

BIRD FLIES INTO MOUTH

MAN YAWNS AND GETS THE SUR-
PRISE OF HIS LIFE—SO
DOES THE BIRD.

Minot, May 8.—While going at the rate of thirty-five miles an hour yesterday afternoon J. S. Loomis, of Council Bluffs, Ia., who was out with a local automobile party looking over Ward county land, had a little experience which he won't soon forget. The machine was headed north and going against a stiff wind. Loomis opened his mouth to yawn and before he had time to close it a sparrow flew directly into the cavity. Needless to say the bird was equally as startled as Mr. Loomis and lost no time in getting out of its strange quarters.

The party brought Loomis into the city immediately and he was taken into a local physician's office where several small scratches made by the bird's claws were given attention.
