

GENUINE OLD FAMILIES.

Some in Europe and the Orient That Are Really Ancient.

In Great Britain and on the continent those families pride themselves that count their ancestry through ten generations, but their claims to really ancient lineage seem insignificant when compared with those of certain houses in the orient.

We read that the oldest family in Great Britain, the Mar family in Scotland, may trace its pedigree to 1093. Then, too, we have the Campbells of Argyll, whose date is put down at 1190. The Grosvenor family, that of the Duke of Westminster, refers its origin to the same year that the Conqueror "came over"—i. e., 1066. The Austrian house of Hapsburg goes back farther than that, its date being 952, while the Bourbons proudly mention 864 as the date of their origin.

But none of them is to be mentioned in the same breath with the emperor of Japan, whose office has been filled by members of his family for a period of over 2,500 years, the present ruler being the one hundred and twenty-second in the line. The first emperor of Japan sat on the throne about the time when Nebuchadnezzar was flourishing—that is, in 650 B. C.

Another oriental branch, the descendants of Mohammed, presents claims not to be dismissed. The prophet was born in 570, and a list of his descendants has been carefully retained, being duly set forth in a volume kept in Mecca. Little or no doubt exists of the authenticity of the long list of names of Mohammed's descendants as registered in this sacred book.—London Standard.

Queen Elizabeth's Amulet.

Queen Elizabeth during her last illness wore around her neck a charm made of gold which had been bequeathed to her by an old woman in Wales, who declared that so long as the queen wore it she would never be ill. The amulet, as was generally the case, proved of no avail, and Elizabeth, notwithstanding her faith in the charm, not only sickened, but died. During the plague in London people wore amulets to keep off the dread destroyer. Amulets of arsenic were worn near the heart. Quills of quicksilver were hung around the neck and also the powder of toads.

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WILLIAMSBURG FAIR ENDS.

Was Big Success—"Old Hines" and His Cornet.

The second annual county fair held by the Williamsburg County Fair Association came to a successful close Saturday. The day was known as "The Colored People's Day" and was attended by the largest gathering of the race ever witnessed in the county, the crowd being estimated at upwards of 3,000, including 1,500 colored school children. The grand stands on the grounds were filled with people early in the morning where they remained patiently and orderly until their speakers completed that part of the day's programme about 1 p. m.

The Rev Richard Carroll, of Columbia, who was to be the chief speaker, failed to come and his place on the programme was filled by his son, Seymour Carroll, of Orangeburg. Among the speakers was the Rev M M Mouzon, of Charleston, who was born and reared in this community and is highly respected by both white and colored. His address elicited praise from those of the white people who heard him. Speeches were also made by members of the local colored clergy. None of the exhibits were removed from the premises until afternoon Saturday so as to give the colored attendants an opportunity to view them, which they did with an apparent relish.

In the afternoon a programme of track events was carried out and a number of Williamsburg negroes were made to feel proud of their horses or mules because of their having won a blue or red ribbon.

During the entire day and until a late hour Saturday night the Ferris wheel and merry-go-round were crowded with riders.

But to the white people who attended the fair Saturday, the day would probably have seemed monotonous, had it not been for the presence of "Old Hines," the portly porter and cornetist, so familiar to the traveling people, at Lanes. Hines is popular with his own race as well as the white, is a special feature at nearly every Afro-American function held in this section. So his presence Saturday added to the enjoyment of the day, perhaps more so because he could not "persuade his old horse to take as lively interest in the races" as it had done a year ago, when Hines was able to return to Lane well decorated with ribbons won by his nag.

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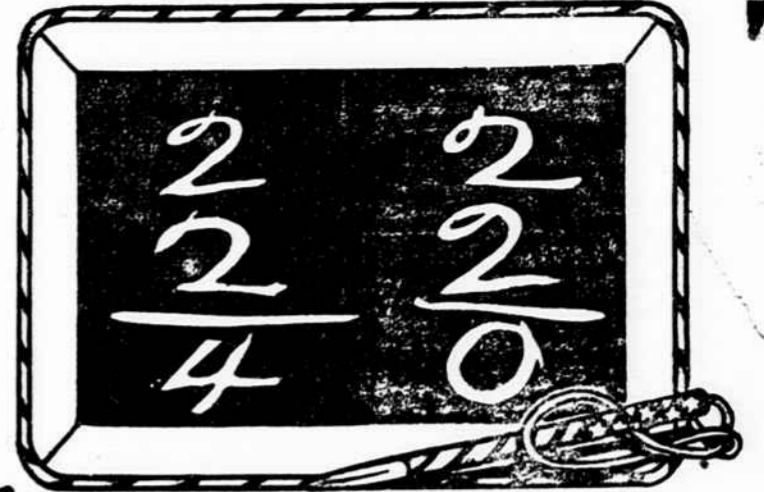


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