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PERSONAL.

Miss Willie McMahon is very ill.
 Mr. C. F. Rodgers of Houston is in the city.

Mr. Dell Hatch of Lorena was in the city today.

Mr. T. B. Lynch, of the Cotton Belt, is in the city.

Mr. J. B. Reed, claim agent of the Katy, is in the city.

Mr. W. H. Cogswell, of Dallas, traveling passenger and freight agent of the Santa Fe, is at the Royal.

Misses Klara and Ragna Olsen of San Antonio are guests of Miss Cora B. Canuteson on North Fifth street.

Mr. George L. Sands, general superintendent of the San Antonio and Arkansas Aass railway, is registered at the Royal.

Mr. J. R. Jennings, of Grants Pass Oregon, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. C. Birkhead. He will be here about a week.

Mr. W. L. Gatlin and Misses Bessie and Zetta Gathin and Minnie Stefens of Abilene have apartments at the New McClelland.

Mr. A. R. Howard, cashier of the International and Great Northern, at Palestine is in the city. He is accompanied by Mrs. Howard.

Mr. W. B. Fakes left for Ross and other places today on one of his "shot-gun" speaking tours, and is accompanied by Shell Hogan, Esq.

Mr. T. E. Swann, chief clerk of the passenger department of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway, is in the city to attend the meeting of rate clerks.

Mr. J. W. Davis and Mr. Waller S. Baker will discuss the relative merits of Judge Clark and Gov. Hogg Saturday night at Bosqueville the former representing Judge Clark and the latter Gov. Hogg.

Hair-Dressing.

I have secured the services of Miss Gertie Davis of New York City, ladies' artistic hair dresser. Bangs cut and curled and hair dressed in the latest styles. Children's hair cut, shampooing, hair dried in ten minutes with dryer. Hair made to order, wigs, bangs, braids, etc.

MRS. B. J. DOSS,
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What I Know About Hardware and Trifles.

The falling of an apple in presence of an observing mind led to the discovery of the laws of gravitation. A spark fell accidentally into a mortar where some articles were being mixed, the result was a horrified druggist and the invention of gunpowder, without which ignorance and barbarism would still rule the world and Indians and wild beasts could be subdued only with the greatest difficulty, if at all. A boiling tea kettle with steam agitating the lid and escaping at the mouth led to the discovery of steam power with its incalculable consequences. The point I wish to make is that seemingly small matters may lead to most unexpected results. The sweeping out of nails, the wasting of a piece of twine or wrapping paper are unimportant trifles, but the principle upon which they are based may cause failure and ruin. I have now in stock 60 gross Mason's fruit jars, 800 bundles haybaling ties, 50 tons barbed and smooth wire, 10 tons staples, 1000 kegs cut nails, 500 kegs wire nails, (the latter I retail at 5c a lb.) 300 bundles sheet iron, 10,000 feet oak, ash and hickory lumber, 200 cases lamp chimneys and a full line of all other kinds of hardware, at bottom prices. Yours for hardware.

ED. STRAUSS,
 Corner Fourth and Mary Streets.

A petition has been circulated at Silled, La., asking all alien working people to leave town. Some negroes left. White foreigners have armed themselves and propose to protect their homes.

An engine boiler at Shamokin, Pa. exploded, killing C. C. Campbell and Frank Brockie and injuring George Benton and two others.

National executive board of state labor commissioners is in session at Chicago. The annual convention will be held at Denver, May 24 and 25.

Jerry Simpson says the Farmers' Alliance will carry eight and possibly nine states this year.

Hill is almost certain to be asked embarrassing questions about silver coinage on his southern trip.

The exorbitant bill of the undertakers who had charge of Representative Houk's funeral will be cut down.

Burglars at Chicago looted Chief Pinkerton's house.

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A CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

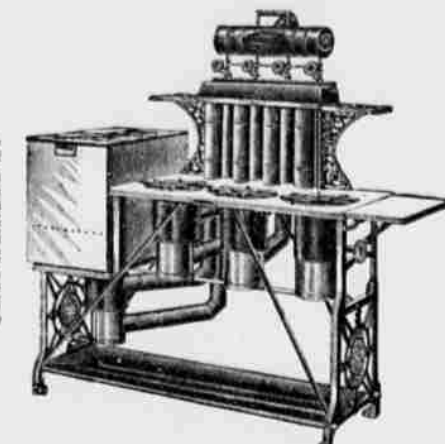
While it is true I have been chosen the President of the Louisiana State Lottery Company, vice M. A. DAUPHIN, deceased, I still retain the Presidency of the Gulf Coast Ice and Manufacturing Company, so all proposals for supplies, machinery, etc., as well as all other business communications should be addressed to me here as heretofore

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A Modern Athenian's Dilemma.

"Did I ever tell you," said Thalia to a reporter, "my awful experience the only time I was ever honored by a call from the elder Salvini? My sister had been shown many kindnesses by him while in Italy, and had begged him to call on us when he came to America. It was the maid's afternoon out. I was alone in the flat with Jack, my irrepressible ten-year-old nephew. An accursed impulse whispered to me that a hot bath was a good remedy for headache.

"I was in my bath wrap, my dripping hair hanging about me, when the bell rang. Oh, horror! The name on the card which Jack poked under the door was Tomaso Salvini! I knew he scarcely understood a word of English. 'Jack,' I gasped, 'say after me till you get it, "Madame D. est sortie," and then go in and fire it off at him. He'll know what it is if you don't. He'll go away.' So said, so done. The little scamp caught the words quickly and repeated them glibly.

"Fancy my anguish when Signor Salvini began to question, to regret, to deprecate in a flood of swift French, Jack gazing in uncomprehended terror, I on the verge of ecstasy behind the bathroom door. Jack bore it as long as he could, and then his sky piercing accents rose upon the air. 'I don't know what you're driving at!' wailed he. 'All I know is that she told me to say she was sortie, and I've said it! Don't ask me the rest. I collapsed in the bathtub and tore my hair and wept.'—Boston Commonwealth.

Air Strata Over Cities.

The popular idea that the higher one gets in the city air the purer the atmosphere becomes, has been disproved by evidence given before a select committee on house of commons ventilation in London. It is found that the air of cities like London, where soft coal is burned, is purest at thirty or forty feet from the ground. Lower than that the dust is encountered and higher the smoke from the chimneys.

These conclusions were arrived at from experiments with frames of wood covered with blanketing material put at different elevations—one on top of the clock tower at Westminster, another on the highest point of the roof and others at various heights down to the courtyard. After five hours' exposure there were found to be more smuts at high elevations than at low, but on the level of the courtyard there were considerable quantities of dust.

The inference from these experiments is that the common notion that the highest stories of the tallest blocks of flats are desirable for their salubrity is apt to be a mistaken one, and that beyond forty feet nothing is gained by going higher unless a very great height—some say 400 or 500 feet—is reached.

AN ORDINANCE.

An Ordinance to Amend Article 584 of the Digest of City Ordinances of the City of Waco.

Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Waco:

Section 1. That article 584 of the Digest of the city ordinances of the city of Waco shall be so amended as to read as follows: Whoever in this city shall on Sunday sell, offer for sale, give away, or in any other manner dispose of any spirituous, vinous, or other intoxicating liquors, or shall keep open the doors of any barroom, saloon, or other house or place where any such liquors are kept or sold, or shall play at any game of billiards, pool, bagatelle, jenny lind, pigeon hole, base ball or any other game of chance, at which anything of value is lost or won, or shall be engaged in running any horse race, or shall engage in match shooting, or shall discharge any fire arms at or in any gun shop or shooting gallery, or shall on Sunday march in any procession, or otherwise, with music, through the streets or other public places, or shall play on any musical instrument in any public place so as to disturb the peace and quiet of others, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not less than twenty nor more than fifty dollars; provided, that so much of this article as refers to processions and music shall not apply to funeral processions nor to cases where the mayor shall have given written permission.

Sec. 2. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Passed October 15, 1891.

Note—The foregoing ordinance, not having been signed by the mayor nor returned to the council with his objections thereto within three days after its passage, thereupon became a law without his signature.

JONEY JONES,
 City Secretary.

The Behr.

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