

Page 10 (Book page 75) gives more details on Needham's fiddle playing at the Overstreet's first hotel they built.

The text states, "Mr. Needham Bass and a friend, who were great "fiddlers," were in this hall, and a large crowd had gathered to listen to the music. Some of the men had too much to drink and drove an ox and cart up into the hall, and of course, the crowd scattered in every direction. Quiet was restored when Mr. Overstreet ordered them to take the ox and cart outside of the house. This friend of Mr. Bass, whose name I have forgotten, would fiddle away on an old familiar tune while the crowd was dancing to the music. Once in awhile and unexpectedly, he would sing out the following: "Up to the loft, down to the cellar, Ole Needham Bass is the hell of a feller." Then he would fiddle right on again."

