

DR. LEE DeFOREST WILL REACH PENSACOLA TO-DAY

WILL INSPECT THE WIRELESS STATION AT THE PENSACOLA NAVY YARD, AND REMAIN FOR SEVERAL DAYS IN THE CITY.

Dr. Lee DeForest, head of the DeForest system of wireless telegraphy, will reach Pensacola this morning at 5 o'clock and will remain here, from all accounts, for two or three days, during which time he will pay a visit to the local navy yard and inspect the new station which has just been installed there.

Dr. DeForest has recently been in New Orleans, where he spent a few days, and it is probable that he will go from here to Key West, where a station is being installed. Dr. DeForest gives his personal attention to every station which is installed, and his system having been adopted by the

and a mast 210 feet in height will be erected. Constructing Engineer Peterson, who is a practical man in the construction and guying of masts, will do the work, under the supervision of Managing Director Tompkins. The apparatus for the long-distance station, as well as for the station on the roof of the Hibernia Bank Building, is all here and ready to be put in place.

"Mr. Tompkins has received authorization from Washington to erect a station at Southwest Pass. This station will be used to transmit marine intelligence to New Orleans and to other stations, and will also be used for sending government messages and for messages of the firm of Christie & Lowe, who are building the Southwest jetties.

"When I leave here Saturday evening I will inspect the work at Pensacola and Key West stations," said Dr. DeForest yesterday afternoon at the St. Charles Hotel. I want to see



DR. LEE DeFOREST.

navy calls for a large amount of travel, as numerous stations are now being equipped with the service, especially on the gulf coast. Speaking of his visit to New Orleans, the Pleyane of yesterday said:

"Dr. Lee DeForest, inventor of the DeForest system of wireless telegraphy and president of the DeForest Wireless Telegraph Company, is making a tour of inspection of the southern stations. While he is here the location of a site for the local high-power long-distance station will be decided upon, and he will leave here this evening for Pensacola and Key West to investigate the work that is being done on the stations there for the navy department. Mr. W. W. Tompkins, managing director, in charge of the DeForest local interests, will leave here Wednesday for Galveston, with Constructing Engineer Peterson to see about the work on the Galveston stations and to erect the mast.

"It has been decided that the local long-distance station will be located on one of the Fredericks properties, on Metairie Ridge. It will be either on the ground of George C. Fredericks, or on that of his father, about a half-mile away. As soon as a site is definitely determined upon the construction of the station will begin, about a long-distance station at both

of these places, and both will connect with the long-distance station at New Orleans.

"We are making arrangements with a large Kansas City grainhouse to send out from Kansas City, as the center, stock and grain quotations, and, after closing of the market, we will handle the racing reports from New Orleans, receiving them from the New Orleans long-distance station."

"Yesterday the firm of Denis, Danziger & Tessier made arrangements with Dr. G. J. Fredericks for the location of the wireless telegraph station immediately in the rear of 'Friedrichsruhe.' Dr. G. J. Fredericks's summer residence, on Metairie Ridge, back of Oakland Driving Park. That is the highest point on the ridge, and Dr. Fredericks has leased enough land for the station to the company. It requires only the place to locate the plant."

A CRUDE STORY BUT TRUE,
BY MR. PITHYPOINT.
Jack — was a highstrung, impulsive fellow; yet, withal, he was impressionable—gentle as a girl, generous as though his means were a gift. There was no new resolution which he would not form upon the impulse of the moment, or under the influence of his surroundings; the little children and other helpless ones of earth appealed to his kindly nature, and his income was spent with his friends with an abandon creating the impression that his source was unlimited.

At seven o'clock in the morning of the eventful day of which this story is a true record, Jack was aroused from his slumbers of the night previous by recollections that a new year had been born while he slept—it was New Year's morning, 1905. As he dressed himself resolutions effective from the moment, for the whole cycle of the new year were formed; self-imposed obligations, to be lived up to with unflinching fidelity were assumed; and in a frame of mind fitting him to meet his enemies and friends alike, with a genuine "Happy New Year," Jack was dressed, had breakfasted and was away to his office in a jiffy.

In spirits in unison with his surroundings, and forgetting all else but his resolutions, his erstwhile enemies were forgotten as illusions of the past, and friend and foe were greeted alike. At his desk, what seemed tasks impossible of accomplishment on yesterday, were but amusing incidents of this new year day. His thirty minutes' lunch period was all too long drawn out, and he was loath to leave the office at four, notwithstanding it was to keep an engagement to "meet the boys at the club," but he remembered that one of his resolutions of the early morning was that he should be as punctilious in the matter of social engagements as in business appointments.

He went to the club. Just as the hidden stars, coquetting with the evening twilight, were peeping from behind the curtain of night, the bruised and bleeding form of poor Jack —, was borne upon an improvised stretcher by four of his comrades to his home on — street. He was a victim of the first serious accident of the new year—the wreck of a water wagon.

COLUMBIA WILL LEAVE TUESDAY

HANDSOME CRUISER, WHICH HAS BEEN HERE FOR SEVERAL WEEKS, GOES TO NEW ORLEANS.

The cruiser Columbia, which has been here for several weeks, will leave Tuesday for New Orleans, where she will go into the floating dry dock there for repairs and examination of any injuries which may have occurred when she went around recently.

The vessel came here with Secretary Taft and party on board, and also carried the party from Pensacola to Panama, where the secretary spent some days on official business. The vessel, since her arrival, has been anchored off the city, and has been an object of much admiration. She is one of the finest vessels of the navy, considering her class, and every man aboard of her is proud of the ship.

A large number of bluejackets were given shore liberty yesterday afternoon, and spent the night in the city.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK DECLARES REGULAR DIVIDEND.

At the meeting of the board of directors of the First National Bank last week, the usual semi-annual dividend of six per cent was declared and an additional \$10,000 of the earnings was carried to the surplus fund. This makes a total of \$70,000 surplus.

SURVEY OF THE DAMAGED BARK

WILL BE MADE MONDAY, WHEN THE BOARD OF UNDERWRITERS WILL MAKE EXAMINATION.

A survey of the damaged bark Cordellera, which reached port Friday morning, will be held to-morrow, when those composing the board will go out and board the vessel and make an examination of the injuries to the craft.

The Cordellera was caught in a hurricane last week when about sixty miles off Havana, and her yard arms and masts were carried away and a leak was sprung.

The vessel is loaded with coal and the board will decide whether or not it is necessary to discharge the cargo to make the repairs that are necessary before she can proceed on the voyage.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Vermillion desire to express their heartfelt thanks for the many acts of kindness by friends and neighbors during the illness and after the death of their infant daughter, Winnie, who passed away on Thursday last. The many floral offerings were greatly appreciated.

Found a Razor.

A. M. Hickman is held in the city jail upon the charge of carrying concealed weapons. He was arrested during the day by Police Officer Humphreys and sent to the police station. Upon being searched a razor was found upon his person, and an additional charge of carrying concealed weapons was placed against him by Turnkey Kramer.

Habits of a given animal can be traced in the variations of the hair curls, which bear very distinct relations to its habits of life.

The stork, for example, which, as Sydney Smith remarked, spends its life, like a young curate distantly related to a bishop, in a state of suspense, has a uniform downward tendency of hair slope. Then the complicated movements of ruminants have resulted in a more complex series of meeting and opposing currents of hair.

In man himself the general practice of combing and tying up the hair has left its uncounted traces. It is not without interest to learn that out of a hundred persons thirteen part their hair on the right side, nine in the middle and seventy-eight on the left. As a consequence the infant, guileless of partings, nevertheless shows indications of these three fashions in corresponding proportions.

Thought Negroes Immortal.

The simple minded natives of Hispaniola imagined that the negroes, who were imported in droves as slaves from western Africa by the companions or immediate followers of Columbus, were immortal. The black man was a novelty to these West Indian islanders, and their belief arose from the fact that the negroes were never seen to suffer from any natural infirmity, such as affected the white man and the islanders themselves. The American climate agreed with them better than their own unhealthy Guinea, and from their remarkable vigor and extraordinary longevity the Indians not unreasonably concluded that they were immortal. For a long time they saw or heard of none who died, except as criminals at the hands of Spanish executioners, and so they believed that the only way to put an end to a negro's life was to hang him.

BAY EXCURSION TO-DAY.

Captain Bennie Edmondson will run cheap excursions to the large cruiser Columbia this (Sunday) afternoon. Fare 25 cents round trip.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

ACCOMMODATION for a few boarders. Apply 217 East Government St.

GRAND CLEANING-UP SALE! BEFORE STOCK TAKING, ON Shoes, Clothing, Gents' Furnishings and Hats.

ON LOOKING OVER AND STRAIGHTENING UP OUR STOCK AFTER THE GREAT XMAS RUSH, WE FIND MANY BROKEN LOTS IN OUR VARIOUS LINES AND IN ORDER TO MOVE THEM OFFER THEM AT THE FOLLOWING LOW PRICES:

SHOES.
50 pairs MEN'S SATIN CALF SOLID LEATHER SHOES, in plain and cap toe, at 95 cents, worth regular \$1.25.
75 pairs MEN'S GENUINE VICI KID and BOX CALF SHOES, in nobby styles, worth \$1.75 to \$2.00, this sale \$1.39.
65 pairs MEN'S FINE VICI KID and BOX CALF and PATENT LEATHER SHOES, in new and up-to-date styles, worth \$2.50, this sale \$1.95.
One lot of MEN'S FINE SHOES, in genuine Corona Colt, Patent Vic, Vic Kid, Velour and Box Calfs, worth \$3.50, this sale \$2.75.
97 pairs of YOUTHS' GOOD SOLID LEATHER SHOES, size 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, at 95 cents.
67 pairs GENUINE VICI KID SHOES, size 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, at \$1.29.

One lot ODDS AND ENDS, all sizes, from 8 Boys' to 5 1/2 Youths', worth from \$1.50 to \$2.00, this sale \$1.19.
One lot QUEEN QUALITY OXFORDS, \$2.50 and \$3.00 qualities, this sale \$1.75.
One lot QUEEN QUALITY HIGH SHOES, in lace and button, \$3.00 and \$3.50 values, this sale \$1.99.
59 pairs of LADIES' GENUINE DONGOLA SHOES, in lace and button, neat, dressy styles, \$1.25 shoe for 95 cents.
35 pairs LADIES' COLONIAL VELVET HOUSE SLIPPERS, with buckle and fur trimmed, this sale \$1.39.
One lot of Baby Shoes at 39 cents.
One lot of Baby Shoes at 59 cents, worth regular 75 cents.
45 pairs CHILDREN'S SHOES, in lace and button, size 5 to 8, spring heel, worth 75 cents, this sale 59 cents.
One lot of CHILDREN'S SHOES,

size 3 1/2 to 11, in lace and button, good, durable shoes, worth \$1.00, this sale 75 cents.
79 pairs MISSES' FINE BUTTON and LACE SHOES, in Patent and stock tip, worth \$1.50 and \$1.75, this sale \$1.29.
CLOTHING.
One lot BOYS' SUITS, worth \$1.50 to \$3.00, at \$1.29.
One lot BOYS' PANTS, 19 cents.
375 pairs BOYS' FINE CASSIMERE and WORSTED PANTS, worth 75 cents and \$1.00, this sale 69 cents.
159 pairs MEN'S GOOD HEAVY COTTONADE PANTS, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50, this sale 99 cents.
One lot of MEN'S GOOD CASSIMERE SUITS at \$4.95, worth \$7.00 and \$8.00.
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UNDERWEAR AND FURNISHINGS.
50 dozen FINE JERSEY RIBBED SHIRTS and DRAWERS, a \$1.00 value, this sale 69 cents. See show window.
One lot BOYS' JERSEY RIBBED, FLEECE LINED SHIRTS and DRAWERS, a 25 cents value, this sale 19 cents each.
One lot of MEN'S FINE ALL-WOOL JERSEY RIBBED SHIRTS and DRAWERS, broken sizes, worth \$3.50 per suit, this sale \$2.85 per suit.
One lot FINE SILK SUSPENDERS, worth \$1.00 and \$1.50, this sale 89 cents.
One lot of MEN'S FINE ALL-WOOL BICYCLE or GOLF STOCKINGS, worth \$1.25 per pair, this sale 69 cents.
One lot of MEN'S FINE SILK-FINISHED HALF HOSE, in beautiful designs, worth 75 cents, this sale 49 cents.

If you should happen to need any article mentioned in this advertisement, it will pay you to see us.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK IN THE REALTY MARKET

(Weekly report of the Realty Market as furnished The Journal by The Pensacola Investment Company.)
John C. and A. M. Avery to R. B. Simpson—115 feet of Arpent lot 55, Old City, N. of S. 19 feet, 3 inches—\$16,000.
Same to Same—1 Oct 9 inches of Arpent lot 55, N. of S. 134 feet 3 inches—\$100 and other considerations.
W. M. Carney to F. O. Bryars—E 1/4 of N 1/4, Sec. 2, Tp. 1 N, R. 33 west, and 1/2 of S. 25, Tp. 6 N, R. 33 west—\$160.
R. M. Avery to John C. and A. M. Avery—All interest in Arpent lot 55, Old City—\$100.
Chas. Fleming to Fleming Tynes—Part of N 1/4, Sec. 36, Tp. 2 N, R. 31 west—\$500.
F. Herrmann to Geo. Kirkpatrick—Lots 39, 50, 51 and 87, Herrmann subdivision; lots 2 to 6, Sec. 5, Tp. 2 S, R. 30 west—\$130.
James C. Watson to Louis Wislogel—Lots 15 and 16, block 138, East King tract—\$500.
W. L. Bell to Same—Lot 8, block 25, East King tract—\$500.
P. K. Yonge to J. J. Hooton—Lots 1 to 10 and 16 to 20, block 259, New City—\$356.25.
P. K. Yonge, trustee and attorney, to Same—S 1/2 block 215, New City tract—\$237.50.
Leslie E. Brooks to J. W. Bullard, Jr.—N 106 feet lots 1 to 4, except N 80 feet of E 1/2 lot 4, block 44, New City; S. 70 feet lot 5, block 44, New City—\$100 and other considerations.
J. W. Bullard, Jr., to Patillo Campbell and S. Pasco, Jr.—Same as above—\$100 and other considerations.
Hattie E. Gurkey to C. E. Merritt—East 50 feet of South 100 feet of Arpent lot 71, Old City—\$80.
Mrs. A. C. Clarke, by executors, to Albertine E. Ingham—Lots 3 to 6, block 78, New City—\$450.
W. C. G. Hobbs and A. M. Baker to Southern States Lumber Company—W 1/2 of S 1/4, Sec. 25, Tp. 1 S, R. 31 west—released from contract.
Muscoque Lumber Company to Same—All timber lands, mill and other property owned by grantors in Escambia county, Florida, May 17, 1889, \$1.00 and premises.
David Gilchrist to Wm. Hardy—Lot 1 in Century—\$400.
Henry Hyer to J. W. Hyer, Tr.—25 acres in lots 6 to 11, Sec. 25, Tp. 5 N, R. 31 west—\$100 and other considerations.
J. W. Linton to Henri Hyer—Same as above—\$100 and other considerations.
T. C. Watson to Wm. M. E. Myers—Lots 6 and 7, block 19, East King tract, Belmont numbering—\$50.
A. A. Fisher to J. E. Alexander—Lot 23, block 104, East King tract—\$75.
Mrs. J. L. Thomas to M. L. Autrey—W 1/2 lots 24 and 25, block 16, Belmont tract—\$450.
M. L. Autrey, by attorney, to W. A. Kinnear—Same as above—\$450.
W. A. Kinnear to D. Hale Wilson—Same as above—\$450.
Louis Boley to H. J. Glover—S 1/4 lot 2, and W 1/2 lot 5, Sec. 4, Tp. 5 N, R. 30 west—\$300.
Geo. P. Wentworth to E. T. Davis—50 feet by 340 feet Sec. 18, Tp. 2 S,

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