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THE YOUNG TELEGRAPHER.

[Original.]
Marion of the Revolutionary war and Morgan of the civil war occupy similar positions in history. General John Morgan started on his military career as commander of a company of young Confederates and operated all ways in the middle southwest. His career was full of daring. He would approach a Union picket, assuming to be a Federal officer, reprimand him for some negligence, get possession of his musket and thus capture single handed a whole picket post.

It was during the campaign of General Halleck against Quaker guns at Corinth that Morgan was operating in. Halleck's rear in western Tennessee, harassing lines of communication. This is a very important service. An army must be fed. That means that the avenues of communication must be kept open and the supplies passing over them to the men at the front must be protected. In this work an important feature to the protecting force was the telegraph.

The telegraph office at the town of P., a station on the railroad supplying the army before Corinth, was in charge of Tom Venable, who lived with his family on the upper floor of the two story station building, the telegraph and ticket office being below. One night when Venable was in his office sending the dispatches necessary to get a heavy train load of supplies south he heard a tap on the window pane. Looking up, there stood a man in Confederate uniform covering him with the muzzle of his pistol. The officer had tapped with the pistol to attract Venable's attention and ordered him to throw up the sash. Venable did so, and the officer climbed in at the window.

"I'm John Morgan," he said.
Morgan usually declared himself in this fashion. It was the best possible way of striking an enemy with terror. Meanwhile the station was surrounded by Confederate cavalrymen. Morgan put his own telegraph at the key, who began to telegraph the train Venable had been in communication with. The conductor had been warned that the Confederates were making a raid in the region and was waiting to be assured that it was safe to advance. Morgan's telegraph sent a dispatch that Morgan had gone off in an easterly direction and an order signed by a Union commander for the train to come on.

Now, there is a hero to this story, though he is asleep in his bed above the telegraph office. But a clatter beneath awakes him. Being not over thirteen years old, he doesn't awake in a hurry, but his mother helps him by telling him that the station is in possession of the dreaded Morgan. Jimmie Venable was of a scientific mind and had already a miniature telegraph outfit in his own little room. His circuit was but ten feet and was confined to the room, but it was big enough to play with, and he knew the dot and line alphabet. His father was a prisoner downstairs, but he heard his mother say that doubtless Morgan had captured the telegraph in order to decoy a train into a trap and destroy the supplies intended for the Union army. Jimmie got an idea. The telegraph wires passed within ten feet of his window before entering the office below. He told his mother what he intended to do, and she helped him. He took his play wire, tied a hairbrush to one end of it, threw it over the line wire and completed his circuit by means of a lead pipe extending to the ground. It didn't make a very good connection, but it sufficed. He didn't know the calls of stations nor what station to call. He waited till there was comparative quiet below, then clicked: "P. station. Morgan here." This he repeated several times. It was heard at several stations up the road, and the conductor of the train was advised of it at once.

One man heard it for whom it was not intended. That was the Confederate operating in the office below Jimmie's room. He was sitting near the key when he heard the words clicked and knew that some one had outwitted him. He notified his commander, and a search was made, and Jimmie's hairbrush was seen dangling from the main wire. It told them the story. Going upstairs, they discovered Jimmie's device. The general was the first to enter the room. Jimmie was still at his key.

"Have you been sending information to the enemy?" he asked.
"Yes, I have," said Jimmie proudly. He did not know the extent of the service he had rendered, but was sure he had done something valuable to his cause.

"Do you know what we do with little boys who are spies?" asked Morgan.
"No."

"Well, it's something very terrible. But in this case the boy is a very bright, brave little chap, and we will give him something for candy."

He drew a roll of Confederate bills from his pocket, picked out a ten dollar note and handed it to Jimmie.

"H-m," said Jimmie, looking at it contemptuously. "Tain't worth a United States fifty cent postal shipplaster."

This postal currency was used during the war in lieu of silver.

Morgan laughed, took out a roll of greenbacks, doubtless captured money, and, handing a five dollar note to the boy, went downstairs and rode away, followed by his troopers.

For saving the train Jimmie afterward received a much larger reward from the United States government.

NORMAN P. WHITE.
General Manager

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- ** 5:10 A. M.
- ** 6:10 A. M.
- ** 6:50 A. M.
- ** 7:30 A. M.
- ** 8:10 A. M.
- ** 8:50 A. M.
- ** 10:50 A. M.
- ** 11:50 A. M.
- ** 12:30 P. M.
- ** 1:10 P. M.
- ** 2:10 P. M.
- ** 3:20 P. M.
- ** 4:10 P. M.
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- ** 7:10 P. M.
- ** 7:50 P. M.
- ** 9:00 P. M.
- ** 10:10 P. M.
- ** 11:30 P. M.

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H. U. WALLACE,

General Manager

Effective Sunday, September 6, 1908.

Stocks, Grain and PROVISIONS

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Stock	Open	High	Low	Close
Atchafalpa	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Am Sugar	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Am Car	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Am Copper	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Am Smelt	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Anaconda	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
B & O	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Ches & O	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
C & F	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Canad Pac	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Erie com	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Grt North	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Ill Central	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
L & N	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Mo Pacific	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Nat Edg	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
N Y Cent	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
No. Pacific	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Oneida	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
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So. Pacific	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
St. Paul	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Union Pac	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
U S Steel	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
W. Va. Tel	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Money closed 1 1/2 per cent.				

GRAIN AND PROVISION MARKET

Month	Open	High	Low	Close
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July	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
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