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You may hide in the caves, they'll be only your graves but you don't get away from the guns.

—Rudyard Kipling.

Few Topeka people know much, if anything, about the Kansas battery of light artillery stationed here and recruited from Topeka young men. All who saw the battery in the Decoration Day parade remarked on its smart appearance and the discipline and alertness of the artillerymen. A few words about the history of the Kansas light artillery of the national guard would not be out of place here.



Captain W. A. Pattison of the Topeka Battery.

The battery was organized in 1883 and was first composed of two platoons, one stationed here and the other at Winfield. The Winfield platoon was first composed entirely of civil war veterans. Later the Winfield platoon was transferred to Wichita, and a short time ago was moved here and merged with the Topeka platoon. The battery equipment is now composed of four 2.2 inch steel rifles and a Gatling gun, one battery wagon, four caissons and an escort wagon. There are 75 enlisted men and five officers. The battery is under command of Capt. W. A. Pattison, and his officers are as follows: Senior first lieutenant, C. G. Grimes; junior first lieutenant, E. E. Edwards; senior second lieutenant, M. C. Pennekant; junior second lieutenant, H. V. Clayton. Non-commissioned officers: First sergeant, P. S. Taylor; quartermaster sergeant, W. E. Tucker; stable sergeant, A. W. Odell; duty sergeants, S. E. Pennick, H. A. Harvey, D. T. Jennings and C. W. Martin; corporals, S. Leahy and A. B. Hylleate; cooks, Ed Brown and L. E. Howey; trumpeters, L. W. Clymer and I. Diven; artificer, E. Chandler.

Meets Every Monday.

The battery meets every Monday night, between Fourth and Fifth streets, where its guns, harness and heavy equipment are stored and part of the members go through guard duty drill. The larger number, however, meet in the Metropolitan hall on Kansas avenue in the 400 block. They use the hall for a drill room only, but have two rooms on the third floor for the quartermaster, where are stored all their uniforms and light camp and marching equipment. The state pays the men for two drills a month. The attendance at these drills is good and the interest taken by the men is one of the important features of the success of the organization in reaching its present state of efficiency. But after all, to Captain Pattison must go the honor of the credit for the present standing of the Kansas battery. The captain is one of those quiet, modest men who accomplish big things by their close devotion to duty and details and their everlasting energy and determination. It is a far more difficult task to place a national guard organization on a plane of efficiency than it is a company or regiment in the regular army. The national guard officer must contend all the time with the faint line between civil and military life. He must win the respect of the citizen and interest of his men by his own personality and

Fat People's Hearts

As the mercury climbs upward the strain on fat folk's hearts grows more severe. Many will drop dead. Of course, they may be more than one sudden taking off in your neighborhood, but who will that one be? Fascinating guessing contest.

The only way out of danger is to reduce, but how? Exercise overtaxes the heart and actually increases its liability. Dieting is better—and easier—this appetitless weather, but how about the drinking—dieting is "dry" work, remember.

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tact, while a regular army officer can command these things in the line of military duty and discipline. The former has charge of his men only a few hours a week, while the latter has command of his men's time and best efforts every hour of the twenty-four.

Capt. Pattison enlisted in the Kansas battery in 1889 and attained the captaincy in 1901. Under his command the battery has made strides toward a higher state of efficiency each year and has increased in the number of enlisted men until now it has the full complement. He originated the device of a miniature cannon mounted on bicycle wheels with soap boxes for the carriage and uses these for drill in the hall. They are made in exactly the same style as the regular guns and carriages and the advantages of these light toys can be seen at a glance. Using them the men go through the same motions and maneuvers for wheeling a battery into or out of position that they would do in a battle. They get their position and all the men only a drill with regular cannon except the handling of horses.

Compliment by Col. Grimes.

At the last encampment Capt. Pattison was highly complimented by Col. Grimes for his success with the Kansas battery and these words of praise were drafted into the adjutant general's report for 1907. Hardly a state in the west has so efficient a light battery as has Kansas. In the east they pay more attention to their national guard and make enormous appropriations for armory and arsenal and equipment. Capt. Pattison has no horses for his guns and can not take them to state encampments, but while there his men use cannon from the regular army. It requires 52 head of horses to properly equip the Kansas light artillery.

The members of this battery have enlisted for a term of four years and are subject to the call of the president for instant service of any kind during any of the term of their enlistment anywhere in this country. They are equipped by the government with all the latest scientific instruments for range finding, sighting the guns, keeping the trajectory, etc. The handling of artillery is now a science. Point blank fire has become a thing of the past. Even the handling of the modern ammunition is an art. Capt. Pattison has made a careful study of all the duties of an artilleryman of today and at drill the other night explained to the reporter all the mysteries of range finding and dropping shells into a fort or column of troops from guns located under the crest of a hill.

The quartermaster's room is conducted like a similar quarters in a regular army post. Each man has his regimental company number and his locker for his clothes and equipment. The blankets, canteens and all other equipment are kept in perfect order. Over in the Jackson street quarters the guns are placed in position and kept in condition for instant use. The harness for the horses is hung on racks and all the heavy equipment kept in readiness for tomorrow for the training of the horses for the Kansas battery to go on duty for active service. Capt. Pattison could have his men and guns and complete equipment on the cars Monday. Excepting the training of the horses he would be at once for the campaign, and it does not take long to train the horses to a point where their work is effective.

The artillery is not the most attractive branch of the service nor does it drill make such a showing as that of an infantry or cavalry regiment, but nowadays the skill and energy of the artillerymen alone decide battles. Eyewitnesses of the old muzzle loaders of Napoleon's time, the Corsican, the greatest military genius in the history of the world, an artillery officer himself, depended in a great measure on his artillery and made Drouot, chief of ordinance, a grand marshal.

If a call is ever made for western troops for dangerous service it is a safe prediction that Topeka will send the best drilled, most effective light battery from the west into the trouble zone and commanded by as competent an officer as there is in the National Guard organization west of the Mississippi river.

MR. ROGERS' PLAN

How He Would Master the Flood Situation.

Combination of the Dike and Canal Theories.

A concrete levee.....\$126,000
Raising bridges and rebuilding.....150,000
Channel and right of way.....75,000
Dirt levee.....20,000

Total cost.....\$381,000

A rough estimate of the cost of cutting a big canal 300 to 400 feet wide from the cut in the Union Pacific tracks made by the river washing across to the Soldier and down the Soldier to the Kansas river, with dirt levees and concrete at the most vital points and the building of the five bridges, three railroad and two city bridges which would span the channel has been prepared by John Rogers, city engineer. A map showing the contemplated levees and the channel drawn by Jerry Moscovitz, draftsman in the city engineer's office is shown. The Union Pacific engineering department has asked for bids to purchase the material necessary for the plan. It is evident that they will consider the scheme in their plans for caring for the high water.

The canal would commence at a point where the river now cuts across the Union Pacific tracks. At this point it would be 300 feet wide, the mouth being guarded against washing away by a concrete apron which would have a level equal to the average highwater stage of the river. Every time that the river got up to this particular level the water would commence to seek its way into the channel, 32 feet deep and find its outlet at the mouth of the Soldier.

Between Central and Kansas avenues the canal would broaden out to a width of 400 feet. The contemplated cost includes construction charges as well as the purchase price of right of way. For the most part it follows land that is unplatted and which might be purchasable at a very reasonable price. The earth from the excavation would be wasted on the sides for a levee ten feet high, so that the water in this canal would have to rise to a greater depth than 22 feet to overflow.

All of this would force the city, county and railroad companies to raise their bridges and rebuild them for the grade would be higher and the width of the stream which they cross greater. The Union Pacific and Santa Fe have now two railroad bridges over the Soldier and the Rock Island one, while the city and county have two bridges, one on Central and the other on Kansas avenue.

Between the two railroad bridges crossing the Kansas river it is planned to erect concrete levees on both north and south sides, having a height of 3 feet above the highest water mark and a width across the top of 6 feet. They would have ornamental balustrades of concrete and the top of the levee would form a promenade. The levees would be constructed on driven piling at a distance of about twenty feet from the edge of the river bank. The dirt levees would rise 3 feet above the highest water point and would be at least thirty feet from the bank of the river. A clay puddle would be constructed through the center of the dike to give firmness to the body of the dirt.

"This is simply given as a suggestion," said John Rogers. "The best thing that could be done is to hire some capable engineer who is experienced in this kind of work and have

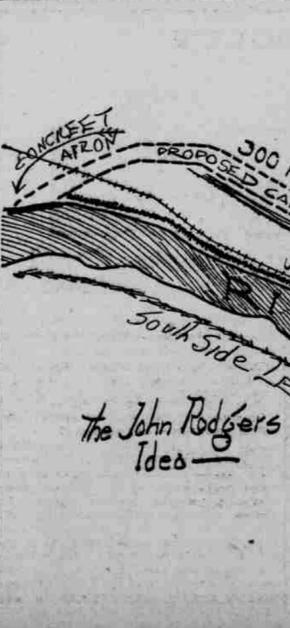
HADLEY TO SEE JACKSON

Attorney Generals Will Hold Conference Over Trusts.

Fred S. Jackson, attorney general of Kansas, Herbert S. Hadley, attorney general of Missouri and Attorney General West of Oklahoma are planning to hold a conference soon.

The time and place of this conference have not been determined but it is likely to be held in Topeka sometime next month. The three attorneys general are working along the same lines in fighting the trusts in the three states and they are much interested in the cases which each has brought and is prosecuting.

Each attorney general has gathered a lot of evidence in different cases which may be interesting to the others. The chief purpose of the meeting is to compare notes and talk over the proceedings in the different cases.



YAQUI VALLEY LANDS
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him make a thorough survey, topographical and all of the whole district and then make suggestions and plans which could be followed out."

GOING 600 STRONG.

Chicago Women Leaving in Force for the Boston Meeting.

Chicago, June 20.—An exodus of Chicago women such as the city has seen but seldom has begun. Nearly every eastbound train carries a delegation of club women going to Boston to attend the sessions of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, whose biennial meeting opens Monday evening. Most of the women went on a special train of eleven cars which left over the Wabash railway. The train was equipped with particular care and the result was a unique combination of club rooms and assembly hall. There were seven Pullmans, two dining cars, a library car and a baggage car. Nearly 200 club women went on this train. In the course of the trip to Boston final preparations will be made for the part the Chicago women are to take in the convention. It is expected that nearly 600 Chicago women will attend the convention.

NELLIS PROPERTY IS SOLD.

Mr. W. R. Fisher Buys Residence in Topeka for \$8,000.

The fact that people are moving to Topeka, from other towns, is being evidenced almost daily by the transfers in Topeka real estate. W. R. Fisher, of Norton, Kan., has purchased the D. W. Nellis property at 215 King street, where he will immediately take up his permanent residence. The purchase was made through the firm of Lucas and Lagerstrom, and the consideration was \$8,000.

This company has made three other sales of considerable note during the week just passed. The O. M. Higdon 40 acre tract, three miles from the city, was sold to M. J. Dailey of Bertrand, Neb., for \$4,500.

Clarence Taylor, of 819 Madison street, transferred his cottage to M. E. Powers, for the price of \$2,000.

Five acres, belonging to Della Dewey, 2 miles south of Topeka, was sold to J. A. Schesser for \$1,800.

The aggregate amount of these four sales is \$16,300, which is not so bad for one firm in a week's time.

Langford Knocks Out Barry.

New York, June 20.—With a terrific right hand upper-cut to the jaw, Sam Langford knocked out Jim Barry, the Chicago heavy weight, in the third round of a bout scheduled to go six rounds at the Fairmount A. C. last night. The men were battling on even terms when Langford saw an opening and slipped in the knock-out punch. Barry claimed that the blow was accidental.

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