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Local and Personal

Meals at all hours at the Stag restaurant.
 Hot Chile and tamales at the Stag restaurant.
 Go to Newsom's to sell your chickens and turkeys.
 The Stag restaurant serves short order meals.
 For Sale—Some first-class milk cows. See J. A. Fairly.
 Cowboy boots made to order at R. M. Sanders.
 We try our best to please our customers. Stag restaurant.
 For Sale—Fine registered Hereford bulls apply to Robert Hicks.
 All boot and shoe work done at R. M. Sanders is guaranteed.
 See Bain for your blacksmithing and wood work. Sliver's old stand.
 For Sale—Good, all purpose horse, enquire here.
 Get your gun repairing done at Johnston's photograph gallery.
 The White Company, at the court house Monday night, April 30. Tickets at Palace of Sweets.
 Washing and ironing. Good work and reasonable prices. Mrs. Parnell.
 I have about 5000 fine apple trees for sale cheap. Call and see them. R. A. Bain.
 Editor Putnam of the Texico Trumpet was a county seat visitor this week.
 For Sale—New buggy and set of single harness, call at Ed J. Neer's for inspection.
 For Rent—Two farms within two miles of court house. Apply to J. A. Fairly.
 For Sale—Some full blood Hereford bulls, prices reasonable. See John D. Kerr.
 The new bank at Texico now boasts of over \$50,000.00 in deposits. Not slow for a five week's old infant.
 For Sale—Mules, horses and milk cows. Everything as represented. Howard's Horse and Mule Exchange, Near Portales hotel.
 White and his talking figures at the court house Monday night, April 30. Tickets at Palace of Sweets.
 John Alford, a formerly of Portales boy, but now living at Hico, Texas, visited friends here a few days this week.
 The First National Bank has always identified itself in a substantial way with the affairs that concern the good of the community.
 For Sale—Two good jacks and gaited saddle stallion, for full particulars inquire at this office.
 Wanted—Family and gentlemen's laundry, next door to Portales hotel, charges reasonable.
 J. B. Priddy captured the prize at the hunt Wednesday, killing something less than one hundred mud hens in about two hours time.
 Professor White, America's greatest prestidigitator, will appear at the court house Monday night April 30. Tickets at Palace of Sweets.
 The real estate firm of Joe Howard & Sons purchased a three color Smith Premier typewriter Thursday.
 Mrs. J. H. Woodcock and family, of Hot Springs, Arkansas, arrived Thursday and are visiting in the family of Charles Woodcock.
 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.
 Lost—A small leather purse between Portales and my place, containing \$13, ten of which was in paper money and the balance in silver. Finder will please notify S. H. Stinson.
 The cowardly dog poisoner is again at work. Those owning a dog will do well to keep it at home lest some unscrupulous chyster poison it just for pure cussedness.
 The U. D. C. will meet May 5, at the home of Mrs. Seth Morrison. A special invitation is extended to those who wish to join the chapter.
 ELLA TURNER, sec.
 Charley Woodcock has received his new Remington automatic shotgun and has consequently issued his "def" to all members of the gun club. Charley thinks it would be difficult for a blue rock to escape him now.
 The Dallas Commercial Club arrived at Portales from Roswell on their special train at 2 o'clock. All the different business enterprises of Dallas were represented. The train only made a fifteen minute stop.
 Lost—One mouse colored mare mule about 14 hands high and 11 years old, branded on left shoulder, had the itch when left, has been gone since the 6th of February. Ten dollars reward for her whereabouts.
 M. L. Moffitt, Elida.

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.

Dr. J. R. Bryan.

Undertaking

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

Prompt attention given to mail orders.

Dr. W. E. Patterson.

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.

Dr. W. W. Penn.

All kinds of hand made boots and shoes at R. M. Sanders harness shop.
 For Sale—14 inch Oliver sulkey plow in good order and almost new. Robert Hicks.

The Times this week did some work for the J. W. French Land company, a new real estate corporation with offices at the Commercial hotel.

The White Company which will appear at the court house next Monday night will present a clean, moral and entertaining program, consisting of ventriloquism, legerdemain and specialties. Tickets at Palace of Sweets.

W. W. Ogle, of Roswell, Grand Master of the Odd Fellows for New Mexico arrived in the city Thursday and will institute a lodge of Odd Fellows tonight.

J. A. Foeshee, of the firm of Warren-Foeshee & company has made several trips to the country since his arrival, and declares that he never in his life, saw a better prospect in store for it. Mr. Foeshee is an old plains man and his judgment is good, still this is the verdict of all who come to Roosevelt county.

Parties who wish to secure eggs from full blood white Leghorns or Rhode Island Reds, can get them from Mrs. J. T. Green, of Bethel, N. M. These two breeds of chickens have a world wide reputation as the greatest egg producers known. For settings of 15 eggs \$1.00. Leave orders at this office.

The Nash-Schmidt Realty company is the style of a new firm in Portales. Messrs Nash and Schmidt have fitted up an elegant suite of rooms in the rear of the Bank of Portales and are now ready for business. They will buy and sell real estate, locate government homesteads and write all kinds of insurance. Give them a call.

The Roswell Creamery company are moving into their own building and will be skimming station Tuesday May 1. We are satisfied that the business here will justify the expense we have went to. It will be to the benefit of all patrons to increase the supply as that will decrease the cost per hundred pound in handling. Patrons may rest assured that they will receive courteous treatment and get every dollar that is due them. H. P. Hobson, Manager.

Died—On Thursday night at 10 o'clock, of paralysis of the heart, George W. T. Williams, aged 72 years. The funeral was held Friday evening at 5 o'clock at the Methodist church. Deceased was a member of the Masonic lodge and was buried with all the honors of that order. Mr. Williams leaves a wife and two grown children, A. A. and G. F. Williams. He was a good husband, a loving father and a good citizen.

The new tank has been completed for the reception of the water in the court house yard. It is understood that the steel fencing will be here shortly and that before many days the square will be enclosed with a beautiful woven steel fence. The Ladies Club are entitled to much praise for their efforts to beautify the public square and their success is a matter of congratulation by all the citizens of Portales. In the years to come nothing will obtain in the way of improvements will be more attractive than our court house and grounds.

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.

Notice.
 The restaurant formerly owned and occupied by W. W. Newsom, has been opened by Mrs. Brown and daughters, who will be pleased to share the patronage of the public. Short orders, at all hours, and prices reasonable. Tamales and chili made by the famous maker Hughes.

Barred Plymouth Rocks.
 The best blood in America, bred for exhibition and winter laying. Eggs, \$1.00 for 15. If you fail to hatch 8 chicks I will duplicate your order at half price. Come and see them 2 miles south of Portales on road to dipping vat.
 HENRY C. BEDINGER.

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.

Go to the Palace of Sweets for fine candies, cider, coca cola and hot drinks of all kinds, fine cigars, smoking and chewing tobacco, fresh fruits and nuts of all kinds, fresh bread, cakes and pies.
 J. R. BANISTER, Prop.

SHAPELY HAND FINISHED

Spring Suits..

PRICED TO-MORROW AT \$20

THERE'S an air of smartness and refined taste about these garments that instantly distinguishes them from the ordinary, and your own knowledge of values will tell you that these values are out of the ordinary. That you may know just how much the saving amounts to, compare them with those offered by any other store in this vicinity. Investigate! It's very good policy. Remember our fine Suits are made by the best tailors in the world, SCHLOSS BROS. & CO., of Baltimore and New York.

Spring Suits in conservative and extreme lengths, graceful, shapely, serviceable, in rich mixtures and desirable shades from \$10 to \$35

Warren-Foeshee & Co.
 PORTALES, NEW MEXICO.



Gripped.

We hev th' grip, an' we're so sad an' even booze kin make us glad, an' ev'ry bone in us doth quake an' we've head an' stomach ache, an' our tongue is dried plum through an' through an' shrivelled up an' cracked in two, th' fever in each eye, we're chafed when our britches rubs an' both our feet are dead as clubs, our whiskers hev grown dank an' thin, our shirt feels like a sheet o' tin, all battered up an' full o' points; there's red-hot lead in all our joints, we amble on uncertain legs an' our brains feels like scrambled eggs; our thirst is jangled out o' time, we hev no eye for no saloon, an' brew'ries don't appeal to us. Oh, Bacchus, we don't care a cuss for all th' booze that 'er was brewed! We watch th' red-hot sun arise an' view th' world with bleary eyes, th' white ur under lip hangs down; we ain't th' same ol' frowly clown we used to be, whoopin' an' glad because o' all th' drinks we've had; we have no booze, we have no hope, we long no more to sop up dope, we've got th' grip an' got it bad; oh, give us back th' thirst we had, or cart our karkies out o' town to some deep hole an' throw it down! Carve on our tombstone just a can an' "He was a fine drinkin' man."—Alkali Eye.

Baptist Church.

Sunday school 10 a. m. No preaching at 11 a. m. Preach at 8:30 p. m. subject "Consecration." This will be a genuine series of revival services. Rev. Vermillion of Roswell will be with us after Monday. The christians of Portales and vicinity of all denominations are invited to take a part in these revival services.
 J. E. ROBEK, Pastor.

The firm of Blankenship & Woodcock have purchased the Donohoo Mercantile company store and stock. The new acquisition will be under the immediate management of Mr. Blankenship the senior member of the firm, while Mr. Woodcock will supervise the big store originally conducted by both. Messrs Blankenship & Woodcock are convinced that Portales is destined to grow rapidly and they are fixing themselves to be ready to take advantage of conditions and profit by our steadily increasing importance. Success to the new enterprise.

The New York Herald and the New York American are scrapping in the courts over the copyright of "Buster Brown," which Outcault, the artist, made famous. The Herald has temporarily won title to the copyright on the phrase "Buster Brown," but the American has Outcault. He can't be copyrighted. He is still drawing the only and inimitable Buster. The Fort Worth Record has the feature exclusively in North Texas. It appears regularly in the Sunday edition of the Record which is about the best all round Sunday newspaper in these parts.

M. E. Church, South.
 Regular preaching at Methodist church next Sunday morning and night Sunday school at 10 a. m. A cordial invitation to all.

Prof. Campbell's Letter.
 Mr. H. W. Campbell writes to The Earth as follows below. His system of soil culture is well known, but these two experimental farms mentioned are the first to be established in Northern Texas.

EDITOR OF THE EARTH:
 Few people realize the marvelous farming possibilities of the great Pan Handle of Texas. Fifteen years ago I came into this great broad stretch of beautiful prairie by request of the Santa Fe Railway to examine the soil and ascertain its adaptability to general farming. I left Chicago in June 1904, with many misgivings, as I had always known the Pan Handle as a strictly grazing country, the home of the cowboy and the Texas steer.
 On reaching here I found practically the same idea prevalent among the older inhabitants. But a few days driving over the prairie and visiting a few scattered farmers that were trying to raise wheat, oats, corn and fruit with general observation of the soil formation and the grasses, together with an inquiry at the local Government Weather Bureau, etc, changed my mind completely. The government records at Amarillo showed an average rainfall for twelve years of twenty-two inches. This, coupled with the deep, heavy loam soil and a clay subsoil, was positive evidence that scientific soil culture could soon transform the great plains country into land of beautiful houses surrounded with shade, fruit and ornamental trees, and fields yielding enormous crops of wheat, oats, barley, corn and vegetables.
 Later arrangements placed me in charge of a model farm. Work of breaking 200 acres was commenced in April, 1905. The sod was turned 24 to 3 inches deep, then rolled flat and the surface gone over with the Acme harrow to loosen enough soil to fill the crevices between the furrows and form a blanket over the entire surface. Ample rains came and soaked down beneath the overturned sod, which held the moisture from evaporating. In July we found our soil moist over four feet down, and through the combined elements of air and water coupled with the heat of the midsummer, the subsoil beneath the sod had become rotted fully five inches down.
 We then began back-sodding or second

plowing, going about three inches deeper. To our surprise when we turned this decomposed soil over we found numerous angle worms, indicating the extreme fertility of the soil.
 Fifty acres of this ground is now ready for winter wheat. We shall sow only twenty-five pounds of Russian red wheat per acre, as our seed bed is fine, firm and moist. On boring down (September 3) we found ample moisture to a depth of five feet to make the soil into mudballs at any point.
 The amount of moisture this soil holds per cubic inch, owing to its very fine texture and the manner in which it pulverizes and works down, is positive evidence of an enormous crop yield.
 It is impossible for anyone to comprehend even to a small degree the yielding powers of these plains-country soils when put into proper physical conditions. Of all the different sections of unoccupied prairie land none seems to offer such marked opportunities for the homeseeker as the Pan Handle Texas, and none are so grossly misunderstood from the fact above referred to—that it has always been known as a grazing country only. The variety of cereals, vegetables and fruit that can be successfully grown here is almost unlimited. Cantaloupes, melons and onions grown here cannot be excelled at any point.
 Other advantages notable are universally pure water in inexhaustible quantities, varying from 40 to 300 feet in depth; much of it from 60 to 150 feet.
 The climate from the fact of the plain's altitude, being 2,000 to 2,500 feet is clear, dry and invigorating, with cool nights giving restful sleep. The markets are exceptional favorable from the fact of its close proximity to the seaboard. Galveston is reached by the Fort Worth & Denver railway, with any air line. The Santa Fe's

great through Chicago and California line will be across the center of the Pan Handle as soon as the Texico and Albuquerque cut-off is completed, which is now well under way. From Texico this line will continue southwest to Weatherford, Texas, forming another direct line to Galveston. Wheat is now selling for 15 cents more per bushel than in central Nebraska, owing to our low freight rates to the seaboard and export markets.
 Why any man will go to the cold, rigorous Canadian Northwest instead of to this country can only be answered by the supposition that they do not know this country or even a few of its many advantages and resources.
 H. W. CAMPBELL.

Amarrillo, Texas.
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 Beautiful Buttons
 Furnished Free
 With each dozen of Cabinet or half Cabinet Photos.
Portales Transfer.
WALKER & STANDRIDGE, Proprietors.
 All kinds of light or heavy hauling Load and unload Live Stock. Your patronage will be appreciated. Telephone 37.
TREES! TREES! TREES!
 Plains grown. Write for catalogue. Hereford Nursery, Hereford, Texas.
 NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
 Homestead Application No. 5111.
 Department of the Interior, land office at Roswell, New Mexico, April 24, 1906.
 Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Portales, New Mexico, on June 7, 1906, viz.:
 James R. First, one of the heirs of C. Madora Johnson, deceased, of Portales, New Mexico, for the northwest 1/4 of section 15, township 2 south, range 20 east.
 He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz.:
 James M. Cox, of Arch, N. M.; Marcus L. Wims of Portales, N. M.; William S. Foster, of Arch, N. M. and John Stephenson, of Arch, N. M.
 HOWARD LELAND, Register.
 Published in Portales Times April 24, 1906.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
 Homestead Application No. 326.
 Department of the Interior, Land office at Roswell, New Mexico, April 24, 1906.
 Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, N. M., on June 7, 1906, viz.:
 Thomas O. Marshall, of Portales, New Mexico for the northwest quarter of section 21, township 1 south, range 20 east.
 He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz.:
 Martin L. Price, Joe S. Lewis and Lawson Terrell, of Portales, N. M., and Frank Morrison, of Bethel, N. M., Howard Leland, Register.
 Published in Portales Times April 24, 1906.

Joe Howard & Sons

Land and Immigration Agents.

We have numerous agencies established in various parts of the south and east, thus giving us unsurpassed facilities for finding buyers for Roosevelt county lands. If you desire quick results, list your farm and city property with us.

To the New Settlers!

To the hundreds of new settlers who have availed themselves of present opportunities, and have secured fine homesteads in Roosevelt county, we would say that we have everything that you will need in the erection of your houses and outbuildings. The quality is of the best and the prices reasonable. Estimates cheerfully furnished.

PORTALES LUMBER CO.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF PORTALES, Portales, New Mexico.

At the Close of Business, March 15, 1906.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts.....	Capital Stock.....
Overdrafts.....	Surplus Account.....
Expense Account.....	Profits.....
Real Estate and Fixtures.....	Exchange and Deposits.....
Cash and Sight Exchange.....	Due Depositors.....
Total.....	Total.....

The above statement is correct.
 J. R. SLEDGE, PRESIDENT AND CASHIER.
 J. H. GEE, Second Vice-President.
 A. F. JONES, Bookkeeper.

On This, Our Fourth Anniversary. We refer with some degree of pride, to the growth of this bank, as shown by the above statement. Our efforts to build up a strong financial institution along conservative lines, have, we believe, been successful. We pledge a continuation of our conservative principles and solicit the accounts of individuals, firms and corporations desiring the services of a carefully managed bank.

ORDER IS BROUGHT ABOUT

Fire Stopped. Water Supply Greatly Improved and Food Is Abundant.

STRICKEN CITY CAN NOW TAKE STOCK

Donations from All Over the Country Pour in to Help 300,000 Homeless and Helpless People. Courage Is Rising. No Fear of Starving Is Feit.

San Francisco, April 23.—The fire is now under control, though it is still burning itself out at a number of places. The burned district takes in the business part of the city and also the section where the most expensive residences were located. A mile of grain sheds, wharves and docks along the bay front have been burned. The military is in charge and strict rules as to sanitation have been promulgated and arrangements made to combat the progress of contagious diseases which have appeared, but so far the danger has not become so great as to warrant the rigors of a quarantine.

So far no estimate of the dead has been made that can be taken as accurate. The welfare of the living has demanded that the bodies of those killed in the earthquake or by the resultant panic and fire be buried as quickly as possible. No efforts to identify bodies was made, as it was impossible under the existing conditions.

Trenches were dug and the corpses laid in them and covered. Thus it is probable that it will never be known how many lives have been lost.

The people are being cared for in the parks and unburned resident districts.

Very strict rules are applied as to the lighting of fires, the object being to avoid any chance of another conflagration breaking out.

The vigorous hand which was raised by the military against the looter and rufian has had the effect of summarily suppressing this element and fewer cases of ghoulis acts are reported in the dispatches.

From every city in the United States comes word of donations for relief and scores of trains of provisions are now arriving in San Francisco. With the great progress made toward restoring order as a criterion it seems certain that most of the actual suffering of the homeless is relieved and all will be safe from bodily distress.

San Francisco now has passenger transportation. Cars are running down Fillmore street and appear to

Twenty-two Miners Killed. Trinidad, Colo.: As the result of a dust explosion in a mine of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, forty miles west of Trinidad, twenty-two miners are known to be dead and one other is missing. There were forty men in the mine at the time of the explosion. Seventeen miners who were working 2,700 feet from the entrance, escaped uninjured through another opening. The explosion occurred near the main entrance and was the result of a windy shot which ignited the dust.

Blaze at Tyler. Tyler: Sunday morning the large building occupied by Jacobs and Jacobs, general merchandise; L. Goldsmith, grocer, and the W. O. W. Hall upstairs, was destroyed by fire, together with contents. Jacobs & Jacobs estimate their loss at about \$10,000.

Three Electrocuted in Houston. Houston: Bennie Bias, a 5-year-old son of Mrs. Annie Bias, was sent to the cistern for water. Falling to return, Mrs. Bias went after him, hearing the woman scream, a nearby groceryman named Craft rushed to her rescue. When discovered the bodies lay in a lifeless heap by the cistern. A strongly charged electric light wire had fallen to an iron connection with the cistern.

Type of Canal Must Be Named. New York: Theodore P. Shonts, chairman of the Pan-American Canal Commission, has informed the President and the commission that the character of the canal, whether sea level or lock, must be decided. The vast machinery of construction which he and his associates have erected and the army of 23,000 drilled and acclimated workmen must soon become idle unless their field of future effort is decided immediately.

For Crooked Banking. Abilene: The cases against O. W. Steffens and J. G. Lowden, in the Federal Court here, were concluded, the trial lasting nearly two weeks. The jury found the defendant Lowden guilty on sixteen counts and the defendant Steffens guilty on six counts of the indictment. Motions for new trials were made and overruled and the court sentenced the defendants to five years' confinement each in the penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga.

Dismal Swamp Has a Volcano. Suffolk, Va.: A volcanic disturbance was reported about 11:30 o'clock Saturday night on the edge of Dismal Swamp. Chief of Police Brinkley says pieces of forest, undergrowth and mud are boiling up, and that residents of that locality are becoming frightened and fleeing. According to Chief Brinkley reports the earth and swamp mud are boiling up in a way which threatens eruption.

Miss Jennie Langston, who at the recent election was elected City Secretary, has declined to qualify on account of failing health. She will leave shortly for West Texas. Miss Langston is the first lady ever elected to an office in this county.

Capt. Phil T. Allen, father of Mayor Allen, of Cleburne, has been stricken with paralysis and is lying at his home in a serious condition.

THE CHOICE OF PAINT.

Fifty years ago a well-painted house was a rare sight; to-day an unpainted house is rarer. If people knew the real value of paint a house in need of paint would be "scarcer than hen's teeth." There was some excuse for our forefathers. Many of them lived in houses hardly worth preserving; they knew nothing about paint, except that it was pretty; and to get a house painted was a serious and costly job. The difference between their case and ours is that when they wanted paint it had to be made for them; whereas when we need paint we can go to the nearest good store and buy in any color or quality ready for use. We know, or ought to know by this time, that to let a house stand unpainted is most costly, while a good coat of paint, applied in season, is the best of investments. If we put off the brief visit of the painter we shall in due time have the carpenter coming to pay us a long visit at our expense. Lumber is constantly getting scarcer, dearer and poorer, while prepared paints are getting pleasanter, better and less expensive. It is a short-sighted plan to let the valuable lumber of our houses go to pieces for the want of paint.

For the man that needs paint there are two forms from which to choose; one is the old form, still favored by certain unprogressive painters who have not yet caught up with the times and oil; the other is the ready-for-use paint found in every up-to-date store. The first must be mixed with oil, driers, turpentine and colors before it is ready for use; the other need only be stirred up in the can and it is ready to go on. To buy lead and oil, colors, etc., and mix them into a paint by hand is, in this twentieth century, about the same as refusing to ride in a trolley car because one's grandfather had to walk or ride on horseback when he wanted to go anywhere. Prepared paints have been on the market less than fifty years, but they have proved on the whole so inexpensive, so convenient and so good that the consumption today is something over sixty million gallons a year and still growing. Unless they had been in the main satisfactory, it stands to reason there would have been no such steady growth in their use.

Mixed paints are necessarily cheaper than paint of the hand-mixed kind, because they are made in a large way by machinery from materials bought in large quantities by the manufacturer. They are necessarily better than paints mixed by hand, because they are more finely ground and more thoroughly mixed, and because there is less chance of the raw materials in them being adulterated. No painter, however careful he may be, can ever be sure that the materials he buys are not adulterated, but the large paint manufacturer does know in every case, because everything he buys goes through the chemist's hands before he accepts it.

Of course there are poor paints on the market (which are generally cheap paints), so there is poor flour, poor cloth, poor soap; but because of that we go back to the hand-mill, the hand-loom and the soap-kettle of the backwoods. No, we use our common sense in choosing our materials. The reputation of the different brands of flour, cloth and soap; we take account of the standing of the dealer that handles them, we ask our neighbors. So with paint; if the manufacturer has a good reputation, if the dealer is responsible, if our neighbors have had satisfaction with it, that ought to be pretty good evidence that the paint is all right.

Many men of many kinds—"Many paints of many kinds"; but well prepared paints may differ considerably in composition, the better grades of them all agree pretty closely in results. "All roads lead to Rome," and the paint manufacturers, starting by different paths, have all the same object—to make the best paint possible to sell for the least money, and so capture and keep the trade.

There is scarcely any other article of general use on the market to-day that can be bought for anything like the assurance of getting your money's worth as the established brands of prepared paint. The paint you buy to-day may not be like a certain patent medicine, "the same as you have always bought," but if not, it will be because the manufacturer has found a way of giving you a better article for your money, and so making more sure of your next order.

A New Queen Alexandra Story. A very pretty story is being told of Queen Alexandra, who a short time ago consented to be godmother to a little daughter of one of her neighbors and friends at Sandringham. After the ceremony was over the queen asked that she might be taken to the new baby's nursery. Upon arriving there she walked to the big window, and, taking a diamond ring from her finger, wrote on the glass, "May God's blessing rest on this house and all in it."

Light Punishment in China. This little sidelight on life in a Chinese city is from the Peking and Teintsin Times: "Two men who have been killing dogs and cats and selling them to the people as meat in the western part of the city were caught a few days ago, and investigation by the police revealed a tale of shocking cruelty. One has been sentenced to two weeks and the other to ten days' hard labor, and a very light sentence, too."

Girls and Boys Compared. Observations made in certain schools and dwellings show that girls have more endurance in work than boys until the age of 14. From 14 the working power of a girl does not increase till the age of 20, whereas that of a boy continues to grow. The energy displayed by girls of 20 is about half that of boys of the same age. Other observations tend to prove that intellectual and physical superiority in general go together.

ENTIRE CITY IS IN RUINS

San Francisco, Pride of Pacific Coast, Is In Ashes.

PROPERTY LOSS UP TO \$300,000,000

Hunger, Thirst, Anxiety and Fear Drive the Populace to Frenzy. Ghoulis Shot Down Like Dogs

San Francisco, April 20.—All efforts to check flames at Van Ness avenue by blowing up a mile of buildings on the east side of Van Ness avenue have proved fruitless. The fire spread across the broad thoroughfare and from present indications the entire western addition, which contains the homes of people of the wealthy class, is now doomed. The destruction of the western addition of the city practically completes the work of the ravaging flames and marks the devastation of the entire city.

Two-thirds of the city reduced to charred ruins, the other third doomed to the same fate, 200,000 people hungry and without even water to slake their parched throats as they flee before the flames. This is San Francisco's fate. Worse than this, the end is not in sight. Driven by a rising wind the deadly flames all day shot into new quarters, at first considered safe, licked up skyscrapers and million dollar private palaces along with the homes of the poor and now are racing over Nob Hill to the north and west.

Terrorized, dazed, weak from loss of food and sleep, fighting for a few drops of water to quench their cruel thirst and bathe their smoke reddened eyes, the people were fleeing to places of safety. Thousands of the wealthier fled from the scene of death and disaster to the mountains of the coast range. Scores of thousands more, unable to get so far away, found temporary security in Golden Gate and other parks. The ferries were jammed with throngs seeking to escape.

The prospect is that only the strip north of Golden Gate Park, and some isolated places adjoining smaller parks can be saved, and there is no certainty about this. Prospect of utter devastation has bred hopelessness. Property has ceased to have its claims in the clamor for personal safety, food and drink. Money has ceased to have a value and can not buy even water.

All the water available is being distributed with strict impartiality by the military. The only law that exists is the law of the bayonet and the rifle. The soldiers are shooting down thieves and vandals as they would dogs. When a soldier's bad marksmanship allowed one vandal to escape, the bayonet of another did the work.

All efforts of the firemen to fight the flames have been abandoned. Water—there is none, and the apparatus is useless. The finality of hopelessness in saving property was reached when the supply of dynamite gave out with which to blow up buildings.

Communication with the outside world was not better yesterday than the day the fires started. The telegraph companies operated from Oakland with a tug service across the bay. The fare reductionists still busy. Austin: There was another change in the passenger rate situation before the Railroad Commission, when Commissioner Colquhoun came over and signed Commissioner Mayfield's motion for a hearing to reduce the passenger rate on the Houston and Texas Central to 2 1/2c per mile. Chairman Storey did not sign the order, stating that he had agreed to the original motion only with the idea of giving a hearing.

Commercial Club and citizens of Comanche, I. T., and closed a contract for the Wichita Falls, Sulphur and Eastern Railway. Comanche put up \$10,000 and seven miles right of way. Construction is to begin in six months.

Las. W. Dean and R. B. Huff met the twenty-first annual encampment Texas Division Grand Army of the Republic will meet in Dallas April 26, to hold a two days' session.

During the naval maneuvers Tuesday night the torpedo boat No. 48 was rammed and sunk by the torpedo boat destroyer Ardent, near the Island of Malta. A gunner who was injured at the time of the collision died later. Otherwise there were no fatalities.

The 6-year-old son of Clyde McCrumlin, of Jacksonville, was bitten by a dog one day this week, making an ugly wound on his face. His father carried him to Austin to be treated in the Pasteur Institute.

A retired merchant of Paris received three \$1 bills inclosed in an envelope, with a typewritten letter of less than a dozen words, telling him he would find \$3 due him inside. The letter was not dated nor signed, but was mailed on the train near Fort Worth.

The contract for the new High School building at Colorado has been let to W. B. Martin for \$11,325 for the brickwork alone. Work will commence at once.

EVENTS OF EVERYWHERE.

Hugh Lock, an escaped city prisoner, was shot through the leg and severely wounded while attempting to escape from City Marshal Morris, Austin.

An earthquake shock, which was felt in Hancock and was most pronounced in the Quincy mine, near Calumet, Mich., killed one man and injured four others working one mile beneath the earth's surface in that property.

Violent disturbances are taking place at Denain, near France. Miners from the Pas de Calais endeavored to prevent the glass and steel workers from entering the factories, resulting in much fighting.

About 4000 printers employed by various periodicals in Paris, France, struck work Thursday, demanding a nine-hour day. The daily papers are not affected. Several employers acceded to the demand of the strikers.

Two white men held up a Ft. Worth negro and robbed him a few nights since, while the latter was on his way to pay his landlord his month's rent.

A. J. Foster, a well-known business man at Berwyn, I. T., killed himself Thursday by cutting his throat. Foster formerly resided here and leaves a family.

Chancellor Von Buelow is still kept in strict privacy at his residence. Prof. Renvers, his physician, has assured Princess Von Buelow of her husband's entire recovery.

Thursday morning fire destroyed a dozen business houses in the town of Mountain View, Ok. The fire originated in the Shaul Hotel from the explosion of a lamp.

The Armenian Bishop of Shusha, Transcaucasia, has telegraphed to the authorities here a protest against the barbarity of the troops in disarming the population of that district.

Sam Most, a St. Louis turfman, was shot and probably fatally injured in a boarding house in Memphis, Tenn. Mrs. Lilly Most, wife of the wounded man, is being held by the police.

Andrew Carnegie, the Standard Oil company and the United States Steel corporation each subscribed one hundred thousand dollars for the relief fund of the earthquake sufferers.

Miss Josie Ragsdale of Stamford, Texas, has been appointed sponsor for the Fifth Brigade, Texas Division, U. C. V., for the New Orleans reunion. A general order to this effect has been issued.

Joel Wallace, a negro brakeman on the St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexican, was killed by a switch engine in the yards at Brownsville.

The more things a man is ashamed of the more respectable he is—"Man and Superman."

Fire broke out in a room on the top floor of the Cooper Building, a four-story office building, in Shreveport, and the entire top of the structure burned away before the flames were controlled.

The S. G. Davis Hat Company is arranging to erect a six-story building for their use in Dallas.

Prof. Curie, the discoverer of radium, was run over and killed by a wagon on the Place Dauphine, Paris, France last Thursday.

When a man marries, we are told he takes the fatal plunge. At any rate, he puts his foot in it. Most men can stand adversity, but only great men can stand prosperity.

The Business Men's League of Longview has been organized with G. A. Bodenheim, president. Chicago capitalists are investigating the New Birmingham furnaces and property at Rusk, looking to a purchase of the same.

Prosperity has ruined many a man, but if a fellow is going to be ruined at all that is the pleasantest way. You must have bought that farm by the quart; most of it is under water.—Rogers Brothers.

The oil machinery for the well that is to be sunk at Midill, I. T., has arrived. A number of prominent oil men went over different parts of the lease and they are satisfied that there will be no trouble in getting a good flow.

James Surrock of New Mexico, has made complaint to the federal authorities that he had been defrauded by John Alexander Dowie out of a sum close to \$10,000 and that the mails had been used in the operation.

Robert J. Weight, a lawyer of Philadelphia, and five other persons seriously injured in the automobile accident near Millville, N. J. York Turner, a negro, lined up a number of sports in a resort in East Ardmore, secured \$65 and escaped.

When you kiss the Blarney stone every lie you tell afterward is the truth.—Max Rogers. Men make more mistakes by being clever than by being too good.—"Man and Superman."

Reports just received from Palo Alto says the Leland Stanford University is practically demolished. One student is reported killed. Palo Alto is thirty-three miles south of San Francisco, on the coast line of the Southern Pacific railroad.

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missioner of the general land office, with the approval of the secretary of the interior, may assign a sum sufficient to complete the survey of the public land strip, otherwise known as No Man's Land, and the boundary line between said public land strip and Texas, and between Texas and New Mexico, established under act of June 5, 1858, is hereby confirmed.

7th.—Laws of Texas legislature March 1891, pages 193 and 4 reads "Joint Resolution, S. J. R. 12, joint resolution confirming the location of the boundary lines established by the United States commissioner between No Man's Land and Texas and between Texas and New Mexico, under act of congress 1858, sec. 1st, whereas an act of congress approved June 1858 providing for commissioners to locate and mark the boundary lines between the territories of the United States and Texas.

And whereas in accordance with said act a survey was made of the boundary line between the public land strip otherwise known as "No Man's Land," and Texas, and between Texas and New Mexico, by John H. Clark, United States Commissioner, appointed under said act A. D. 1858.

And whereas it appears from said report of the said commissioner to the General Land Office at Washington, that said survey was carefully done, consuming over two years on the ground making the same.

And whereas said boundary as so located has been acquiesced in by the state of Texas and by the United States government by surveying up to it and selling the land so surveyed or parts thereof.

And whereas until recently no part of said boundary lines have ever been officially agreed upon or accepted by the general government or the state of Texas as contemplated by the act of congress authorizing the survey.

And whereas on the 4th day of March 1891, the congress of the United States confirmed the boundary line as surveyed by the said commissioner John H. Clark between No Man's Land and Texas and between Texas and New Mexico, section 2.

And whereas the near approach of the close of the present session of the Legislature renders it unlikely that this resolution can be passed in the regular way, and the fact that there is much uncertainty as to the location of the said boundary lines creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity which requires that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended and the same is suspended and this resolution take effect from and after its passage and it is so enacted.

(Note.) The foregoing joint resolution originated in the senate and passed the same, vote not given and no nay.

(Note.) The foregoing joint resolution was presented to the Governor of Texas for his approval on the 25th day of March 1891 but was not signed nor sent back to the House in which it originated with his objections thereto within the time prescribed by the constitution and thereupon became a law without his signature.

This so-called confirmation by congress in March 1891, on which Mr. Stephens places so much stress was evidently smuggled into an appropriation bill unknown to congress generally and its vague terms is in striking contrast to the full and clear statement of the joint resolution of the Texas Legislature passed under the emergency clause a few days later. We forbear further comment. We do not believe that congress or the Texas people would knowingly be guilty of such unfair methods, but believe that this under-handed attempt at injustice was instigated by claimants of Texas lands near the 103rd meridian.

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Homestead Entry No. 2331.
Department of the Interior, Land office at Clayton, New Mexico, April 17, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and that said proof will be made before C. Gallegas, the Probate Clerk of Guadalupe county, at his office in Santa Rosa, New Mexico, on June 2, 1906, viz: Matilde Sandoval of Fort Sumner, New Mexico for the lots 1 and 2 and east half northwest quarter section 10 township 2 north range 27 east. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz: Jesus Silva, Antonio Garcia, B. B. Palmer and Sandoval, all of Portales, New Mexico. EDWARD W. FOX, Register. Published in Portales Times April 21, 1906.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Homestead Application No. 4639.
Department of the Interior, Land office at Roswell, New Mexico, March 27, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, the U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M. on May 7, 1906, viz: John Elliott, of Portales, New Mexico, for the southeast quarter of section 20, township 2 south range 33 east. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz: Edward W. Doss, Bradford B. Barr, Jacob Pitts and Owen E. Martin, all of Portales, New Mexico. HOWARD LELAND, Register. Published in Portales Times March 31, 1906.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Homestead Application No. 5670.
Department of the Interior, Land office at Roswell, New Mexico, March 27, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, the U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M. on May 7, 1906, viz: Joseph W. Bunn, of Portales, N. M., for the southwest quarter of section 15, township 1 south, range 33 east. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz: H. J. Farnham, of Bethel, N. M., John S. Bushong and Joseph Lang of Portales, N. M., and Herbert Bushong of Bethel, N. M. HOWARD LELAND, Register. Published in Portales Times March 31, 1906.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Homestead Application No. 4629.
Department of the Interior, Land office at Roswell, New Mexico, March 27, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, the U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M. on May 7, 1906, viz: Andrew S. Gaines, of Portales, N. M., for the northeast quarter of section 6, township 2 south, range 35 east. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz: Jeff Hightower, Aaron Brien, Pugh W. Price and Ah Grantham, all of Portales, New Mexico. HOWARD LELAND, Register. Published in Portales Times March 31, 1906.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Homestead Application No. 2346.
Department of the Interior, Land office at Roswell, New Mexico, March 27, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, the U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M. on May 7, 1906, viz: Bent B. Clayton of Portales, New Mexico, for the northeast quarter of section 15, township 2 south, range 34 east. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz: Ira Swazear, Enoch Boren, Oscar Hill and Frank Thompson, all of Portales, N. M. HOWARD LELAND, Register. Published in Portales Times March 31, 1906.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Homestead Application No. 2894.
Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, March 27, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, the U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M., on May 7, 1906, viz: Ira Swazear, of Portales, New Mexico, for the northeast quarter of section 2, township 2 south, range 34 east. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz: Bent B. Clayton, Royal J. Noble, Herman Clark and Noah W. Clayton, all of Portales, New Mexico. HOWARD LELAND, Register. Published in Portales Times March 31, 1906.

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