

**The Benders Identified.**

FREMONT, Neb., August 2.—It is generally believed here that the two prisoners arrested a few days ago and held by Sheriff Gregg, are the notorious John or Old Man Bender and his wife, of Kansas, who several years ago made robbery and murder of their guests a regular business. Suspicion was first aroused by their inquiries as to whether the whereabouts of the Bender family had yet been discovered. They were traveling on foot through the country and were overtaken thirty miles west of here. Gregg accosted them with "Hello, Kate." The woman at once replied "My name ain't Kate Bender." In jail they were interviewed by a Mr. Hooftan, who once lived near them in Kansas. He fully identified them. The woman denied that she is Mrs. Bender, but says her male companion is Old Man Bender. Hooftan showed the male prisoner a plan of Bender's Kansas house, adjoining the graveyard which the old man acknowledged was a correct drawing. The woman was then interviewed alone. She recognized Hooftan, but said she never expected to see him again. She expects that telling the truth now will save her, but acknowledges the possibility of hanging. The woman insists that Bender's wife was left in the Choctaw Nation in 1876, three years after the flight of the family from Kansas, and died in the Territory in that year. The couple will be taken to Kansas for further identification. The Bender family fled from Kansas in 1873. Shortly after that time ten or twelve bodies were found in the garden of their place, among others that of State Senator York, of Kansas.

**Singular Freaks of Lightning.**

The *Norristown Herald* of Saturday gives the following account of the singular freaks that the lightning played at a house in that borough the other day:

"Lightning struck the kitchen chimney at the residence of Mr. Wm. E. Thomas, on Elm street, at about 7 o'clock Friday morning. The fluid descended into the kitchen, breaking the range, demolishing a stove-pipe and set on fire some paper that was in the range, burning it and scattering it over the room. A can of coal oil on the range was not touched, while a number of flat irons on the same article of kitchen furniture were thrown about the room. Soot was scattered through the apartment. The family were not at home at the time and the damage was not discovered until Mr. Thomas returned at about 7 in the evening. The paper thrown over the room was completely charred, but the carpet, singular to say, was not set on fire. The neighbors saw smoke coming from the chimney in the morning and were attracted by it because the family were thought to be absent, but no investigation was made. Mr. Thomas' surprise upon seeing the condition of affairs in the evening and gratification at the narrow escape from fire, can be imagined.

Mr. Joseph R. Elbert and family, living in the adjoining house, say the smell of sulphur was so strong that they were compelled to leave the building. No damage was done there, although the chimneys of the two houses are built together.

**A Very Tough Yarn.**

A Bradford, Pa., special despatch says: John Fannin, Jr., of Elk, is the toughest man in the country. A few nights ago he loaded up with the oil region whiskey, and laid down to sleep on the railroad track near Elk Creek bridge. While John was asleep a locomotive, drawing thirty-five freight cars came along. The whole train passed over him. John was found some time afterwards by a track walker. He was sitting on a log by the side of the railroad. A few rags that hung here and there about his person was all the clothing that was left on him. His skull was crushed in over the right eye. His face was badly crushed. From his throat to his knees his body looked as if a jackplane, set deep, had passed over it. The four fingers of his left hand were gone. The track walker said the man looked as if he had been passed through a thrashing machine. He is getting better. He says he must have laid on his back between the rails. The cow-catcher of the locomotive is only ten inches above the ties. The ash pan is only eight inches above them.

**A Disappointed Darkey.**

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**HENRY KELL,**  
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July 13, 1880.

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