More calm and clear and full of peace, Because the shadows 'round it cling, So will our earthly joys increase, As from the shadows they are wrung.

What Shall I do? What shall I do to be forever known? This did full many who yet slept unknown. "Oh! never fear, Think of them, perchance, that they remain unknown.

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How the Affairs of the Telegraph are Managed Between Station and Station—How a Message Goes, Why it Takes Time to Reach a Place.

One day last April a telegram was put into the hands of the courteous Chief Engineer of the British postal service, Mr. W. H. Freese, with the request that he would say whether it could be sent around the world by a certain given route, and if so, what time it would take, and what would it cost per word.

When the writer of this article went a few days later to look after the progress of the telegram, Mr. Freese shook his head. "The whole foreign department are at it," he said, "and they are tearing their hair and protesting, but you shall have it soon."

The route planned was rather erratic. It asked that the message be sent by a circuit which would take in the entire telegraphic field of the world, touching at the most remote points, but never leaving the land or the cable; that is, never being transferred by post or messenger from one point to another.

There are a good many bear stories going the rounds nowadays, but we have one which actually occurred in this parish. On a small plantation a mile or two above Bayou Gault a black bear was seen to enter a turnip patch and at once proceeded to help himself to as many turnips as his appetite demanded.

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Company. This line crossed the channel by cable to Germany, and then by land lines ran over Germany, South Russia, Caucasus, Armenia, and Persia to Teheran. At Teheran the wire was joined to a second line of the company, returning to London by the same route.

The lines were cleared for the experiment, and at a given signal the key of the sender was pressed by the Prince of Wales. The instant that the button of the instrument was touched, click went the receiver. The current had found its way to Persia and back.

This is done easily enough. Before-hand a certain syllable is fixed for each element of the code. It stands for Oxford and Cam for Cambridge. It is understood that the instruments and men are free to pass the news.

As soon as the decision is made, the mailing officer near the racing ground telegraphs to the land and cable station. The operator at the receiver of the land wire gets the letter O. The instrument of the cable is in the same room, and as he receives the first letter he shouts it, listens—and the key of the cable instrument, which, waiting with his finger on the key, flashes the letter to New York.

Even in the case of our imaginary telegram, the London officials say that, if one should actually attempt to send such a message it would be desirable that the different companies on whose lines it passed have notice several days in advance in order to make arrangements for the transmission; and this to secure the rate of speed quoted.

But the delays are all of manipulation and overcrowding. There are some estimating duties at frontiers, from verifying the right to traverse the different countries—that is, the common hindrances to international transit do not exist in the case of telegrams.

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