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Report of the Condition of the

## First National Bank,

At Portales, in the Territory of New Mexico, at the close of business, June 16, 1906.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$121,972 74
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,106 00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	6,250 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	562 03
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	5,231 05
Due from National banks, not reserve agents	39,795 43
Due from approved reserve agents	24,052 84
Checks and other cash items	4,461 14
Notes of other National Banks	2,059 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	43 77
Legal-tender notes	55,471 69
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer	12,331 49
5 per cent of circulation	312 50
Total	\$217,245 34

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 25,000 00
Surplus fund	5,000 00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid	15,471 22
National Bank Notes outstanding	6,250 00
Due to other National Banks	1,500 70
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	23,191 70
Individual deposits, subject to check	131,024 64
Demand certificates of deposit	350 00
Time certificates of deposit	9,250 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	523 00
Total	\$217,245 34

Territory of New Mexico, County of Roosevelt, ss. I, W. O. Oldham, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of June, 1906. W. A. Davis, Notary Public.

(SEAL)  
W. E. Lindsey, Ed. J. Neer, Directors.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$122,300 36
U. S. Bonds and Premiums	6,832 03
Banking House and Fixtures	5,231 05
Cash and due from Banks	82,811 30
Total	\$217,245 34

LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock	\$ 25,000 00
Surplus and Profits	20,471 22
Circulation	6,250 00
Deposits	165,524 12
Total	\$217,245 34

Warren-Fooshee & Company receive new goods every day in the year.

## ...The City Drug and Furniture Store...

ED J. NEER, Proprietor.

That we carry the only complete and up-to-date line of Furniture to be found in Roosevelt County is a fact so well established that it requires no further comment. Remember that here you get "More for the Same, or the Same for Less." Everything exactly as represented, and represented exactly as it is. Also a full line of School Books and Stationery. Remember the place, stone building, opposite First National Bank.

### FURNITURE.

Bedroom Suites at \$20.00 to \$50.00  
Iron Beds at \$2.50 to \$20.00, Folding Beds, Chiffonieres, Dressers, Sideboards Wash Stands, Rockers, Parlor and Kitchen Chairs, Dining and Center Tables, and Undertaking Supplies.

### Undertaking

Our Undertaking department is complete. No extra charge for disinfecting and preparing the dead for burial.

Prompt attention given to mail orders.

### DRUGS.

Being the only registered Pharmacist in the city you will make no mistake by bringing me your prescriptions or buying your poisons here. Neer's Loadstone Liniment cures Frost Bites.

## CITY DRUG AND FURNITURE STORE.

### Local and Personal

Cowboy boots made to order at R. M. Sanders.  
Watch the goods move at Wilsford & Son. You had better hurry.  
See Warren-Fooshee & Company for high grade clothing.  
Ruchter paint is as good as the best. Get it at the Red Cross drug store.  
Just received a car of cement. Burton-Lingo Company.  
See Warren-Fooshee & Company for the best shoes made.  
Screen doors all sizes at Burton-Lingo Company.  
All boot and shoe work done at R. M. Sanders is guaranteed.  
Gutta Percha paint is good paint. Get it at the Red Cross drug store.  
See Bain for your blacksmithing and wood work. Slover's old stand.  
A nice line of summer lap dusters at R. M. Sanders.  
Screen doors all sizes at Burton-Lingo Company.

Mrs. R. A. Bain is visiting relatives and friends near Matador, Texas.  
List your claims for quick sales with 12th CHAS. KYTE & CO.  
The skating rink is the great attraction now and they all go.  
Read the ad of Blankenship & Woodcock in this issue.  
We have some bargains in furniture. Wilsford & Son.  
Judge W. E. Lindsey made a trip to Lakewood last week.  
Just received a car of cement. Burton-Lingo Company.  
If it is the proper thing, Warren-Fooshee & Company has it.  
The First National Bank has increased its capital stock to \$500,000.00.  
All kinds of hand made boots and shoes at R. M. Sanders harness shop.  
Work has begun on the foundation for the new brick postoffice.  
Remember that at Mrs. Garrett's you have the largest stock to select from.  
You will find something new every Saturday on the bargain table at Wilsford & Son.  
Sewing machine needles at Warren-Fooshee & Company.  
Meyer Bros make only high grade paints. Get them at the Red Cross drug store.  
H. Veach and son, Stanley, arrived from Durant, Monday for a visit with his family.  
Wilsford & Son have a bargain table arranged for every Saturday, in their store, don't miss it.  
Trunks and suit cases. Just received a new stock at Warren-Fooshee & Company.  
Dr. J. R. Bryan is having an addition built to his residence. McGee & Williams are doing the work.  
J. H. Gee and J. B. Sledge will start Monday for an overland trip to Estancia and other points farther on.  
Just received a new line of nobby Stetson hats. Don't fail to see them. Warren-Fooshee & Company.  
The First National Bank has always identified itself in a substantial way with the affairs that concern the good of the community.  
We are prepared to make a few chattel loans on good security. 12th CHAS. KYTE & CO.  
A good rain on the second and two more good ones this week makes a big crop in Roosevelt county an assured thing.  
John A. Fairly has been appointed deputy district clerk, vice P. W. Price resigned.  
Buy the American Beauty corset at Blankenship & Woodcock's. The best made and the most up-to-date of any corset on the market.  
Have your measure taken for your made to order suits at Blankenship & Woodcock. Fit and quality guaranteed.  
The plans for the new school building have been accepted and bids advertised for, so it can't be a great while before actual work will begin.  
Arco Elastic Roof Paint for metal or wood, sold under guarantee to hold five years or new paint furnished free. Get it at the Red Cross drug store.  
Get your gun repairing done at Johnston's photograph gallery.  
Genuine native June corn seed and early dwarf broom corn seed at Bedgood's grocery store. LOGAN BROS.  
For good shoes and J. B. Stetson hats in the latest styles, see Blankenship & Woodcock.  
Mrs. Effa E. Smith, of Los Angeles, California, sister of Mrs. H. B. Ryther arrived Thursday for a protracted visit.  
When ordering goods, why not let us sell you a bank draft or express money order? This is the safest and most satisfactory way of sending money. FIRST NATIONAL BANK.  
Please remember that M. J. Fagard sells the Oklahoma brooms, made by the Crites Broom company of Lawton. Quality guaranteed or money refunded. [21-4]

H. T. Ahrens has his new building opposite the Vendome hotel completed and moved the Club Saloon therein. The new location is a good one.  
A line of the famous Lion Brand clothing just received at Blankenship & Woodcock's. You can't buy better for the money any where.  
Rain, rain, rain. The farmer is happy and the city man, likewise, is feeling mighty good. Crops of all kinds are now a certainty.  
Thomas Laster will move his grocery store into the east side of the new Warren-Fooshee & Co. building as soon as the same shall be completed.  
Joe Howard & Sons are in receipt of information to the effect that forty homeseekers will leave Durant, Indian Territory, for this place on the next excursion.  
Married—On Sunday, July 8, 1906, at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Bryan, Mr. George Byars to Miss Mattie Trammell, Judge H. F. Jones, officiating.  
Dr. T. C. White is in receipt of a letter from Homer Spraggins in which he states that he is in Chicago taking boxing lessons from Harry Gilmore, ex-lightweight champion of the United States.  
Mrs. E. L. Scott, Miss Ella Scott, Miss Sallie Henderson and Mrs. Kittie Nickerson, all of Booneville, Arkansas relatives of J. P. Henderson were visitors at the home of the latter this week.  
Married—At the office of the probate clerk, on Wednesday, July 11, 1906, Sam C. Hunt and Miss Laura Rose, both of Texico, Judge H. F. Jones, officiating.  
Mrs. J. C. Dunlap has received word from her uncle Joseph T. Cowan that the family estate consisting of about \$500,000.00 worth of property, has an excellent prospect for an early settlement, in fact, about one-fifth of the estate is now settled.  
Work on the new Warren-Fooshee & Company stone store building is progressing rapidly and it will not be many days now before they will move their big stock therein. This building is going to be a great addition to Portales.  
W. E. Sooter was taking in the sights of the city this week. He is thinking of entering upon a new profession in the near future which will be a surprise to his friends. He has not decided definitely, as yet, whether it will be law or the clergy. There is only one Sooter and he lives near Portales.  
That the balloonist did not appear on the Fourth is no fault of the committee. They had made a special collection for his pay and they had his contract signed and delivered. All the money donated for this purpose had to be refunded. Now all who disbelieve these statements, can call on Dr. J. E. Camp and examine the letters and a contract.  
The incorporators of the Telephone company are as follows: Herbert Fitzgerald, C. E. Harris, C. E. Lukens, of Roswell; W. O. Oldham, W. E. Lindsey, of Portales; J. C. Norris, B. D. Oldham, A. L. Breeding and B. T. Massey, of Texico. This corporation have bought the old telephone system and will just as soon as practicable put it in first-class condition. The system heretofore has been almost useless and more of a detriment than a convenience but under the new management will be brought up to a high standard of excellence and usefulness.  
\$10.00 Reward.  
Strayed—One dark brown mare mule seven years old, about 15 hands high, branded 79 on left shoulder. \$10.00 reward for her whereabouts, left home June 11. A. C. Carson, Elida, N. M.  
Brown Leghorn Eggs.  
I have full blood Brown Leghorn chickens, the best layers on earth, and will furnish eggs for setting at \$1.00 per 15 eggs, or four settings for \$3.00. Leave orders at Times office. B. D. BOUNDS.

Notice.  
I have found the place to buy my goods. Everything kept fresh and clean, your money's worth of anything, when you buy at the Palace of Sweets.  
The new Telephone Company will put in booths at some convenient place in each town their system extends for their toll line customers and all parties not renting phones will be required to go there to do their talking. We aim to give better service, have more privacy and protect the business interest of our patrons more in future. The booth at Portales will be put in at Pearce & Dobbie's drug store for the present and they will collect fees and otherwise look after the business. The company can no longer maintain wire fence lines nor guarantee service over them and if parties on these lines cannot keep them up and insist on the company looking after them they will be charged extra. W. G. Bayless, Manager.

Presbyterian Church Notice.  
The members of the Presbyterian church in and around Portales and all those interested in Presbyterian work are asked to meet Mr. Russell at the church on Thursday, July 19, at 5 o'clock p. m. A hearty welcome is extended to all who are interested in the advancement of the church work in this place.  
Mrs. WHITE, Sec. Ladies Aid society.  
For Sale—Some first-class milk cows. See J. A. Fairly.

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## THE SEASON IS HERE

When property is continually changing hands. If you need money to invest in real estate, call and see us. The chief function of a bank is to receive deposits and to make loans. These things we are prepared to do, in a manner acceptable to our patrons. Every transaction between the bank and its customers, we regard as of a private nature, not to be divulged by us. Our methods, though conservative, are modern and liberal. A prudent, progressive policy is the mark at which we aim.

**The First National Bank,**  
Portales, New Mexico.

## EAGLE SALOON,

G. C. JOHNSON, Proprietor.



The Very Finest Wines, Liquors and Cigars  
Dripping Springs, Hill & Hill, Kentucky Dew, Hickory Club Guckenheimer and Cedar Run Whiskies, all Bottled in Bond.  
Budweiser and Schlitz Beer, Two Bottles for 25c.

## Snap for the Trade

To make room for our fall and winter Dress Goods which will soon be here, and to clean up all seasonable goods, we will give a big reduction on all

## Summer Dress Goods.

We quote you a few prices:  
All our 12c Organdie and Batiste go at 9c.  
All our 50c to 75c Silk Muls, your choice 48c.  
All our 30c Trnjore Crepes will go at 21c.

## And Many Other Real Bargains

Which we will not mention. Come and see us. Yours for Business,

## Blankenship & Woodcock,

## The Pecos Valley...



Do you Know Where the Pecos Valley of New Mexico is?

Do you know of the many advantages the Pecos Valley holds out to homeseekers? If you don't and want to know all about the Pecos Valley, write us for descriptive literature. The Southern Kansas Railway, of Texas, and the Pecos Valley Lines traverse the Panhandle of Texas and the Pecos Valley.

## Reduced Rates to Homeseekers.

D. L. MEYERS, Traffic Manager.

Southern Kansas Railway Company, of Texas, Pecos Valley Lines, Amarillo, Texas.

J. P. STONE, President. S. A. MORRISON, Cashier. B. BLANKENSHIP, Vice-President  
J. B. SLEDGE, Assistant Cashier.

## The Bank of Portales,

PORTALES, NEW MEXICO.

At the close of business June 26th, 1906. Statement condensed from report to Territorial Auditor

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 55,464 77	Capital	\$ 30,000 00
Overdrafts	3,345 04	Surplus and Profits	8,326 09
Real Estate and Fixtures	6,417 21	Exchange Account	251 95
Cash and Sight Exchange	68,443 32	Due Deposits	97,140 83
Expense Account	2,208 47	Total	\$136,970 87
Total	\$135,878 81	Total	\$135,970 87

I certify the above to be a true and correct statement.

Sworn to before me this 28th day of June, 1906.  
Correct—Attest: J. P. Stone, B. Blankenship, J. B. Sledge, Directors.  
S. A. Morrison, Cashier.  
G. L. REESE, Notary Public.

## Comparative Statement.

The deposits of The Bank of Portales on May 7th 1906.....\$67,475 00  
The deposits of The Bank of Portales on June 26th, 1906.....97,140 83  
Which shows a gain, in one month and nineteen days, of.....\$29,665 83



# MR. BRYAN WOULD SERVE

### MR. BRYAN IS RECEPTIVE.

The Boy Orator of the Platte is Willing to Serve.

Washington, July 9.—Former United States Senator James K. Jones of Arkansas, who was chairman of the Democratic National Committee when William J. Bryan made his campaign for the Presidency in 1896 and 1900, has received a letter from Mr. Bryan, in which he announces he will accept the nomination for the third time if it is tendered to him. The letter is dated June 18 at Stockholm and is as follows:

"I have been watching political developments and have noted with gratification the vindication of Democratic principles. You have consequently stated my position. As I wrote to Col. Wetmore, I shall do nothing to secure another nomination and do not want any unless the conditions seem to demand it. I may add that I enjoy the

freedom of private life and feel that I can do some good without holding office.

"There are, however, certain reforms which I would like very much to see accomplished and to assist in the accomplishing of these reforms I am willing to become the party candidate again if, when the time for nomination arrives, the advocates of reform are in control of the party and think that my candidacy will be given the best assurance of victory. If some one else seems more available, I shall be even better pleased.

"I need not assure you that I am more interested in seeing our principles triumphant than I am in the personnel of the ticket. The country needs to have Jeffersonian Democracy applied to all the departments of the Government, State and Nation, and I am content to help to make this application. Yours truly,

"W. J. BRYAN."

# Dallas Getting on Her Glad Rags

Fort Worth, Texas, July 7.—Major Gen. K. M. Van Zandt of this city, commander of the Texas division, U. C. V., has designated Oct. 25 and 26 as the dates for the Dallas State Reunion. In reference to the reunion the following orders have just been issued from the headquarters:

Fort Worth, Texas, July.—General Order No. 70.—The Major General commanding in the exercise of the authority given to him at the Galveston reunion hereby designates Oct. 25 and 26 as the dates for the State Reunion at Dallas, and directs attention to the following items:

1. It is desired that every camp in the State be represented, and to that end all camps in arrears are requested to forward, without delay, to the Adjutant General, their unpaid State per capita dues.
2. Adjutants of the several camps are hereby directed to forward complete mortality reports from April 1, 1905, to Sept. 1, 1906, to the Adjutant General, who will place same in the hands of the mortality committee. This is absolutely necessary in order that a full report be had of our comrades who have been called home since our last reunion. By order of

K. M. VAN ZANDT,  
Major General Commanding Texas Division, U. C. V.  
Attest: GEORGE JACKSON,  
Adjutant General and Chief of Staff.

### Tried it on the Wrong Party.

Charlotte, N. C.: Early Sunday morning on an excursion train between Wilmington and Steadman a man named Elliston from Autreville, N. C., rising in a crowded coach and showing himself heavily armed, announced his intention to kill everybody in the car. A passenger named Bledsoe, of Steadman, fired at Elliston, killing him instantly. A loaded revolver was found in each of Elliston's hands and between his legs was a jug of whisky.

### Mr. Jordan Will Not Resign.

Atlanta: Harvie Jordan, president of the Southern Cotton Association, in reply to published rumors, says: "Any publication of my resignation from the position I now hold as president of the Southern Cotton Association is unauthorized. I shall continue actively to discharge the duties of my office during the term for which I was elected, and am now busily preparing for the strongest campaign this fall for the maintenance of good prices ever made by the Association."

### Dallas Artillery Equipment.

Dallas: Six cars containing the complete equipment for the Dallas Artillery company arrived in Dallas from Rock Island, Ills. The new equipment for the National Guard, it is said, is valued at \$72,000, and is considered the best that the National Guard of Texas has ever had, including some of the new field guns which are quick firing.

### Lone Highwayman Has Hot Time.

Wawona, Cal.: Five Yosemite Valley stages were held up late Saturday by a lone highwayman, who obtained a considerable amount of money and jewelry. The conveyances were halted in rapid succession at a curve in the road near Athawane at the identical spot where a long bandit operating a year ago relieved several wealthy tourists of their valuables. The stages were traveling sufficiently far apart to avoid each other's dust.

### Victims of Celebrations.

Chicago, July 7.—Fifty-one lives thrown away and 3,551 celebrants maimed or injured, some of them fatally, is the record of this year's Glorious Fourth, as compiled by correspondents of the Tribune up to today.

The loss of life almost equals that of last year, when fifty-nine persons were killed, while every record for the number of injured was broken. Almost 10,000 more were in hospitals or swathed in bandages than on the day following the holiday last year. That the death toll will continue to grow for several days is indicated by a large number of dispatches recording injuries believed to be fatal. The deadly toy pistol was responsible for a big percentage of the injuries and six of the dead. How many of the injured are infected with the germ of tetanus can not be estimated.

J. M. Coburn of Mineola, and formerly of Dallas had two fingers cut off while operating a hand planer in the Mineola Novelty Works late Saturday evening.

### Roosevelt's Ideas Surpassed.

Italy: There lives on the Sims farm, north of Italy, a remarkable family. Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Jewell are native of Cherokee County, and are 38 years of age. They were married in 1888. There was born to them in 1900 twins. In 1903 a boy was born to them with a front tooth below, and in 1906, Jan. 24, there was born to them triplets, Dora, Cora and Flora by name. There are twelve children in all.

### Arkansas Alleges Conspiracy.

Little Rock: Attorney General Rogers and Prosecuting Attorney Rhoten of Pulaski County, have filed suit against the Waters-Pierce Oil Company. Damages in the sum of \$2,000,000 are asked for and the plaintiffs also ask that the company forfeit its right to do business in Arkansas. It is alleged that the Waters-Pierce company is associated with the Standard Oil Company, Republic Oil Company and others.

### Trans-Pecos Crops Saved.

Pecos: What seemed a few days ago to be a disastrous drought for the Trans Pecos country has been broken since the 3rd inst. by plentiful rains over a large area of the valley. Exceedingly heavy rains fell along the eastern side of the valley on Monday and Tuesday, and at present (the 5th) there has been a steady fall for the past seven hours. Stockmen are jubilant, and the crop prospects were perhaps never better than at present.

### Suicide Rather Than Insanity.

Wichita Falls: T. J. Addicks, a prominent business man of this city, left his home Thursday at 9 a. m., and was found at noon Friday beneath the railroad bridge at the crossing of Holiday Creek, east of the city, dead with a bullet hole in his temple. He had been in bad health for some time and in a letter he left expressed his belief that he was going insane, and that he took his own life to avoid the horrors of insanity.

# RAILWAYS SEEK RELIEF.

### Commission Rates Attacked on Constitutional Grounds.

Austin, July 10.—The Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railroad Company and the International and Great Northern Railroad Company have filed suits in the United States Circuit Court at this place attacking the entire body of rates established by the Railroad Commission of Texas since Feb. 23, 1899, which was the date on which the compromise of the suits instituted by the railroad companies in the latter part of 1898 became effective.

The bills of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe and the International and Great Northern are in their main features quite similar. Each company claims that the reductions made by the Railroad Commission since Feb. 23, 1899, have resulted in the diminution to the extent of several hundred thousand dollars of its revenues, and that the rates now existing as a whole are so far from compensatory that they are in violation of the fourteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States, which provides that no State shall deprive any person of property without due process of the law and that no State shall deny any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws.

Among other grounds of complaint it is stated that the reduction recently made by the Commission of passenger fares of the Houston and Texas Central from 3c to 2 1/2c per mile, as a natural and reasonable result, reduces the revenues of each of the companies to the extent of several thousand dollars annually on passenger business competitive with the Houston and Texas Central.

Each of the bills complains not only of the tariffs of rates established by the Commission since Feb. 23, 1899, but also of all rules, orders and circulars issued by the Commission since that date and having the effect of reducing railway rates and charges.

It is shown in each bill that the affairs of the company have been managed prudently and economically and that nevertheless the business has become unprofitable. Each bill concludes with a prayer for injunction restraining the Railroad Commission and the members thereof and the Attorney General from enforcing existing tariffs, circulars, schedules, rules, orders and classifications established by the Railroad Commission since Feb. 23, 1899, and from suing for penalties by reason of the failure of the complaining company to obey such tariffs, circulars, etc., and restraining the Commission and the members thereof from hereafter establishing any tariffs, circulars, etc., reducing the rates below those established by the compromise of Feb. 23, 1899.

The trial of the cases will probably take place at the January term of the court. In addition to these two suits similar petitions are being prepared by the Fort Worth and Denver City, the Rock Island, the Frisco, the Texas and Pacific, the San Antonio and Arkansas Pass, the Missouri, Kansas and Texas and the Cotton Belt. They will be filed within the next few days. The process is returnable on the first Monday in August.

# ALL OVER TEXAS.

### Winnsboro has voted a special school tax.

While at play with a number of his playmates Monroe Ehrlick at Ledbetter was instantly killed by a heavy piece of timber falling on his head, crushing his skull.

Former Judge A. B. Tanner, who committed perjury in order to shield his law partner, the late United States Senator John H. Mitchell, was pardoned by the President.

During a thunderstorm in the vicinity of Berlin, Ok., lightning struck the house occupied by the Reese family instantly killing Wear Reese, aged 17, and severely injuring father mother and another son.

While working at a hay press one-half mile west of Dodd, Joe Finley got his foot caught in the plunger and broke his leg just above the ankle. He was removed to the hospital at Bonham.

At Lafayette, Ind., Mrs. Solomon Gobbau and her six children were burned to death in a fire that destroyed their home here. Solomon Gobbau, the husband and father, was badly burned, but will recover.

Dr. A. W. Morrill, an expert of the Department of Agriculture, is ordered to at once investigate the plan for the eradication of the white fly pest in the orange and lemon trees in the Texas coast country and in Louisiana.

Robert Guldson a Dallas County farmer, aged sixty-six years, whose home was about five miles west of Dallas, dropped dead from heart disease while going out in a pasture to bridle a horse.

Two bales of cotton were ginned at Omaha, a few miles from Brownsville Tuesday and will be shipped to Houston. This is the first cotton ginned in the United States so far as heard from for the season of 1906.

Will Burrows, a young man about twenty-seven years old, was stabbed in the heart and instantly killed one mile southwest of Weatherford, near Cnautauqua Park. The officers now have four persons in jail.

W. A. Carper, a well-known carpenter and for some time prominent in Central labor circles, has been appointed by United States Marshall Eugene Nolte as his deputy for the western district of Texas.

J. W. Cochran, manager of the Hunter transfer line, Texarkana, dropped dead near the Cotton Belt depot. He had been sick for ten days and only reported for duty. He was 40 years old and leaves a widow and two small children.

It is likely that all of the State institutions will return to coal and kerosene as fuel, as the bids to furnish fuel are regarded as too high by the State Purchasing Agent. The present contract price is 60c and 64c per barrel delivered, while the new bids are 97 1/2c and \$1.07 per barrel.

J. F. Strickland, who is in New York financing the proposed Sherman and Dallas Electric Railway, by a message received in Sherman announces he will leave for Texas on or about July 15. It is authoritatively stated that the progress made is very satisfactory.

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J. S. Wallace, a young man whom an elderly man named Penny Satterwhite shot some two months ago near Hope, Ark., because he objected to Wallace's attentions to his daughter, died at Texarkana a few days since.

While J. H. Elrod and his family were on their way to a Fourth of July celebration at Woodbine, their 11-month-old boy fell from the wagon and the rear wheel passed over his chest, crushing it, causing his death in a few hours.

Fire completely destroyed Hamiter & Busby's wholesale grain house, at Shreveport. A representative of the firm says the loss will be about \$30,000, partly insured. Seven mules stabled in the basement burned to death.

The Southern Hotel at Longview Junction was destroyed by fire Friday. The house was worth about \$4,000 and furniture estimated at \$2,000. Insured for \$2,000 on building and \$500 on furniture, most of which was saved in a damaged condition.

Six robust babies were added to the complement of the North German Lloyd liner Grosser Kurfurst on the voyage from Bremen to New York which ended Tuesday, three of them being triplets.

The Illinois Central Railroad put 200 strike-breakers to work at Stuyvesant Docks at New Orleans to take place of the striking freight handlers who went out last Monday on a demand for nine hours and \$1.80 per day.

At a meeting of the city council an ordinance was passed granting to a Chicago company a franchise for the establishment of a gas plant in Waxahatchie. The franchise is for a period of thirty years.

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# BLOATED WITH DROPSY.

### The Heart Was Badly Affected When the Patient Began Using Doan's.

Mrs. Elizabeth Maxwell, of 415 West Fourth St., Olympia, Wash., says: "For over three years I suffered with a dropsical condition without being aware that it was due to kidney trouble. The early stages were principally backache and bearing down pain, but I went along without worrying much until dropsy set in. My feet and ankles swelled up, my hands puffed, and became so tense I could hardly close them. I had great difficulty in breathing, and my heart would flutter with the least exertion. I could not walk far without stopping again and again to rest. Since using four boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills the bloating has gone down and the feelings of distress have disappeared."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.



# Never Disappoints.

"Many extensively advertised remedies are failures when put to the test. Hunt's Lightning Oil is an exception. Confidence in it is never misplaced—disappointment never follows its use. It is surely the grandest emergency remedy now obtainable. For cuts, burns, sprains, aches and pains I know no equal."

Geo. E. Padlock,  
Doniphan, Mo.

One-half the world doesn't know how the other half lives, unless it is by not paying their bills.—Puck.

Lewis' Single Binder straight 5c cigar made of rich, mellow tobacco. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

Charity may cover a multitude of sins, but a lot more will spring up.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. See a bottle.

A wise man may profit by the actions of a fool.

# OPERATION AVOIDED

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She Was Told That an Operation Was Inevitable. How She Escaped It.

When a physician tells a woman suffering with serious feminine trouble that an operation is necessary, the very thought of the knife and the operating table strikes terror to her heart, and our hospitals are full of women coming for just such operations.



There are cases where an operation is the only recourse, but when one considers the great number of cases of menacing female troubles cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after physicians have advised operations, no woman should submit to one without first trying the Vegetable Compound and writing Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for advice, which is free.

Miss Margaret Merkley, of 275 Third Street, Milwaukee, Wis., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:

"Loss of strength, extreme nervousness, shooting pains through the pelvic organs, bearing down pains and cramps compelled me to seek medical advice. The doctor, after making an examination, said I had a female trouble and ulceration and advised an operation. To this I strongly objected and decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The ulceration quickly healed, all the bad symptoms disappeared and I am once more strong, vigorous and well."

Female troubles are steadily on the increase among women. If the monthly periods are very painful, or too frequent and excessive—if you have pain or swelling low down in the left side, bearing-down pains, don't neglect yourself, try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

# TRIED IT ON THE WRONG PARTY.

Charlotte, N. C.: Early Sunday morning on an excursion train between Wilmington and Steadman a man named Elliston from Autreville, N. C., rising in a crowded coach and showing himself heavily armed, announced his intention to kill everybody in the car. A passenger named Bledsoe, of Steadman, fired at Elliston, killing him instantly. A loaded revolver was found in each of Elliston's hands and between his legs was a jug of whisky.

# MUTILATED REMAINS OF A BOY.

Francis, I. T.: The mutilated body of eight-year-old Harry Priestler of West Tulsa, was found in a St. Louis and San Francisco wheat car Sunday night. The boy had been abducted by a tramp last Thursday from his home and is supposed to have been murdered and his body placed in the car to hide the crime. The body was literally cut to pieces. There is no clue to the murderer.

# LONGVIEW TO BUILD LARGE LAKE.

Longview: The amount needed to build a huge dam one mile west of this place, where Harris Creek passes under the Texas and Pacific Railway, has been subscribed and engineers have started to make one of the greatest reservoirs in East Texas. One hundred and fifty acres have been secured, which will mostly be covered with water from two to forty feet deep extending over a mile alongside of the Texas and Pacific Railway.

# ATHENS' PEACH CROP IS GOOD.

Athens: Athens is shipping more peaches and finer ones this year than ever before, and at good prices. Had the crop matured that was on the trees previous to the last destructive freeze, the handling of it would have been a problem. And yet more young trees are coming in every year in this section. The cantaloupe crop is also good here. Many are being shipped, and thus far are bringing fancy prices.

# NEGRESS PLEADS HER CASE.

Tyler: Mary Jackson, a negress, standing charged with burglarizing the store of George Hyman in this city defended herself before a jury in the district court, propounding various questions to the witnesses and handling her case with the view of bringing out everything to prove her innocence. The jury, however, found her guilty and fixed her punishment at two years in the penitentiary.

# GLASS THAT KEEPS OUT HEAT.

An Austrian inventor, Richard Szgmondy, is reported to have made a new kind of window glass whose chief peculiarity is that it prevents the passage of nine-tenths of the heat of the sun's rays.

It is well known that ordinary window glass allows nearly all of the heat derived from the sun to pass through, but on the other hand, intercepts all heat coming from non-luminous sources, such as a stove or the heated ground. This is the reason why heat accumulates under the glass roof of a hothouse.

If covered with Szgmondy's glass a hothouse would, it is claimed, become a cold house, since the heat could not get into it. One advantage set forth in favor of the new glass is that a house whose windows were furnished with it would remain delightfully cool in summer. But in winter, perhaps, the situation would not be so agreeable.

Saved Him.

"It did not kill me, but I think it would if it had not been for Hunt's Cure. I was tired, miserable and well nigh used up when I commenced using it for an old and severe case of Eczema. One application relieved and one box cured me."

"I believe Hunt's Cure will cure any form of itching known to mankind."

Clifton Lawrence,  
Helena, O. T.

Evidently He Had Two.

Little Tommy was very quiet during the first courses, and everyone forgot he was there. As the dessert was being served, however, the host told a funny story.

When he had finished, and the laughter had died away, his little son exclaimed, delightedly: "Now, papa, tell the other one."—Exchange.

First of Grange Banks.

The opening of a bank with a capital of \$25,000 in Tioga, Pa., would not, under ordinary circumstances, constitute a notable event, but as the bank is organized under the auspices of the State Grange, is owned and managed by grangers, and is designed to be the first of a series of grange banks, its opening is very interesting.

A Twenty-Year-Old Fact.

Do you want to stop those chills, get well, fat and happy? We think you do. If so, use Cheatham's Chill Tonic. It is not an experiment, but a twenty-year-old fact. For that number of years it has cured all kinds of chills, and still does so. It is guaranteed.

"The Romans had small regard for human life in their amusements." "Yes," answered the man of violent prejudices. "It's a matter of great surprise to me that they failed to discover football."—Washington Star.

As a rule women are not inclined to lay up anything for a rainy day—probably because they dislike the idea of shopping in the rain.

Lewis' Single Binder straight 5c. Many smokers prefer them to 10c cigars. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

Glittering generalities are the rhinestones of speech.

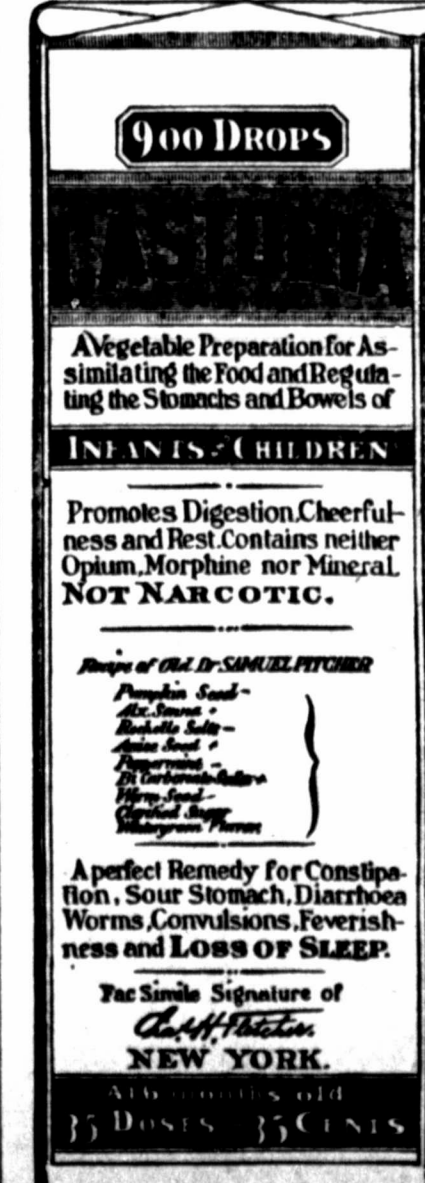
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Boys' folly in rocking a boat led to the drowning of Plum Beach, Sheephead Bay, L. I., of two boys, Benjamin Goetz and Peter Zimmerman, and the narrow escape of four more, who were rescued by passing craft.

The Abilene and Northern Railroad Company has its grade about completed between Abilene and Anson and is rapidly grading on to Stamford. When this road is completed Anson will be no longer an island town.

The steamer Aorangi, which just arrived, brought \$1,500,000 in gold from Australia for San Francisco.

Governor Lanham Wednesday celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of his birth, having been born on July 4, 1846.

Dallas' postal receipt for June were \$24,787.26, a gain of 11 per cent over the same month in 1905.

A contract has been entered into to install a briquette factory at the Rockdale lignite mines.

The Texas and Pacific has added another train from Marshall to Mineral Wells.

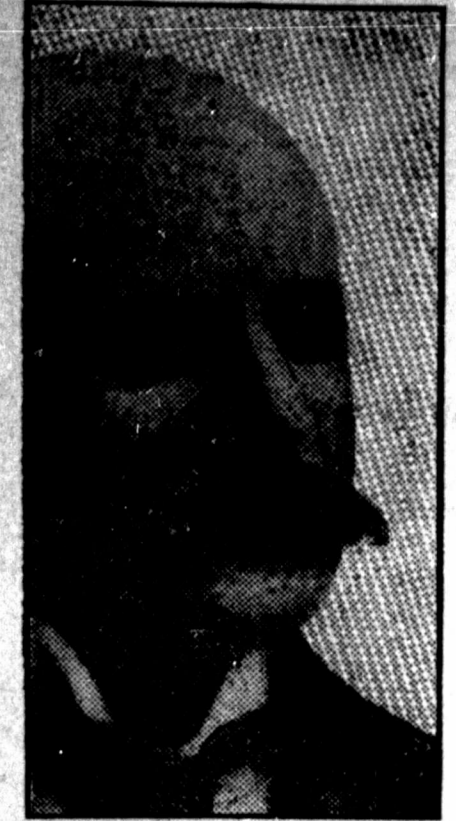
Workmen of Lake Charles, La., are on strike, and will probably die.

A young man of Orange, Tex., was killed by a steam engine.

Murderer from near Muskogee, Ok., while crowding a train at Wichita Falls, Tex., shot a woman below the

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### PE-RU-NA STRENGTHENS THE ENTIRE SYSTEM.

Mr. Chas. L. Sauer, Grand Scribe, Grand Encampment I. O. O. F. of Texas, and Assistant City Auditor, writes from the City Hall, San Antonio, Tex.:

"Nearly two years ago I accepted a position as secretary and treasurer with one of the leading dry goods establishments of Galveston, Tex. The sudden change from a high and dry altitude to sea level proved too much for me and I became afflicted with catarrh and cold in the head, and general debility to such an extent as to almost incapacitate me for attending to my duties."

"I was induced to try Peruna, and after taking several bottles in small doses I am pleased to say that I was entirely restored to my normal condition and have ever since recommended the use of Peruna to my friends."

#### FROM A CYNIC'S DICTIONARY.

- Rouge—Face sulcid.
- Benedick—A penitent bachelor.
- Courage—Marrying a second time.
- Love—The banked fires of passion.
- Divorce—The correction of an error.
- Altruism—Mowing your neighbor's lawn.
- Suspicion—Testing the engagement ring on window glass.
- Jealousy—A tribute to man's vanity that every wise woman pays.
- Furious—A word expressing the pleasure a girl experiences when she is kissed.
- Conscience—The internal whisper that says: "Don't do it, you might get caught."
- Widowhood—The only compensation some women get out of marriage.—Henry Thompson.
- Water Wagon—A vehicle from which a man frequently dismounts to boast of the fine ride he's having.
- Girl Horsebreaker.
- Miss Winonah Von Ohl, a New Jersey girl 20 years old, is making quite a reputation as a horsebreaker. Five years ago, a slender slip of a girl, she went to South Dakota with her mother, who had been sent thither for a change of climate. Miss Winonah learned to ride bronchos out there and on returning east she took to training and breaking horses, in which work she has been remarkably successful. She has never sustained any injury while thus engaged.
- Angel of Lower Rank.
- Father Taylor's youngest grandchild declared she saw angels in the clouds beckoning her to come and play. One day a little friend said: "You're not the only one who sees angels. There's a friend of mine up there, too. See!" Little Pearl looked, and then drew with exasperating indifference: "Oh, yes. But she isn't much of an angel. Is she, sitting on the back doorsteps of Heaven, a-swinging her feet?"
- Scriptures in Russia.
- It is rather remarkable that, notwithstanding the disturbed conditions of affairs in Russia last year, the British and Foreign Bible society reports a banner year in the circulation of Scriptures, over 500,000 copies being distributed in European Russia, besides a very large number in Siberia.
- DOCTOR'S SHIFT.
- Now Gets Along Without It.
- A physician says: "Until last fall I used to eat meat for my breakfast and suffered with indigestion until the meat had passed from the stomach."
- "Last fall I began the use of Grape-Nuts for breakfast and very soon found I could do without meat, for my body got all the nourishment necessary from the Grape-Nuts, and since then I have not had any indigestion and am feeling better and have increased in weight."
- "Since finding the benefit I derived from Grape-Nuts, I have prescribed the food for all of my patients suffering from indigestion or over-feeding and also for those recovering from disease where I want a food easy to take and certain to digest and which will not overtax the stomach."
- "It always had the results I look for when I prescribe Grape-Nuts. For ethical reasons please omit my name." Name given by mail by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.
- The reason for the wonderful amount of nutriment, and the easy digestion of Grape-Nuts is not hard to find.
- In the first place, the starchy part of the wheat and barley goes through various processes of cooking, to perfectly change the starch into Dextrose or Post Sugar, in which state it is ready to be easily absorbed by the blood. The parts in the wheat and barley which Nature can make use of for rebuilding brain and nerve centers are retained in this remarkable food, and thus the human body is supplied with the powerful strength producers so easily noticed after one has eaten Grape-Nuts each day for a week or 10 days. "There's a reason."
- Get the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkg.

## COST OF THE FOURTH

### MESSANGER OF DEATH.

#### Hovers Over the Celebration of Independence Day.

Chicago, Ill., July 5.—The youth of America paid dearly for their Fourth of July celebration, dispatches from many cities of the country indicating that the deaths and casualties will measure well up to those of past years before agitation for a sane Fourth became urgent. Returns at midnight last night showed that there are three dead in Chicago and forty dead outside, a total of forty-three fatalities. The injured in Chicago number seventy and outside 1,165. These figures are preliminary and they will be greatly increased when later returns are in. Firecrackers seem to have caused the most of the mishaps. The number being so injured is 648. Toy cannon mated 53, fire arms 103, gun powder 103; toy pistols 106, and run-ways 34. In the returns many of the larger cities are missing.

The ultimate summing up of accidents will include many cases of lock jaw—tetanus—which develops somewhat slowly. The great number of injured from exploding crackers and pistols in Chicago betoken, say medical men, more than a few deaths from tetanus.

## State Supplies Come Higher.

Austin, Texas, July 5.—State Purchasing Agent Anderson states that owing to the advance in the markets on nearly all of the commodities he purchases for the support of the State eleemosynary institutions, the contracts this year are somewhat higher than a year ago; in fact, he estimates that his supplies are costing the state 10 per cent more, but that the ratio is not large compared to the general condition of the market.

Some few bidders added a slight percent for covering registered warrants instead of cash. The general revenue being depleted, warrants would be registered and not cashed for some time. Some of the bidders protected themselves by adding a slight raise to cover the interest on their money. However, most of the important grocery awards have been made, in fact nearly all of them; also packing house products and fresh meats.

New Mexico Gets a Shake-Up. Albuquerque, N. M.: Early Tuesday morning Socorro, seventy-five miles south of this city, experienced a succession of sharp earthquakes. There were two or three premonitory quakes. Then came a loud rumble, followed by a rocking and swaying that awakened every inhabitant and caused them to scurry out for safety. Buildings swayed and cracked, walls were cracked, plaster was shaken from ceilings and much other damage done.

About 1500 plumbers in New York city went on a strike Monday, asking an increase from \$4.75 to \$5.25 a day. At the close of business June 30, 1906, a statement issued by the treasury shows that the government's total debt, less cash in the treasury, aggregated \$964,435,685; a decrease for the month of \$17,519,005.



## THE LAXATIVE OF KNOWN QUALITY

There are two classes of remedies; those of known quality and which are permanently beneficial in effect, acting gently, in harmony with nature, when nature needs assistance; and another class, composed of preparations of unknown, uncertain and inferior character, acting temporarily, but injuriously, as a result of forcing the natural functions unnecessarily. One of the most exceptional of the remedies of known quality and excellence is the ever pleasant Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., which represents the active principles of plants, known to act most beneficially, in a pleasant syrup, in which the wholesome Californian blue figs are used to contribute their rich, yet delicate, fruity flavor. It is the remedy of all remedies to sweeten and refresh and cleanse the system gently and naturally, and to assist one in overcoming constipation and the many ills resulting therefrom. Its active principles and quality are known to physicians generally, and the remedy has therefore met with their approval, as well as with the favor of many millions of well informed persons who know of their own personal knowledge and from actual experience that it is a most excellent laxative remedy. We do not claim that it will cure all manner of ills, but recommend it for what it really represents, a laxative remedy of known quality and excellence, containing nothing of an objectionable or injurious character.

There are two classes of purchasers; those who are informed as to the quality of what they buy and the reasons for the excellence of articles of exceptional merit, and who do not lack courage to go elsewhere when a dealer offers an imitation of any well known article; but, unfortunately, there are some people who do not know, and who allow themselves to be imposed upon. They cannot expect its beneficial effects if they do not get the genuine remedy.

To the credit of the druggists of the United States be it said that nearly all of them value their reputation for professional integrity and the good will of their customers too highly to offer imitations of the

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manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., and in order to buy the genuine article and to get its beneficial effects, one has only to note, when purchasing, the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—plainly printed on the front of every package. Price, 50c. per bottle. One size only.

## Rojestvsky Pleads Guilty

### TAKES ALL THE BLAME.

Admiral Rojestvsky Pleads Guilty Before Court-Martial. Cronstadt, July 5.—In a manly effort to save the surviving members of his staff and the other officers who he believed surrendered the gunboat Bedovi on account of their affection of their dead commander and their desire to save his life. Admiral Rojestvsky pleaded guilty before a court-martial. In a short speech to the court the Admiral declared that he took all the blame on his shoulders and asked that he alone be punished to the fullest extent of the law, virtually an appeal for condemnation and death, which is the penalty for hauling down the St. Andrews Cross to a hostile vessel.

All the other defendants, including Capt. De Cologne, chief of Admiral Rojestvsky's staff, and Capt. Baranoff, commandant of the Bedovi, pleaded not guilty.

The little court room in the marine headquarters at Cronstadt afforded small space for the audience. Among the spectators in the first row was the widow of Vice-Admiral Makaroff, who lost his life on board his flagship at Port Arthur in April, 1905, when the vessel was sunk by a Japanese mine. All the officers except Admiral Rojestvsky were in uniform, the Admiral, who was placed on the retired list at his own request, being dressed as a civilian. The Admiral appeared to have quite recovered from the wounds he received in the battle of the Sea of Japan.

In an "informal primary," Rockwall democrats decided that Jeff D. Cox, editor of Rockwall Success, should be candidate for federal representative from that county.

Eleven Men Killed by Wild Car. Altoona, Pa.: A runaway mine car, flying like the wind down a mine branch track that runs from Puritan to Portage, just before midnight Monday night, killed eleven persons and injured several more. The car had been left standing near Puritan when the mines closed and some malicious person loosened the brakes and permitted the car to speed down the sharp incline.

Cholera Breaks Out in Manila. Manila. Cholera of the virulent type has broken out among the natives of Manila and surrounding provinces. Four Americans in Manila have been stricken and there has been one death of an American, Charles Sheehan. Twenty-one cases and sixteen deaths have been reported Tuesday. The provinces report twenty-six cases and twenty-five deaths. The disease is one of the most deadly type. The suburbs near Fort McKinney have been quarantined.

An Orient Rumor. Austin: Recently there has been a revival of the rumors that the Orient Railroad would use the tracks of the Texas and Pacific between Sweetwater and Barstow in connecting Kansas City, Mo., and the port of Topolobampo. Also that the line being extended from Sweetwater as a branch to San Angelo will be continued south to a point below Del Rio, where it will connect with the Mexican International Railroad.

Negroess Succeeds As a Suicide. Marlin: The negroess, Della Hayes, who attempted to end her life by jumping into a swollen stream, but who was rescued, finished the undertaking by jumping into a well. There was eight feet of water in the well and she was soon drowned, if she was not killed by the fall. A relative attempted to prevent her from committing the deed, but was driven away with an ax by the woman.

Contest Notice. Department of the Interior, United States office, Roswell, New Mexico, May 8, 1906, sufficient contest affidavits having been filed in office by Warner S. Proctor, contestant, not homestead entry No. 4151, made May 13, for the new 1/4 of section 19, township 33 east by 12 N. Brown contestant, in which it is alleged said tract has not been abandoned since May 18, 1904, and that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since said entry and next prior to the date of that said tract is not settled upon and is not held by said party as required by law. That said alleged absence from the said land was due to his employment in the army, navy, or in the service of the United States in time of war.

Who dangles after the great is the last at table and the first to be cuffed.—From the Italian.

No man can escape the vitiating effect of an offense against his own conscience.—George Elliot.

The path of duty lies in what is near, and men seek for it in what is remote. The work of duty lies in what is easy, and men seek for it in what is difficult.

ADDITIONAL TRAIN SERVICE. Beginning on the 10th inst. the F. W. & D. C. Ry. (The Denver Road) re-established double-daily train service between Fort Worth and Denver under faster schedules than ever before. These trains leave Fort Worth at 9:45 a. m., and arrive at Fort Worth from Denver at 5:10 p. m. and 7:25 a. m., daily, thus preserving connections with all other Texas lines in both directions and affording Colorado tourists all that could be desired. Each of these trains is operated solid between Fort Worth and Denver, and carry Pullman Palace sleepers and also serve all meals in Super-Cafe cars at city prices upon the "Pay Only for What You Order" plan. In connection with the foregoing, this company has placed in service additional trains between Fort Worth and Quanah, Texas, a distance of 192 miles, for the accommodation of local travel, and by reason of same has been able to reduce the time of through trains between Fort Worth and Denver more than two hours, all of which should and will be appreciated by vacationists bound for "Cool Colorado" and by the traveling public generally.

Accept Signatures in Irish. Irish language revivalists have just scored a notable victory. The directors of the National bank have agreed to accept checks signed in Irish, provided the signature is repeated in English. One of the advantages of this system, as the bank points out, is that it acts as a double protection against forgery.

Don't Be Irritable. An irritated skin makes an irritable person, and an irritable person gathers much trouble unto himself or herself, as the case may be. Moral: Use Hunt's Cure, one box of which is absolutely and unqualifiedly guaranteed to cure any form of skin trouble. Any kind of itching known is relieved at once and one box cures.

Sacrifice Made by Judge. Justice Holmes, of the supreme court, in order that he may preserve his mind free from distractions of information and misinformation that would impair his efficiency and wisdom as a jurist, does not allow himself to read the newspapers.

Little Girl's Desire. Mabel had always worn high-topped shoes, much to her own dissatisfaction and one day while admiring her mother's slippers she said: "Mamma, can't I have a pair of low-necked shoes next summer?"

It would be wrong to send some people to Heaven; they would miss so much the chance to worry over the wideness of their neighbor's children.



Make your boy's food tasty—Mother—for it has to do some big things. It has to make flesh, blood, bone and muscle and supply boundless Energy. Remember, the boy of today is the man of tomorrow.

## EGG-O-SEE

EGG-O-SEE CEREAL COMPANY  
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Rest in Billville. "Bill," said the man in the ex cart to the Billville postmaster, "ain't you going to stop the office to-day?" "No, I ain't, what do you take me for?" "The postmaster?" "No, you don't. You take me for one of these perpetual motion machines that kin run the government for you six days out the week, an' no rest on Sunday—that's what you take me for!" "Bill," said the other, "I've come five miles and better to git my mail!" "Well, if I open up fer you all the mail I want their'n, an' I've done notified the postmaster ginral that it's my week off, 'sides that, thar ain't no mail fer you 'cept a letter from a lumber man sayin' that if you don't pay up he'll sue, an' another from your wife tellin' you to send her money to come home. So go 'long an' enjoy yer honeymoon." Atlanta Constitution.

60 Bus. Winter Wheat Per Acre. That's the yield of Kaiser's Best Cross Hybrid Winter Wheat. Seed to be obtained for free sample of same at sales catalogue of Winter Wheat, Rice, Barley, Clovers, Timothy, Grasses, Buds, Trees, etc. for fall planting. SALKER SEED CO., Box 2, La Crosse, Wis.

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