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Two Farms of 800 acres each, one of 110 acres and two of 400 acres each in Southampton township, Somerset county, Pa. Also 1000 acres of land underlain by three seams of coal from 4 to 5 feet thick. For further particulars call on or address John R. Fair, West Salisbury, Pa.

ALL THE NEW STYLES in Men's and Boys' Clothing for Spring have just arrived at Barchus & Livengood's.

TEACHERS WANTED.

The Elk Lick Township School Board will meet in the Roynton School House, Friday, July 22, 1904, for the purpose of employing twenty teachers for the ensuing term. The scale of wages is as follows:

- Permanent Certificates, College Graduates and State Normal Diplomas, \$45 per month.
- Professional Certificates, \$43 per month.
- Provisional Certificates of 12 to 14, \$40 per month.
- Provisional Certificates of 14 to 16, \$38 per month. Same from 16 to 18, \$36 per month. Same from 18 to 20, \$35 per month.
- Inexperienced Teachers, \$35 per month.

The contract for fuel will be let in the forenoon and teachers employed in the afternoon. All applications should be in hands of Secretary on the above date.
WILLIAM ENGLE, Sec.,
7-21 Elk Lick, Pa.

BARCHUS & LIVENGOOD are prepared to take orders for Carpet. Don't fail to see their large line and get prices before buying your Carpet.

STRAYED, June 9th, 1904, from my premises in Salisbury, Pa., a dark red yearling Heifer. Whoever returns same to me will be suitably rewarded.
E. H. LAMBERT.

DEMOCRACY'S ONLY CHANCE.

New York World (Dem.). There should be no misconception in the minds of Democrats as to the strength of the ticket nominated at Chicago yesterday.

President Roosevelt is greatly admired by the young, progressive, and aggressive elements of his party. They like his daring, his dash, his contempt for precedents, his masterful way of bending the party bosses to his will, his defiance and subsequent placating of the Wall street magnates. His nomination represents the will of the Republican voters, however distasteful it may be to many of the old "war horses" and government mules of the party.

Senator Fairbanks is the precise opposite of Mr. Roosevelt in character and temperament. Cool, cautious, slow, conservative, he furnishes an admirable foil for the impetuous head of the ticket. And he lives in a State whose electoral votes may be essential to the success of the Democratic candidates.

The organization of the Republican party for effective campaign work must be accepted as most efficient. Though Hanna and Quay are gone, the party in power is strong in experienced and skillful politicians. Perhaps the ablest of them all sits in the White House and will direct the campaign through his trusted lieutenant, Cortelyou, who is a master of detail. There will be no lack of money. The whole body of officeholders will be auxiliaries in the campaign, each one anxious to retain his place. Taken as a whole the country is still fairly prosperous, and the appeal to "let well enough alone" will not be without force.

The defeat of President Roosevelt is not impossible, but it is fraught with so many difficulties that the only chance of the Democrats to accomplish it lies in the nomination of his complete antithesis for President, in the adoption of a platform sound in every plank, in the emphatic repudiation of all boodlers and self-seekers, and the final severing of the fatal alliance with Populists and Socialists.

MEN WHO HAVE MADE THEIR MARK.

An Appropriate and Effective Booklet on the Savings Habit.

The above is the title of a very interesting booklet just issued by the Pittsburgh Bank for Savings, of Pittsburgh, Pa. The booklet is one of the best ever published for the purpose. It contains a brief but surprisingly complete biography of great American statesmen and kings of finance. It is admirably illustrated with half-tone portraits of characteristic scenes illustrating striking episodes in the lives of various characters among whom are Benjamin Franklin, Abraham Lincoln, Andrew Carnegie, Stephen Girard, John Wanamaker, James A. Garfield, John D. Rockefeller and others. Following each biography is an apt quotation appropriate to the matter preceding. Typographically it is one of the handsomest little booklets we have seen for some time, and it will repay our readers to send for a copy of the same, which will be furnished free of charge by the Pittsburgh Bank for Savings, provided you mention this paper, but not otherwise.

FLOODS OF 1903.

The year 1903 had perhaps more than its fair share of natural calamity—of flood, and fire, and famine. In the United States, during May and June there were three notable floods, which caused serious loss of life and great destruction of property—one in Oregon, one in South Carolina, and one in Kansas. A recent publication of the United States Geological Survey, scheduled as Water Supply and Irrigation Paper No. 96, contains a discussion of the various phenomena connected with these floods and suggests means for minimizing the destructiveness of future deluges. The author of the paper is Mr. E. C. Murphy.

The flood of shortest duration occurred on Willow Creek, Morrow county, Oregon, Sunday evening, June 14, 1903. It was the result of what is popularly called a cloud-burst, a heavy rain storm of short duration covering a very small area and peculiar to arid regions. The flood that rose as the result of the heavy downpour of rain lasted less than an hour, but in that short space of time one section of Heppner, a town with a population of about 1400, was swept entirely away, a quarter-million dollars worth of property was destroyed, and more than 200 people were drowned. The great loss of life was partly due to the peculiar construction of the houses in Heppner. Nearly all these houses were built on posts of wood or stone, from which the flood lifted them and carried them away to be dashed to pieces against trees and other obstructions.

The South Carolina flood occurred on June 6, 1903, and continued for nearly 24 hours. In that time there was a rainfall of from 3 1/2 to 5 inches over an area of about 2500 square miles on the southern slope of the Blue Ridge-Saluda Mountains, including parts of Cherokee, Spartanburg, and Pickens counties in South Carolina, and Rutherford, Polk, and Henderson counties in North Carolina. This area is drained by three small tributaries of Broad River, known as the Pacolet, Tiger, and Enoree. The principal damage wrought by the flood was on the Pacolet, where numerous cotton mills were ruined and much railway property was destroyed.

The Kansas flood occurred during the last week of May and the first week of June. It affected a much larger area than either the Heppner or South Carolina flood and was due to a storm that lasted nearly a week.

The United States Geological Survey has fortunately six gaging stations in the watershed of the Kansas River, and has, therefore, a comprehensive record of the surface fluctuations of the river and its principal tributaries during the flood. The records at Lawrence and Leocompton, on the Kansas River, cover a period of 22 years. The estimated flow of the Kansas River on May 31 was 225,400 cubic feet per second. In other words, if there had been a storage reservoir one acre in area and 7 1/2 feet in depth on each section of the whole drainage area of the Kansas River, the water flowing in the river on May 31 was sufficient to have more than filled all of them.

The whole river bottom was flooded, crops were destroyed, stock was drowned, wooden buildings were lifted from their foundations and brick houses crumbled and fell, railroads were undermined, and bridges were swept away. Traffic in eastern Kansas was almost entirely suspended for two weeks. The property loss in Kansas and in Kansas City, Missouri, is estimated to have been no less than \$22,600,000.

Among the subjects considered in this paper are the effects of ground storage, of cultivation, and of forests in reducing the magnitude of floods. The effect on streams of dams, of bridge piers, and abutments is discussed; also the danger of building out into streams, thus narrowing the waterway and increasing the magnitude of floods. The relief afforded by straightening the channel is mentioned and the use of levees is explained.

HOW TO MAKE MONEY.

Agents of either sex should to-day write Marsh Manufacturing Co., 538 Lake Street, Chicago, for cuts and particulars of their handsome *Aluminum Card Case* with your name engraved on it and filled with 100 Calling or Business Cards. Everybody orders them. Sample Case and 100 Cards, postpaid, 50c. This Case and 100 Cards retail at 75 cents. You have only to show sample to secure an order. Send 50c at once for case and 100 cards, or send 30c for 100 cards without case. \$10 prize for every agent.
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It has cured many cases of Bright's Disease and Diabetes that had been thought incurable, however we do not claim that it will cure these diseases in advanced stages as no medicine can make new kidneys for you, but

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE

will positively cure every case of kidney and bladder trouble if taken in time, and even in the worst cases of Bright's Disease and Diabetes it always gives comfort and relief.

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W. L. Yancy, of Paducah, Ky., writes: "I had a severe case of kidney disease and three of the best physicians in southern Kentucky treated me without success. I then took FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE. The first bottle gave immediate relief and three bottles cured me permanently. I gladly recommend this wonderful remedy."

Suffered Twenty-Five Years
Seymour Webb, of Moira, N. Y., writes: "I had been troubled with my kidneys for twenty-five years and had tried several physicians but received no relief until I bought a bottle of FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE. After using two bottles I was absolutely cured. I earnestly recommend FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE."

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