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# RIO GRANDE REPUBLICAN.

ESTABLISHED IN 1881.

LAS CRUCES, NEW MEXICO, SATURDAY, JULY 27, 1889.

NO. 10.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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John H. Elliot	Assessor
Marietta Burtis	Sheriff
P. K. Freudenthal	Treasurer
W. K. Delany	Most Inspector

### Republican Club Meeting.

On last Saturday evening the Republican Club of the County of Doña Ana held a meeting in order to transact for the Club from an independent organization to a part of the Republican National League. On motion, Col. A. J. Fountain was unanimously elected president of the Club. Col. Fountain made a few remarks in which he gave the history of the club from the time of its organization; he said that the club had increased from three (3) to 842 members, 291 of which had voted the republican ticket, and it was through this club that Doña Ana County was carried for the republican party. Jacinto Armijo and Eli Nissen were unanimously elected Vice Presidents, Pino to Pino was elected Secretary.

The Constitution of the National Republican League was then read and adopted. Next in order was the election of an executive committee, and the following named persons were unanimously elected: G. W. Moesman, Thomas Branigan, Mariano Bernal, Hilario Moreno, and Jesus Silva, after which a motion was made and carried that a committee on by-laws be appointed, and the president appointed G. C. Booth, J. B. DeMier, Prof. McLean, W. E. Delany, and J. V. Bouquet to act on said committee. The meetings of the club will take place on the first Monday of every month and at such other times as the members desire to call specially.

It was unanimously moved and carried that W. H. H. Lloyd, Chas. Metcalfe, Eugene Van Porter, and Marion Lyman be sent as delegates to the meeting of the Territorial National Republican League which meets in Albuquerque on the 25th of July.

Miss Maggie Fournier, daughter of the president of the club, and conductor of the handsome banner, was unanimously elected an honorary member. Resolutions of regret and sympathy were adopted on the death of Wm. H. Allen, one of the first members of the club and it was resolved that copies be placed on file and one copy be sent to the family, and publication be made in the Rio Grande REPUBLICAN. There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

PINTO PINO,

Secretary.

### Amends Honorable.

An indignation meeting of the citizens of Kingston, New Mexico, was held at the school house, on Wednesday evening July 15th, in regard to a certain article printed in the Kingston Shaft of the 15th inst.

The meeting was called to order by J. D. Whitam as chairman, and Jas. G. Wagner as secretary.

The chairman stated the object of the meeting was for the purpose of allowing expression of the people, relative to the course of the Shaft.

Remarks were made by Col. A. W. Harris, Judge C. E. Morrison, Rev. N. W. Chase and J. C. Burge expressing their disapprobation of the course pursued by the Shaft as follows:

"That we as a people have assembled should set the seal of condemnation on the course of the Shaft."

The manager of the Shaft, J. P. Hyland being present, was called upon for a few remarks, he stated that he knew nothing of the article until publication. He said he would be more careful in the future in regard to articles of a personal character being published in the Shaft, he had just answered an article which slandered him and his family in the "Daily American" and the editor of the Shaft, C. T. Barron told him he was going to give Mariano Hyland a talking over in its offices and in the best moment Hyland and Barron put in what you do please."

On motion of G. W. Griggs a committee of three was appointed to draft resolutions. E. C. Norman, Bobt. Hay and Jas. Gray were appointed. The following resolutions were unanimously adopted and ordered printed in the Kingston Shaft, Doña Ana County Advocate and Rio Grande REPUBLICAN.

Whereas an article has made an appearance in the Kingston Shaft, Doña Ana County, libelous, untrue and scandalous and reflecting upon the departmental standing of one of our best citizens, now therefore the citizens of Kingston, N. M., without regard to political affiliations have met in public meeting to express our indignation and contempt for the course of the editor of said Kingston Shaft.

J. P. Hyland, manager of the Kingston Shaft, stated that the editors of the Shaft were open for the publication of the above resolutions, for which a vote of thanks was rendered.

The meeting then adjourned.

While the output is 10% larger in the Lake Valley mines than it has been for some time past, at no time has there been better or more determined efforts made at development than at present. Five million dollars are now running on the property, and another is about to be put in. An air compressor will shortly be put in and the mine will easily be compressed, we expect of steam as fuel. One hundred and twenty thousand feet has now been run nearly through the mountain, and shooting and assaying begin with the insertion of guncotton. The first hoist where another load will be run. In conversation, W. C. Bradley, the general manager, said: "What has been mentioned has been misapplying. Instead now to go to work in shrewd and other provinces are extremely valuable one break it myself." Lastly, he said that the market value of the mine is \$100,000 per cent, and 50 percent on the market value of the stocks. Most of the work on these mines is now being done by the company, although there is still good ground open for future, to whom the company are giving special information.—Advocate.

### Merit Wins.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for several years have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Dr. King's New Life Pills, Rockland's Asthma Salve and Electric Bitter, and have never handled medicine, as well, or that have given so much universal satisfaction. We do not believe in guaranteeing them every time, and we do not care to do so, because price of satisfaction is not to do it. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. P. Morris Dainger.

At the late meeting of the county commissioners \$10,000 worth of current expense bonds were ordered to be issued, and S. A. Koss & Co.'s bid of 95 cents for them was accepted. The receiver was ordered to send bonds to the lumber company who were to build prior to July 1st, who promised the sum for funding. A warrant for \$16,245.22 was ordered to be issued to Doña Ana County in payment of Sierra County's debt to her. This has been accepted by the latter county, and all the bonds arrive a 20 year bond bearing six percent interest will be filed up and paid over to Doña Ana—Julianino Adocato.

### A Safe Investment.

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Shoemaking.

A photograph has been ordered which will be utilized in taking down the testimony in the case of M. R. W. Park et al. vs. Robert H. Hopper, which is now coming before a special master here. The photograph will receive the witness during the morning, and repeat it to the typewriters in the afternoon and evenings—Advocate.

### An Absolute Cure.

The ORIGINAL ALBETINE OINTMENT is now put up in large two ounce boxes, and is an absolute cure for sore, burning, watery, chapped hands, and all skin eruptions. Will positively cure all kinds of pustules. As far as the ORIGINAL ALBETINE OINTMENT. Sold by D. Y. Christie, El Paso, Tex.

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FOR DELEGATES TO THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.

WM. L. HYNDSON,  
A. J. FOUNTAIN,  
MARTIN LOHMAN.

The Democratic leaders in this country are law-breakers, and to obtain party success the plain provisions of any law will be evaded or violated without hesitation. The rank and file may deny that they are law-breakers, but so long as they see the laws violated by their leaders and still stick to that party, their denial is of no use. To be a wilful and studious law-breaker is to be the worst kind of a man in this country. Take some examples: The election laws are wilfully evaded and violated all over several of the Southern States, simply because the Democrats must hold the south solid for that party. A large number of Democratic leaders are in the penitentiaries of the country to day for violating election laws in the large cities of the country in the interest of Democracy; but we do not need to go out of the Territory of New Mexico to find Democratic disregard of law. At the Democratic county convention of Grant county, held a few weeks ago, they adopted a resolution requesting the county commissioners of that county to ignore a statute of this Territory requiring said board to call and provide measures for holding an election, and they are now denouncing Mr. Bragaw, one of the Democratic members of that board, because he complied with the law and disregarded their unlawful request. Mickey Cronin, who is the board of county commissioners of Lincoln county, (or assumes to be,) has just refused to comply with the plain statute law as to holding an election in Lincoln county, all in the interest of the Democratic party, and yet Democrats adhere to such a party, and claim it respectable! It is understood that this lawlessness is done at the suggestion and request of the Democratic territorial central committee, and this brings us home to the proposition we started with,—that the leaders of that party are law violators.

Geronimo and the other Apaches are to be sent to a reservation in North Carolina.

Judge Whiteman has granted a mandamus, compelling the Lincoln county board of commissioners to call an election for delegates to the constitutional convention.

Is the press of New Mexico deteriorating? Up in Lincoln county two editors came to blows, and in Santa Fe the editor of the Free Lance has sued the New Mexican for the paltry sum of \$20,000 for defamation of character.

The Republicans of Santa Fe county have chosen as delegates to the Constitutional Convention: Thos. B. Catron, A. Abeyta, P. L. Vanderveer, Nicholas Pino, J. D. Sena, N. W. Clancy. Much enthusiasm in favor of Statehood was demonstrated at the meeting.

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**Attachment Notice.**  
Edward L. Martin, Charles C. Perrin and Thomas E. James, partners in trade, doing business under the firm name and style of Martin, Perrin & Co., for goods sold and delivered; and plaintiffs to said defendant. Damage claimed two hundred and fifty dollars and costs of suit; that unless you enter your appearance and sue out or before the tenth regular term of court commencing on the ninth day of September A. D. 1889, judgment by default, there will be rendered against you your property sold to satisfy the same.

Jerry T. Sullivan.

The said defendant is hereby notified that a suit attachment has been commenced against him in the District Court for the County of Doña Ana, Territory of New Mexico, by the above named plaintiffs Edward L. Martin, Charles C. Perrin and Thomas E. James, partners in trade, doing business under the firm name and style of Martin, Perrin & Co., for goods sold and delivered; and plaintiffs to said defendant. Damage claimed two hundred and fifty dollars and costs of suit; that unless you enter your appearance and sue out or before the tenth regular term of court commencing on the ninth day of September A. D. 1889, judgment by default, there will be rendered against you your property sold to satisfy the same.

A. L. Custer, Clerk.  
Attest for Plaintiff.

**A Democratic Summersault.**

History fails to show a greater terrible back action summersault taken by a political party than that initiated by the leaders of the democracy of this Territory upon the state question. It is still fresh in the memory of all of us that from the beginning of the agitation of this question that party, from its head to its tail, was enthusiastic for the admission of the Territory into the Union as a state. Mr. Joseph had made himself Champion of the movement in the halls of congress, and his party willingly followed his lead. The democratic press was unanimous for admission; the democratic leaders vied with each other in professions of loyalty to the movement; and the democratic rank and file eagerly responded to the bugle call. Many of the republicans in congress had assumed a hostile attitude to the aspirations of our people and no little political capital was made by the Territorial democracy, at the expense of republicans, out of that circumstance. Later a bill was introduced in the legislature providing for the holding of a constitutional convention to be composed of delegates elected by the people of each county. This measure received democratic applause and it finally passed both branches of the legislature unanimously, the large democratic contingent in that body being equally earnest in its support. Before this bill became a law, however, a convention of friends of the measure met at Santa Fe to express their approval of the state movement. This convention was entirely non-partisan and the democrats participating in its proceedings were second to none in their professions of loyalty to the movement. This convention unanimously passed a series of ringing resolutions, among which was one approving the bill then pending in the legislature. Later, and but two weeks ago, the executive committee of the two parties met in Santa Fe to take steps for an organization of the respective parties preparatory to the election. The democratic committee then made manifest that it did not desire a straight party-fight for the control of the convention, but desired an agreed division of the delegates. They were willing to concede a majority of one to the republicans in the convention, but no more. The republicans thought they were entitled to a larger majority, and suggested that they be conceded either a majority of seven, or that the two parties make a fair fight for the control of the convention. Neither of these propositions was acceptable to the democratic leaders. They would not concede a majority of seven, and they were afraid to fight. Here was a predicament. To concede a working majority to the republicans was gall and wormwood to them; to fight meant complete defeat at the polls; and yet to now oppose the movement after all their public professions of earnest approval of it was self-stultification. What would they do? Impartial observers watched them with amused curiosity, while republicans derisively laughed at their ridiculous attitudes. Well, the riddle was solved. These sanguine democratic gentlemen drew back, took a run, and giving one spring into the air performed a double back-action summersault and landed on their unmentionables. A long winded manifesto was issued to the faithful, in which it was said "it is true we are in favor of statehood; it is true that the "Prichard Bill" received our support and the vote of every democratic member of the legislature, it is true that at the statehood meeting in Santa Fe we unanimously endorsed every thing that had been done to secure our admission as a state; and it is true that we never discovered any thing objectionable in the "Prichard Bill" until we mereless refused to give up at least half of the convention and insisted that we should make a fight before the people well knowing that we would be everlastingly whipped. But we now discover something wrong in the bill; it is true that the bill merely doubles the representation now existing in the legislature, but we are disenchanted, alienated and right is denied us; therefore, O ye faithful, right about face and obstruct this state movement by any means fair, foul or revolutionary. Don't vote, don't call any elections, oppose statehood by all means in your power; for it is an unwavering principle of hide-bound democracy to die in the ditch than the people should receive the slightest benefit from our defeated foes". And the faithful forthwith proceeded to obey.

They met in Grant County and by resolutions defied the law and called upon the board of county commissioners to refuse to call the election.

In Lincoln county the board of county commissioners yielded to the demand and issued no call, thus disfranchising the voters of that county and putting themselves in danger of the penitentiary. And so the good work goes on and republicans rejoice.

For at no time has democratic stupidity, inactivity and selfishness been made more apparent.

**"THE LA MESA GANG."**

Regular Report of Regular Proceedings of the Regular Rogues of La Mesa, by Our Regular Reporter.

LA MESA, July 25th, 1889.

Editor of the Republi-

There was a weeping, and a wailing, and a chattering of teeth, and a rattling of dry bones amongst the La Mesa clique of Land Grabbers when the last number of your interesting paper reached our town; the clique were struck with consternation; the wrath of the only Junius Junior was fearful to behold; also, he proved to be no copy of his great original, nothing but a poor miserable counterfeit. But Mr. Affidavitman! and you should have seen him! I would have known that Mr. Affidavitman is a person of exceeding valor—with his mouth; he is a bad man from bitter creek, and can terribly abuse his enemy—when he is absent. Now Mr. Affidavitman in his ferocious indignation proceeded to place himself on the warpath. Having first gazed cautiously around to satisfy himself that there was no one present to take exception, and perceiving that he was safe, he stood upon his head in the center of the plaza and in adjectives recorded on the atmosphere an oath of dire vengeance against your unfortunate Reporter. Alas; that such things should be and overcome us like a summer cloud! when the amased populace had sufficiently enjoyed the connoisseur of the clique and departed to resume their ordinary avocations, the little gang of land grabbers gathered itself together and proceeded to their headquarters to discuss the situation. It was a gloomy assemblage, sadness, depression and despair were to be seen depicted upon their faces. The great Junius Junior gazed upon the desolate gang; over his Uriah Heep countenance there had crept a sort of started coyote look, and at the slightest noise he nervously glanced toward the fastened door with an "is it—a—deputy United States Marshal?" expression. In snubbed and accents he said: "My dear followers, I have been your Moses; I have led you from pauperism to the land of plenty; I have taught you how to spoil the heathen; but alas and alack-a-day, I fear I shall not be permitted to enter the promised land and enjoy the fruits of spoilation. Masters are assuming a serious, a very serious aspect; when I began this campaign I expected to have things all my own way; I dreamt not of resistance; but now! What is to be done, what course shall we pursue, how shall we pluck the rose of safety from the thorn of danger? I rely upon your counsel and advice."

At this juncture a young and inexperienced member of the clique hesitatingly suggested that it might be well to "take an appeal." He was instantly seized by the back of the neck thrown in the corner and told that, if he presumed to open his mouth again, immediate annihilation would be his fate. Taking appeals had evidently become unpopular with the clique.

Mr. Affidavitman.—(Gruffly and gloomily.) "I am constrained to believe that your Majesty has, to say the least, put your foot in it; and I may go further and say your Majesty has not acted with that degree of candor we had a right to expect from you; I have run the Democratic side of this business and your Majesty assured us you could run the Republican side; but you persist in gratifying your inordinate vanity by rushing into print with silly articles abusive of your Republican friends; well, you have seen yourself in print, and they have found you out; and have got us all in a terrible mess; now how do you expect to get us out of it?

JUNIUS JUNIOR.—"The trouble is, will they let us get out of it?"

MR. AFFIDAVITMAN.—"Certainly, not until they have given you a roasting; and you can't complain, you started it, you brought it on yourself and now we all will have to take the consequences."

JUNIUS JUNIOR.—"I have it; as our victims, have become acquainted with our peculiar methods it will be prudent to resort to disimulation; in other words we must again attempt to play them for suckers—as it were; therefore we will again dispatch our trusty messenger to the execrable chief rebel, let him bear an extended olive branch; let him make friendly overtures, let him say that our little scurrilous effusions in the Democrat were mere pannieries that the dirty and contemptible inscriptions against him and his friends were merely "humorous articles" intended to distract them and make lighter the yoke we had placed upon them; let him gently remonstrate at the feeling manifested in his reply and let it be understood that every effort will be made to procure a cessation of hostilities—on their part; in the meantime we will take a new departure; you write an article for the Democrat and head it "How in the Republican Camp," say that any effort to expose and punish our rascallities will be regarded as a "persecution."

MR. AFFIDAVITMAN.—(Admirably.) "Well! I thought I had a good share of sleek; but you take the cake; I'll do it, and at the same time I'll give our gang a good send off; I'll drop the letter at Las Cruces and sign it—"

JUNIUS JUNIOR.—"Great Heavens! don't sign it Junius Junior."

MR. AFFIDAVITMAN.—"Not much; I'll sign it "Meilia Valley Democrat" and—"

JUNIUS JUNIOR.—"No, No! don't do that, leave the Democrat off, re-

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member this is a Republican administration."

MR. AFFIDAVITMAN.—"It shall be as you say, and now let us dispatch the messenger with the olive branch and then I desire to present a number of resolutions which I think fully express our feelings on this mournful occasion."

The messenger was dispatched and the resolution were read; here they are:

Resolved: That we are not here for our health.

Resolved: That whoever comes back at us has "an axe to grind."

Resolved: That we have an inherent right to wield and abuse whom we please, and that nobody has a right to come back at us.

Resolved: That the miserable native population of this town and its vicinity have no rights which as land-grabbers are bound to respect.

Resolved: That we have the utmost hatred, detestation, contempt and scorn for all the persons without distinction of race, color or previous condition, who dare to presume to defend themselves against our un-called for and scurrilous attacks or who presume to obstruct our schemes to plunder and defraud our neighbors and our government; that all such persons have "axes to grind" and it is hereby decreed that they be forthwith removed."

Resolved: That any efforts to direct public or official attention to the rascality of our clique will not tend to invite the good opinion of outsiders to this valley" and that any attempt to right the grievous wrongs we have perpetrated upon our neighbors and our government should be stigmatized as an effort to retard immigration and obstruct progress; as from present appearances it appears that the terrible land-grabbers fled in all directions and are said to be still hiding in the bosque.

Resolved: That we have manifested a compliance with the land laws (worthy of Billy the Kid) and a heroism and perseverance in the reclamation (of other people's land) and improvement of our (?) holdings (grabbing) under very grave embarrassment; some people get desperate and fight when their land is stolen from them" worthy of emulation and commendation (in one of Quantrill's Guerrillas) rather than persecution" (retributive justice). And that any person who asserts that the land entered by us as desert land had been cultivated for years by the people of La Mesa from whom it was plundered, or who asserts that we have fraudulently grabbed the salt spring from which the people of La Mesa obtained their salt, is a Liar; a Villain! a Horse Thief! and likewise a Monster of ensanguined hue. And if anyone attempts to prosecute us for perjury we shall certainly raise our voices to the highest pitch and about Persecution!

Resolved: That we have been a measure of self-protection on their part, for since world soon have been cured and ceased to disturb them with their clamor. The most obstinate cases of indigestion, with its attendant heartburn, flatulence, constant uneasiness of the stomach and of the nerves, are completely overcome by this sovereign remedy. Chills and fever and bilious constitution, rheumatism and kidney troubles are also relieved by it.

Resolved: That we emphatically deny that "escharafona" is a better lawyer than our chief Junius Junior, and to prove it we point with pride to the fact that Junius Junior has taken TWENTY APPEALS where "escharafona" hasn't taken one.

Resolved: That Junius Junior had a right to enter La Mesa on a burro.

Resolved: That we are heartily sick of this fight and wish we had never commenced it.

Resolved: That we take an ap-

peal, we don't want any controversy good Mr. Junius Senior, we never did want any controversy; it's all a mistake, we've had enough, we shout peevish! we give it up; we throw up the sponge, we simmer, we sub-

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SILVER CITY TRAIN.  
GOING NORTH—Passenger—8:12 a. m.  
GOING SOUTH—Passenger—10:45 p. m.  
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GOING NORTH..... 10:50 p. m.  
GOING SOUTH..... 9:37 a. m.  
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### Post Office Hours.

The Las Cruces post office will be open for the transaction of business:  
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SATURDAY, JULY 27, 1889.

### LOCAL NEWS.

W. E. Baker was in Santa Fe this week.  
A post office has been established at De  
truit station.

Nine prisoners now ornament the county  
jail.

W. R. Murphy and B. Hooper came in  
from Organ Tuesday.

Born—Tuesday, July 23d., to the wife  
of H. L. Miles, a daughter.

John Alexander and family have moved in  
to one of the Mesilla Park cottages.

J. W. Hornbeck of Laramieburg, N. Y.,  
has our thanks for copies of Troy, N. Y.,  
papers.

Fred V. Pantkowsky and K. G. Shields  
and family have returned from Las Vegas  
Hot Springs.

Mariage—Sunday July, 21st, in Mesilla  
by Rev. H. Forster, Miss Garrison and Mr.  
Wm. Sow.

Pete Spence and Charlie Melvin have  
been catching on by making a coal strike  
near Cook's peak.

Archibald J. Sampson, of Colorado, has  
been appointed Consul of the United States  
at Piso del Norte.

Rev. J. M. Weems intends to start for  
Bueno Ventura, California, Tuesday, where  
he will occupy a pulpit.

C. T. Barr, the affable editor of the King-  
ston Shaft, stopped here for a couple of  
days the first of the week.

Mrs. N. J. Kennedy has received \$2,000  
insurance money, the amount of a policy  
carried by her deceased husband.

While Jack Williams was coming in from  
the mountains Saturday night the lightning  
set fire to the grass just in front of him.

A rate will shortly be announced or car-  
load lots of mixed fruits from the Mesilla  
Valley to Colorado, points of 80 miles.—Free  
Lance.

W. H. McLaughlin, of the real estate firm  
of Loomis & McLaughlin, El Paso, and ad-  
ministrator for the Baggs estate, was in town  
this week.

Miss Mary Canfield, our postmistress, re-  
ceived a month's leave of absence last Mon-  
day and went to the Maxwell agency with  
Col. Bennett's family to spend her vacation.

Miss Emma Meyer and Miss Nellie Meyer,  
the first a sister-in-law and the latter a niece  
of Miss J. Fred Lehman, arrived from St.  
Louis on the 20th and will spend the sum-  
mer in Las Cruces.

The Mesilla valley needs more men like  
W. H. Lievelyn and Fred. Troumer.  
These gentlemen improve every opportunity  
to advertise the resources of the place in  
which their interests lie.

Mr. Rankin, brother-in-law of Receiver  
Jas. J. Dolan, stopped here the first of the  
week. He was on his way to Europe.

Miss Tillie Fritz, Mr. Dolan's sister-in-  
law, came with him and will remain.

Two bicycle riders, H. W. Gray and F.  
W. Smith left El Paso for a jaunt out of the  
West. They went so far that they came  
across the San Augustine divide to Las Cruces,  
and took the train home, traveling 75  
miles.

Capt. Arthur Mc Arthur, Jr., recently  
promoted to Major and Assistant Adjutant  
General, reported for duty at the War  
Department and took the oath made nec-  
essary by his advancement in rank.—Press  
Dispatch.

Dr. J. H. Frazer has returned from Con-  
ada and has again swung his professional  
shingle to the breeze. The doctor is a good  
citizen and an experienced physician and  
his friends in Las Cruces now hope he will  
remain with us.

Cal. A. J. Fountain, Major W. H. H.  
Lievelyn and Martin Lohman attended the  
meeting of the National Republicans League  
held at Albuquerque this week. It was an  
enthusiastic meeting and some strong reso-  
lutions were passed.

Word comes to John Gray this (Wed-  
nesday) morning to the effect that a rich  
body of ore was struck in his Chester mine  
at Durango, near Cerrillos, that assays from  
\$8,000 to \$10,000 to the ton. The camp is  
wild with excitement.—Free Lance.

On the 16th of this month George  
O'Keefe, a workman who was sent from an  
Albuquerque foundry to work on a boiler  
at Durango, twenty miles north of Las Cruces,  
mysteriously disappeared. He had been  
drinking hard, and his condition was  
bordering on delirious tremors. On Sun-  
day morning he wandered away from the  
station and it is feared that he has perished  
from exposure. Several searching parties  
have been sent out but so far without any  
results. His wife and several children  
in Albuquerque who are greatly grieved  
over the fate of the husband and father.

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#### Imperative Need of a First-Class Public School.

##### Special Term.

JULY 22nd, A. D. 1889.

The Board met.

Present: Hon. George Lynch, chairman; George W. Moosman and Thos. J. Bell, commissioners; H. F. Stephenson, clerk.

The Board hereby appoints the following persons, judges of election, to serve as judges of election, on the election to be held and held the 6th day of August, A. D. 1889, and also selected the places for holding said election, to wit:

Precinct No. 1, Organ.

H. A. Hoopes, G. H. Teagarden, L. Younger.

House of B. A. Hooper.

Precinct No. 2, Doña Ana.

Ancelmo Melendres, H. Wertheim,

Pablo Melendres.

House of Ancelmo Melendres.

Precinct No. 3, Las Cruces.

Frank Reinhart, Frank W. Smith,

Guadalupe Ascarate.

House of Mrs. Dolores Duper.

Precinct No. 4, Mesilla.

Antonino Lucero, Martin Trajillo,

Vicente G. Lucero.

Old Court House.

Precinct No. 5, Mesilla.

George R. Bowman, Antonio Gar-  
cias, Pablo Gamboa.

House of Mrs. Aug. Davis.

Precinct No. 6, Bosque Seco.

Robert Taylor, W. E. DeLany,

Genovevo P. Molina.

House of Robert Taylor.

Precinct No. 7, La Union.

Jose Enriques, Vicente Garcia,

Leon Alvarez.

House of Jesus Enriques.

Precinct No. 8, La Mesa.

Vicente Lopez, Jacob Applesollar,

Amado Arvizu.

House of Hilario Moreno.

Precinct No. 10, Tularosa.

Julian Guerra, Rosalio Baldonado,

Rosalio Lez.

House of Julian Guerra.

Precinct No. 11, Chamberino.

S. Sever, Faustino Marquez, I. C.

C. A. Bailey.

House of Gregorio Duran.

Precinct No. 12, Santa Teresa.

Pedro Carrera, Santiago Serna,

Jose Candelaria.

House of John Graden.

Precinct No. 13, San Augustine.

B. E. Davies, P. M. Johnson, W.

F. Shedd.

House of Mrs. Forster.

Precinct No. 14, La Laza.

Deonicio Carrillo, Fiorenco Luna,

Jno. T. Fortson.

House of Florencio Luna.

Precinct No. 15, San Miguel.

Eugenio Moreno, Atanacio Gon-  
zales, Tranquillo Telles.

House of Eugenio Moreno.

Precinct No. 16, Coimbra.

Gregorio Miranda, Tomas Gonzalez,

Decidro Gonzales.

House of Gregorio Miranda.

Precinct No. 17, Hilton.

S. H. Hilton, Geo. Williams, Chas.

Bruin.

House of W. A. Irvin.

Precinct No. 18, Linden.

Geo. King, E. A. Chaffra, John

Prical.

House of Gen. King.

Precinct No. 19, Rincon.

A. McClintock, E. G. Priest, J. M.

Hoy.

House of A. McClintock.

Precinct No. 20, Las Cruces.

Jacinto Arrijo, John Ryan, J. D.

Ryan.

House of Jacinto Armijo.

Precinct No. 21.

A. E. Hyatt, James Hunter, J. G.

Baird.

Brently's school house.

Precinct No. 22.

Thomas Goodwin, J. B. Flotcher,

Captain Bennett.

House of Elk Horn.

Precinct No. 23.

D. M. Eason, Mr. Miller, Wesley

Fields.

House of J. H. Blazer.

Upon Petition from citizens of

Precinct No. 22, N. O. Patterson

was appointed Justice of the Peace

within and for said precinct No. 22,

for the unexpired term.

The clerk ordered to publish a notice for bids for surveying the

divisory line between the counties of

Dona Ana and Lincoln, said bids to

be received and opened by the Board

on August 12th, A. D. 1889.

Accounts against the county were

examined, approved and ordered

warrants to be drawn against the

Treasury, to-wit:

John A. Riley for postage

stamps used in Assessor's

office. \$ 20 00

A. H. Macdonald for blanks

for school superintendent 10 50

Manuel Lopez for services as

J. P. 6 00

Manuel Lopez for services as

J. P. 3 00

Whereupon the Board adjourned

until to-morrow at 10 o'clock a. m.

### PROCEEDINGS OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

