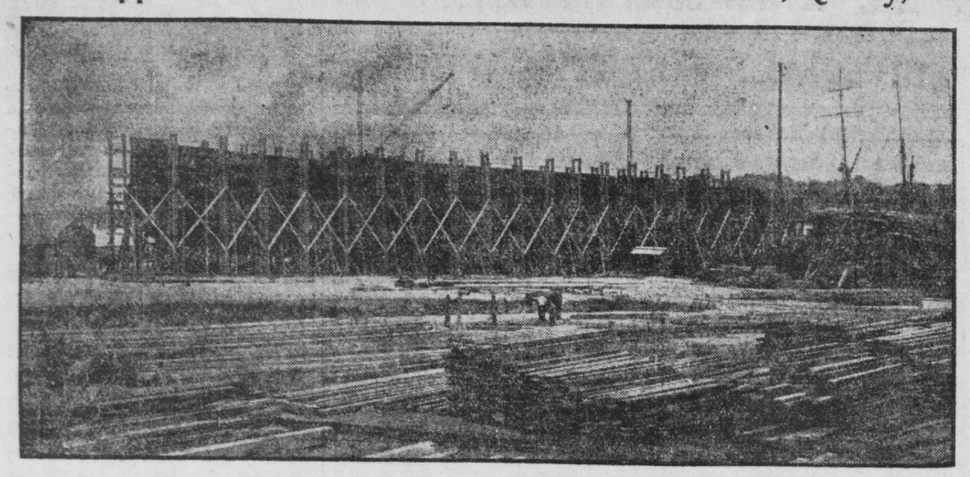
THE CRUISER DES MOINES

As She Appears Now on the Beach at Fore River Yards, Quincy, Mass.



Des Moines, Iowa, Dec. 5.—The new United States sheathed cruiser Des Moines resembles a huge warehouse of steel more than a ship at the present time as she looms up in the yards of the Fore River Ship & Engine company at Quincy, Mass. The accompanying photograph was taken recently and indicates that the boat will not be ready for launching for some time. Although the date has not been fixed by the builders the affair will take place about the middle of March. Miss Frances West of this place was named by Governor Shaw to christen the cruiser and is at work making up a party to attend the event.

The Des Moines is similar in design to the Cleveland, the Tacoma, the Chattanooga and the Galveston. Her total length on the water line is 292 feet; length over all, 308 feet 9 inches; molded beam, 43 feet 3½ inches; extreme breadth, 44 feet; free board forward, 20 feet; free board aft, 18 feet 6 inches; mean draft 15 feet 9 inches; displacement, fully euipped for sea, all stores on board and a normal supply of coal—3,200 tons; full load displacement, 3,500 tons.

The Des Moines has triple expansion engines which will furnish 4,700 horse power, and which will enable her to show better than the required speed of 16½ knots per hour. Her coal capacity with the bunkers full is 700 tons, which will give a steaming radius of 10,000 miles, or allow her to cross the Atlantic three times without recoaling. At full speed her steaming radius will be 2,600 miles.

The main battery of the Des Moines will consist of ten five-inch fifty-calibre, breech loading, rapid-fire guns. The secondary batery will comprise eight six-pounder, rapid-fire guns, two one-pounder rapid-fire guns, and four automatic Colt's machine guns.

Corn pith with an estimated capacity of 6,720 cubic feet will be used as an obturating material for the water line protection, so that if the hull should be pierced by a shot the swelling of the corn pith placed between the outer and inner plates will prevent the ingress of the water.

The building of the Des Moines was authorized by an act of congres March 3, 1899. The contract was signed on Dec. 14 of the same year and on Aug. 28, 1900, the keel was laid in the Fore River yard, the newest ship yard in the country, where also the largest seven-masted schooner in the world is nearing completion.

Acording to contract, the Des Moines will be ready for delivery to the government June 14, 1901 and will cost $1,065,000.

ST. LOUIS TETANUS

The City to Be Sued by the Parents of the Children.

MUTILATION OF THE BODIES

A Statement Issued to the Press Against the Methods at the Morgue.

St. Louis Post Dispatch.

Coroner Funkhouser, who has supervision over the morgue, denies the assertions of the prospective plaintiffs in the tetanus suits against the city that the bodies of children who died from the administration of city antitoxin were unnecessarily mutilated by morgue attendants.

In a statement issued to the press by Attorney E. E. Wood in his office the parents of the dead children declare that some of the corpses had been taken from their homes by force and had been returned in a mutilated condition.

The signers of the statement state that the body of one child, a girl, was taken from the house of her parents "in a forceful and inhuman manner," and was returned "in a ghastly and unseemly condition, having its face and hair besmeared with its own blood, and the top of its little head carelessly doubled back, showing its desecrated brain and the interior mutilations of death."

The returned corpse, it is declared, resembled "so much beef," and was "cut and desecrated beyond description."

"It is necessary to examine the brain in each case," said the coroner, "and this was done by making a single slit over the top of the scalp. The skin was then laid back and a piece of the skull removed. After examination the bone was replaced and the incision was closed.

"The only case of facial disfigurement was one in which a slit was made in the throat to examine the larynx. This slit extended to the point of the chin, and the scalp had to be slit just past the hair over the ears. The marks were skilfully concealed, and the body was returned to the parents in good condition."

Attorney Wood told the Post-Dispatch, Friday morning, that the daughter of J. C. Ernst of 809A North Jefferson avenue was the child whose remains were "taken in a forceful manner" and returned in a "ghastly and unseemly condition."

"That is true," Mr. Ernst said to the Post-Dispatch. "A young fellow came here and said he represented the city undertaker. He walked right into the house without even taking off his hat, and said in a loud and ungentlemanly manner, 'I want the corpse.'

"We were all deeply grieved at the time over our child's death, and told him he could not have the body. Then he loudly declared that he must have it, and if it was not given to him he would get it anyhow and have it buried in the potter's field.

"When he found that we would not give him the body, he went down stairs and called a policeman. The policeman refused to interfere. The attendant's manner and language were most offensive. I did not let him have the body then, but did afterward, when I found out from my friends that the city had a right to demand it.

"He created considerable excitement in the neighborhood.

"When the body was brought back the undertaker refused to allow myself or my wife to see it. He showed my son and daughter where it had been cut, though. I looked at it for a minute and saw there was a cut on the head."

Mr. Ernst employed Herman Rindskopf, secretary of the Boeckers-Isaac Undertaking company, at Leffingwell avenue and Wash street, to take the remains from the morgue to the Ernst home.

Mr. Rindskopf told the Post Dispatch Friday morning that the body of Mr. Ernst's daughter had been cut but not more than is necessary or customary in a post-mortem examination. He also denied a report that he had not been extended courtesies by the morgue management.

N. Senturia, according to Attorney Wood, is the man who was "clubbed into submission and then thrown into the city prison," in the words of his statement, because he would not give up his child's dead body on demand of the city undertaker's representative.

Mr. Senturia does not speak English fluently, but made a statement to the Post-Dispatch Friday through his friend and neighbor, Michael Novack of 1113 North Seventh street, who is also one of the signers of the statement issued by Attorney Wood, he having lost a child through administrations of city antitoxin.

Mr. Novack said that his own child's body was not mutilated, but that Mr. Senturia's son's body was.

He said Mr. Wiseman, an undertaker living on Seventh Street, just north of Biddle street, could tell.

"There was blood on the body when I got it," Mr. Wiseman said to the Post-Dispatch. "It was the worst I ever say."

He said the childs' head had been cut and also its stomach. He did not remember any other cuts.

Investigation at the Carr street station showed that Senturia had not been locked up, but that he had been taken to the police station by two patrolmen at the request of the city undertaker's representative and that the body of his child had been removed to the morgue during his absence from home.

"I refused to give him the body," said Senturia, "as I did not know that it was the law that he should have it. Then, he called policemen. They treated me roughly and dragged me out of the house."

A PAYING MINE

Railroad Graders in the Hills Seem to Have Found One.

Lead, S. D., Dec. 6.—The Elkhorn Railway company's graders on the new road from Deadwood to this city have encountered a large vein or ore in one of the cuts which will go in values about $30 a ton. It was a blind vein with no surface indications and it will probably make a paying mine. The ore is being used for the railroad grade.

CARLETON TRUSTEES MEET.

Special to The Journal.

Northfield, Minn., Dec. 6.—President James W. Strong, G. M. Phillips, H. W. Page, J. C. Nutting, A. W. Norton and M. W. Skinner were in Minneapolis yesterday to attend the fall meeting of the Carleton College board of trustees.—"The Little Minister" will be played at the auditorium on Saturday evening. The advance sale of seats indicates the largest crowd that Northfield has ever seen at a play since the auditorium was opened two years ago by Walker Whiteside.

Hodges' Hearing Delayed.

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 6.—The date of the preliminary hearing of Nelson Hodges, who recently shot a man named Folzer at Mapleton, has been adjourned till Feb. 6. Folzer's leg was broken by the bullet and it will be some time before he will be able to appear in court.

CROSS-COUNTRY TROLLEY

Westinghouse People Are Sounding Fergus Falls Business Men.

Special to The Journal.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Dec. 6.—The Westinghouse people, who recently secured valuable franchises at Little Falls and are planning to put in trolley car lines there, have opened negotiations with the Merchants' association of this city relative to building a line across this county. The association held a special meeting last evening and arranged to furnish the company with the data which it has asked.

Stanton post, G. A. R., elected officers last evening as follows: C., George F. Cowing; S. V. C., C. W. McKay; J. V. C., J. G. Durrell; chaplain, O. C. Chase; quartermaster, George M. Ross; S., D. W. Wright; O. D., W. N. Chapman; O. G., E. E. Corliss. George M. Ross and E. Bridgman were elected delegates to the state encampment.

Ole E. Jensen, a merchant of Barnesville, filed a petition in bankruptcy, placing his assets at $2,780, of which $1,225 is exempt, and his liabilities at $5,481.71.

FINE TERMINAL ELEVATOR

Enterprise Which Means Much in a Business Way for Willmar.

Special to The Journal.

Willmar, Minn., Dec. 6.—The new Minnesota & Western terminal elevator was accepted fro mthe contractor this week. The storage capacity is 75,000 bushels and cleaning capacity of twenty cars a day. It is the largest of 146 elevators operated by the company and means a great deal to the city in a local way. About al lthe grain purchased through Lowa, North and South Dakota and western Minnesota is to be brought here and cleaned, weighed and shipped abroad. The elevator will employ over eighteen men and necessitate the stationing of a state weighmaster here. The house will also buy grain on the local market.

A party of six fashionable ladies shocked pedestrians on the streets one evening recently by masquerading in men's clothing. The women were readily recognized and caused no end of amusement to some of their friends.

Wisdom of New Law Questioned.

Special to The Journal.

Minnewaukan, N. D., Dec. 6.—At the tax sale yesterday, under the new law, at least half the descriptions were bid down to 4 and 6 per cent per annum, and only a small proportion of the list went 10 and 12 per cent. When farmers can get their taxes carried at such low rates, they will scarcely hasten to pay them before delinquent, and the wisdom of the law is open to doubt.—The two banks at this point show deposits of about $200,000, which is high-water mark thus far.—The Catholic fair netted the church $900. The three church societies here are in excellent financial condition and growing steadily. They are the Norwegian Lutheran, Presbyterian and Catholic.

Gain in School Children.

Special to The Journal.

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 6.—The school census is being taken, and the record so far indicates an increase over last year. Several children have been found who are not in the schools and the attention of the officials will be called to the matter.

Arrested for Postoffice Robbery.

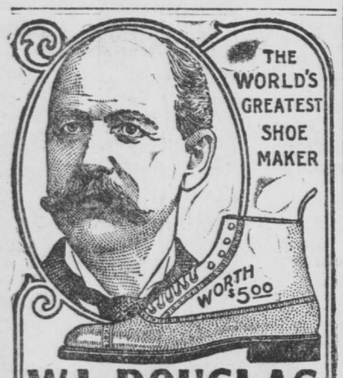
Sioux City, Iowa, Dec. 6.—S. T. Bradley and Joe Budd were arrested here yesterday afternoon, over Nellie Johnson's place, and will be held to answer to the robbery of the postoffice at Kronstad, S. D., Nov. 8. They had $200 in stamps on their persons.

Pioneered in South Dakota.

Flandreau, S. D., Dec. 6.—M. D. L. Pettigrew, one of the pioneers of this town, was buried yesterday. He died at Hot Springs, this state, where he had gone for the benefit of his health.—Mrs. Josephine Lovejoy, a vocalist of some note, died here this morning. She came here about a year ago on account of her health.

Catholic Societies Unite.

La Crosse, Wis., Dec. 6.—The St. Joseph and St. Boniface Catholic societies, two of the oldest organization in the city, have been consolidated into the St. Joseph Charity League, with the following officers: President, E. Hackner; vice-president, A. Miller; secretary, Joseph Roth; treasurer, John A. Miller.



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Specials for Saturday

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Jackets

Unparalleled values in women's 27-inch Jackets made of imported kersey cloth, in brown, mode, castor and black satin lining, silk stitchings, storm and notch collars, good $15.00 values, on Saturday **$10.75**

Raglans, full length styles, with and without yokes, semi-fitting and sack back, very latest styles, special inducements for Saturday at..... **$12.50**

Children's Jackets, good meltons and kerseys, values up to $3.00; very special for Saturday only **95c**

Small assortment of women's and children's melton and kersey jackets, values up to $5.50, to close, Saturday..... **$2.98**

$5.75 For regular $8.00 Jackets for children, fine kersey cloth, blue, brown, newest styles, latest effects.

Corsets

More than one dozen different styles Girdle Corsets, made of batiste and coutil, elaborately trimmed with lace and ribbon; rust proof steels; special for Saturday..... **$1**

To close out immediately a nassortment of broken sizes in best makes of Corsets, straight fronts, well boned, two side steels, and double front steel; values $1.00. On special sale for Saturday **49c**

Dress Goods and Silks.

Regular $1.00 value 24-inch lustrous all-silk Crepe de Chine, leading shades; also 23-inch Black Taffeta, our heaviest guaranteed kind, Lyonsdyn; regular $1.10 value; about 3 pieces every-day $1.00 quality black velvet; all at one low price -for Saturday, a yard..... **78c**

30 pieces Black Kerseys, 54-inch, $1.25 kind; 54-inch finest Suitings, 48-inch Pebble Cheviots, all wool, 46-inch all wool Meltons, in one bargain lot for Saturday, a yard **54c**

Notion Counter

Big assortment of black Cloth Brushes, Hair Brushes, Combs, Hat Brushes and Polishers, all sterling silver mounted, worth up to 48c, on sale Saturday..... **25c**

Leather Goods

New arrivals in Purses and Chatelaines, large assortment, worth up to 50c, choice Saturday for..... **25c**

Handkerchiefs.

One lot of women's finest 25c all linen Handkerchiefs; plain hem and embroidered. Saturday special, each..... **19c**

Unlaundered Handkerchiefs; fine convent made; initial; worth 19c. For Saturday. **12½c**

Shoes.

Boys' and Girls' good, heavy school shoes. Special for Saturday, a pair..... **98c**

Women's warm shoes, foxed with leather. Special for Saturday, a pair..... **98c**

Misses' and children's Storm Alaskas and child's buckle Arctics. Saturday **49c**

Candy.

French Cream Mixed, a lb..... **10c**

Marshmallows and Chocolate Creams, lb.... **12½c**

Fancy Chocolate Creams, nut tops; special for Saturday, lb..... **19c**

Hosiery

Big assortment of women's heavy fleece-lined and cashmere Hose, fast black and double soles. Good values up to 32c. On sale for Saturday, a pair..... **22c**

Women's Underwear, broken sizes, odds and ends, in children's heavy fleece-lined, derby-ribbed and natural wool Underwear, values up to 50c. On sale Saturday, at.....29c and **19c**

Women's heavy Fleece-lined Vests ahd Pants, regular 65c values. For Saturday, each.... **39c**

"Florence" and "Amazon" combination Suits, guaranteed all wool, silk finished, regular $3 values. For Saturday.. **$2.50**

Gloves

Regular 85c and $1.00 Kid Gloves, black, white and leading shades. on special sale Saturday, a pair..... **58c**

Women's all wool Golf and Scotch Gloves, also fleece lined Cashmere Gloves, a pair.... **25c**

Late importations in women's fine French Kid Gloves, 3-clasp styles, Paris Point stitchings, black, white and newest colors. Every pair warranted—a special for Saturday. a pair.... **$1.25**

Men's Underwear

Men's fancy ribbed shirts and drawers, 50c quality for **29c**

39c for regular 65c quality Men's wool fleece lined shirts and drawers.

All wool shirts and drawers for men; regular $1.15 quality, for..... **75c**

$1.50 quality plush wool underwear for men. On Saturday, each..... **$1.15**

JUDGE NO. 4

Celebrated McClellan Case Must Go to New Court.

Special to The Journal.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Dec. 6.—As Judge Campbell, of the Aberdeen circuit, retires from the bench at the close of the present month, another judge must be called to preside at the new trial of the case involving the ownership of the estate of John McClellan, a Sioux Falls pioneer, which he has just granted. Thus far three different judges have presided at trials of the case, and the new trial will require the services of still another. Judge Wilkes of the county court, who originally tried the case, decided in favor of alleged heirs living in Ireland. It was then tried before Judge Jones of the circuit court, whose decision was in favor of the Canadian claimants. Judge Campbell presided at the third trial, and decided that none of the claimants was the legal heir.

WINTER RIDER DYING

Wisconsin Cyclist Terribly Injured—Wheel Slipped on Ice.

Special to The Journal.

La Crosse, Wis., Dec. 6.—While riding a bicycle along the icy turnpike between this city and La Crescent, Julius Radnick was thrown from his wheel, sustaining probably fatal injuries. The wheel slipped from under him and he fell on the frozen ground on his head. He was made unconscious. He received a concussion of the brain, a broken collar bone and several internal injuries.

ELKS BEGIN EARLY

Christmas Dinner and Gift for the Poor of La Crosse.

Special to The Journal.

La Crosse, Wis., Dec. 6.—The Elks are making elaborate preparations to entertain all the poor children on Christmas day in their hall. Committees have been appointed to take charge of the matter and the Associated Charities and all other charitable organizations are assisting. A list of all the poor children is being prepared, which will be turned over to the Elks. The street car company will also take a hand in the work. Children will be carried to the hall free from all parts of the city. On each car will be an Elk, who will take charge of the children and direct them to the hall. An elaborate dinner will be served and each child will be presented with a gift. It is thought that over 1,000 children will be entertained.

Gaffy Adjourns a Term.

Special to The Journal.

Highmore, S. D., Dec. 6.—District court was convened here by Judge Gaffy, of Pierre, but, owing to a case of smallpox in town, the judge adjourned the term until March 18, 1902.—Sheriff A. D. Winans has gone to Wisconsin to bring back two horse thieves who left here in October after picking up a bunch of horses which were grazing on the prairie.

BACKED BY TWO OTHERS

S. Dakota Fraternal Orders to Resist the Collection of Taxes.

Special to The Journal.

Pierre, S. D., Dec. 6.—The action of the A. O. U. W. lodge in resisting collection of taxes, claimed by the insurance department to be due the state, is backed by the Modern Woodmen and the Royal Neighbors, the two orders which are, next to the A. O. U. W., the farthest behind in the payment. The expenses of the suit will probably be met jointly by these organizations.

After opening the old gas well in this city the drill was sent about fifty feet deeper into the sand rock, and the gas supply materially increased. As soon as the connections with the gas receivers can be made, the city will secure a larger amount of gas than it has ever had at any time.

OIL OF INFERIOR GRADE

Complaints in South Dakota Said to Be General.

Special to The Journal.

Pierre, S. D., Dec. 6.—The people are receiving a very poor grade of kerosene this winter and the complaint is general. This has called out sentiment for the introduction of an oil inspection bill in the next legislative session through the provisions of the initiative. This will be done to prevent the usual fate of bills introduced to regulate oil grades, which are stringent enough as introduced in every session, but which are riddled before they get through.

Another Paper in Poor Field.

Special to The Journal.

Armour, S. D., Dec. 6.—White Lake will soon have another paper—a town that will hardly support one. Jack Sales, one of the county commissioners of Aurora county, will launch the enterprise. It will be republican in politics, and Mr. Sales is negotiating for the purchase of the old Plankinton Standard outfit. The White Lake Wave, recently purchased by J. C. Palmer, is now a democratic paper. It was republican in politics when owned by M. C. Brown, the South Dakota poet.—This county experienced its first genuine snowstorm of the season Wednesday. Several inches fell, but not enough to check the enthusiasm of the eastern land buyers here in search of South Dakota real estate.

Hills Mineral Exhibit.

Special to The Journal.

Deadwood, S. D., Dec. 6.—The Black Hills Mining Men's Association met last night in regular monthly session. Professor Charles H. Fulton, of the state school of mines, of Rapid City, read an interesting paper on "The Present Development of Cyaniding." This feature will be continued at each regular meeting, several process men in the Hills having consented to prepare papers. The association again discussed the matter of a mineral exhibit for the Black Hills at the St. Louis exposition.

Called by a Pittsburg Church.

Special to The Journal.

Lead, S. D., Dec. 6.—Rev. Mr. Dodshon, for some time the supply pastor of the Episcopal church in this city, has accepted a call to a pastorate of the largest Episcopal church in Pittsburg, Pa. Rev. Mr. Ware has returned from his Nebraska cattle ranch and will continue as pastor of the Lead and Deadwood churches, his resignation having been reconsidered.

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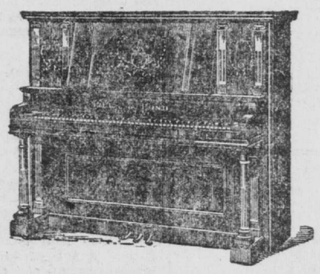

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Vermillion May Have a Park.

Special to The Journal.

Vermillion, S. D., Dec. 6.—The Vermillion city council is considering a proposition for establishing a park in the beautiful ravine south of Main street. In this ravine is the site of the old log schoolhouse.—For the first time in fifteen years, license has been granted for operating a billiard hall and bowling alley in this city. The rate has formerly been too high, but an ordinance was passed by the city council last evening which greatly reduces the fee.

Bartlett in the Show Business.

Special to The Journal.

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 6.—Lieutenant Governor Bartlett, who was manager of the North Dakota exhibit at the Pan-American exposition, is putting forth a great effort to have the state well represented at the St. Louis exposition. Of the $10,000 appropriation for the Buffalo show there are some hundreds of dollars remaining, and the governor wants it used to get things in shape for the St. Louis show, other funds to be borrowed and repaid when the legislature meets. If nothing is done till the next legislative session it will be too late to give the state a creditable exhibit.

Starr Plats a New Town.

Special to The Journal.

Menomonie, Wis., Dec. 6.—W. J. Starr says the new railroad from Spring Valley to Weston, a branch of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha, is almost completed and trains will run next week. This road runs through heavy timber land, and Mr. Starr has erected a sawmill at the terminus with a capacity of 8,000,000 feet annually. He will also plat a village and name it Comfort, in honor of one of his sons.

Held for Selling to Indians.

Special to The Journal.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Dec. 6.—Two Flandreau men named James Murphy and Matthew Martin, have been held by United States Commissioner Conway of this city for appearance before the next federal grand jury to answer to the charge of selling liquor to Indians. In default of bonds, Martin has been lodged in the county jail.

Death of Miss Hudson.

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 6.—Miss Harriett Hudson, daughter of ex-Judge Hudson, is dead, and her remains were taken this morning to Janesville, Wis., for interment. She was formerly a teacher in Fargo college.

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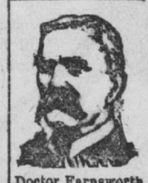

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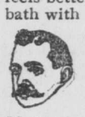

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Effect of Oil on Manufacturing Industry of the United States.

One of the New York papers undertook to learn by a careful canvass of large manufacturing establishments the general opinion as to what effect the production of over 4,000,000 barrels of Texas oil per day would have on the world.

R. A. Chesbrough, of the Chesbrough Manufacturing Co., New York, says: After the most elaborate tests with Texas oil, I am convinced that one pound of oil is worth two of coal, and, therefore, that 4,000,000 barrels per day is the equivalent of over 1,000,000 tons of coal. I wish to state as my opinion, that at anything under 75 cents per barrel, put down in New York, there is ABSOLUTELY NO LIMIT TO THE AMOUNT OF OIL THAT CAN BE AND WILL BE USED FOR FUEL PURPOSES. The benefit to the manufacturers and railroads of the extreme southern cities is so great as to be almost incalculable. What I fear is that the demand for this oil will be so great as to raise the price for special purposes beyond the reach of the ordinary steam user. When it is considered that the oil is now selling in Beaumont for a trifle over 30c a barrel, or the equivalent of a ton of coal for $1, and that when the pipe line is completed to New Orleans, it can be poured into reservoirs in that city at a cost of ½c per barrel for piping, it will be realized that there is no limit to the demand.

The Texas Geyser Oil Company realized this some time ago, and if every one had appreciated it at the same time, this stock would not be on the market to-day. But it takes money to build pipe lines, storage tanks and oil cars, and men are not willing to put up money until they are sure of the proposition. The press reports have begun to make an impression on the minds of readers, and men now realize that investment in Texas Oil is a legitimate business proposition offering exceedingly large dividends. The officers of this company are nearly all bankers. They are men of experience and have ample ability to manage a business of this magnitude. All arrangements for shipping oil are being pushed as rapidly as possible, and the company is in hopes of being ready for business soon after their first well comes in. This well is now nearly down to the oil depth right in the center of a group of the best gushers in the world. You remember, no well on Spindle Top Heights, where the Texas Geyser well is, has ever failed to strike oil. Our prospectus gives a good idea of the oil industry and of our holdings in Texas fields.

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