

A coon got after John Atchison's chickens, and the dog treed the coon, and as there were no men folks at home, Mrs. Atchison, our heroic little Gallatin post mistress, shouldered the shot gun and brought his coonskip to the ground. That is right. Mothers, learn your daughters to handle the gun for they may want to use it for pleasure and they may need to use it in self defense.