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A Judicious Newspaper Advertiser is Looked Upon as a Leader in His Community

JNO. R. HEARNE, President.

TUCKER ROYALL, Cashier.

THE Royall National Bank,

PALESTINE, TEXAS.

Capital, \$100,000.00.

Surplus and Profits, \$34,800.41.

Statement at the close of business Nov. 12th, 1906:

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$275,526.32	Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Premiums	26,250.00	Surplus and Profits	34,800.41
Banking House and Fixtures	30,000.00	Circulation	25,000.00
Cash	143,286.32	Deposits	308,282.14
TOTAL	\$475,062.64	TOTAL	\$475,062.55

The above statement is correct.

TUCKER ROYALL, Cashier.

P. H. HUGHES & CO.

REAL ESTATE and FIRE INSURANCE.

Solicit a continuance of your patronage during the year 1907, and wish for you continued prosperity. Let us carry your fire risk.

BUY YOUR CANDIES

Where everything is made from the very best materials. Home-made Chocolates and Bon Bons. Also the largest and finest assortment of nicely put up Fancy Boxes.

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NEW YEAR REFLECTIONS

Naturally suggest to the ambitious a striving to improve their welfare. As money matters have much to do with worldly advancement, the importance of saving money cannot be over-estimated. The facilities offered by the Robinson Bros. Bank, and the sound financial conditions which govern its management is an opportunity which should not be neglected.

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Unfermented Grape Juice for Communion Purposes, and Sick Chamber.

Old Port Wine, 3 years old, \$1.50 per gal.; Sherry Wine, 3 years old, \$1.50 per gal.; Good Table Claret, \$1.00 per gal.; Fine Old Blackberry Wine, best in the market. These wines have taken first premiums in Dallas, Houston and San Antonio for many years, and are guaranteed to be pure in every respect. Jugs found and wines delivered to any part of the city free of charge.

W. B. WRIGHT, 112 Dewey Street, PALESTINE, TEXAS.

THIRTY PEOPLE KILLED

In a Frightful Collision on the Rock Island Road This Morning.—Cars Burn.

Special to the Herald.

Topeka, Kan., Jan. 2.—Rock Island trains Nos. 29 and 30 collided this morning between Holland and Alta Vista. It is reported that thirty people were killed and forty others were injured.

The baggage car, two chair cars and one tourist sleeper of train No. 29 were burned.

Ten bodies have been taken from the smoker of No. 29, nine of them being Mexican laborers, and the other a white man. The baggage car raised the roof of the smoker and crushed the occupants of that car. Most of them were Mexicans.

A relief train is now en route to this city from the scene of the wreck.

Twelve bodies have been taken to Alma, and twelve or fifteen more are expected.

The trains had orders to pass at Holland. Operator John Lynn is reported as saying that he could not throw the switch or flag the train for some reason. It is rumored that Lynn

fled the scene after the wreck, but had been captured by farmers.

Conductor William Gaines of train No. 29 has arrived on a relief train. He has a broken shoulder and a bruised face. He said he was in the smoker, which was occupied by thirty-two Mexicans and an interpreter, Al. Link, when he saw the headlight of the other train coming. He jumped through a window and landed on his head. He does not know what became of the Mexicans.

Later.—The company's present list of injured contains twenty-four names. The list of dead is still given at thirty. Most of the dead, it is said, are Mexicans. The smoker contained thirty-two Mexicans, four cash fares, besides the interpreter accompanying the Mexicans, and the negro train porter.

A man named Al. Link, whose leg was pinned in the wreck, was saved from incineration by the passengers twisting off his leg at the knee. Link is in the hospital here, among the injured.

INQUEST BEGUN TO FIX RESPONSIBILITY

FOR THE BIG SUNDAY WRECK ON
THE BALTIMORE AND OHIO.
WILL BE THOROUGH.

Special to the Herald.

Washington, Jan. 2.—The inquest began today to ascertain the responsibility for the big Sunday wreck on the Baltimore and Ohio road. Operator Phillips testified that he had been on duty twelve hours when the accident happened. He set the signal for the extra train, but says he received no answer. He then notified the next station.

The interstate commerce commission's investigation of the wreck will begin Friday.

DOMESTIC NEWS NOTES.

Gans won the fight with Herman.

Mark Twain entertained some of his friends in a humorous way.

Ten deaths and forty-one injured in the New Year day record in New Orleans and that territory.

About 8500 people called on the president at the White House.

The pure food and several other laws went into effect yesterday.

Governor Charles Hughes took the oath of office in New York.

William R. Hearst was given the opportunity to open his contest for the mayoralty of New York and took advantage of it.

A Federal judge at Memphis has declared the fellow servants act unconstitutional.

No executions occurred at Sing Sing in 1906.

Legislatures in Delaware and Nebraska were opened.

W. C. Anderson, who plead guilty at Kansas City to embezzlement, wants to reopen the case.

A New York woman was dragged from her bed and murdered.

Thomas Harris killed his stepfather in St. Louis because the latter was beating the boy's mother.

A \$100,000 fire ushered in the New Year in New York.

The interstate commission is to investigate safety appliances.

WORK WILL BEGIN EARLY IN APRIL

THAT IS THE LATEST INFORMATION
RELATIVE TO THE PROPOSED
NEW RAILROAD.

From what it considers reliable information, the Herald learns that active work is to begin on the proposed new railroad from Palestine north to the State line, and from Palestine to the gulf.

The survey north from Palestine was completed some months ago, and also the survey south into Houston county. It has been stated before in this paper, and quoted from one interested in the work, that the actual work of construction will be pushed from Palestine north, and then extended from Palestine to the gulf after the road had been completed to the north. The information now is that the work of construction will begin early in April, or as soon as weather conditions are more favorable.

It is certainly to be hoped that this good year 1907 will see this work well under way.

TEN BUILDINGS BURN.

Firemen Unable to Get Within One
Hundred Feet of the Walls.

New York, Jan. 2.—A serious fire broke out on West Fifty-third street this morning, and at 2:15 o'clock ten buildings had been destroyed or were in flames. The fire at that time was gaining rapidly, threatening the entire block. Several engines were deserted, as the firemen could not get within 100 feet of the fire. Tenants within a radius of half a dozen blocks were ordered out to avoid possible danger to their lives.

Eight of the burned buildings were tenement houses and the greatest confusion prevailed while the inmates were escaping.

Hundreds of policemen were called out in an effort to preserve order.

Fireman Shay was fatally injured by a falling wall.

The burning of a drying establishment was accompanied by explosions of chemicals, rendering greater danger to the firemen and helping to spread the flames.

In imminent danger of his life, Policeman Patrick Sully made his way to the top floor of a burning tenement, where he found a mother and six children huddled together and helpless from fear. Unaided and in repeated trips he carried the whole family to the street.

At 2:30 o'clock the fire was spreading, and a hundred horses released from a burning stable and ungovernable from fear were running through the streets.

To add to the confusion, thieves began looting. They were fired upon by the police, but with what effect is not known.

If You Are...

Looking for a Christmas Gift for your Father, Brother or Sweetheart, you can certainly please him here. We have a fine selection of the newest in

Men's Bath Robes, Hunting Coats, Smoking Jackets, House Slippers, Silk Suspenders, Silk Mufflers, Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, Cuff Buttons, Hosiery and Fine Neckwear to select from at lowest prices

W. B. FLANAGAN.

A GIRL ATTEMPTED TO SHOOT THE JUDGE

DISPLEASED WITH A DECISION OF
THE JUDGE IN PARTITION OF AN
ESTATE.

Special to the Herald.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 2.—Apparently incensed over a recent decision in the partition suit of her father's estate, Rosa Well attempted to assassinate Judge McDonald of the circuit court in the court room today. The bullet went wild of the mark, but went close enough to the jurist's head to make him feel thankful he escaped.

The girl was overpowered, and after the excitement incident to the affair the judge resumed court.

The girl exclaimed when arrested: "I ought to have got him."

GOVERNOR DEPOSED

By Bandit Rasulli, Who Took the Officer as His Prisoner.

Special to the Herald.

Paris, Jan. 2.—Rasulli, the bandit who has been the terror of frontier residents of Morocco, recently deposed the governor of the Tangier district by taking him as a prisoner, according to a dispatch.

James McRae President.

Special to the Herald.

Philadelphia, Jan. 2.—James McRae has been elected president of the Pennsylvania railroad, to succeed the late president, Cassatt.

Gans an Easy Winner.

Casino Athletic Club, Tonopah, Nev., Jan. 1.—Joe Gans fought true to the "dope" today. After playing with Herman for eight rounds, the champion landed a full swing on the point of Herman's jaw, and Chicago's favorite fighter went to the mat, a beaten man.

Happiness is but another name for perfect health. Use Prickly Ash Bitters and be happy. It keeps the vital organs healthy and well regulated. Bratton Drug Co., special agents.

ROOMS TOO DAMP FOR THE CHILDREN

IS REASON WHY JOHN SHARP
WILLIAMS WOULD NOT LIKE
THE WHITE HOUSE.

Special to the Herald.

Washington, Jan. 2.—John Sharp Williams, Democratic leader in the lower congress, declares he is not a presidential candidate because the White House atmosphere is too damp for his children.

He says he has no special objection to the presidency so far as he is personally concerned, but thinks the children would catch their death of cold in the damp rooms of the official residence.

PLENTY OF EXCITEMENT.

Bailey and Thomas Will Both Be on
the Ground.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 1.—It is stated in a local paper that Senator Bailey will arrive here tomorrow to remain until after the primaries next Saturday, which will be held to determine whether Travis county representatives shall vote for or against Bailey for the United States senate.

In the meantime things are humming along at anti-Bailey headquarters and club meetings are held daily to promote the cause. In great flaring letters a streamer stretching across the street attracts the attention of all to these words:

"Anti-Bailey Headquarters."

This is in front of the anti-Bailey club rooms.

The arrival of Senator Bailey will stir things up considerably, and since Cullen F. Thomas of Waco will also be on the ground, there will be plenty of excitement. Both Moore and Thomas are anxious to get Senator Bailey in a debate on the issue, but it is not known whether Bailey will accept, since he has refused to meet Thomas from the very start. Thomas is cautious and prepared.

To the Buyers of Furnish- ing Goods for Men.

WE wish to express our appreciation to those who have contributed towards making our business in Palestine so far a success. The patronage given us shows a keen appreciation of our efforts to please, and we are indeed grateful for this evidence of your friendship. Our efforts for the future will be to so conduct our business as to merit not only your patronage, but your warmest friendship as well.

Wishing for every one for the year 1907 the fullest measure of the three great blessings—Health, Happiness and Prosperity—we are very respectfully yours,

DOYLE BROS.
Men's Outfitters.

A Happy New Year to All.

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