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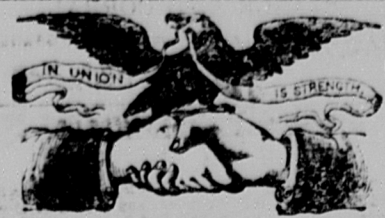
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N. V. BENNETT,
Editor and Prop.

Las Cruces, N. M., July 12, 1873.



EDITORIAL ITEMS.

Call for a County and District Democratic Convention.

A county and district convention of the democratic party will be held at the Court House in La Mesilla, Doña Ana county, at one o'clock p. m., on Saturday the 19th inst., for the purpose of transacting the following business: The nomination of one senator and two representatives from the senatorial district comprising Doña Ana, Lincoln and Grant counties. The nomination of a ticket for county officers of Doña Ana county. The selection of delegates to the territorial democratic convention.

The citizens of Grant and Lincoln counties are urgently requested to take part in the nomination of senator and representatives in the legislature.

N. V. BENNETT,
President of the Democratic Association, Doña Ana County.

We are compelled to make the above call upon the short notice specified, by the following fact—We understand that the call for a territorial convention has been issued at Santa Fe, to be held on the 26th inst., at Albuquerque—and if southern New Mexico is to be represented in that convention, then the time set in our call cannot be delayed. If delegates are chosen on the 19th, they will be compelled to leave on the coach on the 21st. This gives us one week to circulate a call for our county and district convention through Doña Ana, Grant, and Lincoln counties, and which any one of common sense knows cannot be done—Yet as president of the democratic association, we do the best we can under the circumstances and let the responsibility rest where it belongs. If those who issued the call for the territorial convention really desired that no delegates from this portion of the territory should be in attendance, it would have been more manly to have said so in plain language.

Good From Silver City and Lone Mountain.

We derived a great deal of pleasure from a talk with Judge Hackney of Lone Mountain this week. The Judge and a few interested with him were the first to go to Lone Mountain and they have quietly attended to their work. The BORDERER has scarcely ever referred to this rich district from the fact that we heard they wanted nothing said. Some of their mines are now down near seventy feet, with well defined wall rocks and plenty of the richest kind of ore. About seventy men are at work and a good six stamp mill has been in operation since last summer. But what our heading refers to is the fact that the miners of both, Lone Mountain and Silver City are rapidly arriving at the conclusion that *smelting* will pay better returns than *milling*.

The Judge and his company at Lone Mountain are erecting a furnace. The Wisconsin company at Silver City have one already in operation, and from several hundred pounds of their

rich ore, took out at the rate of two dollars to the pound. These results together with the fact that plenty of flux is now found, will we opine in a great measure revolutionize the practical working of the mines. When the mills are supplied with roasters they will succeed in saving much more silver. The Judge informed us of the trial of several tons of ore that yielded by milling only ten or twelve dollars to the ton which by smelting gave over seventy.

These facts will tell handsomely upon the prosperity of Grant county, and in fact all southern New Mexico. We all belong together, only we down here in the valley are gardeners for the miners.

A letter from Hon. Richard Hudson of Silver City, received yesterday, informs us that it is the intention of the company owning the Tennessee mill to put up roasting machinery this season, and by this means are certain of doing as close work as is done in Colorado. They are convinced that raw amalgamation will not save all the silver and are determined to spare no expense to bring their mill to perfection in working. Knowing these gentlemen as we do, and knowing that they hold as rich a mine (the "Two Ikes") as the world contains, we are certain that they are going to do what they propose—and we with every man in southern New Mexico, wish them the fullest measure of success. The prosperity of Silver City, we shall share in to a very great extent, and the energetic citizens of that star of the southwest, deserve all the prosperity that falls to deserving men.

Several parties have gone to examine the new discoveries near Stanton and other portions of Lincoln county. Lincoln has heretofore been looked upon mostly as a grazing and farming country, but we opine that it will not be six months, before a thousand prospectors will be at work in her mountains. She is ahead perhaps of any county in the territory for grazing and agricultural purposes—is well supplied with wood and water, and when her mineral wealth is once known a rush of new-comers will seek her borders. Beside that she has live, wide awake people now.

O! O! Howard! Honor is a mystery. Upon the advice of attorney General Williams, Belknap, Secretary of War has ordered suit to be brought against the immaculate Gen. Howard, who visited New Mexico and Arizona some months since for the avowed purpose of christianizing the Apache. Belknap directs that suit at once be brought against Howard for (he don't call it stealing) failure to account for moneys placed in his hands as commissioner of the Freedmen's Bureau. Only \$20,000,000 Howard received, and has accounted for nothing. But now for the mystery—Howard's bonds can't be found! The telegraph tells us: "The act creating the Freedmen's Bureau provides that the commissioner shall give bonds in the sum of \$50,000, the sub-commissioners in the sum of \$20,000 each, and the chief clerk \$20,000; the law also provides that these bonds shall be filed with the first comptroller, and shall be approved by the treasurer of the United States. Upon inquiry at the office of the first comptroller to-day, it was ascertained there were no bonds on file either from General Howard or the sub-commissioners." Oh! Ye Immaculate!!

NEW MAIL LINE.

The new route to Las Vegas by Fort Stanton, has been put into operation this week. The rider left with quite a large amount of mail matter, and from several hundred pounds of their

Texas Horse Thieves.

During the first of the week, several men who had been engaged on the herd of Miller and Harrison near Fort Selden, left for home in Texas. Passing Shedd's Ranch, they stole about a dozen horses. Capt. Chilson with a squad of soldiers, accompanied by some citizens are in pursuit and we hope will overtake the scoundrels.

By a short private letter from our regular Stanton correspondent this week, we are assured that mining developments will go on with a rush as soon as Professor Justice returns from Santa Fe. Our correspondent thinks he may violate the Professor's wishes by going more fully into details to the public before the return of the Professor. Good luck to the men of Lincoln say we, and plenty of prosperity.

Our new correspondent from Lincoln, "Jicarillo" gives strong confirmation to reports which we have heard for sometime past in regard to the disaffection of the Indians on that reservation, and the cause. When the happy event takes place in which our friend Cronin is so deeply interested, we shall hope to see matters settle into quietude—Cronin deserves luck.

Inspection of Territorial Postal Routes.

The postoffice department has decided to send a special agent to the several territories, to inspect the various mail and stage routes, previous to making contracts in the coming September.

Sale of the Celebrated Mono Mine for \$600,000.

The Mono Mine of Utah, has been sold to San Francisco parties for \$600,000. This mine is considered the most valuable yet opened in Utah.

SHEEP DEALERS.

We notice by circular received that our friend Benito Baca of Las Vegas, in connection with Mr. P. C. Armijo of Albuquerque, are prepared to supply sheep raisers in New Mexico and Colorado with any amount of sheep at lowest rates.

Hon A. J. Fountain, Judge Caldwell, and Judge Blacker, all of El Paso, Texas, have formed a law firm whose card will be noticed among our advertisements this week. The new firm possesses talent and experience enough to make as strong a law firm as there is in the southwest.

We regret to learn that the *Sentinel* is out of paper and must await the arrival of its yearly stock. We should have been glad to accommodate, but had to refund borrowed paper and file a request that reached us in advance of friend Ryan's.

Bennett Bros. & Co., of Silver City, shipped 2,000 ounces of refined silver by last week's coach. This week 2,500 ounces went by coach.

The *San Diego Union*, one of the best papers published anywhere, sends us their *Daily*, for which we return thanks. Mr. Bushyhead, one of the proprietors has sold his interest to his partner, Douglas Gunn, who will keep it as wide awake as usual.

The *Citizen* says there is great danger of trouble with the Pima Indians.

Arizona has a new threshing machine—not Crook, but a peacable threshing machine to work out their grain. We would like to see one of those things at work once more.

Lieut. Babcock recently killed seventeen Apaches and captured five women and children.

Powers, the American sculptor is dead.

Walworth has been convicted of murder in the second degree and sentenced to imprisonment for life.

Kentucky claims Capt. Jack as a lineal descendant. If that is a fact we hope Kentucky will be made a reservation of, and kept closer hereafter.

The *Minor* says Arizona can annex Sonora and a few other states of Mexico.

Thirty thousand railroad ties have been contracted for in San Diego.

THANKS—To our friend the *San Diego Union* for its *Daily*.

The Woodhulls have been acquitted.

Prussia proposes to build a railroad to the capital of Persia.

The father of Gen. Grant died last week.

Senator Carpenter recently made a speech in Janesville, Wisconsin, defending the back pay swindle and the credit mob.

Race at El Paso.

We learn that the Armijo mare was winner in the race on Monday last against Ned Hanger. We learn no particulars of the race except that the mare won by about twenty-five feet.

LOCAL.

W. V. B. Wardwell and John Martin were the only passengers up last Monday, but those two make a full team.

Two sons of T. J. Bull Esq. of Mesilla, returned home from St. Louis University this week. It was a joyful return after a four years absence.

Mr. Haywood, an old time merchant of Mesilla, now a resident of St. Louis, has been spending some time among his old friends, and returns by Monday's coach for the east.

DESERTED.

Four soldiers from Selden came with a rush into town on Wednesday evening in pursuit of two men who had deserted that afternoon, taking with them horses and equipment. In an answer to a remark that desertions were becoming frequent, one replied that these two men were only recently out from the *United States*, and had not become acclimated yet.

LEAP FOR LIFE.

Our friend Judge Hackney had a very narrow escape while crossing the Rio Grande on his last trip down. The wagon had reached the middle of the river and suddenly went down into a hole so that the water came into the wagon bed. Supposing the time had come for swimming, the Judge tucked some important papers into his capacious bosom for safety, and being a good swimmer, sprang like an acrobat to combat the angry billows. The leap carried him about six feet from the wagon, and with an *ugh* he came down into two inch water. The effect was somewhat telescopic and the Judge is several inches shorter for the effort.

Fort Stanton, New Mexico,
June 29, 1873.

DEAR BORDERER: According to promise I will give you a few items from the "Bonito" country. When I left the Rio Grande, a report was in circulation to the effect that the Mesquero Apaches were about to leave their reservation and go upon the war path, but upon my arrival at this post I was pleased to see and know different—however, a very great dissatisfaction exists among the tribe, owing to the conduct of their agent.

It is claimed by the Indians, and apparent to every citizen, (with exceptions to the agent's clique) that their agent cares but little to keep them upon friendly terms with the whites. The agent being a "Carpet Bagger" and having no interest in the good or welfare of the country and more particularly, nothing to lose, cares but little for the safety of the community, while he himself is well protected within the walls of the post. The head chiefs say that he takes no interest in them nor their wants—keeping himself shut up, allowing but few to see him and seldom conversing with them upon matters that they are

interested in, and above all, gives them about one half of what they are entitled to. I have never been a lover of "Johnny Apache," nor even an admirer of the policy pursued by the administration with the Indians upon the frontier, but I do think that when the government treats with the Indians, makes them premises and enters into certain agreements with them—The government through their carpet bagger representative, should not be the first to violate the agreement or promise; and it is a well known fact that were it not for the influence of Major L. G. Murphy, the Indians would have gone ere this.

Lincoln county is upon the advance and progress. To-day there are over one hundred thousand head of cattle, a large number of horses and sheep grazing upon her hills and within her valleys. You see in every direction and upon every stream settlers trying and striving to build themselves and families a home; but what will become of them, if an Indian war comes? The Apaches have been on this reserve nearly three years—they know every man, every house and ranch in the country, and their capacity for defense, and if an outbreak comes they will take advantage of it and lay waste and decimation to the earnings of many a hard toiled year. I think the government should have more consideration for her subjects than to allow them to be the victims of some idiotic mock philanthropist, who cares little for the country and much less for his principles.

In every other respect, this is the garden spot of New Mexico, and if the Apaches are kept at peace, it will soon lead every thing in the territory. The rancheros are turning their attention to agriculture. I have visited quite a number of farmers, and have seen finer crops in the Bonito valley than I ever saw elsewhere. Eighteen miles east on the Bonito, is the Spring Ranch, owned by the popular firm of Lawrence G. Murphy & Co. They have a large orchard of grafted fruit trees, splendid crops of wheat, barley, oats and corn, growing upon this ranch. I saw wheat there, 5 1/2 feet high and the entire crops look as well in proportion as the wheat.

This firm has done a great deal toward the development of the country, and they in common with the "Vox Populi" of the country, have interests and rights that they ask may be protected, so that they can continue in the development of the country without standing in danger of their lives by the Apache. Simply because the government send agents, who instead of keeping them at peace, drive them upon the bloody war path. It is to be hoped that the General Superintendent of Indian Affairs of New Mexico, who the people have every confidence in, will examine into this matter and put things upon a peace basis.

I never was aware of the popularity of Col. Cronin, late of Doña Ana county, until this morning, when I witnessed a serenade by the "Lincoln Band" to the Colonel; after several pieces were played, the "masses" called for the Colonel, who came forward and responded in a very appropriate speech in Irish, which was translated into English by Peter Bishop, and then into Spanish by Sir Von Phillip oski, afterwards into Apache by Carillo. The crowd applauded the Col. who retired so grateful that he asked them to take a drink, which of course was refused—just refused that's all. The Col. is spoken of as a prominent candidate for constable of the 5th precinct of this county, but he does not know exactly how to "flop," in all probability he is waiting for news from the L. L. R. on the subject, it is also rumored that Cronin will soon take unto him a better half—a daughter of the late chief Cadette—Big Indian then;

Time's up.

Yours Truly,

JICARILLO.

Mr. I. N. Dawley, U. S. Postal agent, and Mr. A. M. Knowles, arrived from the south by Grant's stage, Thursday morning. Mr. Dawley is recently from Colorado. Mr. Knowles is business manager for the firm of Richard & Co., and resides at Adamsville, on the Gila.—*Minor*.

Egypt is annexing the interior of Africa.

PROSPECTUS

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THE BORDERER

The longest notice allowed by the public to the proprietors of a new paper has been fully and carefully given in THE BORDERER, and the enterprise which founds it as one of the most important institutions of New Mexico.

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In justice, THE BORDERER will change with the times and defend the

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believing that only through an adherence to these principles can the Union be brought back to a complete and restored unity, to prosperity and happiness. As the

ELECTED ORGAN OF THE DEMOCRACY OF NEW MEXICO,

present its claims to the party and asks a general support at their hands. We shall aim to make THE BORDERER a medium of communication between the citizens of all portions of the Territory and with the rest of the world.

SOLICIT CORRESPONDENCE

from our friends in every county. The necessity and influence of a well established and well conducted paper upon the prosperity and progress of the country has become with our people a question of no trifling moment, and we ask of our fellow citizens that they will give us the aid of their subscription list of any paper in New Mexico.

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Editor and Proprietor,
Las Cruces, N. M.

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How the Kansas Pacific R. R. is Guarding against Prairie Fires.

(Special Dispatch to the Kansas City Times.)

ELLIS, KAS., June 30.—In the dispatch forwarded to you some days ago I stated that the fire-guard along the line of the Kansas Pacific railway was being plowed one hundred feet on either side from the track. I should have said two hundred feet. The total distance between furrows will be four hundred feet, which is regarded as ample for the object in view. The work will be completed during the next month early enough to prevent fires in August, by which time the grasses ordinarily are sufficiently dry to burn. I have stock men who desire to herd cattle over on the Kansas Pacific grazing grounds the coming fall and winter can rely upon perfect protection from the fire. The force in charge of the work arrived at Brookville on Saturday, having completed the furrows on the north side of the road from Ellis to that point, one hundred miles. They commenced plowing westward on the south side of the road to-day, to this point where they will cross again to the north side and plow to Wallace, and then to the south side again and back to Ellis, thus completing the work between Brookville and Wallace, two hundred and twenty miles.

Col. Rhett and Judge Cooley—The Former Kills the Latter.

New Orleans, July 1.—A private dispatch from Bay St. Louis states that a duel was fought near Montgomery Station this morning, between Ex-Judge Wm. A. Cooley and R. B. Rhett, Jr. of the *Picayune*, in which Cooley was killed at the second shot. The parties arrived at this place on the same train at 10 o'clock this morning. Col. Rhett was accompanied by Messrs. Charles Robinson and Dr. Brannon. Judge Cooley was attended by Col. George W. Carter and Major McRae of the 1st Louisiana. The weapons were double barreled shot guns, one barrel loaded with single ball, distance forty yards. At the first fire Rhett's shot ranged high, and Cooley's to the right. Cooley delivered his fire first. At the second fire both fired simultaneously, and Cooley fell mortally wounded, by a shot entering his left side and passing apparently through his heart. He expired in six minutes without apparent suffering, only speaking the words to Dr. Holliday, "I am shot through the breast." The gentlemen engaged in the affair arranged the usual civilities after the second fire, and separated with the expression of mutual respect and consideration. Col. Rhett was the challenging party.

LONDON, June 25.—Dispatches from St. Petersburg say the newspapers in the Russian capital are very jealous of the brilliant festivities now being held in England in honor of the visit of the Shah of Persia.

PARIS, June 25.—The municipality of Paris refused to grant money for the expense of the reception of the Shah of Persia; the festivities consequently will take place at Versailles.

WASHINGTON, June 23.—The following were the Custom house receipts for the week ending June 14: Boston, \$285,911.83; Baltimore, \$187,007.82; New York, \$1,221,515.33; Philadelphia, \$132,644.51.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 2.—The following has been just received dated Fort Kalmath, June 30th. "On Saturday afternoon Lieut. Col. Elliott of the First Cavalry, Maj. H. Curtis, Judge Advocate and Dr. L. S. Belden, official reporter of the military commission arrived here from Yuma and the prospect for a speedy convening of the commission is assumed to be in a tangible shape. General Davis, pursuant to authority has selected and it is composed of Lieut. Col. Elliott, Capt. H. C. Hasbrouck, Capt. Robert Pollock and Lieut. Kingsbury. It will assemble at ten o'clock tomorrow morning for the purpose of organizing. Maj. Curtis, the Judge Advocate has begun the work preliminary to the preparation of the case, but cannot possibly have the Indians ready for trial for several days, as the white witnesses are scattered about the frontier and as a rule cannot be summoned until the multifarious business incidental to the ar-

range of the cases is disposed of. General Davis intends to go on his intimidating expedition on Friday with some of the troops as stated in previous telegrams. Corporal Genethan of troop "F" first Cavalry, who has been prisoner and confined in the same guard house with Capt. Jack, for desertion in the face of the enemy and under sentence of seven years imprisonment at Alcatraz, escaped last night by boring a hole in the floor and digging his way out. General Davis endorses as correct the interview with Dunker the Bulletin correspondent, heretofore called into question in the east.

Cincinnati, O., July 2.—There was a very large attendance at the funeral of Jesse R. Grant at the Union Methodist Episcopal church, at Covington, Ky., to-day and a large number accompanied the mourners to the grave at Spring Grove Cemetery. President Grant, Orville Grant and Mrs. Kramer were the children of the deceased parent.

Seven deaths from cholera to-day. General Lee York of this died suddenly at the St. Nicholas this forenoon.

New York, July 2.—The budget for the support of the city government of Brooklyn for 1874 requires upwards of five and a half millions of dollars. The rate of taxation will be about three and a half percent.

DEXTER PARK, CHICAGO.

Chicago, July 1.—The Dexter Park July racing meeting opened to-day with beautiful weather and a splendid track, and for a first day, a fair attendance. The entries already number 164 of the finest blooded racing horses in the country. The Grand Pacific stakes, a running race mile heat, was won easily by H. Bland's brown colt in two straight heats; Harry Todd second. Time 1:52 1/2, 1:54.

We see it stated in our Colorado exchanges that there are seven men in this county who own an aggregate of one hundred and twenty thousand sheep. From the manner in which the item is written a stranger to our territory would think these were the sum total or the greater portion of all the sheep owned in this county. In order that such persons may not form so erroneous an estimate of our sheep interest; we desire to state that, upon a rough estimate which we consider rather below than above the mark, there are at least three hundred thousand sheep owned in this county. Don J. L. Peres and family alone have about one hundred thousand head.

From the number of boxes, bales, and packages arriving here and passing to the more southern portion of the territory, marked "Spiegelberg Bros.," we judge that firm must be doing a large amount of business in this part of the territory. From conversations with customers of Messrs. Spiegelberg Bros., we learn that many kinds of goods can be bought from them at their extensive warehouses in Santa Fe, at more advantageous prices than the same quality of goods could be bought and shipped from the states by men of limited capital or those who have not as good facilities for purchasing in eastern markets.

Springer's train with new goods from the East is expected daily. It will be one of the largest stocks of Hardware ever purchased by him. Review.

MEXICO.

Protection of Protestant Clergymen

City of Mexico, June 17.—The Mexican press are discussing the question of a new Ministry. They consider a change urgent, in view of the necessity which has arisen for protection of Protestant clergymen in Mexico. The interference of the military is especially demanded for their defence in Orizaba from the fury of Catholics there. A Protestant Bishop there has been compelled to leave the place because his life was threatened. A riot occurred in Morelia on account of the disposition of Jesuits.

SKETCH OF THE ORDER.

The Order of the Patrons of Husbandry had its origin in the State of Minnesota, and the first

Grange was opened in that State Dec. 4th, A. D. 1863. During the first four years of its existence comparatively slow progress was made in the way of organization, but meantime its principles, through the agency of industrious workers, were getting hold of the public mind.

At the close of 1871 there were only 257 Sub-Granges in the United States. At the close of 1872 there were 1,362 organized in twenty-two States and Canada, an increase of 1,105 in one year. March 7th, 1873, there were 3,000 Granges, an increase of 1,638 in a little over two months of the present year, or at the rate of 700 per annum, which, if realized, will make the number at the close of the present year about 10,000.

At the commencement of the present year there were 10 organized Granges in Kansas. Now, May 26th, there are over 160, and the call for help to organize has apparently only just begun, and it is believed the number will reach 600 or 700 at the close of the year. The plan of organization is perfect, bringing all the different departments, National State and Subordinate, into one harmonious whole, and farmers and good men every where, while, objecting to the matter of secrecy and expense, yet acknowledge the Grange to be superior to all other farmers' organizations in its promises of final relief from the clutches of ignorance, monopolies and rings. The Grange room is just secret enough to enable us to do our own business in our own way, without fear of molestation from outside or improper influences. It has just treasury enough to enable us to do our own business, not as beggars, but as independent freemen.

Ten Thousand Dollar Horse Race.

San Francisco, June 28.—The great ten thousand dollar race came off to-day. *Mill Flattery* was the winner in two straight heats. Time 1:46 3/4; 1:43 1/4.

Exchanges Please Copy.

The undersigned, formally a slave, is anxious to know the whereabouts of his mother, who is probably yet living. I and my mother were the common property of Samuel Allen, near Union, Breckinridge county, Kentucky. When I was about nine years old our master broke up housekeeping, and I was given to Richard Rocklett, and three years afterwards taken to Missouri, thus separating me from my mother, who remained in Kentucky as the property of young William Allen. Since the war I have heard that she was living, but can get no positive information of her whereabouts. If living my mother will remember me by telling her that I am the boy who was named "Gen. William Henry Harrison," and can be found by addressing: W. H. Allen, Oskaloos, Iowa. *Kansas City Times.*

Lions' Fear of Man.

Lichenstein says that African hunters avail themselves of the circumstance that the lion does not spring upon his prey till he has measured the ground, and has reached the distance of ten or twelve paces where he lies crouching upon the ground, gathering himself for the effort. The hunters, he says make it a rule never to fire upon the lion till he lies down at this short distance, so that they can aim directly at the head with the most perfect certainty. He adds that if a person has the misfortune to meet a lion, his only hope of safety is to stand perfectly still, even though the animal crouches to make a spring—that spring will not be hazarded if the man has only nerve enough to remain motionless as a statue, and look steadily at the lion. The animal hesitates, rises slowly, retreats some steps, looking earnestly about him, lies down, again retreats, till having thus by degrees got quite out of what he seems to feel as the magic circle of man's influence, he takes flight in the utmost haste.

Whitlaw Reid, editor of the *New York Tribune*, gets a salary of \$10,000 a year. Jennings has \$10,000 on the *Times*; Croly had \$5,000 on the *World*; Hudson had \$20,000 on the *Herald*, and was retired on a pension of \$10,000.

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Laramie City, June 20.—The Laramie Sentinel has the following to-day: Several parties of Utes have for some time past been in and about Rawlin's Springs west of here on the U. P. R. R. The Indians have recently been accused of committing some depredation; on Saturday a party of citizens from Rawlins went to one of the Ute camps, and a quarrel ensued in which the citizens killed ten or twelve Indians, and took sixteen ponies, a lot of blankets, saddles, etc., and returned to Rawlins. The Indians are very much excited, and a general Ute war is feared in consequence, which will seriously interfere with the mining, timber and other interests of this section.

New York, June 20.—A public meeting will be held at the Cooper Institute to-night to protest against the slaughter of Indians by lawless men and to consider a plan by which justice and peace may be preserved between the different races of mankind on all our borders.

The Way Grangers Do.

One of the incidental objects of the new order of Patrons of Husbandry was fittingly illustrated in the territory of the Burr Oak Grange, Reno township, on Monday last. It appears that a meeting of the Grange Saturday evening, it came to the knowledge of the members that one of their members had been afflicted with sickness and death in his family, and his spring work was in consequence very much behind hand. Whereupon it was at once arranged that his fellow Grangers should turn out on the succeeding Monday to his assistance. Accordingly early Monday morning, greatly to the bewilderment of the afflicted brother, who was just able to reach the door of his house, the neighbors came trooping in with their teams and plows till there were seventeen plows running at one time in his fields. At night his plowing was done for the spring, and his fields ready for seeding. That is what we call practical co-operation which has in it a touch of nature that makes the world akin.—*Spirit of Kansas.*

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I do not suppose I enter on any delicate or debatable region of social philosophy, sure I am that I concede away nothing which I ought to assert for our sex when I say that the collective womanhood of a people like our own, seizes with matchless facility and certainty on the moral and personal peculiarities and character of marked and conspicuous men, and that we may very wisely address ourselves to her to learn if a competitor for the highest honors has revealed that truly noble nature that entitles him to a place in the hearts of a nation. We talk and think of measures; of creeds in politics; of availability; of strength to carry the vote of Pennsylvania, or the vote of Mississippi. Through all this her eye seeks the moral, prudential, social and mental character of the man himself—and she finds it.—*Rufus Choate in 1848.*

The Portland (Maine) *Argus*, discussing the farmers' organization says: "That movement which is sweeping throughout Western States as never movement did before, will ere long reach New England and Maine. The same causes exist here, and the same necessity will impel to action. A people's movement will come, and it will be irresistible."

Horses are so plentiful in Australia that they are sold at the pound at prices ranging from sixpence to a shilling, and local papers think they would fetch more if put up in pound-cans for the Paris market.

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