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Local and Personal

Renew your subscription. Go to Mrs. Coates for dressmaking. Private board solicited.—Mrs. R. W. Hughes

Ladies silk gloves at Warren-Fooshee and Company. Try Addison Bros. for Groceries. The Cash Store.

Mating from 15 to 50 cents at Near's Furniture Store. W. W. Odom is on the market for a few good yearling steers.

W. R. Clements, of Roswell, was a business visitor this week. Remember that Wilsford & Davis have cooked meat every day.

S. F. Wooding the Texico butcher, was a Portales visitor Monday. J. E. Priddy and D. W. Pinkston are enjoying an outing in Texas this week.

Millinery—The latest and most popular styles, to be had at Mrs. Coates. Ask your grocer for Roosevelt county brooms and then take no other.

Everyone who has bought a Roosevelt county broom says they are the best. Warren-Fooshee & Company have just received their fall and winter clothing.

The best is always cheapest. You can get Best Drugs at Ed J. Neer's Drug Store. Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Bryan made a trip to their farm in the Blacktower district this week.

See Mrs. Garrett for millinery. She is making close prices. Wilsford & Davis have just received a big shipment of boneless hams and Bologna sausage.

Remember, that if you desire the best in commercial printing, the Times is the right place. E. H. Wright, who for the past thirty days has been staying at Roswell, returned last Saturday.

Joe Howard, W. H. Garrett and Judge Carter are this week prospecting on the proposed Belen cut-off. We are agents for the genuine Pictou Mainland Coal, the best on the market. Jones & Morrison's Grain Store.

John Goodwin has opened a butcher shop in the rear of his grocery and is a candidate for a share of your patronage. George Henderson, night operator at the Santa Fe, took an outing last week. His fishing stories are a fright.

FLAGS, flags, flags, at Warren-Fooshee & Company. Tell your neighbors about Roosevelt county brooms. None on the market are better.

Attorney R. C. Reid, who has charge of securing the right of way for the Belen cut off, was in Portales Wednesday. H. C. Maxwell, expert piano tuner expects to interview owners of pianos in Portales relative to work in that line.

C. M. Mason sold to Wilsford & Davis Tuesday, eight two-year old heifers that were considered a way above the average. Pasture—Mrs. Benedict, two miles south of Portales, has one-half section pasture, for horses \$1 and for cattle 75c per month.

Mr. Maxwell, of the Palace of Sweets has ordered thirty five gallons of the celebrated Steffen's ice cream for the Fourth of July. Mrs. Garrett & Keith would be glad to have your sewing and repairing.

Rev. J. H. Franklin, of Kansas City, Mo., will preach at the Baptist church next Monday night, July 3. Everybody come and hear him. Get your Fourth of July suits at Warren-Fooshee & Company's.

Ford Brothers, who are farming Joe Howard's place four miles from town, out their oats this week. They claim a yield of thirty-five bushels per acre. Monday last Rev. Sebe J. Thomas stopped off a few hours with friends in Portales. He was on his way to Elida to assist in a revival meeting which began last night.

Bascam Howard, who represents the Christian-Paper Tobacco Company, of St. Louis, is visiting with his parents for a few days, and incidentally looking after his oat crop. A large line of Star-Ave Star shoes at Warren-Fooshee & Company's.

Several of our business men visited Texico last week and their report would indicate that the county seat was the only place after all. They are unanimously of the opinion that there is a heap of smoke, but mighty little fire.

W. S. Winters, who owns a half section of land in the Blacktower district called at the Times office Wednesday. Mr. Winters is an enthusiastic believer in the future of the county and is proving it by building a new farm house.

Young People's Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Keet Jones gave an afternoon to a large company of little folks last Tuesday in honor of their little daughter, Wessie. The affair was a very enjoyable one and was highly appreciated by all present. Ice cream, cake and other delicacies were served. Mrs. Jones was assisted by Mrs. W. W. Odom, Mrs. Hunter and Miss Ella Hunter. Those present were: Misses Neva Odom, Pearl Lesch, Fannie White, Mary Stewart, Annie Johnson, Gay Coates, Mattie Does Hightower, Edith Daniels, Vera Humphrey, Estell Coates, Willie May Culberson and Mary Smith and Masters Wortham Odom, Bavard Hawkins, Edwin Neer, Edward Price, Garland Raborn, Ruskin Johnson, Mose Chesler and Chester Garrett.

Tallmadge Arrested. Tallmadge the immigration grafter, was arrested at Roswell and given a preliminary hearing on the charge of subornation of perjury. He was bound over to the federal grand jury and his bond placed at \$5,000.00. His arrest was caused by Grosvenor Clarkson, special government land inspector, who expects to be able to prove that Mr. Tallmadge has employed different people to enter upon and prove up government homestead land. Mr. Clarkson states that this arrest is only preliminary to a large number of others that will follow, and that whole sale fraud has been perpetrated in the artemisia belt. Tallmadge, of course, claims that all his land transactions have been regular and legitimate.

The Woman's Club. Met at the Club rooms last Friday taking up especially Victor Hugo, Pasteur and the Germ theory. It was voted to ask Dr. White to lecture for the Club on the Germ theory and that the meeting be open to women in general. Dr. White has agreed to give this lecture within a few weeks.

The following program will be given at the next meeting Friday at 4:30 at Mrs. W. O. Oldham's, July 7: Zola.....Mrs. Stone. De Lesseps.....Mrs. Pearman. Balzac.....Mrs. Curtis. Magazine Articles.....Mrs. Oldham and Misses Seymour and Kuykendall.

Epworth League. Sub., National mercies a ground of righteousness. Lesson, Ps. CVI. (Independence day.) Opening song, America. Prayer. Reading of lesson by leader, Mr. Davis.

Song. A patriots prayer for his nation, Ora Kuykendall. A national independence seen from God's point of view, Isa. 63, 7-14. Mr. Carr.

Song. Confession of national sin and acknowledgement of mercies, Della Barnes. The intercession of the guest saves from national peril, Mr. Jones.

Song. Of what have we as a nation to repent? Talk, J. H. Messer. Song. Close with League Benediction.

B. Y. P. U. Program. Christian conduct, Leader, John Maxwell. Lesson 1st Peter 2nd. Song No 210. Paper, Miss Bessie Wooding. Secular quotations, Willie Green. Song No 14. Life of Paul, Dr. Pearce. Recitation, Jim Dobbs. Song No 193. Bible Quotations, 1st John 2-7 Miss Joe Green. 1st John 3-16, Bro. Cox. 1st Peter 3-10, Mrs. Green. Song No 175. Roll call.

M. E. Church South. Sunday school at ten o'clock. Let us see if we cannot make the Sunday school attendance a little larger every Sunday. You ought to just see our school, we think it is fine. The Epworth League meets at 4:30 p. m. We are anxious for all the young people to attend. Preaching at both services by the pastor. Morning subject, "A wicked man surprised." and at night, "Gods warnings against apostasy." All invited.

J. H. MESSER, Pastor. Baptist Church. Sunday school at ten a. m. Our school is gaining ground, come and see. Theme for 11 a. m., "The divine indwelling of Christ in hearts of men." 9 p. m. "The much needed preparation Strangers are most cordially invited to attend these services. I will preach at the Portales Springs school house at 4 p. m. The church is especially requested to be present next Wednesday night as special business claims our attention.

D. E. BAKER, Pastor. J. E. CAMP DENTIST

W. O. W.

The Woodmen of the World will give an entertainment at the court house on the evening of the 4th of July and all Woodmen and their families are especially invited. Doors open at 8:30 p. m. Admission free. Refreshments will be served with the program.

Dying of Famine is, in its torments, like dying of consumption. The progress of consumption, from the beginning to the very end, is a long torture, both to victim and friends. "When I had consumption in its first stage," write Wm. Myers, of Cearfoss, Md., "after trying different medicines and a good doctor in vain, I at last took Dr. King's New Discovery, which quickly and perfectly cured me." Prompt relief and sure cure for coughs, colds, sore throat, bronchitis, etc. Positively prevents pneumonia. Guaranteed at Pearce & Dobbs drug store, price 50c and \$1.00 a bottle. Trial bottle free.

H. P. Hodson, the Roswell creamery man will be here Tuesday and desires to meet all those who will furnish milk for the skimming station to be put in here. There is about one thousand and milch cows in this vicinity which should be paying their own way. The station at Elida is giving general satisfaction and the farmers of that community are agreeably surprised at the increase in their earnings since the station was put in. Come to the court house Tuesday evening and meet Mr. Hodson.

Found a Cure for Dyspepsia. Mrs. S. Lindsay, of Ft. William, Ontario, Canada, who has suffered quite a number of years from dyspepsia and great pains in the stomach, was advised by her druggist to take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. She did so and says, "I find that they have done me a great deal of good. I began using them." If troubled with dyspepsia or indigestion why not take these Tablets, get well and stay well? For sale by Pearce & Dobbs.

Joe Howard left Wednesday for Texas and the Indian Territory. He was well supplied with advertising matter and will, no doubt, bring a large number of settlers back with him. While gone he will visit Nalle, Caddo and Durant, Indian Territory, and Greenville, Cumby and Sulphur Springs, Texas. Joe is engaged in a good work for our county and should be encouraged and assisted by every citizen of the county.

Those of our readers who, in addition to their home paper, want a NATIONAL news and family journal, are advised to subscribe for the ST. LOUIS GLOBE-DEMOCRAT, which is published in the solid central city of the Union and stands at the very front among the few REALLY GREAT newspapers of the world. The DAILY GLOBE-DEMOCRAT has no equal or rival in all the West and ought to be in the hands of every reader of every daily paper. The WEEKLY GLOBE-DEMOCRAT, issued in semi-weekly sections, a BIG SEMI-WEEKLY AT ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR, is indispensable to the farmer, the merchant or the professional man who desires to keep thoroughly posted but who has not the time to read a large daily paper, while its great variety of well-selected reading matter makes it invaluable to every member of the family. See advertisement elsewhere in this issue and write to the Globe Printing Company, St. Louis, Mo., for FREE SAMPLE COPY.

You need not go to the trouble of cooking for the Fourth of July, the Presbyterian ladies will serve you an elaborate dinner for 25c or a lunch for 10c. On this day come to Portales care free, with no baskets to bother and worry you and when you get hungry go to the court house and patronize the ladies. Ice cream and lemonade will also be served.

Keep your bowels regular by the use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. There is nothing better. For sale by Pearce & Dobbs.

Mrs. Culberson closed her summer school Friday afternoon with exercises appropriate to the occasion. At the noon hour ice cream and other refreshments were served to the pupils and a very enjoyable time was had. Mrs. Culberson is one of the most popular and pleasing instructors we have ever known and her success with children is phenomenal.

The following contests have been filed and will be heard before Judge Lindsey at this place: Jerrie L. Ward vs Travis McCabe; Salina B. Beckham vs Ulrich Emil Wiesendanger; Charles L. Orr vs John T. Dixon. This activity in contests would indicate that Roosevelt county farms are coming in so demand.

They Should "My honest conviction, based upon my own experience and of my friends, is that 'Hunts Cure' will cure a larger percent of skin troubles—especially of an itching variety, than any other remedy. Certainly those afflicted with any form of itch should try it." 50c per box. J. O. Moore, Atchison, Kan.

J. A. FAIRLY

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About Rheumatism. There are few diseases that inflict more torture than rheumatism and there is probably no disease for which such a varied and useless lot of remedies have been suggested. To say that it can be cured is, therefore a bold statement to make, but Chamberlain's Pain Balm which enjoys an extensive sale, has met with great success in the treatment of this disease. One application of Pain Balm will relieve the pain and hundreds of the sufferers have testified to permanent cures by its use. Why suffer when Pain Balm affords such quick relief and costs but a trifle? For sale by Pearce & Dobbs.

Summer Normal Institute The Roosevelt County Summer Normal Institute will be held at Portales, N. M., beginning August 14, 1905. Term two weeks. Prof. I. P. Skinner, Instructor. Each teacher will be required to pay fee of \$3. All teachers wishing to teach in Roosevelt county public schools the coming year are required to attend the Institute. Teachers wishing Course of Study will notify me at once. Price 25c each. J. S. PEARCK, County Supt.

If you want the Likeness of yourself or your family OR A VIEW Of your place, you should see R. W. JONES, PHOTOGRAPHER PORTALES, N. M.

Epworth League Subject, Augustine and the early Missions to England. (Missionary) Lesson, Matt. 14-14, Isa. 55-5-10. Opening song 127 Prayer Reading of Lesson by Leader, Elma Smith Song The coming of the Tuetons, J. H. Messer The religion of the invaders, Minnie White Song The origin of English missions, Mr. Davis Augustine and his band set forth, Georgie Stewart Song Reception of the missionaries, Mrs. Austin The work of Augustine and his associates in England, Willie Greenc Song The work of other missionaries in England Song Collection Close with League Benediction ARTIE KUYKENDALL

Warren-Fooshee & Company received their Fall and Winter Clothing this week. If you want your money's worth, call and see us. No trouble to show these goods, and less to sell them.

THE TIMES AND American Farmer both for one year, only \$1.00

Sixth Annual Ke-union Camp Stone-wall Jackson U. C. V. West Texas Cowboy Association and Randall County Fine Stock Show at Canyon City, Texas, July 11, 12, 13, and 14, 1905.

Special efforts will be made to make this a better, bigger and more attractive occasion than ever before. EXCURSION RATES on all the Railroads.

FRED CROSBY Tonsorial Artist

The Man With

Out a Bank

Account

is traveling on foot. While his competitor who has a bank account at THE BANK OF PORTALES is riding on the fast flying train of progress. Which of these two competitors are you going to imitate.

Call and see us and we will advise with you.

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This reward is offered because certain unscrupulous persons make false statements about these remedies. It is understood that this reward applies only to goods purchased in the open market, which have not been tampered with in any way.

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I. A. WALKER, Salem, Ind. Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first package will cure you. If it fails he will return your money. 25 CENTS. Never sold in bulk. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Bright's Disease and Diabetes We desire to place in the hands of those afflicted with Bright's Disease and Diabetes a 36-page pamphlet, that is saving human lives. It is not an ordinary pamphlet, such as is commonly used to advertise medicines, but is principally made up of reports of scientifically conducted tests in a large variety of cases showing 87 per cent of recoveries in those hitherto incurable diseases. The specifics employed in these tests are known as the Fulton Compounds and the results obtained prove conclusively that these dreaded diseases so long fatal (the deaths from Bright Diseases alone are appalling, over 100,000 a year, starting as kidney troubles) have at last yielded to medical science. The pamphlet is free. Write to John J. Fulton, Co., 400 Washington street, San Francisco, Cal.

When to suspect Bright's Disease: puffy ankles or hands; weakness without apparent cause; kidney trouble after third month; frequent urination, (may show sediment or cloudy on standing); falling vision; day drowsiness—one or more of these.

KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS WITH Dr. King's New Discovery FOR CONSUMPTION, CROUPS and COLDS. Price 50c & \$1.00 Free Trial. BUREAU and Quickest Cure for all THROAT and LUNG TROUBLES, or MONEY BACK.

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DR. T. C. WHITE, Physician and Surgeon. Office at White's drug store, 'phone No. 24.

DR. J. S. PEARCE, Physician and Surgeon. Office in Pearce & Dobb's drug store, Telephone No. 1.

DR. W. W. PENN, Physician. Office at Neer's drug store, diseases of eye, ear, nose and throat a specialty, glasses accurately fitted, office phone 16, residence 49.

DR. J. E. CAMP, Dentist. Office in old Bank of Portales building Portales, New Mexico.

HENDRIX & REESE, Attorneys at Law. Practice in all the courts, office first door east of Newcom's restaurant.

FITZHUGH & ELLIS, Lawyers. Office in rear of Bank of Portales, Portales, New Mexico.

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C. L. CARTER, Surveyor. I will survey your claim for \$5.00, and will take especial care to make survey to fit original survey. Phone 63.

W. E. MILLER, Watchmaker and Jeweler. Forty years' experience in watch making. All kinds of repairing promptly done and work guaranteed. At White's drug store.

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Budweiser and Schlitz Beer. Two Bottles for 25c.

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Fine Wines, Liquors and Cigars. A Gentleman's Resort. Billiard and Pool Tables in Connection.

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Stag Saloon, Liquors. The very best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars. We try our best to please you.

Blood Runs Like Water In the Streets of Lodz

Lodz, Russian Poland, June 26.—Friday witnessed the most terrible rioting. While the exact number of victims is not known, estimates place the killed and wounded as high as 1000.

The city resembles a shambles and the terrible scenes of the last two days will never be wiped from the memory of the people. Altogether there are ten regiments in Lodz.

The fighting spirit of the people is fully aroused. They have tasted blood and want more. Certainly the revolutionary spirit is abroad and it remains to be seen whether military measures will have the same effect as previous.

The troubles were initiated by the Social Democrats and Jewish Bund, who determined to avenge their comrades killed in the rioting of Wednesday. Thursday the fete of Corpus Christi passed off quietly, but during the night workmen attacked the patrols. In this fighting two officers and seven Cossacks were killed. One of the latter was shot by a girl 13 years old.

At dawn Friday commenced the day of terror. The city was given up to bloodshed. Anarchy and fierce street fighting prevailed all day. Barricades were hurriedly constructed in the Jewish quarters at dawn. Men climbed to the roofs of houses, cutting telephone and telegraph wires to use for entanglements in the streets, while others cut down telegraph poles and used them in strengthening barricades which had already been constructed and in building others.

Early in the morning two bombs were thrown from a crowd into the barracks, killing or wounding twenty soldiers. This started the shedding of blood, which continued until midnight. At 11 o'clock all the factory hands struck and flocked into the streets. Cossacks, dragoons and infantry charged the surging mobs, time after time, firing volley after volley into the serried mass. The rioters later replied with revolvers, while comrades on roofs and in windows joined in the fusillade. Some dashed vitrol from points of vantage upon the troops in the streets below. The burning fluid drove it victims into frenzy and led to scenes of terrible character.

Fighting continued throughout the day, and only diminished in intensity at nightfall, when the city was plunged in to utter darkness, as practically all the street lamps had been destroyed. Even then occasional volleys and isolated rifle shots were heard in different quarters, troops received orders to shoot any person appearing in the streets. The dead were carried off to cemeteries in military wagons, the troops acting as undertakers. Sunday morning many dead and wounded were still lying in the streets and court-yards.

Terrible, indeed is the plight of the wounded, for medical aid is unobtainable, and many are dying for lack thereof.

The little 3-year-old daughter of Sam Lomle, L. T., was bitten by a small diamond rattlesnake and died before medical aid could be summoned.

Harrison Wells, a Choctaw Indian, was picked up by the police about a mile from Ardmore with his skull crushed. He will die. Officers are investigating the case.

Worms Infest Oklahoma Fields. Guthrie, Ok.: Web worms are getting in their work on Oklahoma cotton fields, according to reports received from Cleveland, Lincoln and several other cotton counties. Fifty cotton planters in the vicinity of Lexington, in Cleveland County, report considerable damage by web worms. In Lincoln county the number reporting the worms is even greater, but in that locality the farmers are using Paris green with considerable success.

Comfort for Race Suicide Talkers. New York: Births in this city at the rate of one every five minutes are recorded by the Health Department for the past week, during which period 2011 were reported. It was announced at the department that the birth rate of New York has now risen to about 21 per 1000 and is higher than any other city in the United States. Five or six years ago when there was no much talk about race suicide the birth rate was only 26 per 1000.

Big Blaze at Nashville. Nashville, Tenn.: Fire in the retail shopping district Sunday caused the estimated damage of between \$500,000 and \$650,000. The Palace, four-story building, 245 Fifth avenue north, occupied by Harris Bros., wholesale and retail milliners, and Jacob Bros., owned by Norman Kirkman, burned. The Manly, six stories, 301 Fifth Avenue north, occupied by the Nashville Dry Goods Company, owned by Norman Kirkman, burned.

Merchant Suicides. Anadarko, Ok.: A phone message has been received here from Verden, a new town ten miles east of here on the Rock Island Railroad, stating that B. E. Bebee had killed himself by blowing out his brains with a shotgun. Mr. Bebee had been city clerk of Anadarko for two years and only recently moved to Verden and opened up a mercantile business. He leaves an invalid wife and a number of small children.

FARMERS' UNION MEETING.

Waco is the Place and the Time is August 8-12.

The executive committee of the Texas Farmers' Union announces that the State Convention of that organization will be held in Waco August 8 to 12, inclusive. An interesting program will be planned and it is expected that more than 1200 visitors will be in attendance. There are now about 3000 unions in the State.

The proceedings of the union are always held behind closed doors, but it has been determined by the executive committee that there shall be one public day given over to addresses in favor of organization among farmers. Hon. James S. Hogg has been invited to deliver an address on that occasion, and it is stated that he will accept if his health permits.

One feature of this annual meeting will be a trades display to be held under the superintendence of the Waco Farmers' Union, joined by the labor unions of Waco.

Trinity and Brazos Valley Extension. Austin: Galveston and Dallas are to have direct rail connection with the Colorado and Southern, through the instrumentality of its recent Texas acquisition, the Trinity and Brazos Valley. The extensions were provided for in an amendment to the charter.

THE PEACE MOVEMENT. Washington, June 26.—Russia has transmitted to the President the names of her plenipotentiaries who are to meet those of Japan in Washington to discuss peace. Negotiations for peace have taken an important step forward, a proposition for the date of the meeting of the plenipotentiaries at Washington having been submitted to Russia and is now under consideration.

The exact date proposed has not been ascertained, but there is reason to suppose that it is some time during the first week or ten days of August, which is about the earliest period at which the Japanese representatives could be expected to reach Washington.

of the Brazos Valley, providing the road shall be extended north from Cleburne to Fort Worth and thence from Fort Worth to Dallas; that an extension be built south from Mexia to Galveston, through Houston, and finally a line from the main line near Mexia to Dallas. This last with the two first extensions will give the road a triangle in the rich belt of North Central Texas, the Dallas-Mexia line opening an entirely new territory of some spots. The original charter of the Brazos Valley called for a road from Cleburne to Houston, with a line to Orange, through Beaumont.

A Big Registry Haul. Memphis, Tenn.: Registered mail matter valued at \$20,000 was mysteriously looted somewhere between the mail car on the Iron Mountain Railway and the Memphis postoffice on Friday night, and the secret was so closely guarded as to leak out only Sunday. The missing mail came from Texas, Oklahoma and the West and was intact up to the time the packages were taken out of the postal car safes to be placed in bags for the Memphis transfer.

When these bags were opened the registered mail had disappeared. All other sacks were searched and all connecting trains telegraphed to no purpose. Washington was wired and detectives scattered like hounds after a trail. The clerks handling the mail were some of the oldest in the service with first-class records. No arrests have been made but all who could possibly be connected are under close surveillance.

New Territory-Texas Road. Guthrie, Ok.: A Territorial charter has been issued to the Muskogee and Texas Railroad Company, capital stock \$4,000,000. The incorporators are Horace Speed and Thomas J. Lowe of Guthrie, Walter Eaton, Henry G. Baker and Norman R. Haskell, of Muskogee. The road will run from Cushing, Ok., to Honey Grove, Texas, 250 miles. Starting from Cushing, running through Payne County east and through the Creek Nation to Muskogee, thence to Honey Grove.

Removing Grease Spots. Cornstarch will remove grease most effectually. Rub a little fresh, dry cornstarch into the solid place, and it will at once begin the process of absorbing the grease. Brush the first used off carefully from the garment and proceed in the same way with more until the disfigurement has entirely disappeared.

The First Baptist Church at Denison will soon erect a new building of concrete construction.

It is reported that a crate factory of Cadillac, Mich., will build a branch factory at Fort Worth, which will employ from one hundred to one hundred and fifty men.

Rcedus Carpenter, whose home is in Greenville, fell under the wheels of the Katy Saturday night at Roysse City and had his right leg terribly crushed. Local surgeons amputated the leg above the knee and he was sent to Greenville.

ADDS TO SPLENDOR

MEN OF BUSINESS RECOGNIZE ADVANTAGES OF ACETYLENE.

Famous Summer Hotel, the Grand Union of Saratoga, Has Installed This Best of All Artificial Lights—Means Increased Comfort and Health.

Saratoga, June 27.—The very name, "Saratoga," brings to every mind cards and water might be termed a gas plant, as it performs all of the functions of a city gas plant. The acetylene generator can be purchased for one dollar and in any size, from one adapted to furnish acetylene to ten or a dozen burners for a cottage, up to the large but still simple machine such as is now furnishing Acetylene for six thousand burners in the Grand Union.

Outside of large cities the use of Acetylene is quite common. The owner of the country home now demands running water, gas and other conveniences which a few years ago were considered as luxuries, and acetylene gas has met his requirements, and gives him a better and cheaper light than is ordinarily furnished in cities.

It is well known that rooms lighted with Acetylene are more comfortable, because cooler, and more healthful because the air is not vitiated.

The Doctor in the Duel. A medical man in France was asked to be present at a duel in his professional capacity. He got up early, traveled some miles, "fired" the swords and ministered to his client, who was slightly wounded. When both honor and wound were healed he looked for his fees and sent in a bill for \$10. The patient replied through his wife, who wrote: "I am told that between men there is a question of delicacy which forbids even the slightest appearance of trade in such a matter. Neither the doctors nor the seconds are brought on the ground for money. If you persist in your claim I shall to my great regret, be obliged to leave to others the duty of settling this fine point with you."

Nansen is Athletic. The greatest and most successful Arctic explorer in modern days, Fridtjof Nansen, has been visiting England. Nansen is said to be a splendid looking man. Over six feet tall, he is that rare thing—a scientist who is also an athlete. He wears his hair tossed vikingwise, back from his forehead. Nansen has many close friends in England and he and his beautiful, gifted wife—she is one of the most successful Swedish singers—often entertain English travelers in their delightful house on the Christiansia fjord.

Of Wide Interest. Breed, Wis., June 26.—Special—Chas. Y. Peterson, Justice of the Peace for Oconto Co., has delivered a judgment that is of interest to the whole United States. Put briefly, that judgment is, "Dodd's Kidney Pills are the best Kidney medicine on the market to-day."

And Mr. Peterson gives his reason for this judgment. He says: "Last winter I had an aching pain in my back which troubled me very much. In the morning I could hardly straighten my back. I did not know what it was but an advertisement led me to try one box of Dodd's Kidney Pills. After taking one box I can only say I feel as if I were well as ever I did before."

Pain in the back is one of the first symptoms of Kidney disease. If not cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills it may develop into Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Rheumatism or some of the other deadly forms of Kidney Disease.

False Alarm. He—Clara, I want to ask you a question. She—This is so sudden! He—I know, but I can't stand it any longer. The fact is one of the legs of your chair is on my foot, and I was going to ask you if you would kindly remove it.

Naval Battles Now and Then. In the old days of close range fighting in wooden ships the most stubbornly contested naval battles showed no such proportion of killed and drowned as the slaughter in the ill-fated fleet which Rojestvensky led from the Baltic to the Sea of Japan. Now there are no buoyant spars and other light wreckage from sinking ships to save their surviving seamen, and the victorious enemy's vessels are usually too far away to render much assistance.—Cleveland Leader.

THE RED FLAG FLOATS IN MANY RUSSIAN CITIES.

Quieter at Lodz, But Gloom Rests Over the Empire.

Lodz, June 27.—Since the proclamation of martial law the situation has become quieter. The rumor of an approaching massacre of Jews has caused 20,000 Jews to leave the town.

Scattered cases of rioting as a result of the insurrectionary spirit, however, continue. One of these occurred yesterday in the old Protestant Cemetery, when a patrol was fired on from behind a wall. The patrol charged and killed twelve persons, five men, four women and three children.

Business is at a standstill and all traffic has been stopped. A case of disaffection among the troops was reported yesterday to the officers of one regiment, informing their commander that they would refuse to fire on defenseless people. The regiment was at once transferred to another place.

St. Petersburg, June 27.—These are gloomy days for the government of Russia. Every new dispatch accentuates the seriousness of the situation in Poland and the Caucasus where a state of almost open war exists and reports of strikes, demonstrations and agrarian disorders are pouring in from many parts of Russia proper as if the volleys fired at Lodz had been the signal for an outbreak of general disorders like those following the events of "Red Sunday."

Up to the present St. Petersburg and Moscow have not been affected, but if mobilization is to be attempted in the two capitals, as reported, recurrence of former tumults is apt to be precipitated.

Another danger spot is Georgia (Russian Trans-Caucasia), the warlike inhabitants of which are deeply incensed over the affront offered to their clergy, seventy of whom while meeting to discuss the question of Church and State were attacked by Cossacks, who dispersed them with knouts. The priests in their protest against this action, practically laid their country under an interdict which pronounced in the Middle Ages, by refusing to solemnize baptisms, marriages and other rites of the church until redress is given by the whole orthodox church of which the Georgian Church is part. There is much discussion of the incident and the beating of the priests has caused wide indignation.

The situation offers a test of the ability of Gen. Treppoff and the new Police Commissioner is virtually on trial before the Emperor and Russia to justify his selection for so responsible a post.

A dispatch from Erivan reports a new and alarming feature of the situation in the Caucasus in the desire of Persian Mohammedans to join their Moslem brethren across the border, which would convert a strife into a real holy war, and kindle a flame which would devastate the Southern Caucasus and be extinguished only by streams of blood.

Industrial Dividends Increased. New York: Total dividend and interest payments for July will reach \$140,311,500, according to the Journal of Commerce. This is a heavy increase over July, 1904, of approximately \$5,500,000. Quite a number of changes appear in the industrial dividend disbursements, which show an increase of about \$5,300,000, as compared with the January total, a gain of about \$1,000,000, compared with the July payments a year ago.

Orient's First Texas Train. Sweetwater: The first Orient train to haul passengers is billed for the excursion from Sweetwater to Sylvester, twenty-two miles north of Sweetwater, on July 4 and 5. There will be a barbecue, music and other attractive features. This is a free excursion and R. L. McCauley of the Panhandle and Gulf road, the Texas branch of the Orient, promises plenty of good things to eat and drink for all who come.

New National Bank for Dallas. Dallas: Following Saturday's bank merger, the most recent item in local financial circles is the announcement of a new National bank to be substituted for the former organization of the Southern Bank and Trust Company. The latter named company was projected a few months ago and a two-story building for its future home was erected and is now owned by Mr. Moser.

Want a Branch in Texas. Dallas: N. W. Dunham, Immigration and Industrial agent of the Iron Mountain railroad, has received a letter from a large iron manufacturing concern in St. Louis authorizing him to secure them a location in Dallas for the establishment of a branch house. This is one of the largest concerns in St. Louis and manufactures a great deal of iron, which is used for various purposes by the railroads.

Twenty-one Cadets Drowned. Copenhagen: A serious disaster occurred Sunday night when the Danish cadet training ship Georgestage was rammed and sunk by the British steamer Ancona. The Georgestage sank in one and one-half minutes. Twenty-one cadets were drowned and fifty-seven were rescued. The boys were all in their bunks at the time of the disaster. The night was overcast but it was not so dark objects could not be seen.

MILEAGE IN TEXAS.

Amount of New Road Constructed in Past Six Months.

Austin: R. A. Thompson, engineer to the Railroad Commission, has compiled an interesting statement of railroad mileage constructed in Texas during past six months ending June 30. It was as follows:

St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexico, between Robstown and Refugio, 28.8 miles; same road from Bay City south 17 miles; Nacogdoches Southeastern, from Nacogdoches east 5.6 miles; Jasper and Eastern, from Kirbyville to Sabine River, 17.5 miles; Panhandle and Gulf, from Sweetwater north, 12.8 miles; Texas and Gulf, Timpson south 15 miles; total 88.6 miles.

During the entire fiscal year ending June 30, 1905, new railroad mileage was constructed in Texas as follows:

St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexico, Hidalgo branch, 47.6 miles; same road Robstown to Refugio, 42.8 miles; same road, Bay City south 17 miles; Texas and Gulf, Timpson south 15 miles; Panhandle and Gulf, Sweetwater north, 13.6 miles; Nacogdoches Southeastern, Nacogdoches east, 12 miles; Jasper and Eastern, Kirbyville east, 17.5 miles; total 165.7 miles. Thus the total railroad mileage in operation in Texas on June 30, 1905 will be 11,701.8 miles.

The following railroad mileage has been contracted for and is under actual construction: Orange and North-western, Buna to Newton, 31 miles; St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexico, Refugio to seven miles west of Bay City, 80 miles; same road, Bay City to Alamo, 60 miles; total 171 miles.

The following is a statement of the substantial road mileage, surveyed and projected for the State of Texas: Trinity and Brazos Valley, Mexia to Houston, 155 miles; Cleburne to Fort Worth, 28 miles; St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexico, Kingsville to San Antonio, 150 miles; San Antonio and Gulf, Stockdale to Cuero, 42 miles; Panhandle and Gulf, Red River to San Angelo, 225 miles; Fort Worth and Rio Grande, Brady to San Antonio, 155 miles; Beaumont, Sour Lake and Western, Sour Lake to Houston, 65 miles; total \$20 miles.

The foregoing does not include the new Trinity and Brazos Valley extension, nor a number of others which are thought to be certain.

Killed Herself and Children. Grand Lake, Colo.: Mrs. Watt C. Gregg shot and killed her four children and attempted to take her own life Monday. The tragedy is believed to have been committed by the woman during a fit of temporary insanity. Mr. Gregg, who was on his way to a neighbor's house, heard shots in the direction of his own home and hastily returning found his wife lying wounded on the doorstep and three of the children lying on the floor in pools of blood. The other child was sitting in a chair, dead. The children ranged in age from 6 months to 8 years.

Orange Paper Mill Resumes. Orange: The yellow pine paper mill that has been undergoing repairs and has installed more than \$50,000 worth of new and improved machinery, has started up again and expects to make not only a better class of paper than it formerly turned out, but will produce more than double the quantity at less than half the cost per ton. There is ample demand for all that it can handle.

Martin is to have a new opera house to cost \$100,000 outside of the lot, which was donated as a bonus.

Galveston's First Bale. Galveston: The first bale of cotton of this season's crop to be marketed on change in the world reached this city from Roma, Starr County, Texas, from M. Guerra & Son. It was classed good middling. The bale came eleven days later than last year's. It was auctioneered off, sold for 30c per pound to Col. W. L. Stafford from Inman, Nels and Co., and was shipped to Havre, France.

Baltinger Compton, a well known citizen of Hays County was instantly killed by an electric light wire in front of the express at San Marcos. Compton leaves a mother, a son and a daughter. He was 48 years of age and an excellent citizen.

Ellwood Barman, convicted of murder in the first degree for killing William Murray, and sentenced to be hanged, was found dead in his cell at Millington, Pa., Tuesday. He committed suicide by taking carbolic acid.

The Texas and Pacific Railroad's new pond, which furnishes water for the big shops at Marshall, broke from the heavy pressure of water. The damage will amount to several hundred dollars.

In a dispute about vacating a house at Latch, Upshur County, Charles Langford, a tenant, shot Louis Williams, dangerously wounding him, and killed a young man man, a son of Williams. Langford is in jail.

Mayor Shelly of Austin says that in sixty or ninety days he will make an official announcement of the consummation of a contract with an Eastern company, whereby the Austin water and light plant is to be taken over for a number of years and in return the dam is to be built.

The new Texas Midland shop buildings at Terrell have been completed and foundations for the new machinery are being finished. The new shops will open as soon as the machinery arrives and can be put in place.

WHY THEY ARE HAPPY

TWO NOTABLE RECOVERIES FROM EXTREME DEBILITY.

Husband's Strength Had Been Wanting for Three Years, Wife a Sufferer from Female Weakness.

"My strength had dwindled so that I couldn't apply myself to my business with any success but was tired and listless all the time," said Mr. Goldstein.

"I went to bed completely used up by my day's work, and when I got up in the morning I didn't feel rested a bit. I had awful headaches too, and my kidneys got out of order and caused me to have severe pains in the back. At one time I became so feeble that I could not stir from bed for three weeks."

Mr. Goldstein is a young man and had been but recently established a home of his own. His anxieties were increased by the fact that his wife was far from being robust. Mrs. Goldstein says:

"For two years I had been ill most of the time. Sometimes I was confined to bed for weeks in succession under a physician's care. I had headaches, kidney trouble, pain about the heart and many more uncomfortable symptoms connected with that weakness to which my sex is peculiarly subject."

"Trouble had invaded this household and settled in it in just the years that ought to be the very happiest. Physicians could not tell them how to get rid of it. 'I was utterly discouraged,' said Mr. Goldstein. 'Then the urgency of some friends led me to try a blood and nerve remedy which was said to be wonderfully successful. Within a month there were unmistakable signs of improvement in my condition, and within a year I was completely well. Through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I have now as good health as I ever had in my life.'"

Mrs. Goldstein adds: "The wonderful effect that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills had in the case of my husband led me to try them and they helped me even more quickly than they did him. One box made me decidedly better and a few months' treatment cured me."

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Richard Wagner's Revolt.
Richard Wagner, the composer, was an ardent Republican in 1849. In the archives of Dresden there has just been unearthed a document setting forth a case of high treason against the musician. He was accused of having written to a friend a letter proposing to turn Saxony into a republic. "But whom shall we make president?" he asked. "I see nobody competent for the office except our present sovereign, Frederick Augustus II." Frederick Augustus does not seem to have appreciated the humor of the suggestion that he should doff the crown and content himself with the dignity of a Republican president. For this flash of unconscious fun, Wagner had to bolt to Switzerland.

Evolution of the Canary.

The evolution of the canary of today from its ancestor—or should it be ancestors?—of some centuries ago is as wonderful as the bringing of our present queen of the garden from its humble progenitor, the wild rose of our hedgerows. There surely could hardly be a contrast more striking, says a writer in *Cage Birds*, than that of the modern crested canary with its wonderful head feather, or the giant Lancashire and the great yellow little creatures who fluttered and sang in the orange groves of the sunny islands whence they take their name. The writer sees no reason why canaries may not become the size of the song thrush.

Shock to Oyster Bay.

There was considerable excitement at Oyster Bay, Long Island, over the announcement that President Roosevelt had purchased an estate in Virginia. It was feared that the chief magistrate contemplated deserting his old home, but a reassuring letter from Washington says Mr. Roosevelt has no idea of doing so permanently. He will spend part of his time in Virginia, but will continue to vote from the old Long Island homestead.

PHONE AID TO MATRIMONY.

Girl with One in Her Home Always Popular in Young Men.
It is needless to say that the telephone is a great institution, says the *Utica Press*. It has long been an absolute essential in every place of business. Just now there is a great increase in the number of phones in private houses. It is possible to talk with pretty much everybody at his or her home. The companies are evidently endeavoring to boom that branch of their business, because they are advertising extensively. The other day a St. Louis paper had a big display at the top of which was a picture of an attractive young lady telephoning and represented as saying: "Is that you, Harry?" The text beneath it includes this statement: "It is a well-known fact that the girl who has a telephone is the girl who has the most friends and consequently has the best time."

This appeal to the young people is adroit and doubtless will serve to make the St. Louis exchange bigger and busier. The parents who have marriageable daughters will do well to consider this ingenious contrivance as a modern aid to matrimony. It is something of a bather for a young man to call or even to write a note asking the young lady to go to the theater, go for a walk or drive or a ride to the park, but if he can transmit the message by telephone it is an easy way of making an appointment. Many a delicious message is telephoned these days and there is reason to believe the statement made by the St. Louis company. It applies, of course, with equal force in every American city. The young ladies whom a life of single blessedness has no charms are not exactly buying a lottery when they hire a phone. They can get much pleasure and comfort out of it as they go along, for it is a constant contributor to convenience. It is worth the price, with the enhanced matrimonial possibility thrown in as an extra inducement.

STATUS OF THE BABY.

Two Species Meet and Recognize Their Mutual Obligations.
The home baby and the hotel baby met on the northeast corner of the park entrance. "I am surprised," said the hotel baby, "to see the way you dress. Are you not aware that those loose gowns are no longer in vogue in the best corridors?" "Oh, I just slipped this on, louncing around," said the home baby. "Nothing like being comfortable, you know." "I suppose," said the hotel baby, "that you would never hesitate to sacrifice good form to comfort. With me, it is different. I have to maintain a certain standing. My mother, for example, never dares to go down to the table without her full complement of rings on." It is just as necessary that I should preserve the family appearance." "Dear me," said the home baby, "how tiresome. Can't you sneak away at times down the coal hole, or out in the back alley and let yourself loose?" "Never!" said the hotel baby, with dignity. "Somebody is always watching me." "I tell you what you do," said the home baby; "you come home with me. The outside world cannot see us there. We'll kick up our heels and just have a real good time."

Free Certificate for Himself.

The following story is told of the late Dr. James C. Swan, a physician of the old school, who practiced his profession for a great many years in Bridgewater, Mass., and the surrounding towns. This generous if not alluring offer was made by him to the penniless father of an insane young man. The old man wished to secure his son's admission to the insane asylum, but seemed unwilling to pay for the necessary certificate. After hearing his plea of poverty, which the doctor knew to be true and hearing him also tell of the many expenses to which he had put his ungrateful children, the physician waved his hand to end the recital. "Now, see here," he said, sharply; "you just pay me for this one, and I'll give you a certificate for yourself, whenever you wish it, for nothing."

Value of General Culture.

We must educate everybody in our respective neighborhoods in order that we may have the benefit of competition and of appreciation, writes Governor C. B. Aycock in the *Nationalist*. You may educate your son and daughter to the fullest extent possible, giving to them the learning of all the world and put them after their education in a community where there are no other educated people, and they will fall to develop and grow as they would if they lived in a community where there was general culture. The man who stands easily head and shoulders above his neighbors will never be very tall. If he is to surpass his neighbors and be really great, he must have neighbors who are almost great themselves. He cannot work out of himself the best there is in him until he is forced to do so by the competition of others almost or quite as strong as he.

Divisions of the Drama.

Mrs. Craigie, better known to novel readers under her pen name of "John Oliver Hobbes," has just come forward with a new dramatic generalization, though she frankly admits that in stating it she is but the self-appointed mouthpiece of a small girl of her acquaintance who frequently accompanies her theater-loving parents to the play. According to this nine-year-old authority all drama is to be divided as follows: "Tragedy is where you wear fancy dress and get murdered. 'Just plays' is where you're like other people and die of illness or commit suicide. 'Comedy' is where you go through with a great deal and yet live."—*New York Times*.



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A girl can always wring her hands when she can't get any fellow to do it for her.

It Was the "Iowa Idea."

Director of the Mint Roberts is telling a story on an Iowa friend with whom he recently visited the Lewis and Clark exposition grounds at Portland, Ore. The Iowa man had been accustomed to receiving railroad passes and dead-head tickets at theaters, so when he was confronted with a sign announcing the admission charge of 50 cents to the grounds he was inclined to balk. "Here," he said to his friend Roberts, "I don't like the idea of paying 50 cents to get in there. Wait a minute and I'll hunt up these fellows who are running the show, Lewis and Clark, and see if I can't get a pass."

"Nerve" and "Nervous."

Sir Frederick Treves's testimony that the Japanese "have no nervous system" and that "nerves," as we know it, is an untranslatable term in Japan, invites a reference to the rather mournfully significant history of the words "nerves" and "nervous," by derivation from Greek and Latin and by earlier English use, is really a sinew. When Pope speaks of "nervous arms" he means exactly the "brawny arms" of the village blacksmith; and this sense survives metaphorically in a "nervous style of writing," which is very different from a "neurotic" one. Shakespeare had "nervy" in the same sense. But now the "nervous" no longer mean sinews, but—well, nerves—"nervous" in the common use has almost reversed its old meaning. In Johnson's time "nervous" in the modern sense was still only "medical cant." There were more men of "nervy" (strength and courage), no doubt, and fewer of "nerves."

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