



The Red Menace

A dull glow in the sky. Midst a trail of smoke and sparks fire-fighters clang through the streets. Perhaps you grab your hat and dash madly to the scene. Long before you arrive—long before the hungry flames have licked their way skyward—the trouble crew of the electric company are on the job. They arrive, unobserved—unheralded—close behind the fire apparatus. Broken, twisted or crossed electric wires may carry darkness and trouble to every corner of your community. So poles near the fire are guarded and wires are watched and repaired. The result of this close attention is uninterrupted service. The electric company knows no rest—every day is now—this hour—this minute. Fire or flood—summer and winter, we must "carry on." We are proud to so serve you.



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Uninterrupted Service

NORTH PLATTE LIGHT & POWER CO.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

L. L. Baskins transacted legal business in Ogallala Thursday.
Miss Vera Meyers accepted a position at the W. J. O'Connor store.
Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Martin of Hershey were city visitors Wednesday.
Complete line of rompers at Wilcox Department Store.
Ed Mellman of Gothenburg visited friends in North Platte Thursday.
George N. Gibbs spent yesterday in Sutherland transacting legal business.
Dixon Optical Co., tests eyes.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Kanno of Keystone visited friends in the city Wednesday.
Clyde Northey of Brady died Wednesday at the Platte Valley hospital. He was taken to Brady yesterday where the funeral was held in the afternoon.

John Nelson spent Thursday in Sterling looking after business interests there.
Mrs. M. K. Neville entertained the Indian Card club at her home Wednesday afternoon.
Charles Bogue left last evening for Chicago where he will spend a week transacting business.
C. K. Morey left Wednesday for Lincoln where he will spend a few days transacting business.
Mrs. H. E. Jacobs of Denver is in North Platte visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stuart.
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McLean of Hershey spent Wednesday in North Platte visiting friends.
Diamonds—A new stock just received, \$50.00 to \$225.00. Real bargains Clinton & Son.
Mrs. Floyd Danielson of Sutherland arrived Wednesday and is visiting her sister Mrs. Geo. Sizemore.
M. E. Crosby returned last evening from Tryon where he spent several days transacting business.
Mrs. Frank Barnell left yesterday morning for Omaha where she will visit friends for a few days.
Mrs. C. R. Morey left Wednesday for Stapleton where she will spend several days visiting friends.
Lyle Shelver returned yesterday morning from Omaha where he spent several days visiting friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Francis Barnell left Wednesday for Cheyenne where they will make their future home.
J. J. WILSON—DENTIST
OPPOSITE McCABE HOTEL, OVER STAMP'S BAKERY, PHONE 71.
Dr. Marie Ames left this morning for Sidney to spend the day with her niece, who attends school there.
Plant a tree on Arbor day, April, 22. All kinds of trees at the North Platte Floral Co. 12th and Curtis.
T. C. Patterson returned today from Rochester, Minn., where he spent a week at the Mayo Brothers hospital.
Fred Miller of this city and Miss Frieda Holling of Grand Island were issued a marriage license last Tuesday.
You can let the children read The Tribune. They will not find anything in it that will be offensive.
Miss Mable Daly arrived home Thursday evening from Grand Island to spend the week end with her parents.
Miss Helen Schwaiger returned Thursday evening from Hastings where she visited friends for a few days.
Miss Edith Rathman arrived the first of the week from Grand Island to visit at the H. J. Rathman home here.
Wall paper at 10c a roll and up. Painting and paper-hanging. H. H. Landgraf, Ritner building, phone 570W.

CHATS WITH YOUR GAS MAN

Home again, dusty with travel, tired, hungry. "Something to eat—quick," and you turn to the kitchen range. A match, a twist of the wrist, and there it is, the same old reliable and efficient gas!

Yes, and it has been there waiting in the pipes for you all the time you were away, ready to respond instantly to your whim or necessity.

Readiness to serve;

Tomorrow you will call upon us again for service, but you will give us no warning from hour to hour just what your requirements will be. Yet, the gas will be there, plenty of it at all times, ready to be used in large or small quantities as you see fit.

Again, readiness to serve!

To us it means having gas on tap, 24 hours a day, 365 1/4 days a year, whether you use it or not.

Have you ever thought of it in this way?

North Platte Light & Power Co.

AT REST ON BARREN ISLAND

Land Where Sir Ernest Shackleton Sleeps Was Discovered by the Famous Captain Cook.

South Georgia island, where Sir Ernest Shackleton will sleep on the fringe of the wild and frozen solitudes against which he opposed the might of a hero's will, is in about the same latitude as Cape Horn, which lies 1,200 miles westward of it.

When Captain Cook was making one of his historic voyages around the world in the Eighteenth century he happened on South Georgia island, it is recorded. At first he thought it might be the "terra incognita Australis" he was in search of, so he went ashore and as he recorded in his diary, "took possession of the country" in his majesty's name, under a discharge of small arms.

When the great circumnavigator examined his discovery a little more closely and found it to be a mere bunch of icy mountains, he concluded that it was "not worth the discovery." Nevertheless he "called this land the Isle of Georgia in honor of his majesty." His majesty, by the way, was none other than George III.

A hundred years later the seafaring men of New England came to the conclusion that South Georgia island was not as worthless as Captain Cook had supposed. It was a great place for fur seals. They slaughtered more than 1,000,000, virtually exterminating them in that part of the Antarctic. Then came a harvest of "elephant oil," extracted from the blubber of the sea elephant, the giant of the seal family.

HOUSEHOLD WORDS NOT OLD

In Everyday Use Today, but Really Have Not Long Been Incorporated in the Language.

Most persons probably think that the word "starvation" is as old as the language; but it isn't. It was first used in 1775 in a speech made in parliament by Henry Dundas, who in consequence became widely known as "Starvation Dundas."

"Intensify" and "outsider" are two words less than a hundred years old. The English poet, Coleridge, deliberately coined the former word because there was no other in existence to express the particular shade of meaning which he wished to convey; and "outsider" came into being in 1844, during the convention that nominated James K. Polk for President. The delegates were subjected to uncomfortable pressure by the throng of spectators gathered without the hall, and some one happily described it as a pressure from the "outsiders." The term was taken up by the reporters and at once became popular.

Other words unknown until the middle of the Seventeenth century include such now familiar ones as "sculptor," "umbrella," "opera," "suicide" and "peninsula," while Bentley in the Eighteenth century had actually to defend himself for using such strange terms as "timid," "concede," "repudiate," "idiot" and "vernacular," and George Campbell in 1776 hesitated to use such queer new words as "originate," "sentimental" and "criminality."

Napoleon Relic Stolen.
The sofa on which Napoleon I rested on the day before the Battle of Jena has been stolen from the Grundenbaum Inn by Germans. This is not the first time that relics of the great captain tempted the cupid of "collectors." In 1864, the saber presented by the city of Paris to Napoleon on the occasion of the birth of the king of Rome was stolen from the castle of Stolzenfelds. This saber had been found, it is said, by the Prussians in the Imperial coach after the Battle of Waterloo. The hilt and scabbard were of solid gold, encrusted with precious stones. At the same time the robbers made away with Prince Murat's saber, which was also very valuable, and several other souvenirs, including Blucher's sword.—From Le Petit Parisien. (Translated for the Kansas City Star.)



SHIRTS

THERE are very few shirt makers who have been making shirts for as many years and as good shirts as the Arrow manufacturers. The long experience, the patient study of patterns and materials and the slow but steady up-building of a corps of trained hands is behind the excellence that is hallmarked by an Arrow Shirt label.

JOHN B. EDWARDS Co.

ATTENTION YOEMEN

Do you want to take the Rhadamanthus Degree? Phone W. J. Tiley about it. This week is your last chance. Regular initiation and social April 25th. Rhadamanthus banquet and ball, April 26th.

Several carloads of Yoemen will attend a hard times party at Sutherland on Thursday of this week.
Dixon Optical Co., eye service.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate No. 1875 of William Graves, deceased, in the County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.
The State of Nebraska, ss.: Creditors of said estate will take notice that the time limited for presentation and filing of claims against said Estate is August 19, 1922, and for settlement of said Estate is April 14, 1923; that I will sit at the county court room in said County on May 19, 1922, at 10 o'clock a. m., and on August 19, 1922 at 10 o'clock a. m., to receive, examine, hear, allow, or adjust all claims and objections duly filed. Dated April 14, 1922.
WM. H. C. WOODHURST,
County Judge.



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THOMAS MEIGHAN
in
'The City of Silent Men'
A Paramount Picture

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