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Elevated Observatories

Modern astronomy, which is achieving such startling results, is aided by a variety of wonderful new and improved instruments by accumulations of photographic and other records for comparison with new observations, and in no small

degree by work in the clear air of elevated stations. The new 26-inch refractor for the Union Observatory of Johannesburg, to be located at an altitude of 5,925 feet in south latitude 26 deg. 1', will complete a half-dozen astronomical observatories at heights of more than a mile above sea-level. The others are the Arequipa Observatory of Harvard College, with an

elevation of 8,041 feet. Kodakanal, Camaguey, 7,688 feet; Tacubaya, Mexico, 7,619 feet; Flagstaff, Arizona, 7,280 feet; and Mount Wilson, Cal., 5,900 feet. The Hooker telescope 150 inches in diameter, is located at Mt. Wilson. The Lick Observatory with its 36-inch refractor, is 4,342 feet above sea-level on the summit of Mount Hamilton, Cal.

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Gaspesia is Last Ship for Quebec

The last steamer to enter port from down the river and the last one to leave here for Quebec entered the local harbor at 6 p.m. last evening. She is the well-known river steamer Gaspesia of the Clarke Steamship Co. Captain William Tremblay of the Gaspesia reported that he had no trouble whatever in navigating between Quebec and Montreal beyond the fact that he had to proceed by daylight, using the winter spar buoys which gave him all the aid necessary. The ship anchored overnight just above Port Neuf taking twenty-four hours to make the trip.

To-morrow morning the Gaspesia leaves this port at daybreak for points on the Gaspe coast with a general cargo in which flour bulks quite largely. Although the last boat of the year to proceed downstream, the Gaspesia will not have the harrowing experience of the John S. Thom, a river steamer which got nipped last season at the same period in the ice near Sorel. The John S. Thom had a cargo of coal and had to spend the winter in mid-stream, only being released with the greatest difficulty when the breakup took place. Capt. Hayes of Dale & Co. was the hero of this exploit.

Close Gulf Shipping.

It was further announced to-day that the mail service to the north shore of the lower Gulf has just been discontinued as far as water transport is concerned. The steamers North Shore and Labrador reached Quebec on Tuesday and Monday, respectively, and will winter there.

A look-out was being kept in the local harbor for one small vessel which was expected to be the last to reach here from the Great Lakes, namely the Vigilant. This ship was reported to be leaving Midland for Montreal and would have to pass the narrows at Detroit where all the gas buoys have been picked up. Word received to-day from the Harbor Master at Midland cancelled this arrangement and the Vigilant will spend the winter at Windsor instead.

As far as is known, the river steamer Wisteria which was expected to follow the Gaspesia from Quebec is not coming.—Montreal Star, Dec. 5.

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Industrial Gas From Sewage

In the attempt in the Ruhr coal district to utilize the methane, or marsh gas, given off by decaying sewage, a nearly horizontal roof has been built by three feet below water-level in the collecting tank, and over an opening in this of about two by three feet a funnel-shaped gas hood has been placed, with its edge just below the water surface. With this new construction, it is estimated that a city of 100,000 inhabitants will get 11,000,000 cubic feet of combustible gas annually from its sewage. Being free from hydrogen, the gas is said to be especially suitable for welding and cutting, and in the Ruhr seems to find a ready sale.



Work of a Magnet

The value of the lifting magnet is shown by the experience of a Cleveland dealer in metal scrap, whose 45-inch magnet mounted on a locomotive crane handles his 800 tons daily with 7 laborers in place of the former 20, reducing his daily expenses from \$64 to \$24.

Paint to Save Gasoline

The evaporation of oil from storage tanks in the tests of the U.S. Bureau of Mines, was 1 to 1 1/2 per cent less when the tanks were painted white than when painted red and 2 1/2 p. c. less than when painted black. The loss was lowest with the plate and aluminum paint, but as neither is durable for outside work, the search for a satisfactory oil-saving paint continues.

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Greatest Wall Street Forgery in Years

CERTIFICATES FOR 25,000 SHARES STOLEN, FORGED AND SOLD.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—(Associated Press).—A stock book containing 25,000 shares of Ajax Rubber Company stock, with a total face value of about \$175,000, has been stolen from the company's offices on West 57th street and the shares sold through Wall Street brokers after the names of registrar and transfer again were forged, the New York Evening Telegram said it had learned to-day.

Describing what it termed "one of the boldest thefts, involving one of the greatest forgeries perpetrated in connection with stock market operations in Wall Street in years," the newspaper said the theft apparently had been arranged with the connivance of some one familiar with the company's office.

Pharaoh to Sleep in His Luxor Tomb

Mummy of Tutankhamen to be Left in Its Sarcophagus.

Luxor, Egypt, Dec. 6.—(Associated Press).—The work of removing the partition wall between the ante-room and the sepulchral chamber in the tomb of Tutankhamen was completed yesterday. White-clad native laborers carried out several dozen baskets full of stones, plaster and dust.

Howard Carter, head of the expedition, will to-day take down the great canopy erected to protect the great sarcophagus, after which he will be free to set about the important task of thoroughly investigating the outer walls of the shrine to see how it is fitted together before attempting to remove it.

The fact that the sepulchral chamber was hollowed out of the rock to a level more than three feet lower than the floor of the ante-room will

greatly add to the difficulty of operation. The space between doors of the outer canopy and of the second shrine within a nineteenth inches, and the interval between the heads of the expedition have definitely decided on no account will the mummy be enshrouded. If it actually lies in the shrine, he removed to complete examination, archaeological and medical, will occur here a spot, after which the mummy will be left in its sarcophagus with tomb.

Mr. Carter goes so far as to say the sincere hope that the Egyptian Government will close the tomb together and leave the Pharaoh continue his slumbers undisturbed until the necessary information of importance to archaeology and the real sum of human knowledge is derived from a study of the remains.

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