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Save Money by Buying your IMPLEMENST, STOVES, BUGGIES, WAGONS and all Classes of HARDWARE-

xx from Humphrey & Sledge Portales, N. M.

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PORTALES, NEW MEXICO.

Condensed statement of condition of First National Bank at close of business November 30, 1906.

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To those who do not do business with us: Look at our statement. We invite you to become our customers. Investigate Our Methods. XXX

Fair and Square. Liberal and Safe.

GAVE-WORTH-LESS GHECKS

Orin Lee Was Arrested Here Wednesday

Embezzled About \$150 From Local Merchants.

A young man by the name of Orin Lee was arrested in Portales Wednesday on the charge of passing worthless checks. It is charged that he obtained goods and mercey from merchants in town on checks drawn on the Portales banks, all amounting to about \$150.

He has been here three or four months, working part of the time on cattle ranches. His folks live at Lubbock, Texas. A couple weeks ago he drew a draft on a Lubbock bank for \$50.00 and got two good Portales men to indorse it. He got the money, but the draft came back protested, so it had to be paid by the indorsers.

He was caught Wednesday attempting to board the north bound train just as it was leaving the depot. He had been hiding in the Portales Lumber yard and ran across to the train just as it was pulling out and got on Deputy Sheriff Cox was watching and had arrangements made to stop the train if he got on, which was done. Mr. Cox placed him under arrest and lodged him in jail. His preliminary will not be held till his folks are heard

John Thomas got in Wednesday from Iowa with a sear of goods. His of "Broncho George and his show." family arrived Thursday. He bought a relinquishment three miles south and who lives in that neighborhood.

Portales to Have a Nursery.

Rufus J. Nelson and his brother, F. F. Nelson, came in last week from De Queen, Arkansas, looking over this country. They are both experienced horticuturists, Rufus J. Nelson being field agent of the Brkansas experiment station, and F. F. Nelson is a practical nurseryman. They were very much pleased with this country and decided to establish a nursery at this place.

They have a large nursery now at De Queen and took a premium on thier church. products at a horticultural exhibit in their state. On account of being in business there they are not prepared on business. to stao here, so made arrangements with J. S. Bushong who lives four miles west of town to plant and cultivate 2500 apple grafts which they will ship out soon. These grafts, properly grown the coming summer, will be

ready to market next fall and spring. They are both young men and seem to have the ability and determination to establish a good nursery business here. This will certainly be a good location for a nursery. Every new settler will want trees to set out on their claims because trees will grow so well here.

Australia who has gained a great reprider. He goes by the name of "Bron- Floyd. cho George," and runs a circus and 'Great Wild West Show' there, carrying 150 people. He has been in Australia 18 years, and before going there was noted as being one of the best riders among the many good cow boy riders of Texas. He recently sent his father a batch of illustrated papers contoining illustrations and notices

D. C. Addison of Hereford, Recomone mile east of town in October and panied by his brother from Texas, day from Harrah, Oklahoma. Mr. Carthage. Mr. and Mrs. Hough ar of mule or information of its location. is now moving on his farm. Mr. came in Sunday. D. C. has been run- Ward was here in August and filed on rived here last week and are now com- Bring mule or information to Looper Thomas is a nephew of E. J. Stewart, ning a skating rink at Hereford, but a claim 30 miles southeast of town. fortably located in their home in the has lately sold it.

Local and Personal. Vaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa

Get it at the Red Cross. No trouble show goods.

J. B. Priddy left Wednesday for Nocona, Texas, on business. Walter Bradley of near Elida was

Portales on business Thursday. The Woman's Club meets next Wed-

Attorney George L. Reese has been away at Texico and Melrose this week

Joe Howard & Sons sold 160 acre relinquishment this week to John Bell, of Blacktower.

Fred Huffer returned from his claim near Melrose this week and is again working in the Times office.

John McGraw purchased the Turf Exchange saloon from U. N. Hall and took charge the first day of January.

J. J. Roberts, who lives near town, returned Sunday from Oklahoma where he had been on business about six weeks.

Mrs. J. P. Nash and little daughter A. J. Looper of Portales has a son in returned Tuesday from Plainview, Texas, where they had been visiting utation in that country as a rough during the holidays. They live near

> Albert Hughes, who has been clerking at the Red Cross drug store has gone to Kansas to manage a drug store recently purchased by his brother, Dr. Hughes.

Lakewood townsite Co., formerly of Portales and first county assessor of 25 miles southeast of town. of Roosevelt county, was here Saturday and Sunday.

J. J. Ward and family arrived Mon-He had a car of goods shipped to this north part of town.

arrives he expects to move out on his

J. E. McConald purchased from Joe Howard & Sons 160 acres of land located near Blacktower, this week.

J. P. Stone this week purchased through Joe Howard & Sons, the main street lot east of the Citizens National

A. L. Monbollen and J. S. Payne of nesday at 3 p. m. at the Presbyterian Dora were in town Monday soliciting aid to build a school house and church, combined at Dora.

Joe Howard & Sons this week loated Hardy Wyatt and Robert W. Drake on 160 acres of land each. These men are from Nashville, Tennessee.

Mrs. S. E. Moore and baby come in from Plainview the day before Christmas to visit her husband here. She and child returned to their home in

Plainylew Monday. L. G. Runyan arrived Sunday from Midlothian, Texas, to make settlement on his claim. He plans making quite valuable improvement on his land, including setting out a good orchard.

The firm of Jones & Morrison has been succeeded by the firm of Jones & Servis. All those knowing themselves indebted to the firm of Jones & Morrison are requested to call and settle at

John Nash and family arrived last week from Stillwater, Oklahoma, and made settlement of their farm seven miles southeast of town. John Custer W. K. Breeding, president of the and family, also from Stillwater, came with them, and they settled on a claim

> married at Joplin, Mo., on December high, had a piece of cotton rope around 10, 1906, to Miss Elizabeth Hubbard of neck. Five dollars reward for return

Announcements

Äcceeeeeeeee Having been solicited by a number of the leading citizens of Fortales and vicinity to become a candidate for constable in precinct No. 1, I have consented. Your vote will be appreciated BYRON PARRISH.

Edward W. Johnson, by solicitation of friends, hereby announces that he will be a candidate for the office of constable in precinct No. 1, Roosevelt county, at the election to be held the second Monday in January, 1907.

Owing to the solicitation of friends I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of justice of the peace in precinct No. 1, at the election to be held the second Monday in January, 1907. C. W. Morris.

Lost-A lady's gold watch with initials, "J. O. S." on the the front lid. Finder please leave at the Times office

T. N. Russell, Peter P. Ackley, Miss Julia M. Patterson, Julia M. Small and Lula O. Lockard, all of Texola, Oklahoma, all filed on 160 acres of land through Joe Howard & Sons.

T. N. Harris left Saturday for his old home in the Indian Territory near Ardmore. He came here about three months ago accompanied by his daughter and built a nice home in the south part of town. He expects to return in a short time and bring his wife and baby with him, coming to make this

Strayed, from Portales, Jan. 3, one brown work mule, brand on one hip, four years old in spring, wire cut on L. R. Hough, our new dentist, was left hind foot, about 15 or 16 hands

W. R. THOMPSON.

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PORTALES, . . . N. M.

EVENTS OF EVERYWHERE.

General Litvinoff, Governor of the province of Akmolinsk, Russia, was assassinated in the street close to his office Friday by two unknown men.

The Pennsylvania has ordered 2000 box cars to cost about \$2,000,000, and 7000 cars, 4000 of the steel hopper type and 3000 box cars.

Emperor William has bestowed upon Professor Huga of Munsterburg. the second class.

The Morth Washington Hotel of New York, an exclusive female hotel, is about to come to a collapse on account of dissatisfaction among the stockholders.

Extensive preparations are on foot for the celebration of the one hun dredth anniversary of the birthday of General Robert E. Lee at New Orleans on January 19.

Discovery has been made of the theft of about \$1,000 worth of diamonds from one of the local jewelry stores of Ardmore, I. T., during the holiday rush.

John Nicholls, special policeman at the Standard Theatre, Fort Worth, was shot and killed Saturday night. He had filled the position for the three past years.

Hicks, the miner, who was entomber in the Edison Tunnel, Chicago, for thirteen days, was reached by his rescuers at 1 o'clock Friday morning and speedily released.

The Mississippi National Park commission meets at Vivksburg Friday to select their design for a monument to commemorate the Mississippi soldiers who fell at the battle of Vickburg. The monument will cost \$50,000.

Bishop A. Coke Sm'th, of the Meth-Thursday night. Mr. Smith was elect Dallas four years ago.

In a dynamite explosion south of Newport, Tenn., near the North Carolina state line, two men were killed, Hamilton Southerland and Alfred Sutton. Three others were seriously in-

Announcement is made by the stockholders of the Oklahoma Packing company to the effect that the plant, which has been closed down for several weeks, will be opened after the first of the year.

It is announced from the offices bi G. F. Smith, superintendent of the New York Central Railroad, that the railroad had advanced the wages of 30,000 of its men and statistics of the general increase will be issued.

Fred L. Clark, said to belong a Belfast, Maine, shot and probably fatally wounded his young wife, Bertha, at a lodging house in Roxbury Friday, then turned the weapon upon himself and blew his brains out

Announcement is made of the reignation f Col. S. B. Hovey, vicepresident and superintendent of the Chicago, Rock Island and Gulf road at Fort Worth. He will be succeeded the first of the year by J. W. Robins, now superintendent of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe.

Colonel J. H. Pepper, the well known distiller of Kentucky died recently at the Waldorf Astoria hotel, New York City, where he was a guest. Oscar, the little son of Assistant George Gray, of Terrell, got his left hand torn up by a giant fire cracker.

The centennial anniversary of the birth of General Robert E. Lee will His illness was so severe, according be celebrated by Washington and Lee to the correspondent, that all plans University, the institution of which he | the family had for Christmas were was president for five years before abandoned. his death on January 19.

Two residents of Kay County, John H. Barnes of Cross, and August Kipkin, an aged German, fell dead at Ponca City, Oklahoma. Barnes was 59 years old and but recently from Iowa Kipkin was entertaining a crowd of friends with stories when he fell dead

It is learned from a seemingly authoriative source that the Mexican Government has already entered into negotiations for the purchase of the Mexican Railway, from the City of Mexico to Vera Cruz.

PORTALES TIMES A GREAT DISASTER

THIRTY-FIVE ARE KILLED INSTANTLY-MANY WOUNDED

A Washington Special Train is Wrecked in a Fog.

Washington, December 31 .-- An appalling disaster occurred last night on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad at Terra Cotta, about three miles from the Erie is about to close orders for this city, and about thirty-five persons were killed and over sixty injured, some of them so seriously that they are likely to die.

The accident was caused by the colprofessor of physiology at Harvard lision of a train due here at 6:05 from university, the crown of the order of Frederick, Md. known as the Frederick special, with a dead passenger equipment train of eight cars. Two hundred passengers were aboard the ill-fated train. The railroad officers last night were unable to assign any cause for the collision.

> It has been proved that the danger signal at Takoma Park, a short distance from the place of the accident, was set when the train of empty freight cars passed. The train was going at the rate of sixty miles an hour and Engineer Hildebrand stated that on account of the heavy fog he could not see the signal. His train ran into the Frederick train just as the latter was pulling out of Terra Cotta, where it had stopped to take on four or five passengers, two of these being among the killed.

The wrecked train was composed of an engine, a smoker and two day coaches: The two rear coaches were reduced to kindling wood and the rear of the smoker was telescoped.

Nothing since the Ford theater disaster, which occurred about fifteen years ago, when a large number of Government clerks were killed by the collapse of a portion of the building. has produced such a shock as the wreck at Terra Cotta last evening. No railroad accident within a great many years in the District of Columbia has approached it in magnitude.

A dense fog and a drizzling rain odist Episcopal church, South, died prevailed throughout the day and last at Asheville, N. C., at 7:45 o'clock night and to the inability of the engineer of the rear train to see the ed bishop at the general conference in signal, showing that another train was injured as a result of a wreck at Hawof the accident. The grade at the place where the tragedy occurred is downward, and the tracks were slip-

EX-SENATOR CAFFREY DEAD.

Leading Citizen of Louisiana Ends Remarkable Career.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 31.-Ex-United States Senator Donelson Caffrey died at 10:20 last Sat. night. Donelson Caffrey of Franklin, St. Mary Parish, La., had a remarkable, career. Leaving the United States Stnate almost penniless, he returned to Franklin to take up the practice of law, his son. Don Caffrey Jr., becoming associated with him. Just then, or shortly after, the oil boom developed at Jennings, La. The Caffreys made some judicious investments in that field and Senator Caffrey was one of the first to utilize oil in the manufacture of sugar from sugar cane. They introduced oil on their place and in the short space of a few years Senator Caffrey, through his shrewd oil investments and his ingenuity in turning sugar cane into sugar by means of the cheaper process of using oil, became independently rich, and died one of the wealthiest men in this State.

Arrangements are making to take a new census of Dallas.

Mr. Cleveland Sick.

New York: News of the Illness of Grover Cleveland at his home in Princeton, N. J., is published with reports that his condition was serious avenue bridge, Houston. early in the week, but that he is now convalescent." Mr. Cleveland's attack of indigestion began Saturday night.

Balley Wins in Comanche.

Comanche: Senator Bailey was successful in the Comanche County primaries Saturday by a vote of approxinately 976 for him to 370 against him. Returns were received by telephone Saturday night from twenty-two of the twenty-nine boxes in the county. Of these he carried nineteen and lost three. In the other seven boxes, three did not hold an election, and three made no report. The event was duly celebrated by anvil firing and bonfires here and at Gainesville.

King Edward May Visit Canada. New York: Captain Kincaid Smith, f the Ninth British Lancers, member of Parliament, has brought news that King Edward would visit Canada. He offered it as his opinion that a meeting could be arranged with President Roosevelt on United States soil. "Outside the King, President Roosevelt is the most popular man in England fully wounding himself. today," said he. "If such a visit could be arranged as that of your President to England he would have a rousing welcome.

Dallas-Waxahachie Interurban,

Dallas: Work is to be begun on the Waxahachie interurban railroad early in the spring. M. M. Phinney states that two surveys had been made for the line, and that the engineers are now engaged in putting their data in proper shape. Both surveys are through Lisbon - and Lancaster, and through Waxahachie to Ennis, a distance of about forty miles. The company hopes to have the road in operation by the end of the year.

Dallas-Greenville Interurban Matters. Dallas: J. Mercer Carter says that the local organization which has charge of his franchise expects to be ready by January 1 to apply for charter for an interurban railroad between Dallas and Greenville. He has franchises for twenty-three miles of street railway in Dallas and five in Greenville, and the interurban to connect the two street railway systems will be sixty miles in length, making a total of eighty-eight miles.

Two Victims of a Wreck.

Danville, In.: Two persons were killed and two injured in a freight wreck on the Southern Railway at Chatham, seventeen miles north of here, Sunday afternoon. The dead are Grover Franklin, Archie Wyatt, two young men of Danville, and the injured are Phil White and Stanbury Mays of this county. While rounding a sharp curve eight cars of a southbound through freight jumped the track and were piled in a heap.

Colonel E. H. R. Green has sold his 640-acre farm near Terrell, and is moving his greenhouses from that place to his farm near Dallas.

The lives of four men were crushed out instantly and four others were in the block, is attributed the cause ley, Minn., Friday night on the Northern Pacific.

> Maurice Rose, a young man of seventeen years of age, living with his parents in Dallas, was electrocuted Saturday evening in attempting to turn on an electric light in the barn.

> A strong effort is to be made by the friends of Harry Arthur McArdle, the well known Texas artist, to have an appropriation made by the next legislature to purchase the painting now in the senate chamber of the battle of San Jacinto.

The question of an electric traction line to connect Marlin and Temple has been recently revived, and there are said to be excellent prospects for the line being constructed.

The railroad reached Plainview Sat urday at twelve o'clock, and the citizens of the surrounding country celebrated the event by a barbecue dinner, speeches and firing off anvils and ringing bells. It was the largest gathering of people ever witnessed at Plainview.

Hiram Castleberry, aged sixteen years, died at the Austin Sanitarium Saturday morning from the effect of a rifle ball which struck him in the left eye, passed behind his eye, destroying the sight of both, and lodged at the base of his brain.

An overdose of cocaine is assigned as the cause of the death of Nicie Braxton, negress, found Sunday morning under the building built up from the bayou bank across the Franklin

John Smith, eleven years of age, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith of North Fort Worth, died Saturday night of lockjaw resulting from the wound of a toy pistol, with which he was shot in the head on Christmas

During the excitement caused by a fire at Angleton Sunday, Deputy Sheriff J. H. Jackson fell dead. He was sixty-six years of age, and had been an old Kentucky soldier. He was a Mason and was buried by that order. Sam D. Cox, editor of the Minatre,

The Rev. Louis Bacon Warren has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Tabernacle Baptist church. The Rev. Mr. Warren comes to Chicago from Macon, Georgia, where he had a pastorate for many years.

ALL OVER TEXAS.

Twenty-eight marriage flicenses were issued in Dallas on Christmas

A suspect in the Dallas city holdover, attempted to commit suicide by a thumbscrew, and succeeded in pain-

Congressman Gillespie has introduced a bill in Congress, asking for an appropriation of \$200,000 for a new postoffice at Cleburne.

Rev. William Eustis Brooks, D. D. president of Tillotson College and Normal Institute at Austin, Texas, from 1880 to 1885, died in Boston at the age of 75 years.

stands pat on its interpretation of the railroad rate law tht newspapers can not exchange advertising for interstate transportation. Rev. W. S. Lester, living three miles

The interstate commerce comission

east of Terrell, had his left hand badly mangled by the firing of a Roman candle, which exploded. It is feared that amputation will be necessary.

Tom Pitts of Clear Lake, Collin county, was shot and killed Thursday in a thicket. It is believed to have been self-inflicted. Officers have begun an investgation.

There are probably fifteen or twenty cases of smallpox in Ellis county at this time, but all the victims oil the diesase have been isolated, so that there is little danger of it spread-

ed recently an announcement of a colonization scheme which included projected settlement near Galveston. Texas. The plan was to acquire land for settlement by Russian Jews.

B. H. Lewis, soliciting freight agent of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway company at Dallas, was shot in the calf of the leg by the accidental discharge of his own pistol Thursday morning.

It is understood that work was begun Wednesday on the line the Goulds are building from Mineral Wells northwest. The terminus of the road is not given, and only eighteen miles are under contract to date.

A. R. Raley Jr. who, on Christmas shot and killed Wesley Webber in : saloon at Houston, was granted his release on \$5,000 bail in a habeas corpus hearing. He declared he shot in self-defense.

Race suicide received a severe shock at Willow Station, a point just north of Houston last Sunday when Mrs. Henry Metzler gave birth to quadruplets, two boys and two girls. One of the girls died eight hours after its birth.

Willam F. Farquhar was killed Frimorning in the northern portion of 000,000 to \$300,000,000 and be equal in Navasota. He was head brakeman on the local freight on the Madisonville Branch of the International & Great Northern. He was caught between the drawheads while coupling cars.

The ground is being broken and the material arriving for the erection at once of the immense elevator for the Midland Mill and Elevator Company, at Muskogee, which will have a capacity, it is said, of any other ten el evators in the two Territories.

That Robert McCrary, 75 years of age, who was found dead in bed at his home at Noonday, come to his death from the effects of strychnine, self-administered, was the verdict of Justice M. C. Freeman, who held the inquest.

Rev. B. L. Holder, a well known Presbyterian minister, was assassinated Thursday night at Troy, Tennessee. His body was found near the railroad tracks. There is no clew to the murderer.

Robert Whitmore, aged 35 years, was shot and instantly killed on John Long's farm, twelve miles southeast of Mt. Pleasant. The bullet entered at the chin, Lean Fleminster, aged 15 years, is charged with the shoot

Six counties have not yet sent in the returns of the general election held therein and the tabulation of the vote cast in the State is delayed on account of the tardiness of these counties.

The blacksmith and repair shop and iaboratory of the Tassle Belle furnace at Rusk was burned Thursday night. A large amount of material and machinist's tools were stored in the shop and expensive apparatus in the laboratory, none of which was saved,

FACTS ABOUT FIGURE NINE.

Professor of the Occult Has Added a New Wrinkle.

Mathematicians have juggled with the mystic figures 3, 7 and 9 for ages, and now comes a foreign "professor" of the occult science to tell fortune by "the force in a simple numeral"the 9. He reminds his victims that if they multiply any number, short of a decimal, by 9 the two figures of the product added together will make 9. Thus: Nine times 2 are 18, and 8 and 1 are 9; 9 times 3 are 27, and 7 and 2 are 9; 9 times 5 are 45, and 5 and 4 are 9; 9 times 6 are 54, and 4 and 5 are 9; 9 times 7 are 63, and 3 and 6 are 9; 9 times 8 are 72, and 2 and 7 are 9; 9 time 9 are 81, and 1 and 8 are 9. He might have added that any number in the hundreds of thousands multiplied by 9 will give a product the sum of whose digits is a multiple of ' Take at random-9 times 545are 4,905, the sum of which is 18, and 9 into 18 goes 2 times. Take 7,352 multiplied by 9 equals 66,168; the sum of the digits is 27; 9 into 27 goes 3 times. Oh, there is an immense amount of fun in 9.

MADE THEM ALL LAUGH.

Book Must Have Been Funny, but No One Knew What Is Was.

It must have been a very funny story! The type looked funny from across the aisle of the car, the pictures looked funny, and the young lady who was reading it doubled up in fits of stifled laughter every few minutes. The young man in the seat with her could not help stealing a glance at the pages of the book which was evidently so funny, but whose cover was carefully doubled back out The Jewish World of London print. of sight, and soon he began to laugh as he unblushingly followed the story page after page, shaking with suppressed merriment.

The woman in the seat at right angles became interested and looked over the girl's shoulder. Presently her face broadened into a grin and soon she was convulsively shaking. The man in the seat across smiled at the scene. A boy a few seats down the aisle grinned sympathetically. A darky still further down showed all his white teeth. The contagion spread until the car was nearly on the verge of hysterics, when the fair reader got up to leave the train, yet no one but the girl herself had any idea as to what the book was.

VAST WEALTH OF THE SOUTH.

in Natural Resources That Section Is Supreme.

To its coal supply, more than twice as great as the combined coal area of Great Britain, Germany and Pennsylvinia; to its vast stores of oil and natural gas as supplementary sources power of water powers for utilization of power and heat and light the South adds at least 3,000,000 available horse power of water powers for utilization for electrical transmission, also for power, heat and light. The development of this vast water power potentiality will eventually employ \$250,working capacity to 6,000,000 men. It will make possible construction of thousands of miles of interurban electric roads, it will furnish cheap power and light for mines and factories, and create, as in Switzerland, the highest forms of skilled mechanical work in the mountains of the South, where climatic conditions are unsurpassed by any other section of the world. In counting up the riches of the South always bear in mind its wealth of everrunning streams, where nature furnishes the power without price except for the cost of development.-Manufacturers' Record.

POSTUM CEREAL CO., LTD.

Guarantee On Their Products.

We warrant and guarantee that all packages of Postum Cereal, Grape-Nuts and Elijah's Manna hereafter sold by any jobber or retailer, comply with the provisions of the National Pure Food Law, and are not and shall not be adulterated or mis-branded within the meaning of said Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, and entitled, "An act for preventing the manufacture, sale or transportation of adulterated or mis-branded or poisonous or deleterious foods, drugs, medicines, liquors, and for regulating traffic therein for other purposes."

POSTUM CEREAL CO., LAD. C. W. Post, Chairman, Battle Creek, Mich.

Dec. 12, 1906. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of December, 1906. BENJAMIN F. REID,

Notary Public. My commission expires July 1, 1907. Our goods are pure, they always have been and always will be, they are not mis-branded. We have always since the beginning of our business, printed a truthful statement on the packages of the ingredients contained therein and we stand back of every package.

BY G. V. JOHNSON,

Entered as second-class mail matter at the post fice at Portales, New Mexico.

REPUBLICAN IN POLITICS.

Advertising rates 50 cents an inch per month Local rates 5 cents per line each insertion.

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nated under any consideration, but if an overwhelming public sentiment give him another nomination, he must and shall be beaten at the polls.

Let the people of the nation once get this impression at work under their hats and the renomination and, practically, unanimous election of our steam school president is as good as writ.

Carry this metallic threat to the carry this metallic threat to the folks throughout the metes and bounds of the land, and flaming indignation will be born of it that will sweep Theodore Roosevelt into the White House for another quodrennial clutch on the helm of state.

The negro is powerfully aiding to support the president's attitude in summarily punishing the soldier coons for ruffianism. An epidemic of outrages by negroes Department of the Interior, United States Land office at Roswell, New Mexico, Nov. 3, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Harry A. Geyer, contestant, against homestead entry No. 2694, made July 14, day is something fearful. The animal propensities of the Ethiopian seem to have broken all re- said tract: that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since makstraint. It is certain to involve ing said entry and next prior to the date of said affidavit, that said tract is not settled upon and innocent and guilty in awful trouble. The only way to reason with a mad coon is with brute force.

and guilty in awful cuftivated by said party as required by law, that his said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States in time of war, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at the collection of the control of the contro brute force.

Why, of course Billy Bryan will accept another nomination. That is what William was made and provided for. And he'll get more votes at the polls than any other Democrat extant. When Parker was beaten it was said that Bryan was in the saddle for the next Bourbon nomination. In this confiection it was also predicted that Teddy would be his party competitor, and many learning township 2 south, range 32 east, by Henry L. Smith, contestee, in which it is alleged that said Henry L. Smith, has wholly abandoned said Republicans have expressed the from for more than six months since making conviction that it will take a man of exactly Teddy's description that said affidavit, that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law, and that said alleged absence from the said land was and name to beat Billy. Of course that's rank treason, but that's what the boys are saying.

England has finally selected a great man asambassador to Washington. Never before has a man of Bryce's brains and worthiness been delegated by a British sovereign to represent the majesty of Albion in the capital city of "Columbia, Gem of the Oceans." It has been the rule to send over titled stupidities, like Durand, present pavonian incumbent, or anaemic goutees of the Pauncepuff balls of importance. Bryce is the first virile intellect and high grade moralist to be chosen as representative of St. James in Yankeedom. Sixty-eight years old, a combination of sturdy Scotch and irrepressible Irish stock the author of "The American state of the said contestant having, in a proper affidaforte brand of God-Almighty stock, the author of "The American Commonwealth" is a wit, a wisdom and a worth in one. He is a scholar, a conscience and a DAVID L: GEYER, Receiver.

Portales Times gentleman. England honors hergentleman. England honors herman with this high position. America will be pleased by it and look upon the British ambassade as taking on added dignity because of Bryce's incumbency. We can well afford to thank Johnny Bull for sending us a real man instead of a titular pre-SUBSCRIPTION \$1.00 PER YEAR

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States land office, Roswell, New Mexico, November 16, 1906, A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by George J. Butler, contestant, against homestead entry No. 4564, made September 8, 1903 for the northeast quarter of section 39, township 2 south, range 34 east by James R. McKenzie, contestee, in which it is alteged that said James R. McKenzie has wholly abandoned said tract, that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since months since making said entry and next prior to the date of said affidavit, that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law, and that said alleged absence from land was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States in time of war, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and ofter evidence touching said allegation at 20 clock p. m. on Jamuary 26, 1907, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock, a. m. on February 6, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States land office in Roswell New Mexico.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Dec. 17th, 1906, set forth facts which it is a support of the date of said affidavit, that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law, and that said alleged absence from land was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States in time of war, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and ofter evidence touching said allegation at 20 clock p. m. on Jamuary 26, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States land office in Roswell New Mexico.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Dec. 17th, 1906, set forth facts which it is a said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Dec. 17th, 1906, set forth facts which it is a said contestant having, in a p Contest Notice.

The said contestant having, in a proper affida-vit, filed Dec. 17th, 1906, set forth facts which show that, after due diligence, personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given

by due and proper publication. HOWARD LELAND, Register. DAVID L. GEYER, Receiver.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, Tnited States land office, Roswell, New Mexico, December 17, 1906. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by J. C. Rice, contestant against homestead entry No. 4677, made October 14, 1903, for the northeast quarter of section 21, township 3 south, range 35 east, by Martin Carlton, contestee in which it is alleged that said Martin Carlton has wholly abandoned said tract: residence on said tract, and that said tract is raw prairie agricultural land; and said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States in time of war, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on Feb. 16, 1907, before W.E.Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, N M., and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a, m. on February 26, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States land office in Poswell New Marie

Roswell. New Mexico.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed December 19, 1906, set forth facts which show that, after due diligence, personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given

by due and properpublication.
HOWARD LELAND, Register. DAVID L. GEYER, Receiver.

Contest Notice.

1902, for the southwest quarter of section 17, township I south, range 32 east, by Benjamin F. Brown, contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Benjamin F. Brown has wholly abandoned tion at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 14, 1907, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 24, 1907 before the Register and Receiver at the United States land office in Roswell, New Mexico.

The said contestant having in a proper affida-vit filed December 19, 1906, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made it is hereby or-dered and directed that such notice be given by

due and proper publication.
Howard Leland, Register. DAVID L. GEYER, Reciever.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States land office at Roswell, New Mexico, November 30, 1906 A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Benjamin T. Webb, contestant, against homestead entry No. 2639, made June 17, ract, that he has changed his residence therenot due to his employment in the armn, navy or marine corps of the United States in time of war, said parties are hereby notified to appear. respond and offer evidence touching said allega-tion at 10 o'clock a, m. on January 31, 1907, be-fore W. E. Lindsey, U; S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on Feb-ruary 9, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States land office in Roswell, N. M. The said contestant having in a proper affidavit filed December 13, 1906 set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and

proper publication.
HOWARD LELAND, Register. DAVID L. GEYER, Receiver.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States and Office, Roswell, New Mexico, November 16

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by James W. Butler, contest-ant, against homestead entry No. 4697, made Oct 26, 1903, for the southeast quarter of section. 30, township 2 south, Range 34 East, by Seneca H. Lipsey, contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Seneca H. Lipsey has wholly abandoned said tract: that he has changed his residence there-

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 29, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Thalus L. Cowsert of Delphos, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final commutation proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 4365, made July 2, 1903, for the east half of the northwest quarter and the west half of the northwest quarter of section 31, township 2 south range 33 east, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, N. M., on February 12, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of the land, viz:

Eli Cummings, George W. Brown, Rufus E. McAlister and Edward J. Dowell all of Delphos. New Mexico. Jan. 5. HOWARD LELAND, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell. New Mexico, December 29, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that William G. Morris, of Bethel, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 2265 made Innuary 16, 1902, for the south half-of southwest quarter of section 14, township I south range 33 east, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey. U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, N. M., on February 12, 1907. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:

Flue A. Anderson, Benjamia W. Smith, John B. Guyer, John W. Stevenson, all of Bethel, New Mexico.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Koswell, New Mexico, December 29, 1906. Notice is hereby given that Mary L. Power, of Portales, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final commutation proof in sup-port of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 5039 made March 25, 1904, for the northwest quarter of section 30, township 2 south, range 35 east, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales. N. M., on February 11, 1907,
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of,

Henry G. Justice, Thomas F. Elkins, Francis K. Douglas, James Maxwell, all of Portales, New

HOWARD LELAND, Register. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office a Roswell, New Mexico, December 29. 1906. Notice is hereby given that James Neill, of Portales. New Mexico, has filed notice of his in-Portales. New Mexico, has filed notice of his in-tention to make final commutation proof in sup-port of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 6317 made November 15, 1905, for the southwest quarter of section 32, township 1 south, range 35 east, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, N. M., on February 11, 1907. He names the following witnesses to prove his

continuous residence upon, and cultivation of Daniel R. Hamilton, Carl P. Latham, Amos Rindchen, U. El Smith. all of Portales, N. M. HOWARD LELAND, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, land office at Ros well, New Mexico, November 24, 1906. Notice is hereby given that Gearge E. Scott, of Floyd, New Mexico, has filed notice of his Intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz: homestead entry No. 2ISI, made November 22, 1901, for the south half of southwest quarter of section I and north half of northwest quarter of section 12, township I south, range 32 east, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on Januar

11, 1907. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Amos Morgan, of Floyd, N. M., A. Dallas Green, of Bethel, N. M., George Smith, of Bethel, N. M., Herbert E, Johnson, of Floyd,

New Mexico. HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior. United States and Office, Roswell. New Mexico. November

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed n this office by Viola Stockton, contestant, against homestead entry No. 4702, made October 27, 1903, for the south half of the southwest quarter and northwest quarter of southwest quarter, and southwest quarier of southeast quarter of section 2, township 1 north, range 32 east, by William H. Gibson, contestee, in which it is a!leged that said William H. Gibson has who ly abandoned said tract, that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry and next prior to the date of said affidavit, that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law, that his said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the army. navy or marine corps of the United States in time of war; said parties are hereby notified to appear. respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 1, 1907, before W. E. Lindsey, United States Commissioner at his office in Portales, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o clock a. m. on February 11, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States land ce in Roswell, New Mexico.

The said contestant having, in a proper affida vit, filed December 10, 1906, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by ou have got to have some sort of a due and proper publication. HOWARD LELAND, Register,

DAVID L. GEYER, Receiver.

Contest Notice

against homestead entry No 4672, made October 13, 1903, for the N. M., S. E. quarter, section 4, township 2 south, range 34 east, by John E. Hawley, contestee in which it is alleged that said labor.

John E. Hawley has wholly abandoned said here isn't any time to sit down that that he here charted his residence therefore. tract; that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said en-try and prior to the date of said affidavit; that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law; and that his said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in army, navy or marine corps of the United States in time of war: said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a.m. on January 31, 1907. before W. E. Lindsey, the U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 2 o'clock p. m, on February 11, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States I and office in Powell New United States Land office in Roswell New Mexico

The said contestant baving, in a proper affida-vit, filed December 14, 1906, set forth facts which show that after due diligence, personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.
Howard Leland. Register.

DAVID L. GEYER, Receiver.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior. Land Office at oswell, New Mexico, November 24, 1906. Notice is hereby given that Samuel W. Wallace of Portales, New Mexico. has filed notice of his intention to make final commution proof in support of his claim. viz: Homestead entry No. 3103 made October 29, 1902, for the southeast quarter of section 17, township 2 south of, range 33 east, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, United States Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on January

He names the following witnesses to prove is continuous residence upon, and cultivation the land, viz:
Thomas R. Minshew, John F. Morgan, William
Thornton, Overton E. Martin, all of Portales,

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, November 24, 1906. Notice is hereby given that Rubin A. Morgan of Floyd, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz. Homestead Entry No. 2200 made December 11, 1901, for the southeast quarter of section 11, towoship 1 south, range 32 ast, and that said proof will be made before Lindsey, United States Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico on January 11,

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation Herbert E. Johnson, George E. Scott, Lotus Winn and John W. George, all of Floyd, New HOWARD LELAND, Register.

ional organization, and the only stions of interest are whether the ional organization is well and hon-7 officered, whether the National is Department of the Interior, United States hing you or you running it. What and Office, Roswell, New Mexico, November terns the real farmer is sensible A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed peration and useful education

theorize about what to do. The

[First publication, December 22, 1906.] Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States land office at Roswell, New Mexico. November 23, 1906
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Martin Read, contestant, against homestead entry No. 3879, made March 16, 1903, for northeast quarter of section 13, township 2 south, range 32 east, by Marcus P. Smith, Contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Marcus P. Smith has wholly abandoned said tract; that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry, and next prior to the date of said affidavit; that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law, and that the said alleged absence from the said land that the said alleged absence from the said land that the said alleged absence from the said land that the said alleged absence from the said land that the said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the army, navy, or marine corps of the United States in time of war; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 2 o'clock p. m. on January 28, 1907, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 7, 1907 before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, N. M.

The said Contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Dec. 18, 1906, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

DAVID L. GEYER Receiver. said Marcus P. Smith has wholly abandoned said) tract: that he has changed his residence there-

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, Land Office at

Roswell, New Mexico, November 24, 1906. Notice is hereby given that James C. Coursey, of Portales, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead entry No. 2162 made Novembr 29, 1901, for the southeast quarter of section 7, township 2 south, range 33 east, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, United States Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on January He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation

Inda Humphrey, Byron M. McCall, John F. Morgan, Rhoda D. Stone, all of Portales, New

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, November 24, 1906. Notice is hereby given that Lon D, Young of Portales, New Mexico, has filed notice of his tention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead entry No. 2121 made Nov. 8. 1901, for the south half of the southwest quarter section 12, and south half of southeast quarter of section 11, township 2 south of range 35 east, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, United States Commis-sioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico on January 11, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:
Robert U. Smith, Redmond Yates, John Burrows, John B. Wade, all of Portales, New Mexico dec 1 Howard Leland, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

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Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, November 24, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Rollin C. Phillips, of Bethel, New Mexico, has filed notice of his of Bethel, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in Support of her claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 2020 made Sept. 30, 1901, for the northeast quarter is a of section 17, township 1 south, range 33 east, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, United States Commissioner, at his wolf office in Portales, New Mexico on January 10, 1907 He names the following witnesses to prove per continuous residence upon, and cultivation

tea-W. Smith and Flue Anderson, all of Bethel, New caffe Mexico. HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United Sintes Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, November

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by P. S. Tipton, contestant against homestead entry No. 2208, made December 19, 1901, for SM SEM, SEM SWM section 33, and SWM SWM sec 34. T 1 north range 35 east, by Richard J. Griffin contestee in which it is alleged that said Richard J. Griffin has wholly abandance of the said Richard J. Griffin has wholly aband

CUBAN REVOLUTION



Aug. 21—Uprising of insurgents in west-ern Cuba. 23—Revolution spreads and gov-ernment decides to raise 10,000 men to fight rebels; 7,000 insurgents under arms in Pinar del Rio province. 24—Heavy fighting in Pinar del Rio

6—Band of 100 in-surgents loot Las Lajas, Santa Clara province.
Government offers amnesty and

many leaders in Provinces of Ma-tanzas and Santa Clara surrender. Moines sails for Sep. 10-Cruiser Des

18—Sailors land from Cruiser Denver at Havana but immediately ordered to re-turn to vessel; guard for American lega-

tion left.

14—President decides to send Sec. of War Taft and Assist. Sec. of State Bacon to Cuba to investigate conditions and lend influence to restore peace...Extra session of Cuban congress grants Pres. Palms fullest power to converte the contract of Palma fullest power to carry on war gainst insurgents.

against insurgents.

15—Palma orders suspension of hostilities.

15—Taft and Bacon arrive at Havana and begin efforts for peace.

25—American intervention occurs; Sec. Taft issues proclamation creating himself provisional military governor; marines landed in Havana to protect treasury...Palma resigns presidency.

Oct. 5—American troops quietly landed at Havana.

Havana. Chas. E. Magoon, newly appointed pro-visional governor of Cuba, arrived at Havana...Gov. Taft issues general amnesty decree

SEISMIC DISTURBANCES

Feb. 23—Mont Pelee in violent eruption...
Earthquake shocks create panic throughout West Indies.

Apr. 18—Earthquake and ensuing fire ruins heart of San Francisco; property damage placed at \$200,000,000; 50,000 people homeless; 150,000 buildings in ruins; 20,000 persons injured; loss of life; damage extends along the entire Pacific

age extends along the entire Pacific -Congress appropriates \$1,000,000 for suf-

ferers.
23—Last of Frisco fires extinguished; congress provides \$1,500,000 more for relief quake victims War department sends 2,500 troops to

San Francisco. May 8—President recommends appropria-tion of additional \$500,000 for quake vic-tims..., Vesuvius again showing consid-

erable activity.

Aug. 17—Disastrous earthquake visits Valparaiso, Chili; fatalities estimated at 2,000; property loss \$250,000,000; several other towns in country in ruins; rail-roads all destroyed; town of Quillota with population of 10,000 completely de-

GOVERNMENT AND POLITICAL



Jan. 3 — Resolution introduced into New York legislature asking U. S. Senator Depew to resign because of insurance expos-

Gov. Hanly, In-diana, files suit to oust Sec. of State Storms for dere-liction of duty. J. M. Patterson inaugurated gov-ernor of Ohlo.... Iowa general assembly began. -Wisconsin legislative inquiry be--Philippine

Cong. Hepburn. trade tariff bill passes national house of representatives. 'eb. 7—Venezuela requests U. S. to control French consulate; Secretary Root

Gov. Patterson, Ohio, signs 2-cent f bill, making it a law...Pension app priation bill carrying \$139,000,000 pas 4-J. G. Brady. Alaska governor, resi

Mar. 1-J. M. Patterson, Chicago commisioner public works, becomes social and resigns.

8-Ex-State Senator Green, New Y found not guilty of conspiracy to fraud government.

American forces wipe out entire hand in Island of Jolo battle, killing 12—National supreme court gives Chicuse of its streets, taking rights furaction companies...N. W. Gill congressional representative, Indirection, accepting Philippine judges

Ex-State Auditor Sherrick, Indi-found guilty of embezzlement. 19-C. S. Francis, named as ambassador to Austria-Hungary, to succeed Bel-

19 ... y Storer.

2:—Labor heads appeal to president for legislative aid....Chicago federal judge grants immunity from punishment pleas to 16 indicted packers.

31-Ohio general assembly adjourns Apr. 3—House passes national quarantine bill....David S. Rose, Democrat, defeat-ed by S. M. Becker for mayor of Mil-waukee....Chicago goes on record as op-posing municipal operation of street rail-

ways.
5-Illinois supreme court declares new primary election law unconstitutional.

Indiana supreme court declares Parks anti-cigarette law valid. tay 2—Gov. E. W. Hoch renominated by Kansas Republicans.

President sends message to congress arraigning Standard Oil Co. and officials and recommending legislation.

Senate passed Hepburn railroad rate bill by vote of 71 to 3.

Supreme court affirms decision sen-neing Senator Burton to 6 months im-isonment and fine of \$2,500.

Senate passes agriculture appropriation bill carrying 7,800,000, and carrying meat inspection bill.

In 1—Senate committee on privileges and election decides Reed Smoot not entitled to seat as senator from Utah.

Neill-Reynolds report on conditions at thicago packing houses sent to contrast by president...O. N. Carter, Resublican, elected justice of supreme ours of Illinois.

 11—Col. H. A. Dupont defeats J. E. Addicks in contest for seat in senate in Delaware.
 14—House adoptes statehood bill admitting Oklahoma and Indian territory as one 15-House votes in favor of lock canal for

19—House adopts Beveridge amendment bill to agricultural bill relating to meat inspection...H. H. D. Pierce appointed minister to Norway. 29—General deficiency bill passed by con-gress...Pure food bill passed....Con-gress adjourns. Panama

B. Cummins for governor at Des Moines.
17—J. S. Harlan of Chicago appointed member interstate commerce commission. Sep. 10-Cong. C. E. Littlefield, Republic-an, of Maine, reelected.

19—President extends eight-hour law to apply to all public work. Nov 6—Election held throughout country; Chas. E. Hughes defeats W. R. Hearst ticket for governor of New York; Democrats elect rest of state ticket.... Republicans elect fest of state ticket...
Republicans elect governors and majority of state ticket in Iowa, Michigan, Wisconsin, Kansas, Nebraska, New Hampshire and Colorado; also elect state tickets in Illinois, Ohio, Connecticut and Pennsylvania; Democrats win in Minnesota, Massachusetts, Oklahoma and the south; Republican majority in

house cut down Dec. 3-Final session of Fifty-ninth congress begins.

10—John W. Riddle, minister to Rou-mania and Servia, named to succeed Ambassador Meyer at St. Petersburg. 11—President sends special message to congress urging full citizenship for Por-

17—President in special message praised work being done on Panama canal and flayed critics of enterprise....Secretaries Strauss, Bonaparte and Metcalf sworn in as members of reorganized cabinet. 20 Congress adjourned over Christmas holidays.

SPORTING



American cup. 12—Herrera knocks out Young Cor-bett, in fifth, at Los Angeles. 15-Willie Hoppe de-feated Maurice Vignaux for world's 18-inch balk line billiard

Jan. 11-Sir Thomas

Lipton plans race against New York

club

for

championship a t Paris.... Inter-col-legiate football put under ban at Harvard university. Goog killed by blow on heart, in bout in New York. 29—Demogeot at Or-monde Beach, Fla., drives auto 2 miles

in 58 4-5 seconds, breaking world's rec-Mar. 14-Battling Nelson easily beats Mc-Govern in 6 rounds at Philadelphia. 27—Hoppe defeats Slosson for world's balk line billiard championship at New York. May 23—Frank Gotch defeats Tom Jenkins

for wrestling championship of America at Kansas City. ul. 9—16th annual congress American Whist League opens at Boston.

Aug. 7—Umpires Johnstone and Emslie
barred from Polo grounds, N. Y.; Nat.
League game scheduled between N. Y.
and Chicago forfeited to latter.

and Chicago forfeited to latter.

Sep. 3—Joe Gans wins lightweight championship from Battling Nelson in 42nd round at Goldfield, Nev., on foul.

Oct. 2—Manager Fred Tenny announces he and Roy Thomas, of Philadelphia National league club, have bought interest in Boston National league club. 13-Chicago American league club won world's championship by defeating Na-tionals in post-season series at Chicago. Dec. 12-Harry C. Pulliam reelected pres-ident National Baseball League.

CASUALTIES

Jan. 4-In Coaldaie, W. Va., 23 in mine ex-8—At Haverstraw, N. J., 15 in landslide. 9—At Minneapolis, Minn., 11 in hotel fire. 18—At Detroit, W. Va., 18 in mine exsnort space of a few years seine Caffrey, through his shrewd of vestments and his ingenuity in tuny. augar cane into sugar by mean the cheaper process of using oing. came independently rich, and diecon. of the wealthiest men in this Sta

Arrangements are making to taolnew census of Dallas.

Mr. Cleveland Sick.

Apr. 14—Explosion in gun tuffe. Whoat-tleship Kearsarge in Cuban waters kills 7, injures 14. 22-In mine near Trinidad, Col., 22 by dust explosion. 26—Tornado destroys Bellevue, Tex., 11 dead; other damage throughout state.

May 4-Seven in train wreck near Al-Jun. 3-At East Providence, R. L. 11 in trolley car wreck. 7—At Rocky Ford, Mont., 8 by white damp in mine....Six in storms in Minnesota

Wisconsin. At Lafayette, Ind., Mrs. S. Gobbau and 6 children burned to death...at Saginaw#Mich., 7 by explosion of gasoline

12—At Cedar Rapids, Ia., 8 young girls by drowning while wading in river. Aug. 8—At Omana, Neb., 5 children of T.
O. Daniels in burning home.

19—At Sang Hollow, Pa., 7 in train wreck.
Sep. 8—Four Italians at Naugatuck,
Conn., by police in dispute.

18—Seven in train wreck at Cimarren
River, Okla.

21—Seven at Jellico, Tenn., by dynamite explosion; property damage, \$500,000. 27—Hurricane on gulf coast devastates Mo-bile, Ala., and Pensacola, Fla. Loss of life estimated at 150; property loss, \$12,-

Oct. 1-Cloudburst at Mobile, Ala., causes over \$1,000,000 damages.

—Twenty-nine known dead and many more entombed by explosion at Pocahontas (Va.) mine...Five passengers killed, score injured in rear-end collision near Troy, N. Y.

-Hur icane sweeps coast of Florida, Cuba and Central America, causing heavy loss of life and damage to prop-24-At Johnstown, Pa., 7 by mine explo-

Sion.

25—At Kansas City, Kan., 13 by fire which destroyed Chamber of Commerce Bldg. Oct. 28—Train of three electric cars carrying 91 persons jumped from trestle near Atlantic City, N. J., carrying about 60 persons to watery grave. Fifty-four bodies recovered.

Nov. 12—At Cleveland, O., six by boller explosion

explosion.

19—Fony-two lives lost by sinking of steamer Dix in harbor at Seattle, Wash.

29—Samuel Spencer, president Southern Railway Co., and 6 others in rear end collision near Lynchburg. Va.

Dec. 4—Clifton, Ariz., partly destroyed by flood caused by breaking of dam; several persons drowned... Four children burned to death in home near Westfield, N. J.

7—At Ithaca, N. Y., 7 perish in burning of fraternity house at Cornell university. 19—Near Vicksburg, Miss., 16 by explosion on river steamer. 23—At Enderlin, N. D., 9 in railroad

NECROLOGY



Jan. 9—W. R. Har-per, president Uni-versity of Chicago, at Chicago. 15—Col. R. G. Lowe, Galveston, Tex., newspaper publisher. 6—Marshall Field. Chicago merchant prince, of pneu-monia, in New York. 20-H. B. Hurd, no-ted lawyer and Il-linois citizen, at

Evanston. Feb. 25—Ex-Speaker D. B. Henderson, national house D. B. Henderson.

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21—S. P. Langley,
secretary Smithsonian institution, at Alken, S. C.

Mar. 4-Ex-Gov. Hogg., Texas, at Hous ton.

12—Susan B. Antnony, suffragist leader, at age of 86, in Rochester, N. Y.....John St. John, first white settler at head of great lakes, in Superior, Wis.; aged 90. 18-Johann Most,, noted anarchist leader,

29-T. E. Barrett, sheriff Cook county, Ill. at Chicago.

Apr. —Former Gov. Gen. Blanco, Cuba, at Madrid...C. A. Warwick, publisher Constitution Democrat. Keokuk, Ia. May 7-Max Judd, noted chess player, at

23-Henrik Ibsen, noted Norwegian dra-matist and poet, at Christiania. Jun. 1—Congressman Robert Adams, Phil-adelphia, committed suicide at Wasnington. Senator A. P. Gorman, Maryland, a

Washington. 14-Robert B. Roosevelt, uncle of president, at Sayville, L. I. 15-Congressman R. E. Lester, Georgia,

result of accident. 17-H. N. Pillsbury, noted chess mas-ter, at Phila.... Gen. H. L. Porter, leading shoe man-ufacturer, at Howell, Mass. 19—Gov. J. M. Pat-tison, of Ohio, at Milford...E. Higgins, ex-acting Gov. Utah, at Washington. 27-Jerre Dunn, Elizabeth, N. J.

29—Rev. Dr. J. Smith, noted Con-gregational miniser, at Roxbury, Mass Jul. 3-G. Y. Wisner, noted consulting engineer, at Detroit.

A. P. Gorman. 9-Congressman H. C. Adams, of Wisconsin, at Chicago...Judge G. P. Wanty, of Michigan, at London.

16-Alfred Beit, millionaire South African financier, at London.

22-Russell Sage, at Lawrence, L. I.: age 89

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Aug. 2—E. A. Gage, son of former secretary, at Seattle, Wash.; suicide.

Aug. 31—E. Rosewater, proprietor Omaha

Bee, at Omaha.

Sep. 3—H. Oeirichs, prominent New York
clubman, on board ocean liner.

16—Ex-Gov. A. T. Bliss, of Michigan, at

Milwaukee.
Oct. 1—Albert J. Adams, noted policy king, by suicide, at New York. 15—Samuel Jones, noted evangelist, on train near Little Rock, Ark. Oct. 16-Mrs. Jefferson Davis, widow of Oct. 16—Mrs. Jefferson Davis, widow of president of the confederacy.

29—Ex-Congressman R. F. Davis, of Massachusetts, at Fall River...Bishop Nicholson, D. D. of Milwaukee Episcopal diocese, at Milwaukee.

31—Judge Joseph E. Gary, oldest member of Chicago bench, at Chicago,

aged 85. Nov. 1-Congressman Rockwood Hoar. Massachusetts, son late Senator Hoar, at Worcester, 12-Gen. Wm. R. Shafter, retired, at Bakersfield, Cal.

30—Otto Young, multi-millionaire, Chica-go merchant and philanthropist, at Lake Geneva, Wis. Dec. 2-Mark Hassler, noted musical di-rector and composer, at Philadelphia. Bishop G. E. Seymour, of Episcopal diocese of Springfield, Ill., at Spring-field....Ex-Gov. A. Garcelon, of Maine, at Lewiston. Dr. F. Henrotin, leading Chicago physician, at Chicago..., Capt. "Billy" Williams, famous turfman, at New Or-

12—Ex-Senator Brown, of Utah, at Wash-ington from bullet wounds inflicted by Mrs. Annie Bradley. 19-Bishop C. C. McCabe, of M. E. church, at New York, of apoplexy.

CRIME



Jan. 1 - Ex-Gov. Stennenberg, of Idaho, murdered by bomb at Boise. Clarence Barnum, near Rochester, Mich., kills wife, son and daughter with ax and slays self with gun....
Mathew Styer,
Caledonia, Minn.,
kills sweetheart, her mother, sister 1-Nels Nelson.

Walkason, Wash., murders mother, attempts to kill wife and children; then slays self.

12 — E x-A u d i to r
Sherrick, Indiana,
arrested at Indianapolis, charge Paul O. Stensland.

embezziement and conspiracy.

Feb. 4—J. A. Linn, Chicago circuit court clerk, indicted 25 times for forgery, embezziement and larceny.

20—Mrs. J. W. Watters, drowned 3 children and self from Fall River (Mass.) steamer....Leaders of Western Federation of Miners accused of 30 murders and assassination of ex-Gov. Steunenberg, of Idaho.

berg, of Idaho.
23—Johann Hoch, convicted wife murderer, hanged at Chicago.
27—Springfield (O.) mob in race riot burn
dwellings, wreck saloon and injure officers, making it necessary to call out

Richard Ivens, confessed slayer of Mrs. Bessie Hollister, found guilty of deed at Chicago and sentenced to death. deed at Chicago and sentenced to death.

28—D. E. Sherrick, ex-Indiana auditor, convicted of embezziing \$120,000 state funds, denied new trial.

Apr. 3—J. A. Linn, clerk circuit court, Cook Co., Ill., pleads guilty of conspiracy to defraud county; given indefinite prison term.

12—Contractors Green and Gaynor convicted of fraud against government in connection with harbor work at Savannah, Ga.

14—Three negroes hanged and burned by mob at Springfield, Mo.

16—Nine men killed in riot in Phillips county, Ark.

28—Ex-Assistant Cashier H. G. Gott, of First National Bank of Milwaukee, found guilty of breaking banking laws.

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Jun. 12—Four leading packing concerns
found guilty at Kansas City of accepting rebates from railroads.

25—Harry Thaw, Pittsburg millionaire,
killed Stanford white, noted architect
and millionaire, at Madison Square
Roof Garden, N. Y., for alleged intimacy with wife, formerly Evelyn Nesbit. ul. 1-Negro hanged and burned near Womack, l. T., by mob for assault on

ug. 6—Mob at Salisbury, N. C., takes a negroes from jail and lynches them. sep. 3—Stensland arrested at Tangier, Morocco. A. Segal, Philadelphia promoter, ar-rested for causing failure Real Estate Trust. 22—Eighteen negroes and 1 white man killed in race war at Atlanta, Ga. Nov. 2—Federal grand jury at Atlanta, Ga., indicts 5 well-known manufactur-

ers for peonage.

-H. W. Hering, former cashler of Milwaukee Avenue State bank of Chicago, pleads guilty to forgery and embezzlement; given indeterminate penitentiary

5—Mayor Schmitz, of San Francisco, and Abram Ruef, indicted by grand jury on charge of extortion.

3-Enrice Caruso, famous Italian tenor, found guilty and fined \$10 in New York for insulting women....Joseph F. Smith, president Mormon church, pleaded guilty to charge of unlawful cohabitation and fined \$300 at Salt Lake City.

FIRES

Jan. 5-At Kansas City, Mo., 4 buildings destroyed; loss, \$500,000.
Feb. 9—Littleton, W. Va., nearly wiped out, 1,500 rendered homeless. 16-Niverton, Pa., almost entirely wiped

18—Business section Rutland, Vt., partly destroyed....Grain elevator at Duluth, Minn., burned: loss, \$1,000,000. Mar. 4— Last half of Standhope, fa., business section burns; other half destroyed

some time before.

16—White Pigeon, Mich., business section nearly wiped out...Business portion, Rustin, Mich., completely destroyed.

28—Johnstown, Pa., swept by flames; loss, \$500,000.

Apr. 3—Buffalo (N. Y.) Evening Times building; loss, \$200,000.

May 17—Boone (Ia.), Boone Cereal Co.; loss, \$105,000.

Jun. 1—South Boston, Va.; loss, \$300,000. 7—Duck Hill, Miss., almost completely destroyed. Over 800 homeless. 11—Fire in Armour packing plant at South Omaha, Neb.; loss, \$100,000.
 17—Ryan building annex at St. Paul; loss, \$500,000. Jul. 17—Wentzville, Mo., practically entire business section destroyed. Sep. 13—Tiburon, Cal., entire business dis-trict, 200 people homeless.

Oct. 18-At Birmingham, Ala., business houses; loss \$300.000. 22—Second disastrous conflagration at Bristow, Ia., wiped out practically all Bristow, Ia., wiped out practically a of remaining business section of town. Nov. 13—Richland, O., practically wiped out by gas explosion; 2 children burned to death.

Dec. 1—At Princeton, O., mob of 300 masked men burned 2 big tobacco stemmeries owned by tobacco trust. -At Chicago, fire in wholesale business district caused loss of \$500,000; 2 lives

FOREIGN



Jan. 2 - Rodriguez attacks Puerta Plata, San Domin-go, killing 25.

— San Domingo rebels defeated; 3 Morales generals and 120 men killed. San Domingo rev olution ended with defeat of President Morales and kill-ing of Gen. Rodriguez.

12-France breaks off diplomatic rela-tions with Vene-14-Ex-Premier Bal-four beaten for election to parlia-ment; liberal s sweep Britain.
7 - M. Fallieries, Pres. Failleries, of

ARCO. Republican, electto succeed M. Loubet, as president 29-King Christian of Denmark dies at Copenhagen. 0—Frederick VIII. proclaimed king of Denmark. Mar. 4—Tavernola, Italy, swallowed up by Lake Isea. 7—French cabinet resigns....Three would-be assassins of Gen. Reyes, president of Colombia, shot to death. 11—M. Sarrien accepts task of forming new French ministry...mine explosion and fire kills 1,193 in France. and fire kills 1,193 in France.

19—Palma elected president of Cuba,
Apr. 5—Fifty-five killed by collapse of
hotel in Black Forest, Germany,
Apr. 18—Father Louis Martin, "Black
Pope" of Jesuits, dies at Rome.
May 1—Considerable May day rioting in
Paris, Over 1,000 arrests made,

11—Wedding of King.

l-Wedding of King Alfonso XIII. of Spain and Prin-cess Victoria of England celebrat-ed at Madrid. Couple narrowly escape assassination by bomb injures many. Jun. 20 — Pulajanes kill 5 policemen on Island of Leyte,

P. I.
21—Haakon VII. and
Queen Maud
crowned rulers of
Norway.
20—23 persons killed
in train wreck
near London.
Jul. 4—Son born to
crown princess of
Germany.
5—Spanish cabinet resigns.
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Aug. 5—Italian steamer Sirio wrecked off.

Hormigas Island; 300 drowned.

Sep. 5—Father Werns elected head of Jesuits at Rome.

18—Hurricane in harbor of Hong-Kong. China, caused over 1,000 deaths and great damage.

Nov. 15—Anna Gould (Countess de Casteliane) granted divorce from Count-Boni by French tribunal at Paris. Count's plea for alimony denied.

26—Attempt of French government officials to take inventories in Catholic churches results in riots; troops and peasants wounded in clashes.

Dec. 3—Spanish cabinet resigns; action followed by heattle demonstrations.

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11—France expelled secretary of paper nuncio as result of church-state war. 12—German emperor dissolved reichsta and ordered new elections following d feat of government on African bill. 2—James Bryce selected to succe Durand as British ambassador Washington.

BUSINESS FAILURES

Jan. 14—Parsons, Snyder & Co., Cleveland,
O.; liabilities, \$150,000.
Feb. 8.—Boliver County Bank, Cleveland,
Miss.; liabilities, \$110,000; assets, \$130,000.
Mar. 1--Southern Bank & Trust Co., Ft.
Smith, Ark., owing depositors \$80,000.
2-Walsh, president defunct Chicago National bank, arrested on charge of falsifying reports. fying reports. 9—North Freedom (Wis.) bank closed by examiner.

Apr. 2—Teis, Smith & Co., bankers, Pekin, Ill.; liabilities, \$100,000.

May 2—Delmont national bank, Delmont, Pa., closed...Receiver for American Reserve Rond Co., St. Louis, appointed.

Jun. 18—Farmers' State bank of Clearfield, Ia., closed by state bank examiner. aminer.

Aug. 6-Milwaukee Ave. State bank, Chicago, closed by state bank examiner; liabilities, \$4,000,000.

28-Real Estate Trust Co., of Philadelphia, suspends business; liabilities, \$7,000,000.

Sep. 20-Bates National bank, of Butler, Mo., closed by directors.

29-Private bank at Middleport, O., closed, Nearly all deposits of \$115,000 gone.

Nov. 15-Bank of Beckwith & Co., at Evanston, Wyo., closed owing to financial troubles. troubles 30—Three banks conducted by C. V. Chandler at Macomb, Colchester and Bardolph, Ill., closed for lack of ready

INDUSTRIAL

Feb. 1—Operators reject demands of mine workers for wage increase; miners in-crease defense fund. Apr. 13—Strike of 2,000 brick layers at St. Louis practically brings building to standstill. May 6—Anthracite miners vote to accept original proposition of operators and return to work.

Jun. 7—Wages trouble of southwest miners and operators settled by John Mitchell at Kansas City; 1903 scale agreement renewed.

ment renewed. 13—National executive committee United Mine Workers order per capita assess-ment of 5 cents per week on working membership.
ul. 2—Increase of 5 per cent. in wages
of Northern Michigan copper mine em-

ployes.
30—United Mine Workers levy tax of 50 cents per capita for those idle during suspension of work.
Oct. 17—Wages of several thousand silver miners in Aspen, Col., district increased.
Nov. 2—Announced that wages of all employer of Penystypping wallowed extern ployes of Pennsylvania railroad system on lines east and west of Pittsburg to be increased; nearly 150,000 men affected. 12—Twenty-sixth annual convention of American Federation of Labor opened

at Minneapolis. -Samuel Compers reelected president American Federation of Labor at Min-

REVOLUTION IN RUSSIA

Jan. 1-Moscow rev olution crushed; insurrection ists surrendering. 4—Terrorists began war.... Insurgents seize factory in Riga; troops batter down doors, killing many a capturing 1,600. 5-One thousand killed and 3,000 wounded in Moscow riots.

Near Hazenpot, dragoons surround revolutionists, kill-ing entire band. -Cossacks blow up

Armenian semi nary in Tiflis killing 33 and wound-ing 300, Nearly Premier Stelypin. killed as result of attack. Mar. 20—Mutiny among sailors at Sebas-topol results in massacre. Apr. 6—Fourteen Russian soldiers butchered for refusing to fire on Sebastopol

mutineers. May 6-Governor general assassinated at Ekaterinoslav...Gov. Gen. murdered at Elizabethpol....Attempt made to as-sassinate Vice Admiral Doubasoff at 21—W. H. Stuart, American vice consul, British subject, killed at Batum.

Jul. 11-Attempt made to assassinate Vice Admiral Chuknin at Sevastopol. 21—Imperial ukase dissolves parliament. 23-Troops at fortress at Viborg, Finland, mutiny, Aug. 2-Mutiny at Sveaborg ended. 25—Bomb intended to slay Premier Stoly-pin wrecks his villa on Aptekarsky is-land; 32 persons killed. Premier es-caped....Gen. Min assassinated by young woman at Peterhof.

Sep. 10—At least 300 Jews killed and slaughter at Siedlee; 1,000 wounded.

Oct. 9—Commission appointed by czar finds causes of Sveaborg and Cronstadt mutinies largely attributable to negligence and inefficiency of officers.

Dec. 1—Chief of Police Chopote of Kazan assassinated. 22—Count Alexis Ignatieff, member of council of empire and ex-governor-general of Kiev, Volhynia and Podolia, assassinated at Tver.

MISCELLANEOUS

Jan. 2—C.—T. Yerkes, deceased traction magnate, gives \$750,000 to Chicago uni-versity and making ample provision for numerous charities, as well as for wife. Feb. 2—President pardons Midshipman Miller, convicted of hazing at Annap-

6-Dr. G. H. Simmons, Peoria, Ill., minister, bank president and politician, kills self, when facing exposure of financial methods and private conduct.

17-Miss Alice Roosevelt married to Cong. Nicholas Longworth at White House, Apr. 1—John Alexander Dowie deposed as leader of Zion City, Ill.; Overseer Voliva elevated to leadership.

Jul. 3—Secretary of State Root sails for 3 months' tour of South America. 3 months' tour of South America.
Aug. 3—Wisconsin railway commissioners render opinion reducing grain rates for state 1 cent per bushel.
Sep. 30—Secretary of State Root returns from tour of South America.
Oct. 5—President Hill of Great Northern railway sold 750,000,000 tons of ore to United States Steel corporation for 3400,000,000. \$400,000,000

United States Steel corporation for \$400,000,000.

29—Standard Oil company fined \$5,000 at Findlay, O., for carrying on business combine in violation of state laws.

Nov. 1—Band of 100 Ute Indians capture wagon load of army rations intended for troops in Wyoming.

6—Three companies of negro troops in Texas ordered dismissed from army for failure to disclose identity of comrades guilty of rioting at Brownsville, Tex.

8—President and Mrs. Roosevelt and party left Washington on trip of inspection of Panama canal, on battleship Louisiana.

24—President and party return to Washington from trip to Panama and Porto Rico.

10—Nobel peace prize, valued at \$10,000, conferred on President Roosevelt by Norwegian storthing; money will be used to establish industrial peace commission.

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24—Decision against Standard Oil Company at Findiay, O., thrown out in ce,n-mon pleas court.

PORTE Arrange

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Arrangements Made at Terreil for Government Work.

Terrell, Tex., Dec. 29.-Dr. 8. Knapp, special agent of the United States Department of Agriculture, in charge of the Southern territory, has completed arrangements here for further demonstration work for the com-

W. C. Porter has placed one of his farms at the Government's disposal and the work on that place will be carried on under the title of the Porter demonstration farm. It has now been four years since Dr. Knapp instituted his work in this section, and the results have been gratifying to all who have kept in touch with the situation. The original Porter demonstration farm was organized in 1903, and both that place and the Green demonstration farm have shown in a forceful manner the value to be accomplished by following the Government's plan.

The results for this year will be published at Washington in a farmer's hylletin and thousands of copies distributed over the country. The advance sheets indicate a very material profit over the proceeds of the ordinary methods, and it may be here stated that the Government's plan is simply the ordinary way of farming, using only the staple crops for illustration, but applying greater force in cultivation and in careful seed selection, and also the use of fertilizer and rotation of crops where special treatment of the soil is necessary.

Will Swat Fever Ticks.

Washington: The Bureau of Animal Industry, by its operations during the year, has removed the last vestige of doubt as to the efficacy of its methods of exterminating the so-called Texas fever tick, but as yet it is not contracted the infected area. This, however, is dut to the fact that the provisions of the last agricultural appropriation bill for the prosecution of this work did not become effective until July. Now that it is supplied with funds, though madequately, Dr. R. P. Stedden, chief of the Inspection Bureal, will begin the warfare at once.

The plan of campaign is to begin at the northern edge of the quarantine area and eradicate the ticks by counties, going southward with the hope of ultimately driving the ticks into the Gulf, as it were.

Ursuline Provincialate Located.

Dallas: The superiors of the South-Arn province of the Ursuline Order, seembled in regular session Friday afternoon, decided to locate the provincialate in Dallas, provided suitable accomodations are provided by next summer. The local community of Sisters will, if the provincial headquarters are located here, surrender one wing of the house which they now occupy, but in order to secure the provincialate for Dallas, it will be necessary to build a new chapel and a new auditorium, which improvements will cost more than \$15,000.

Fatal Boys' Affray.

Oklahoma City.: Following a battle between white and negro boys in which hundreds of clods and bricks were thrown, the fight lasting two hours, a negro boy ran into his home, and grabbing up a rifle fired three shots at Harry Sheehan. One of the bullets struck Elmer Aminion, aged 13 years, employed as a newspaper carrier, in the right temple, causing instand death. Charlie Walker, the negro, was arrested.

Nine persons were found frozen to death in England alone between 12 o'clock Thursday and 1 20'clock Fri-

Frederick Tasto, a prominent and Well-to-do farmer living about two miles north of Marion, killed himself Friday afternoon at his home by shooting himself through the head.

The Chicago and Eastern Illinois Railroad has announced an increase of two cents an hour to all machinists.

Alexander J. Cassett, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, aged seventy years, died suddenly of heart disease in Philadelphia Friday.

Double Tragedy in Mississippi, Natchez, Miss.: Thad Sampley, a white farmer near Hamburg, Franklin County, aged 25 years, was murdered Friday afternoon on the Stampley farm, twenty-eight miles east of this city by a negro laborer who mistook him for his brother. Stampley was shot twice, both balls striking vital spots. The murderer was prompt-Is shot down by a negro farm hand in the employ of Stampley. Stampley was a single man.

FOR THE RACE AGAIN.

He Correcto A Number of Small Canards.

Topeka, Kan., Dec. 28.-In an in erview here, William Jennings Bryan ically admitted that he would be a candidate for the Presidential nomination before the next Democratic

While I have not announced that I would be a candidate," said Mr. Bryan, "I have not stated that I would not be a candidate, and do not intend to. Such a high honor as the Presidential nomination is something that no American citizen should decline."

Mr. Bryan said that he had never stated that President Roosevelt had stolen the thunder of the Democratic party, although he said the President. was now advocating many things favored by that party.

Mr. Bryan said that there was no foundation for the story that had been printed to the effect that he would. if nominated, favor the selection of Senator William J. Stone of Missouri, as chairman of the Democratic com-

"I have never told anyone anything about the organization of the National committee," he said, "and I do not want to see on the committee men who are not good, clean men; men who want a government for the people and not for the trusts. I do not care to see men on the committee like Roger Sullivan of Illinois."

In speaking of the railroad leg'slation enacted by Congress at its last session, he stated that he did not believe the legislation is what it should be, but he thinks the President took what he could get. He said the giving of railroad passes was one of the most corrupting influences ever exercised in this country.

Played With Dynamite.

Temple: Rupert Stevens, Carroll Hamill, son of Mayor Fred P. Hamill, and Arthur Baker, all about 17 years of age, Wednesday afternoon discovered a stick of dynamite in an alley where workmen had been blasting. They secured a small target rifle and used the dynamite stick as a target literally shooting it to p'eces without an explosion. Becoming emboldened young Baker picked up the battered stick and tossed it in the direction of and mangling that member in a fearful manner, so that its use is lost, and at the same time, destroying the sight of one eye. Young Hamill escaped with severe burns about the face.

Red Liquor Gets Busy.

Austin: Robert Puckett, aged twenty-three years, shot and instantly seked to meet. killed his stepfather, J. C. Clark, with a shotgun Wednesday evening at Clark's home at Webberville in this county. The load from the gun tore Both men had been drinking heavily, and Clark ordered Puckett from the place, when the latter killed him, Puckett surrendered.

Will Clean Off the Slate.

Austin: It is curently reported that Secretary of State-Elect Dashiell has made a clean sweep of the force of clerks in the state department, with the exception of Harry Bickler, one of the stenographers. Colonel Henry Hutchings, chief clerk, announced that he had been advised that he will not be re-appointed. It is reported that C. W. McNeill of San Antonio, will be the new chief clerk.

James Pittman and J. E. Steele, of Italy are arranging to have several oil wells sunk near Italy.

Brazos Navigation Company.

Waco: The Brazos River Navigation company, which was quietly organized in Houston a few days ago, has become a reality and the charter has been sent to Austin by Mayor James B. Baker. A number of boats suitable to the Brazos will be put on the river by the company, supplementing those already in use, and the river will be utilized as fast as it is improved towards Waco.

Japa Strengthen the Military.

vices brought here by the steamer to keep alive and vigorous the locals Tosu Maru, the military section of the so that they may be used when oppor-Japanese government intends to increase the army until the standing force will number nineteen divisions, six more than before the war with Russia. The program also calls for getting together, just so it does the an increase in naval equipment by business for the farmer. If they call the expenditure of \$25,500,000 over last it a "trust," good and well. It is one year. Other incidental appropriations of those trusts that has been forced by are increased.

Farmers' Co-Operative Union Of America

BIG NATIONAL RALLY. Atlanta, Ga., January 22.

"Atwater, Ga., - To the members of the Farmers' Union: As president of your organization, it is my desire to interest every member in the manner of our plans for the approaching year, by each plant, making denatured alcoand to this end I hereby call meetings, hol. Such is not true; and even it if

2. Of all county and parish unions on Tuesday, January 15.

3. Of the national board of directors, and of all state presidents for Tuesday, January 22, at 10:00 a. m., in the capitol building, Atlanta Ga., and at the latter meeting all members | remembered, however, that those who interested in the work of the organization are invited to attend.

The general purpose of these meetings is to discuss matters affecting the welfare of our great organization, and of a proposition now before the Nato outline in a general way the plan tional Grange that would be well for of action to govern us during the ensuing year. In this work I am anxious to enlist the sympathy and support of Grange that the farmers of the counevery members of the organizatio,n, and to this end I have called meetings of the local unions in order that the movement may start from the heart of the members themselves. So let all members assemble at their local meeting place on the date indicated, discuss among themselves the work demanding our attention, and awaken renewed enthusiasm for the coming year. Let the county and parish unions do the same thing at their meetings, and let the result of all these deliberations be forwarded immediately to their respective state presidents. In this manner, when the state presidents and the national directors assemble in Atlanta on Tuesday, January 22, they will be in position more as perilous to have about as dynamite than ever to truly represent the membership of the organization in considering and formulating our general plan of action for next year.

The year just ending has been the most successful in the history of our association, Its membership has shown a phenominal increase in every direction and it is not generally conceded by all that to the Farmers' union stand for 11 cent cotton is due more than anything else, the fact that up to this time the average selling wood, the rising price of coal, should price of cotton has been far in excess of 10 cents. Had our organization Stevens, who attempted to pick it up, stood for 10 cent cotton the price in when it exploded in his hand, tearing all probability would never have gone beyond that figure.

As a result of the uncompromising stand of the members of our organization, and those who have worked with it, we have seen the price of cotton exceed 11 cents several times during the season, while the average price of all cotton so far sold has gone beyond the limit of what we were

There is nothing in the world as effective as organization. With every branch of industry or commerce organized to purchase the produce of the farmer as cheaply as possible, it off one hand and part of the breast. is more than ever insumbent upon the growers of those products to organize, in order that they may sell these products at fair and just rates.

The farmers are beginning to realize this now, as never before, and the result of their co-operative effort along this line is being told by every farm house in America.

So let us all join in for our local county and parish, and our national meetings for January. Let every member do his duty, and the result will speak for itself in making 1907 the banner year of the association.

C. S. BARRETT, President.

in some localities the Union meetings have not the life and vim they ought to have. Is it your fault? "Start something that you can't stop. and that nobody else can stop." Let that something be a move for the good of your fellow laborer.

"The dabbling of the Farmers' Union in cotton' has at least made the speculator "sit up and notice things."

If you are not of any use to your Union, for goodness sake place yourself in a position so that the Union can be of use to you.

You are not of any use in the great two blades of grass to grow where only one grew before" in some of the chanels of life's current.

If the Union members have not enough interest in their own business Victoria, B. C.: According to ad- tunity is presented, they are lacking in the qualities that deserve square from

> It doesn't make a Continental bit of difference what they call the farmers' distrust

DENATURED ALCOHOL-A NEW

OPPOTUNITY. Already attempts have been made to concentrate the making of denatured alcohol in the big distilleries, by insisting that a bonded inspector and guage must be constantly employed were true, it is evident that co-opera-1. Of all local unions on Tuesday, tive plants, centrally located, would be more economically operated than many small plants, which would have to market their products in a haphazard and scattering sort of way. Those who get in on the ground floor are going to reap the benefits of this new service of heat and power. It must be bean. Since then I have never had go into the business must look to the end as well as the start of the project. The following extract from the American Hay, Flour and Feed Journal tells the Farmers' Union to take up: "It is proposed by the National

try should establish co-operative dis-

tilleries for the sole purpose of producing denatured alcohol. This would provide them with a remunerative outlet for many products which now are wasted, and what is of still great er importance, would furnish a cheap and accessible source of power. Already our farmers are employing gasoline motors to compensate for the scarcity of labor. They are use ful for shelling corn, sawing wood, baling hay, threshing churning. spraying fruit trees, pumping water, and for many other purposes. In some places they take the place of horses for mowing and reaping. Butthe supply of gasoline has been diminishing, and the price consequent ly increasing. Moreover, it is almost and anyone who keeps it on hand must pay a high rate of insurance. Alchohol, on the other hand, vaporizes so much more than gasolene that it is not a dangerout explosive mixture in the open air; and if it catches fire it can be readily extinguished by water, which only spreads the fire when played upon gasoline. But a prime consideration is its cheapness. No longer need we depend upon coal and wood for fuel, and upon oil and gas for light. The diminishing supply of not in future give cause for anxiety. A source of power, light and fuel cheap enough to bring it within reach of the poorest, and which can be derived from a dozen of our most common products, is within our reach."

Go right on, do your duty, and don't worry about the rascals that you can't hinder, and who are not asking for your help.

The Union is for the purpose of help ing your brother farmer, and when you stop this to get into some side quarrel, you are straying away from

Some people talk, others act. When anyone tells you he is in favor of the Union, but is not willing to lift a hand to aid the organization, his regard for the Union must be of the soap-bubble kind.

Take a day or two off about the first to plant some trees in those corners about the place where nothing else can grow.

You have got to have some sort of a National organization, and the only questions of interest are whether the National organization is well and honestly officered, whether the National is running you or you running it. What concerns the real farmer is sensible co-operation and useful education along the lines of taking care of the results of his labor.

There isn't any time to sit down and theorize about what to do. The new year is now upon us, and those who have been busy looking to their own interests are now busy doing the things long since planned. It is less of an occasion to hesitate and mope around because you have not been diligent. Get to work now and make plan of nature if you are not making things fairly hum. Let 1907 be the most useful year of your life. You can do it, if you do it now!

> Good roads would make better schools, and better schools would make better citizens. Then the story tells itself over again like the endless story they used to tell us when we were children. "Good roads make better schools, and better schools make better citizens!" Make better roads and better roads make better schools, and so on indefinitely.

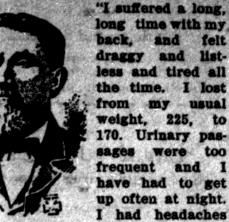
CO-OPERATOR CLIPPINGS.

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TORTURED WITH GRAVEL.

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Capt. S. L. Crute, Adjt. Wm. Watts Camp, U. C. V., Roanoke, Va., says:



and dizzy spells also, but my worst suffering was from renal colic. After I began using Doan's Kidney Pills I passed a gravel stone as big as a an attack of gravel, and have picked up to my former health and weight. I am a well man, and give Doan's Kidney Pills credit for it."

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Knewn as Memory Bells. Memory bells are toys given by the Japanese youths to their sweethearts. They are constructed of slips of glass so delicately poised that the least vibration sets them jingling. The delicate tinkling serves to remind their owner of the giver; hence the pretty, fanciful name.

Makes Pain Go Away Are you one of the ones who pay in

For your right of way through this life?

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A friend which will aid in the strife. To those who earn their own way by their ewn labor, accidents occur with painful frequency. Burns, bruises, cuts and sprains are not strangers to the man who wears corns on his hands. A better remedy for these troubles does not exist than Hunt's Lightning Oil.

Horses Still in Demand.

Happily the horse has a faculty for upsetting the gloomy predictions that he is fated to be put out of business by the automobile. The horse business has kept right on developing in spite of the fact that the automobile industry has been engaged in similar unno longer alarm us. A strike in the dertaking. The demand for horses is coal mining regions, the arbitrary ex. still great. The supply of some actions of the Standard Oil trust, need classes of them is inadequate. The prices are high. The automobile may scare the horse into the ditch, but it isn't likely to crowd him to the wall. There will always be a field for the horse, as there will always be a field for the automobile.—Hartford Times.

Rothschilds Never Prosecute.

While the Bank of England makes it a point never under any circumstances to relinquish the prosecution of those who have defrauded it in the slightest degree, being willing, if need be, to spend thousands of pounds to capture and prosecute people who have robbed it of even a few shillings, the Rothschilds make it a rule never to appeal to the courts or to the police in such matters. Of course, they are, like every other banker, occasionally the victims of dishonesty, but neither the police nor the public ever hear about the matter. This has always been a principle of the heads of the house, who take the ground that it is better to bear the loss in silence than to disturb popular confidence in the safety of the concern by allowing it to be seen that its treasures are not adequately safeguarded.

CRIED EASILY.

Nervous Woman Stopped Coffee and Quit Other Things.

No better practical proof that coffee is a drug can be required than to note how the nerves become unstrung in women who habitually drink it.

The stomach, too, rebels at being continually drugged with coffee and tea-they both contain the drugcaffeine. Ask your doctor.

An Ia. woman tells the old story

"I had used coffee for six years and was troubled with headaches, nervousness and dizziness. In the morning upon rising I used to belch up a sour fluid regularly.

"Often I got so nervous and miserable I would cry without the least reason, and I noticed my eyesight was getting poor.

"After using Postum a while, I observed the headaches left me and soon the belching of sour fluid stopped (water brash from dyspepsia). I feel decidedly different now, and I am convinced that it is because I stopped coffee and began to use Postum. I can

see better now, my eyes are stronger. "A friend of mine did not like Postum but when I told her to make it like it said on the package, she liked it all right." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Always boil Postum well and it will surprise you.

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville" in pkgs. "There's a reaPhysician and Surgeon.

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der will have a full line of farm ente January 1.

Portales Springs. (FAR AWAY MOSES.)

John W. Puckett, Jr., spent the lidays with his grandpa, Joel, a

Miss. Charles Edwards, of Midland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Chester Garrett, of Portales, is pending the holidays with his young

friends, Ralph and Glen Steward. The re are so many people coming in every day that a Philadelphia lawyer could scarcely keep pace with their

The Christmas ladder at the school house was a success in every particular. So many nice presents and such

John Nash, of Oklahoma, arrived a few days back and has established his residence among us. We welcome this

good family among us. Mr. and Mrs. John Reynolds were made to rejoice over the arrival of their son, Robert, who has been away relatives and friends. from his parents a number of years.

"Uncle Tommie" father of our neighbor, D. B. Roberson, and one that has passed his eighteith mile post, is visiting his son, and thinks this a fine country.

I just wish everybody would write to the Times and tell how they spent the holidays. I, for one, feel that I just must tell of the good times and things that we have had the pleasure of en-

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Roberson, who have recently settled among us, entertained a few of their friends in their beautiful country residence, and to be sure the fatted turkey was served in a way which proved that the hospitality of such good people will long be re-

On Sunday before Christmas we vent to church and heard Brother Wilson deliver to an appreciative audience, one of his most able sermons, which steed our minds and hearts to enjoy the many good pleasures which lay before us the incoming week. Christmas day the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Rindchen was where quite a number of their friends and invited guests spent the day most the court house. happily. We would like to give the names of those present, but 'twould take a whole newspaper, however, it was with the going down of the sun when many voices were heard expressing their thanks and wishing the host and hostess much happiness.

New Year's eve we find ourself gathered together with one of the jolliest of the jolly crowds at the home of Ed. J. Stewart, ushered in during these good days of joyousness, just a few games, about fifty, were entertained with music by the Nash Musical Trio and with cake, cream and coffee by Mesdames Maine and Stewart, and a sip of home spun blackberry, just for the stomach's sake, by "Uncle Ed." Yes, that beautiful cottage home was lighted and heated to perfection. When the doors of the dining hall were opened we, the guests, were requested to appease our appetites with the second dish of oysters were served by Miss Alma and her brothers, Rush and Clarence. At the proper hour, ing a fine stream of water. the welcome song to the new year at the parting with the old, was sung, and all gathered around to bid the host and hostess a "Happy New Year." We scattered to our beds for a few hours of sweet sleep, thanking our Creator for all.

Pleasant Valley Happenings. (BY BOOMERANG.)

The weather is fine, and the farmers are improving the time.

Dr. Hensley, late of Okmulgee, is drilling a well on his claim.

The candy breaking at Mr. Arm-

strong's was well attended and an enjoyable time was had by the young

welcome Mr. Swaggart and family in

Mr. Trayer has just completed a

filled baskets toward the home of Mr. McGauthy The forencen was spent in conversation and general good cheer; but as the noon hour came on, the table was spread and loaded to overflowing with all good things imaginable, and when all had satisfied the inner-man, we gathered in the yard and listened to a literary program prepared by the young folks interspersed with music and singing. Those who helped in the entertainment were: Mrs. Dickbreder. Misses, Grace Givens, Bertie Dickbreder, Flora Sneed, Bessie Dickbreder and Lizzie Armstrong. Late in the evening all left for home feeling they had spent an enjoyable Christmas day. home of Mr. McGauthy The forencon joyable Christmas day.

Bethel Briefs.

(BY BUTTERFLY.)

Mrs. W. G. Morris has been, and is yet very sick.

We have been having some pretty weather the last week.

School commences again Monday, after a week's vacation. Mr. Tomie Mears has left New Mex-

ico. We did not hear where he went. Mrs. Wilson has returned from a pleasant trip to Hereford, visiting

Dr. Montgomery made our settle-ment another visit Sunday. He is waiting on Mrs. Mroris.

Had a nice candy breaking at Proffessor Stinnett's the past week; and a pound supper at Billie Marrill's also.

Baxter Hones came home and spent s few pleasant days, then his wife and his wife's sisters went back to Texico with him.

Miss Effic Anderson spent Xmas with Miss Matie Hunt at Heneford. Miss Hunt and mother came back with Miss Anderson and spent a few pleas-

Married-Miss Linnie Woodburn and Mr. Alvin Billberry, Sunday evening at 9 o'clock at the bride's home, Mr. Stinnett's Miss Woodburn was a nice young lady liked by everyone who knew ber. Mr. Billberry's home is in Dickens county Texas. We join wishing them all happiness.

Wishing one and all a happy New

All kinds of legal blanks pertaining to land can be had of Ed O'Cunnell at

Carter. (BY CARTERETTE.)

Weather fine.

The new settlers are still coming.

Ollie Powell has moved to Portales. Roscoe Kendall came home to spend Christmas.

Rev. Fortner will preach at the new school house Sunday. The school house three miles west of

Carter is ready for school next Mon-

Mr. Bradley and family of Hereford, Texas, visited F. M. Wolfs' last week

W. R. Bray who has recently come in from Mo., has purchased a claim in our neighborhood

S. F. Anderson has erected a new wind mill on his claim which is pump-Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Jones served tur-

key to their bachelor friends Christmas. A highly enjoyable time was reported by all.

Miss Daisy Johnson of Bolivar, Mo., came out for a short stay and put some improvements on her claim near Boykin Lake.

The following spent New Year's day at W. E. Marsh's. Mr. and Mrs. Bray of Louisbury, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Jones, Miss Julia Green. Messrs, Otto Morgan, Howard Sprague and Harve Bone

The box supper given at the school house last Monday night was a decided success. A cake was sold for the pret-tiest girl, and brought \$19.50. Miss Maud Thompson receiving the most Mr. Sweickart is just completing a new house on his claim east of us. We 10, which will be used to purchase seats and a stove.

Contest Notice.

Mr. Trayer has just completed a well of one hundred and thirty-five feet on his farm. He got a well of good water, and plenty of it.

All we need in this Roosevelt county is farmers with push and energy, to make this equal to, or surpass any in the east. Come on and let us have a boom.

We have an organized Sunday School at the private home of Mr. Robert McGauthy every Sunday evening. All are cordially invited to come and bring their Bibles.

There was a box supper given in our valley on New Year's night, for the sake of building a school house.

Our community some three months ago numbered only three families, Now we boast of a settlement of nineteen families, and are fast coming to the front with all kinds of entertainments.

Our Sunday School concluded to celebrateChristmus with an old fashioned dinner. So about ten o'clock we were all seen wending our way with

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Found in Far North, Where He Breaks In, but Not to Steal.

west, says a writer in the World to- Cure.

One of the tales is of a native who, desiring food and tobacco and blankets, broke into the store of a remote trading post which had been locked lessen their force, each succeeding and abandoned for a few weeks while the white man in charge transacted business elsewhere. The Indian supplied his needs and he left pelts in ous eyes, but we admire what is payment for what he took and months farther off with less prejudice.—Senlater he came back to ascertain if he had left enough.

The Indian found a post closed when when he went to it to dispose of his skins. Being unwilling to wait he forcibly entered and left his pack, but nothing with it to indicate his identity. Then he retired, fastening the door as best he could and not until a year later did he return.

When he walked into the post and told his story, the price of the skins was handed over to him without question. The accounts of the white man had been carefully kept, and he was certain that no claim but a just

one would be made. An unsual degree of confidence is reposed in the half-breeds, who are lieutenants of the white traders. In Edmonton I saw a trader give one of his half-breed employes \$1,250 to be gain by being called after something taken to a distant post and there dis- in the south of France er a dirty littributed as wages to others. The two shook hands and parted, not to meet for a year, and the white man said he was sure not a cent of the money would fail to reach its rightful desti-

In the town of Edmonton itself honesty seems to vie with hospitality for the credit of being the most prominent trait of the citizens. Scores of thousands of dollars' worth of furs are stored there in warehouses, which are seldom or never locked or guarded.

Only the most valuable pelts are put under lock and key, and then the purpose is more to protect from accidental damage than from possible

The Peacock's Voice.

She was a very beautiful woman, and she was very beautifully dressed. She entered a Randolph street theater at last Sunday's matinee with a wom- lecture tour are \$25,000. Senator Tillan friend and handed her seat checks man is paid from \$250 to \$500 a lecord-Herald. As she swished and frou- His season is not confined to the sumfroued down the aisle she appeared a mery Chautauqua course and he fills

friend arrived at the fourth row from the last four years it is said that he the footlights. The usher turned has laid aside over \$60,000 from his down the seats and bowed low as he lecture receipts. Henry Watterson handed back the checks. The beauty spoke:

"Is them seats ourn?" she demanded shrilly.

The usher did not wince. He bowed

thrice as low as before. "Them seats is yourn," said he.

Hadn't the Capacity.

The baby of a Maryland family had been through a siege of chickenpox. The infant's sister, a girl of ten years, being met by the minister's wife one day, that good woman naturally inquired as to how the baby was get-

"He's some better, thank you," said the little girl, a shy and noncommittal child.

"Very much better, I trust," said the minister's wife.

"Oh, he couldn't be much better." responded the child, "because, you see, he's too little."-Harper's Weekly.

introspection.

"I understand that you have been

"I have," answered the man with a cold, calculating nature.

"I suppose you feel pretty bad about it."

"Yes, but somehow I don't seem to feel as bad as I ought."

Importance of To-Day.

Do you rightly estimate the importance of to-day? That there are duties to be done to-day which cannot be done to-morrow? This it is that throws so solemn significance into your work. The time for working is short, therefore begin to-day, for the night is coming, in which no man can work .- F. W. Robertson.

Broad-Minded Views.

One bit in Robert Louis Stevenson's Vailima prayers is good advice: "Purge out of every heart the lurking grudge," he says; "give us strength to forbear and to persevere. Offenders ourselves, give us grace to forgive offenses. Forgetful, help us to bear with the forgetfulness of others."

Expectation Always Alive.

We love to expect, and when expectation is either disappointed or gratified, we want to be again expecting .-

Uncle Eben's Wisdom. "Lots o' people gives good advice," said Uncle Eben. "It's allus easier to prescribe medicine dan it is to take "It Knocks the Itch"

It may not cure all your ills, but it does cure one of the worst. It cures any form of itch ever known-no matter what it is called, where the sensa-Many curious instances of the man- tion is "itch," it knocks it. Eczema, her in which the honesty of the In- Ringworm and all the rest are relieved dians manifests itself are cited in the at once and cured by one box. It's north country of the Canadian north- guaranteed, and its name is Hunt's

> Those things on which philosophy has set its seal are beyond the reach of injury; no age will discard them or century will add somewhat to the respect in which they are held; for we look upon what is near us with jeal-

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

The Kind You Have Always Bougat.

Insist on Insularity. The people of Cornwall's coast object to the Great Western Railway company applying foreign names to their climate and scenery. One advertisement called a certain locality the 'English Riviera," and a Cornishman at a meeting of protest the other night said Cornwall had "nothing to tle Italian town."

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there wat least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hail's Family Pills for constipation.

Prominent on Lecture Platform. Senator Tillman probably earns more money every year on the lecture platform than any other American who talks to the public for pay. From an authoritative source the statement comes that the South Carolinian's net proceeds thus far this year from his to an usher, relates the Chicago Rec- ture and he is constantly in demand. personification of all that is exquisite. nearly as many dates in the winter The usher, the beauty and the as at any other time of the year. In perhaps comes next in the matter of earnings on the platform. Champ Clark, of Missouri, ranks high as a popular favorite and makes about twice as much as a lecturer as his congressional salary.

ELEVEN YEARS OF ECZEMA.

Hands Cracked and Bleeding-Nail Came Off of Finger-Cuticura Remedies Brought Prompt Relief .-

"I had eczema on my hands for about eleven years. The hands cracked open in many places and bled. One of my fingers was so bad that the nail came off. I had often heard of cures by the Cuticura Remedies, but had no confidence in them as I had tried so many remedies, and they all had failed to cure me. I had seen three doctors, but got no relief. Finally my husband said that we would try the Cuticura Remedies, so we got a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment, and two bottles of Cuticura Resolvent Pills. Of course I keep Cuticura Soap all the time for my hands, but the one cake of Soap and half a box of Cuticura Ointment cured them. It is surely a blessing for me to have my hands well, and I am very proud of having tried Cuticura Remedies, and recommend them to all suffering with eczema. Mrs. Eliza A. Wiley, R. F. D. No. 2, Liscomb, Iowa, Oct. 18, 1906."

Father's Good Advice.

A young man from Pittsburg went to New York to "make good" in his chosen profession, says a New York letter. The other night he stood in the lobby of a hotel and a friend asked him what he thought of New York. "I have only been here two days," he replied, "so I have not seen the city very thoroughly. My father's parting words to me when I left home were: 'My son, you are going to a great city. There is much good and much evil to be found in New York. Keep to the straight and narrow path as closely as possible, avoid Wall street and, above all, beware of the monkey house."

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tardy friend.-Plautus.

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High aims form high character, and great objects bring out great minds.-Tryon Edwards.

Don't Delay The season of coughs and colds is not yet past-they will be prevalent for some months to come. Do not neglect or experiment with them. Use the safe and sure remedy-Simmons' Cough Syrup. It heals the soreness and stops the cough.

Lived and Died Together. Martha R. Howe and Mary J. Howe, twins of Glastonbury, Conn., were together almost every minute of their 74 years of life. The former died recently and the shock of parting ended the life of Mary exactly 12 hours later. They were buried in the same grave.

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Strangely Mounted.

The strangest military body in the world is a band of cavalry at Saint de Moorvay, a province on the east coast of Africa, which is under the rule of the French governor general at Madagascar. These soldiers go about their military operations on oxen. The animals are lean creatures, and it is said they move with surprising rapidity.

Keep Your Blood Pure.

No one can be happy, light-hearted and healthy with a body full of blood that cannot do its duty to every part because of its impurity; therefore, the first and most important work in hand is to purify the blood so that every organ will get the full benefit of a healthy circulation. There is no remedy so good as that old family remedy, Brandreth's Pills. Each pill contains one grain of the solid extract of sarsaparilla blended with two grains of a combination of pure and mild vegetable products, making it a blood purifier unexcelled in character. One or two taken every night for awhile will produce surprising results.

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Monarche as Linguists.

Monarchs must know more than one language. King Edward, who traveled so much, speaks French better than some Frenchmen, and also German. The czar of Russia speaks French as well as his native tongue and knows the numerous dialects. Emperor William of Germany speaks French and English correctly, and is also well versed in Latin. The king of Spain, the youngest of all, speaks German with ease and also French and English. Because of his marriage he now practices the latter. The king of Portugal speaks French, English, German and Spanish. The king of Italy is a master of French and German and is also well versed in the various Italian dialects.

Experiments made by Father Joseph Murgas, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., indicate that wireless telegraphy can be carried on through the ground as well as through the air, if deep shafts or wells are sunk for the sending and receiving apparatus.

Taking Precautions. When Speaker Cannon was swear-

ing in some new members Congressman J. Adam Bede remarked: "Uncle Joe makes 'em hold up their right hands when taking the oath to see that they haven't anything but their undershirts up their sleeves."

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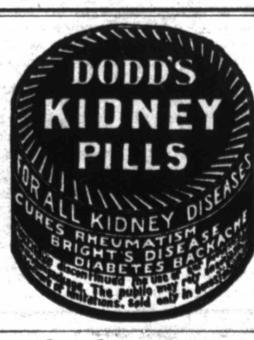


Art in Hand-Made Articles.

Oscar S. Straus, the new secretary of commerce and labor, is a connoisseur of pottery and porcelains. "Machinery," he said, "has robbed us of our useful arts to a great extent. In machine-made things there can be no artistic quality, no individual expression. In hand-made things, even the humblest, there is always an opportunity for art to show itself."

No Advance in Wisdom.

Mark Twain tells how four years ago he was invited by the University of Missouri to go out there and receive the degree of LL. D. At the same time he visited Hannibal, his boyhood home. Just as he was about to leave, being accompanied to the station by a crowd of citizens, Tom Nash, a schoolfellow, came up-white headed, but still a boy. He shook hands with his friend of many a year and nodding toward the crowd said: "People of this town are the same blamed fools they always were, ain't they, Sam?"

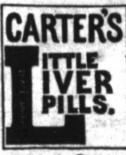




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Joe Howard & Sons sold several town lots this week to W. H. Johnston, of Greatest in single month, Oct 25 Kentucky.

James Neill who lives two miles east of town, left Sunday for Kansas City to have his eyes treated.

Services next Sunday at the Presbyterian church at 11 a. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. All are cordially invited.

The Star Bakery has the finest display of Bread, Cakes, and Pastry that us a call and be convinced.

C. J. Anderson of Holland, Texas, has opened a first class billiard and once. pool hall on the west side of Main street. His tables and equipment are

Married,-Mr Brooks Terrell and Miss Laura A. Hall of near Fort Sumner, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Beasley in Portales, Wednesday December 26, 1906,

Laster's famous P. & O. implements will soon be here. They are the best that money can buy and you should by all means see his line before you buy your implements for spring work.

The firm of Jones & Morrison has been succeeded by the firm of Jones & Servis. All those knowing themselves indebted to the firm of Jones & Morrison are requested to call and settle at

Joe Moody returned to his old home in Nocona, Texas, Wednesday. He has been clerking here for Waren- day, Jenuary 14th, 1967, at Carson's Fooshee & Co. about a year, but has resigned his position and gone back to Nacona to stay.

Phelps White of the Yellow House broke down with his automobile while coming to town the first of the week. and had to resort to his old time method of getting over the plains, coming into town horseback,

W. C. Hawkins, formerly editor of this paper, now editor of the Texmo, O. T., Times, came in Sunday to look after some property he has here. He went from here to Estancia to visit his wife who is living there on a claim.

The Red Cross drug store is being invoiced this week, and the goods are all being stamped in accordance with the provisions of the pure food and drug law passed by congress June 30, 1906, and taking effect the first of this

Lost, a gold watch and chain. Attached to chain was a K. P. charm. Lost between Portales and the Trammell home place, 14 miles southeast. Finder will get a suitable reward by returning watch and chain to R. Culberson, Portales, N. M.

Regular services at Methodist church Sunday morning and night. If we have a favorable day we hope to administer the sacrament of the Lord's supper. All the children invited to attend the Junior League in the after-S. E. WILSON, Pastor.

The New officers elected ana install ed of the Masonic lodge of Portales are is follows: C. O. Leach, W. M.; J. P. Stone, S. W.; J. B. Priddy, J. W.; J. A Fairly, Treasurer: H. E. Johnson, Sec. retary; J. W. George, Tyler: J. F Standifer, Chaplin; Ben Wood, S. W. R. K. Puckett, S. S.; Tom Laster, J.S.

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Weather Report

Following is a report of the weather taken at the Portales station during the year 1906 by Ben Woods, United States weather observer: Total rainfall, 1906, inches......22.95 Greatest in single month, July 5.20 Greatest in single month, Jan 6.25 Number of clear days..... 248 Partly cloudy days..... Greatest in one month, Sept Cloudy days..... Greatest in one month, Nov...... 10 Coldest day, Jan. 3..... 5-First frost October 16, light.

BEN WOODS, Observer.

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Commissioners Proceedings.

Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, at a meeting thereof held at the court house in Portales on the 1st day of January, 1907.

Present, J. B. Crawford, Chairman, W. H. Montgomery, Commissioner, E. C. Price, Commissioner, B. F. Birdwell, Clerk.

Meeting called to order by J. B Crawford, Chairman, On account of the 1st day of January being a legal holiday, the board took a recess until 9 o'clock Wednesday the 2d.

January, 2nd 1907. The board met pursuent to adjournment, all members being present.

In the matter of the Justice Precint petioned for by E. F. Messick et al Precint granted as petioned for, and an Election ordered to be held Monstore in the town of Blacktower, for the purpose of electing one Justice of the Peace and one Conscable, and the following Judges are appoined to hold the elec-tion: E. H. Bruce, S. F Burnett, Tut Gamble.

In the matter of the Justice Precint netitioned for by J. B. Hart et al Precint granted, as petioned for, and an election ordered to be held on Monday, January 14, 1907, for the purpose of electing one Justine of the Peace and one Constable, and W. R. McGill's office is designated as polling place. The following Judges are appointed to hold said election, to-wit: W. R. Mc-Gill, J. B. Hart, John Maxwell.

The claim of Pauly Jail Building was allowed and ordered paid. \$521.25 There appearing no further business the Board took a recess to meet again on the 1st Monday in January, 1907.

J. B. CRAWFORD, Chairman. Attest: B F. BIRDWELL, Clerk,

A New Land Deal.

A new deal in the land business was started here this week. G. H. Porter of Amarillo, who is representing a company which has bought the V.V.N. ranch in Texas, east of here, came in and brought an automobile to take prospective buyers out to the land. The automobile was run from Amarillo to Texico Wednesday. On Thursday it left Texico at twelve o'clock and made the trip to Portales in two hours, coming through the sand hills without a balk. It is rumored that he expects another automobile up from Roswell to assist in taking the people out to their lands. Mr. Porter's company brought out a lot of people from the east this excursion and an automobile load were taken out to the V. V. N. ranch Friday morning. Every excursion from this on will see lots of people coming here, and being taken out by Mr. Porter in automobiles.,

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 29, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that James F. Tomkins, of Portales, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead entry No. 2268 made January 17, 1902, for the northwest quarter of section 15, township 2 south, range 34 east, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, United States Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on February 11, 1907.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of the land, viz: Noah W. Clayton, H. Clay Bedinger, Henry C. Bedinger, Harry Miller, all of Portales, N. M. jan S. HOWARD LELAND, Register,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 29, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that John M. Floyd of Portales, New Mexico, has filed notice of his of Portales, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 2016 made Oct. 8, 1901, for the lots 9 and 10, and the north half of the southeast quarter of section 2, township 1 south, range 35 east, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, United States Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico on February 11, 1007

He names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:
Milton C. Mason, Frank C. Floyd, Erwin
Daniels, Richard Coats, all of Portales, N. M.
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Howard Leland, Register.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States and Office, Roswell, New Mexico, December

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, December 3, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by John N. Haight, contestant, against homestead entry No. 6347, made November 20, 1905, for the northwest quarter of sec. 3, township 1 north, range 35 east, by James R. Bryan, contestee, in which it is alleged that the said James R, Bryan has wholly abandoned said tract; that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry and next prior to the date of said affidavit; that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States in time of war; said parties are herdby notified to appear, respond and ofter evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 5, 1907, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portalea, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a, m. on February 13, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land office in Roswell, New Mexico.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed December 21, 1906, set forth facts which show that, atter due diligence, personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

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HOWARD LELAND, Register.

DAVID L. GEYER, Receiver.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 29, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas Morrison, of Portales. New Mexico. has filed notice of his intention to make final five-year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead entry No. 2908 made September 20, 1902, for the northeast quarter of section 26, township 1 south of range 35 east, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, United States Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on February II, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:

Newton C. Landers, John B. Wade, S. Redmond Yates, William F. Faggard, all of Portales New Mexico.

HOWARD LELAND, Register. Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, November 19, 1906.

19, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Matthew S. Johnson, contestant, against homestead entry No. 2902, made Sept. 18, 1902, for the northeast quarter of section 13 township 1 south, range 31 east, by John W. Clark contestee, in which it is alleged that said John W. Clark has wholly abandoned said tract, that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry and next prior to the date of said affidavit, and that said tract is not settled opon and cultivated by said party as required by law and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the army, navy, or marine corps of the United States in time of war, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and respond and ofter evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 29, 1907, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 9, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States land office in Roswell, New Mexico.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Dec. 31, 1906, set forth facts which show that, after due diligence, personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication,

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

DAVID L. GEYER, Receiver. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed

y due and proper publication, HOWARD LELAND, Register. DAVID L. GEYER, Receiver.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 29, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Robert Hicks. of Portales, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 1548 made September 24, 1900, for the southwest quarter of section 25, township 1 south, range 33 east, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, United States Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico on February 11, 1907.

1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, the land, viz:

John H. Martin, William G. Harrison, Thomas J. Davis, George M. Briscoe, all of Portales N.M. jan 5

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Contest Notice.

Contest Notice,

Department of the Interior, United States land office, Roswell, New Mexico, November 16, 1906,

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by William M. Bone, contestant, against homestead entry No. 6991, made February 26, 1906, for the northeast quarter of section 3, township 4 south, range 31 east, by William J. Edwards, contestee, in which it is alleged that said William J. Edwards has wholly abandoned said tract, that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry and next prior to the date of said affidavit, that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States in time of war, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a, m. on January 26, 1907, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 6, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States land office in Roswell, New Mexico.

The said contestant having in a proper affide.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed December 4, 1906, set forth facts which
show that after due diligence personal service
of this notice can not be made, it is hereby
ordered and directed that such notice be given
by due and proper publication.
HOWARD LELAND. Register.
DAVID L. GEYER, Receiver.