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## FIVE MINUTE CHATS ABOUT OUR PRESIDENTS

By JAMES MORGAN

### PRESIDENT FOR A MONTH

1773—February 9, birth of William Henry Harrison at Berkeley, Va.  
1791—Entered the army.  
1801-14—Governor of territory of Indiana.  
1811—Battle of Tippecanoe.  
1816-19—Member of congress.  
1819-21—Member of Ohio senate.  
1825-28—United States senator.  
1828-29—Minister to Colombia.  
1836—Candidate for president.  
1841—March 4, inaugurated ninth president, aged 68. April 4, died in the White House, aged 68.

### JOHN TYLER

1790—March 29, John Tyler born in Charles City, Charles City county, Va.  
1827-36—United States senator.  
1840—Elected vice president.  
1841—April 6, became tenth president, aged 51.  
1845—March 3, signed joint resolution for annexation of Texas.  
1851—President of the peace convention in Washington. Elected to Confederate congress.  
1862—Jan. 17, died in Richmond, Va., aged 71.

ALTHOUGH William Henry Harrison was elected to the presidency as the log-cabin candidate, in the first of our frenzied, parading campaigns, he was born to one of "the first families of Virginia," in a manor house on the banks of the aristocratic James. As a son of Benjamin Harrison, signer of the Declaration, with the blood of Pocahontas in his veins, and as a descendant of a Cromwellian colonel who signed the death warrant of a king, no president has had a longer, more historic lineage.

In ability William Henry Harrison fell below the standard of his predecessors. He was elected not because he was a great statesman or a great soldier, but because he was thoroughly representative of the new West, which was flattered to see in the White House for the first time a man created in its own image.

At Harrison's inauguration the presidency entered an eclipse and was held for 20 years by secondary characters, who reigned, but did not rule. With men of the eminence of Clay and Webster, Calhoun and Benton, latterly Cass and Houston, Douglas and Davis, Case and Wade, Seward and Sumner in the senate, distinction and leadership passed from the White House to the capitol. It was an ignoble period in our politics when both parties were dodging the irrepressible issue of slavery.

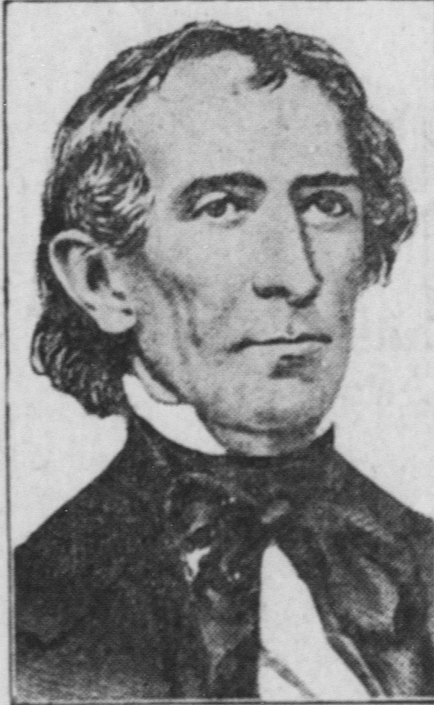
In the teeth of a piercing northwest wind, the old farmer president-elect, bareheaded and disdaining the protection of an overcoat, rode horseback to the capitol. After addressing a great crowd that slivered in its shawls and furs, he insisted, though half-frozen, on remounting his horse and leading the inaugural parade.

No sooner was the first Whig president in the chair than the claims of factions and the clamor for patronage assailed him. Clay had declined cabinet honors—and labor—in the confident expectation of playing the easier and more powerful role of the power behind the throne. The imperious manner of the Great Commoner wounding the presidential pride, he was requested to make his calls at the White House as infrequent and inconspicuous as he conveniently could. Thereupon his total absence became embarrassingly conspicuous.

The one clear mandate of the election of 1840 was to turn out the Democrats and give the jobs to the Whigs. Straightway a hungry horde fell

GREATNESS and the presidency found John Tyler down on one knee, playing "knucks" with his boys in a pathway of his dooryard in Williamsburg, that stately old viceregal village of colonial Virginia. He had not even heard that Harrison was ill, until dearest, without steam, wire or rail to carry it, sped to him from Washington by boat and buggy with the news that the president had been dead a day and that the empty presidential chair was awaiting the vice president. Tyler belongs among the third or fourth-rate presidents. Although a clean-handed, kindly man of good presence and polished manners, he was a mediocre country lawyer.

As John Tyler stepped into the White House, its door closed against



John Tyler.

the party which had elected him only five months before. Death had turned out the Whigs after 30 days of power and caused a political revolution.

Clay looked upon the accidental president as only a regent for the Harrison administration and for the Whig party. Early in the extra session of congress, that impression of the senator from Kentucky was sharply corrected by a presidential veto of one of his own bills—a banking bill.

The Whigs were wild with rage; the Democrats filled with glee. The Democratic senators hastened in a body to the White House, where they were patting Tyler on the back while a Whig mob outside in the yard was making a vociferous, but futile protest. When the next veto came in Clay himself called the cabinet together and the members, with one exception, agreed to resign.

The exception was none other than that of the secretary of state, Daniel Webster. "Where am I to go?" the god-like Daniel thundered in his bewilderment. Some told him to go to one place, some to another. He held on for two years, until he had concluded the negotiation of the Ashburton treaty, which fixed the disputed boundary between Maine and Canada, and then he resigned.

Upon Webster's retirement, Tyler installed in the state department his mentor and idol, John C. Calhoun, and thus completed the overturn. The cabinet was now out and out Democratic and of the pro-slavery brand. Texas had seceded from Mexico, which had abolished slavery, and its American settlers, who were facing the choice of slave labor or free labor, were anxious to be admitted to the Union. The slave holders of the southern states wanted to expand their power over the vast Texan empire as an offset to the rapid expansion of the free states in the great West. But northern sentiment was opposed.

At an opportune moment for the annexationists, the ubiquitous John Bull, with his omnipresent gunboat, appeared on the Texan scene as a mediator between Mexicans and Texans. His entry gave the slave interests the needed villain for the play, and the cry went up that we must annex Texas to keep the British from grabbing it.

Nevertheless the senate rejected overwhelmingly the treaty of annexation. Thereupon Tyler proposed to beat the devil around the stump, and Texas was annexed the last night of the administration by a simple joint resolution, rushed through the two houses of congress.

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## AVOID SKIDDING BY USING CHAIN

Proper Handling of Clutch and Brakes Will Prevent Rear Wheels From Locking.

### DON'T TURN STEERING WHEEL

More Than Extra Caution Should Be Exercised by Driver, Especially the Novice, to Avoid Accidents on Wet Days.

Choose a smooth bit of asphalt pavement when it is free from traffic and where it is nice and slippery from a spring shower. Speed up to the traffic limit, put on the brake and at the same time turn the steering wheel slightly to one side. See what happens. Then sit in the back seat and let some one else skid the car. You will be cured, at least until you forget the "gone" feeling.

The open season for skidding is spring, summer, fall and winter. It comes with late frost and cold rains, with the thunder shower and the street sprinkler, with the equinoctial and earliest snowflakes and with loose snow, packed snow and ice. But you may escape it or at least its dangerous phases and learn to neutralize the effect.

#### Chief Cause of Skidding.

The chief cause of skidding is running on a wet pavement at dry pavement speed. Then you want to stop quickly and apply the brake, but the car does not stop. The rear end slews around and hits the curb or another vehicle, or the car goes straight on and drifts into a trolley, automobile or pedestrian. You should treat a car on a wet pavement the same as you treat yourself on ice, as though always expecting your feet to go out from under you.

Front wheel skids come chiefly from rounding a corner or curve at so high a speed that the front wheels lose their traction. To overcome it apply the brake gently, which will drag the rear wheels and give the front wheels a chance to take hold.

Another cause of skidding which comes chiefly in the country, is due to a crowned road, or one which is freshly oiled. The novice will find a crowned road—that is, one which is higher in the center than at the sides—is often dangerous when wet. A road which is much traveled accumulates quite a bit of oil, and water added makes it a mighty slippery proposition. One is likely to take a sudden slide into the ditch.

#### Chains Surest Safeguard.

Anti-skid chains are necessary when traveling on roads such as I have described. Their use is not imperative on the front wheels ordinarily, although many careful drivers apply them there. Chains are the surest safeguard against skidding.

When a skid occurs, turn the front wheels in the direction of the skid, release the clutch and apply the brake gently when the wheels seem to take hold, not before. Do not apply the brake too harshly or you will increase the skid action.

Skidding often may be prevented by throttling down the engine and applying the brake while the clutch is still engaged. This will prevent the rear wheels from locking. It is a peculiarity of traction that revolving wheels are less likely to skid than where they are locked and sliding over the pavement. But when you try this method be very sure that when the brake is applied you do not twist the steering wheel.

The novice would do well to test this method on a wet pavement where there is no traffic. Make the skid as directed earlier in this article, but at a very moderate pace, and then try to correct it by this method.

### Repair Valve Stem.

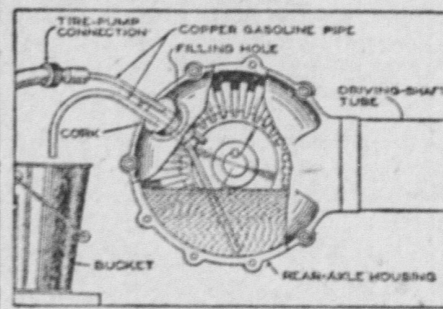
To repair a broken valve stem the fittings should be removed and the stem slipped back in the tube. Now make a small hole in the tube a short distance from the valve stem, bring the valve out again through this hole, and in so doing the fabric in the original valve hole will not be injured. The small cut formerly occupied by the valve stem can be vulcanized easily.

If the valve is battered so that no fittings can be removed the valve can be sawed off across to the cut with a hack saw and the nut can then be easily taken off.

### REMOVE GREASE FROM AXLES

Garage Mechanic Has Devised and Constructed Arrangement for Flushing Out.

The necessity of removing and replenishing the grease in the rear axles of cars, where no drain is provided, caused a garage mechanic to devise and construct the following simple arrangement which facilitates removal and permits flushing out of the housing thoroughly with kerosene.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.



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## AUTOMOBILE HINTS

Wheel alignment can be disturbed by striking a curb too sharply.

Dim your lights when approaching another motorcar on the road.

Use common sense at all times as you'll save trouble for yourself and the other fellow.

Engaging the clutch too harshly can permanently harm a part of the power transmitting system.

Never back or swing from the curb into the street without looking back to see if the way is clear.

In passing a slower moving vehicle pass it on your left, but in passing a street car always keep to the right.

Learn to shift gears without clashing. Practice will show the exact engine speed needed to make a noiseless shift.

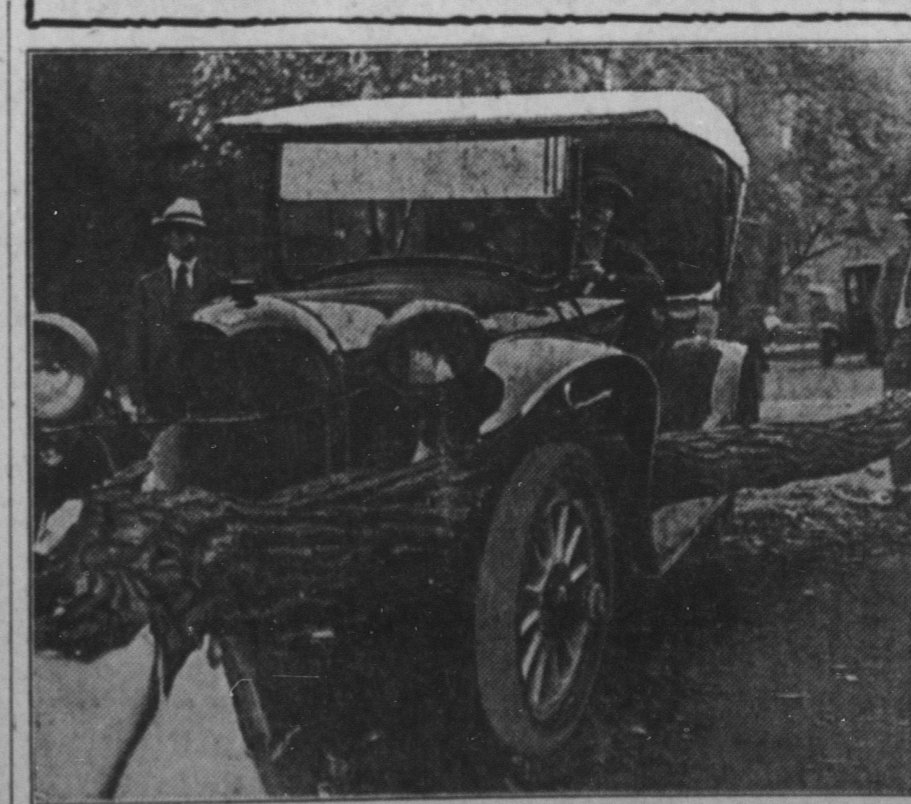
Do not cut the corners in turning but keep well to your side of the street, and look both ways before you make the turn.

Attention to lubrication regularly will avoid rapid wear of a part. Once a part is badly worn a lot of lubricant helps little.

Stop when the street car ahead of you stops and stand still till all passengers getting off are out of the street. In most cities this is required by ordinance.

Often it is difficult to start a nut on a thread of the bolt. A few draws of a small three-cornered file on the first thread will almost always cure the trouble.

## WOMAN DRIVER HAS NARROW ESCAPE



The rotting of the roots of a large tree caused it to fall just in front of Mrs. T. G. Nicholson, 4530 Clarendon avenue, Chicago, as she was driving in her car. Mrs. Nicholson could not stop in time to avoid hitting the tree. A large branch pierced the left mud guard between the wheel and engine hood. After the branch was cut away, Mrs. Nicholson drove the car home. She was uninjured.

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### Playing the Game.

"Why don't you go into politics?" asked the summer boarder. "I'm already in," replied Farmer Cornbloss. "I'm takin' a deep interest in several kinds of election." "But you never join the conversation in that line." "I'm glad you noticed that. What I'm tryin' to train for at present is recognition as a 'sphinx.'"

## Nervous Spells—Near Heart Failure Etonic Stopped It

Mr. C. B. Loats, writing from his home at Lay, Md., says, "I had been taking medicine from four specialists, but believe me, friends, one box of Etonic has done me more good than all the remedies I have ever tried. I was in awfully bad shape. About half an hour before meals, I got nervous, trembling and heart pressure so bad I could hardly walk or talk. One box of Etonic stopped it."

Etonic quickly produces these truly marvelous results, because it takes up the poisons and gases and carries them right out of the body. Of course, when the cause is removed, the sufferer gets well.

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### Fortunate Bride.

After a fashionable wedding in Philadelphia two girls were heard discussing the features of the event. Said one: "How did you think the bride looked?" The other girl smiled and answered: "Oh, remarkably well-groomed."

## Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It

Applicants for Insurance Often Rejected.

Judging from reports from druggists who are constantly in direct touch with the public, there is one preparation that has been very successful in overcoming these conditions. The mild and healing influence of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its remarkable record of success.

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However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

When the Clothes Give Out. "You seem to be in a quandary, Obediah."

"I am. With a few alterations this barrel could be made to fit me, but I don't know whether to take it to a carpenter or to a tailor."—Judge.

### Important to Mothers

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Hot Stuff. Teacher—An abstract noun is something you can see but can't touch. Now, Willie, give me an example.

Willie—A red-hot poker.