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# Carrizozo News.

A Journal Devoted to the Interests of Lincoln County.

VOLUME 10.

CARRIZOZO, LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, JUNE 18, 1909.

NUMBER 19

## EFFECT UPON THE TAX RATE.

In taking up the county seat removal question last week we promised to deal later with the financial features involved, and suggested in our first article that there should be nothing to frighten taxpayers in the proposition. We showed that half of the levy that is now made for repairs on the old courthouse and jail would more than pay the interest on bonds for a new courthouse and jail. We have the record for that assertion, and can show that for the past three years a levy of 1½ mills have been made for the purpose named. It does not require the aid of a mathematician to ascertain the saving of a levy of three-fourths of a mill as compared to 1½ mills. Nor does anyone need to be told that the item for repairs can be dispensed with when we erect new and substantial buildings. In other words a mill and a half which is now made for courthouse and jail repairs, which produces \$3,000, can be reduced to three-quarters of a mill, producing \$1,500, more than sufficient to meet the interest on \$25,000 in bonds. In this one item alone the taxpayers will save \$1,500 each year, and avoid the necessity of raising a fund for the repair of old buildings, which require a greater outlay continually, year after year, to keep in repair.

Then, again, we find that the record shows that five years ago the assessed valuation of property in the county was a little less \$1,000,000, while now it is double that amount. If the county has doubled in valuation in five years is it not reasonable to assume that it will in ten years, the period, if bonds are issued, when the county commissioners will have to make a levy for a redemption fund, increase to \$3,000,000? This 50 per cent. increase in valuation should lower taxation all along the line, and in the end this one-third of the county's property will have redeemed the courthouse bonds.

The bonded indebtedness of Lincoln county on Jan. 1, 1909, was \$41,000. Since that date two bonds have been called in, leaving a bonded indebtedness of \$39,000. We assumed \$11,000 of Socorro county's indebtedness in return for the nine townships taken from that county and added to Lincoln county. In so doing, we secure sufficient property on which a levy can be made that will pay the interest on the bonds and create a sinking fund, when the time arrives, for their redemption. The area secured is 18 miles square, nine full townships. The tax from additional miles of railroad alone will more than meet the obligation this county assumes of Socorro county's indebtedness. Adding this

\$11,000 to our bonded indebtedness of \$39,000, we will have a total bonded indebtedness of \$50,000. If our valuation is \$2,000,000 this year we can issue only \$30,000 more in bonds; for, under the federal law, we can issue bonds up to 4 per cent of our valuation. Then it will be seen that if we so desired, and even if the commissioners were willing to issue a larger amount for the erection of public buildings, such a condition could not obtain because of the federal prohibition. This, we think, effectually disposes of the statement that \$60,000 will be used for this purpose. The question of the cost of administering county affairs is another item, and we wish to present to our readers a table showing distances the sheriff travels in summoning witnesses, jurors, etc., to Lincoln, the mileage they would travel in going to Carrizozo, and compare the same with Carrizozo as the county seat. One man from each precinct will travel the following distances, counting going and returning from court:

TO LINCOLN		TO CARRIZOZO	
Precinct	miles	Precinct	miles
Precinct 1	24	Precinct 1	78
Precinct 2	24	Precinct 2	85
Precinct 3	40	Precinct 3	90
Precinct 4	40	Precinct 4	110
Precinct 5	80	Precinct 5	48
Precinct 6	90	Precinct 6	80
Precinct 7	90	Precinct 7	48
Precinct 8	80	Precinct 8	24
Precinct 9	35	Precinct 9	40
Precinct 10	70	Precinct 10	80
Precinct 11	32	Precinct 11	24
Precinct 12	48	Precinct 12	50
Precinct 13	170	Precinct 13	100
Precinct 14	78	Precinct 14	—
Precinct 15	120	Precinct 15	50
985 miles		885 miles	

Cost at 6c per mile to get to Lincoln, \$59.10. To get the same number to Carrizozo, \$53.10. Difference in favor of Carrizozo, \$6.00. In other words, it is cheaper by more than ten per cent to bring witnesses and jurors to Carrizozo than it is to Lincoln. When it is taken into consideration that the bulk of the population is nearer Carrizozo than it is to Lincoln, and that a larger number will be drawn from a larger per cent of the population, the per cent will be even larger. If during a term of court, the sheriff receives a \$1,000 for miles traveled and witnesses and jurors are paid another \$1,000, ten per cent off would save the county \$200. Other items in the county's yearly expenses would be cut down proportionately. Is this not worth the consideration of every taxpayer?

Summing up, we have:

- 1.—The bulk of the population lives nearer Carrizozo.
- 2.—The greater portion of the wealth is nearer Carrizozo.
- 3.—A new court house and jail can be built for a less levy than we are now taxed to make repairs on old court house and jail.
- 4.—The additional valuation

secured from Socorro county will assist in the reduction of taxation.

5.—The county's affairs can be more economically administered from Carrizozo.

## AN ALLEGED ABDUCTION.

"There's nothing half so sweet in life as love's young dream," and it is equally true that the road is not always a smooth one. A case in point this week proves both of these statements. On Monday night Harry Roy, aged 29, and Miss Janie Potter, aged 15, a daughter of J. H. Potter, of Corona, being tired of "single blessedness" decided to get married, and silently stole away. They took the midnight train for the south. The young lady's father suspecting an elopement, telegraphed Alamogordo to officers to intercept them. Their dream of love was rudely disturbed by the officer, and the father of the young lady notified. The father claims a loss of \$400, which disappeared simultaneously with the elopers.

Complaint was filed before Justice Perry here against Roy, on the charge of abduction, and the young couple were brought to this point, Roy in the custody of an officer, and the father in charge of the girl. Roy waived examination and was placed under a \$250 bond. Mr. Potter and daughter left yesterday evening for their home.

## JICARILLA TO CELEBRATE.

The people of Jicarilla are preparing to celebrate the Fourth of July in their usual manner. The place of meeting will be the old picnic grounds where shade and water are abundant. Instead of a barbecue, dinner will be prepared and brought in baskets and served in the old-fashioned way. A dancing pavilion will be erected for the pleasure of the young people. Pony racing and other sports will occupy the attention of the crowd a portion of the day. The Jicarillans usually do the thing up right, and we predict a jolly good time for those who attend.

## NOTICE TO POLL TAX PAYERS.

The school board of District No. 7, Carrizozo, has authorized the undersigned, a member of said board, to collect the poll tax in said district for the current year.

Notice is hereby given that all persons failing to pay said tax within 30 days after due notice has been given, will have legal action brought against them, and the tax collected by due process of law. This notice means exactly what it says, and applies to every poll tax payer in the district who has not paid his tax.

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Come in and look over our stock. Seeing is believing.

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**The Conservation of Children.**

In a few days there will meet at the White House, in response to the president's invitation, about a hundred persons who are interested in the care of dependent children. It will be perhaps the most important of all the conferences relating to the conservation of national resources. The chief product of a country is its people. The children of to-day are the human timber of the future. The young trees with which this conference is chiefly concerned are those which have no natural protection, and which are deprived of normal soil in which to grow and flourish. Among the expert foresters who love and understand this young growth are Judge Lindsey of the Denver juvenile court, Jacob Riis, who has fought the bad tenements where human seedlings are stunted and distorted, Booker Washington, who is laboring to bring up young ebony and mahogany to more stalwart growth, and many other heads of nurseries and child gardens. In old times every man brought up his children in his own way, and the fatherless child was the object of unsystematic charity. In the nineteenth century, half-scientific, half-humanitarian, society learned to regard itself as the universal parent of the next generation, with common responsibility for every individual child. What children are we, the present parent generation, failing to conserve and develop? asks the Youth's Companion. First there are the hundred and fifty thousand orphans in institutions and homes, whose welfare is the avowed subject of the conference at the White House. Then there are the 200,000 children, more or less, condemned to toil in mine and factory. There are thousands not in school. There are countless other thousands not getting the full benefit of school because they are underfed and poorly clothed. The future of the nation depends on all these as truly as upon the child in the comfortable home. As those who asked the president to call this conference say, the problem of the child is indeed "worthy of national consideration."

The fish commission of the United States planted 2,871,000,000 fish in the harbors, lakes, rivers and streams of the country last year. That is a big lot of fish and seems to justify the commissioner's assertion that it will not be long before everybody can go a-fishing with the chance of catching something. He says in time, and not so long a time at that, he expects the waters of this country to be as populous as they were in the early days. To this end, says the Indianapolis Star, however, he must have the help of state authorities to enforce the fish laws and prevent the wholesale destruction of fish by dynamites and seiners. State Commissioner Sweeney is right in upholding the need of active official work in this line.

A small man in Massachusetts with a big wife asked for divorce on the apparently reasonable grounds that she tied him to the bedpost and beat him, locked him in the coal hole and even put him to bed without any supper for punishment. It seems the "white slavery" of matrimony is not altogether on one side.

The recent disastrous accidents in the British navy have given rise to an agitation against the practice of conducting maneuvers and sham attacks at night without lights.

**Band Concert Transfer Arouses Wrath**

WASHINGTON.—One of the first innovations attempted by Mrs. William Howard Taft has brought disappointment to the wife of the president of the United States. Criticism is never pleasant, and especially when one tries to launch a Utopian reform and fails. But that is what Mrs. Taft seems to have done and the storm that has been stirred by her interference with ancient custom is still rising.

The trouble arose over Mrs. Taft's desire to have the Marine band's weekly concerts, that heretofore have been given on the lawn behind the White House, transferred to some other place. In looking over available places where the Washingtonians, black and white, might listen to the music, the president's wife found a site far removed from the White House on the banks of the Potomac.

Immediately an order was issued from the executive office to the superintendent of public buildings and grounds to prepare plans at once and proceed with the construction of a bandstand. The superintendent is an

army officer, and as such had no opportunity to point out to his commander-in-chief that the order might work injustice to the great middle class of people. He had to obey blindly.

The result has been that there are an increasing number of protests being filed against the change. The White House always has been accessible. The new concert ground is far removed from car lines and there is neither shade nor seats upon which those who brave the long walk to the river front may rest.

To those who possess automobiles or carriages the place selected by Mrs. Taft for future concerts is admirable. Society and the official and diplomatic sets can whirl in their motor cars and carriages and may appreciate the change, but those music lovers whose purses are not overly fat will be compelled to trudge a weary mile and a half beneath the heat of the summer sun, if they care to listen to the strains of one of the best musical organizations in the western hemisphere.

The local newspapers are bombarded with letters of protest against the innovation.

In spite of these protests, however, the bandstand was prepared and the concerts are being held there. The president and Mrs. Taft were present at the opening concert, also practically all the official set and the diplomatic dignitaries.

**"Uncle Joe" Practices Golf on the Sly**

"UNCLE JOE" CANNON may become one of the most select in the select coterie of Taft golfers after having scorned a try at the tennis cabinet of Roosevelt, according to reports. It has even been said that the speaker has already purchased a full caddy bag of sticks and is stealing forth on the sly to Chevy Chase in Washington to perfect himself in the art of smiting the little white gutta percha.

There are those who can remember when "Uncle Joe" was the "shinny" champion of the whole country around Danville, Ill., Cannon's old home. Those were in the days when he de-

voted more time to fresh air and exercise and less to stogies and politics. The old timers tell of how the speaker could smash a ball farther and crack shins more recklessly than any man in town. They are greeting the latest item in the budget of golf news with sad headshakes and wondering regret.

The education of Vice-President Sherman in the points of the game so well liked by the president is believed to have set the precedent "Uncle Joe" feels called upon to follow.

The speaker never had much of a desire for tennis under the Roosevelt administration. In the first place he couldn't learn how to score, and "love all" and "love forty" were as mysterious to him as some of Asher Hinds' parliamentary precedents. But with golf it is different. He is well equipped with the language of the game, and if the vice-president is to enter the Taft golf cabinet, why not "Uncle Joe?"

**President Selects Summer Home by Sea**

THE cottage which the Tafts are to occupy this summer is situated at Beverly, Mass., and is two stories and a half, painted green. Around it are trees and shrubbery and stretches of well-kept lawns and the place is one of the beauty spots along the shore. Entrance to the estate is from Ober street and is guarded by two great stone posts, the cottage itself being hidden from the traveled way by the trees, although it is but a two minutes' walk in.

There is a great covered porte cochere over the private driveway leading to the house. Running around on three sides is a wide veranda, and on the ocean side is a tower crowned with a dome, and with windows nearly all around on the third floor. There is a veranda leading from the second story on the ocean side of the house over the dining room which can be reached from every one of the bedrooms.

From the living room to the right is the music room, finished in white. There is a beautiful library on the left, finished in cherry.

The cottage is lighted by electricity and has every modern convenience.

The stable can accommodate half a dozen horses and still furnish room for a large and well equipped garage

**Early Experiences.**

Some time ago an office boy, answering the telephone for the first time in his life, and not knowing how to use it, was told that when the bell rang he was to answer it.

When, therefore, he heard it ring, he picked up the receiver and shouted:

"Hello, who's there?"

The answer came back: "I'm 105."

"Go on," said the boy. "It's time you were dead."

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"Am using ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE, and can truly say I would not have been without it so long, had I known the relief it would give my aching feet. I think it a rare good thing for anyone having sore or tired feet.—Mrs. Matilda Holtvert, Providence, R. I." Sold by all Druggists, Sec. Ask to-day.

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The Cynic—Three girls?—Harper's Bazar.

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Meantime while buying paint see that every white lead keg bears the famous Dutch Boy Painter trademark, which is an absolute guarantee of purity and quality. If your paint dealer cannot supply you National Lead Company will see that some one else will.

## EASE.



Drather Slidown—Dat's a mighty short stub yer smokin'. Dusty.  
Dusty Dodgework—Yep! I knows it; dat's de way I allers like 'em; you don't hev ter pull de smoke so fur!

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Awful, Crusted, Weeping Eczema on Little Sufferer—A Score of Treatments Prove Dismal Failures.

Cure Achieved by Cuticura.

"My little boy had an awful rash all over his body and the doctor said it was eczema. It was terrible, and used to water awfully. Any place the water went it would form another sore and it would become crusted. A score or more physicians failed utterly and dismally in their efforts to remove the trouble. Then I was told to use the Cuticura Remedies. I got a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment and a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent, and before we had used half the Resolvent I could see a change in him. In about two months he was entirely well. George F. Lambert, 139 West Centre St., Mahanoy City, Pa., Sept. 26 and Nov. 4, 1907."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

## Playgrounds in Boston.

Boston women established the first playground in 1902. Last year there were eight, and nearly \$2,000 was expended, or about \$1 for each child, a very cheap price for the amount of good obtained. The Playground league is the name of the society of the playground boys themselves, who wear buttons and discipline all bad boys, thus making the government easy enough for those in charge. Not the least important result of the playgrounds in that city is said to be that involved in the self-government.

## Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; time came out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circular, free.

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## FOR THE LUNCHEON

SOME GOOD METHODS OF DECORATING THE TABLE.

Pretty Arrangements Add So Much to the Enjoyment of the Meal—"Rainbow" Scheme Is One of the Best.

Violet Luncheon.—In the center of the table stand a large cut glass bowl on a violet embroidered centerpiece. Fill this bowl with smilax and pink carnations. In the center of the bowl place a tall green glass vase and make it secure by passing four

lengths of ribbon across the top of it and fasten the ends on the edge of the centerpiece with little bows. In the green vase place eight bunches of violets. From each bouquet run violet baby ribbon, ending in a little bow at each plate. This will make a number of ribbons resembling a May pole. After the luncheon each guest may unfasten the little bow at her place and draw a bunch of violets. The ribbons passing over the top of the vase will hold it firmly in place.

Buttercups.—It must be remembered that this flower closes at night and is therefore not suited for evening decorations. In the center of the table arrange a circle of rock ferns and in the circle thus made place an inverted round pudding dish. Surround it with a large wreath of buttercups. Place the wreath so that half of each fern leaf will project beyond the buttercups. On the pudding dish, the sides of which are hidden by the buttercup wreath, place a fern dish full of growing ferns, and almost hidden among them a green glass vase filled with buttercups. The same idea may be carried out in daisies.

Pansies.—A pretty and original way to decorate the table with pansies is to place in the center of the table upon a glass salver a glass fruit bowl. Fill the fruit bowl and salver with white cornmeal well soaked in cold water, and in this insert the pansy stems. They should be placed as thickly as possible. Around the outer edge arrange a border of maidenhair fern. An oblong dish arranged in similar manner should be placed at each end of the table.

Rainbow Luncheon.—A pretty way to serve refreshments to a number of people is to have a "rainbow" luncheon. Have as many tables as there are colors in the rainbow. The center table may be white. For the decorations use as many of the spring flowers as are obtainable. Colored candles will help to carry out the idea. The menu should be arranged to correspond in color.

Jonquils and Narcissuses.—A beautiful centerpiece for a luncheon is a large floral ball. The frame may be made of a piece of poultry netting bent into the rough outlines of a ball. Place a shallow bowl inside the netting before it is fastened up. When the framework is set on the table the bowl may be filled with water and the stalks of the jonquils and narcissuses may be stuck in until the netting is entirely hidden by the flowers.

## Brown Sugar Cookies.

One cup brown sugar, one cup butter (or part beef drippings), creamed together, one egg, one tablespoon milk, two cups pastry flour, one scant teaspoon baking powder. Keep on ice over night and in the morning they can be rolled as thin as a wafer. Cut with a doughnut or cookie cutter and watch carefully while baking, as they scorch easily.

## Easy Fumigation.

Dried lemon peel sprinkled over coals will destroy any disagreeable odor about the house.

## COMFORTING.



Doctor—Most—er—fortunate you consulted me. I'm just the very man to—er—cure—you.

Patient—Ah, that's lucky! You are quite familiar with my complaint, then?

Doctor—Familiar? My dear sir, I've had it myself—er—this 20 years!

## A Frank Opinion.

Once a youth thought it his solemn duty to learn something about Henry James. So, to the great admiration of his frivolous friends, he picked up "The Wings of the Dove" and disappeared into its pages.

Two weeks later he was thinner, but still at it, when one of the afore-mentioned frivolous friends came into the room, and, for the first time showed interest.

"Say," he observed, "is 'The Wings of the Dove' a collection of short stories or one long story?"

The deliver into James glanced up from the pages.

"One darned long story," he replied, throwing his whole soul into the words.

## Future Ideal Town.

In the ideal town of the future, as pictured by Sir Oliver Lodge, the houses will have gas for heating by open fires and for cooking, and electricity for lighting. The gas, produced from the coal at the mine, will be sent long distances through pipes, as water is now distributed. It is hoped that the experiment will be tried soon, the burning of crude coal in town being absolutely forbidden, and at least two English towns are already considering the plan. The purification of the air is one of the greatest needs in the improvement of the conditions of city life.

## Omissions of History.

Romulus, having built Rome, was constructing a wall around it.

"What's the use of putting a wall on the north side?" jeered Remus.

"Evanston will never try to break in." Then ensued the first boxing contest in the new city, with the result, as all the world knows, that Remus was permanently knocked out.

## OLD SOAKERS

Get Saturated with Caffeine.

When a person has used coffee for a number of years and gradually declined in health, it is time the coffee should be left off in order to see whether or not that has been the cause of the trouble.

A lady in Huntsville, Ala., says she used coffee for about 40 years, and for the past 20 years was troubled with stomach trouble.

"I have been treated by many physicians but all in vain. Everything failed to perfect a cure. I was prostrated for some time, and came near dying. When I recovered sufficiently to partake of food and drink I tried coffee again and it soured my stomach.

"I finally concluded coffee was the cause of my troubles and stopped using it. I tried tea and milk in its place, but neither agreed with me, then I commenced using Postum. I had it properly made and it was very pleasing to the taste.

"I have now used it four months, and my health is so greatly improved that I can eat almost anything I want and can sleep well, whereas, before, I suffered for years with insomnia.

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## DENVER MARKETS, APRIL 30TH.

### Cattle.

BEUF STEERS—Pulp fed, good to choice, 5.25@5.50; Pulp fed, fair to good, 4.50@5.25; Hay fed, good to choice, 5.15@5.50; Hay fed, fair to good, 4.50@5.10; Hay fed, medium to fair, 4.00@4.50.

COWS AND HEIFERS—Pulp fed, good to choice, 4.25@4.75; Pulp fed, fair to good, 3.50@4.20; Hay fed, good to choice, 4.00@4.45; Hay fed, fair to good, 3.50@4.00.

Canners and stock cows, 2.00@3.25; Calves, veal, good to choice, 6.00@7.50; Calves, veal, fair to good, 5.00@6.00; Bulls, 2.75@3.75; Steers, 3.00@4.25.

FEDERS, F. P. R.—Good to choice, 4.65@5.40; Fair to good, 4.00@4.65.

STOCKERS, F. P. R.—Good to choice, 4.50@5.25; Fair to good, 3.75@4.45; Common to fair, 3.00@3.75.

### Hogs.

Good hogs, 6.50@7.10.

### Sheep.

Ewes, 5.00@5.15; Wethers, 5.75@6.00; Yearlings, 6.25@6.75; Lambs, 7.00@7.20.

# THE CARRIZOZO NEWS

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## SUBSCRIPTION RATES:

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JNO. A. HALEY, . . . . Editor.

A homicide took place in the waiting-room of the railroad depot Sunday night, a report of which appears in another column. It is a noteworthy fact that a great many of the killings that have occurred along the line of the Southwestern have been done by "peace" officers in the employ of the company. It is still more noteworthy that the company, instead of employing reliable local men, fill these positions with men from other parts who have a "gun" record. This does not help to engender a good feeling between the people and the company. It is to be hoped that this will be the last homicide to sully the fair and peaceful name of Carrizozo, and to this end the co-operation of the company is expected, so that we may be spared from passing through such bloody scenes as marked the building of other towns east of here on this line. Those who heard the evidence at the preliminary trial are of opinion that an officer with more discretion, after learning that these men had tickets and were awaiting a train, would have excused himself and withdrawn; or, if the men became abusive, called up the town officers if necessary and arrested them, rather than killing one of their number. However public sentiment may be divided as to this case—and there is a division—one fact stands boldly out, and that is: the railroad company owes a duty to the public, and that duty is to select men for the protection of its property who will at the same time have sufficient discretion to distinguish hobos from holders of tickets, and who do not hold human life too cheaply.

Yesterday was the big day at Tularosa, and witnessed the birth of a new town. The new town is called Monterey, and the station will also bear the name of the new town. The land on which Monterey is platted lies between the depot and the old town of Tularosa. We understand that a good number of lots were sold at fair prices.

Don't forget that the rainy season is nearly here, and our stock of all kinds of field seeds is now complete. Better get what you expect to plant before it is all gone.—Carrizozo Trading Co.

**RESTORATION TO ENTRY OF LANDS IN NATIONAL FOREST.**—Notice is hereby given that the lands described below, embracing 300 acres, within the Lincoln National Forest, New Mexico, will be subject to settlement and entry under the provisions of the homestead laws of the United States and the act of June 11, 1906 [34 Stat., 233] at the United States land office at Roswell New Mexico on July 31, 1909. Any settler who was actually and in good faith claiming any of said lands for agricultural purposes prior to January 1, 1906, and has not abandoned same, has a preference right to make a homestead entry for the lands actually occupied. Said lands were listed upon the applications of the persons mentioned below, who have a preference right subject to the prior right of any such settler, provided such settler or applicant is qualified to make homestead entry and the preference right is exercised prior to July 31, 1909, on which date the lands will be subject to settlement and entry by any qualified person. The lands are as follows: The SW  $\frac{1}{4}$  of SE  $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 7, the N  $\frac{1}{2}$  of NE  $\frac{1}{4}$ , the NE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of NW  $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 18, T. 1 S., R. 12 E., N. M. P. M., listed upon the application of Bert Stroope, of Corona, New Mexico. Also a tract, probably within Sec. 16, T. 5 S., R. 13 E., bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the NE corner of Sec. 5, unsurveyed, T. 5 S., R. 13 E., thence S. 160 chains; thence E. 20 chains to F. S. M., also corner No. 1; thence S. 40 chains; thence E. 40 chains; thence N. 40 chains; thence W. 40 chains to corner No. 1, containing 160 acres, application of Eusebio Carabajal, of Jicarilla, New Mexico. FRED DENNETT, Commissioner of the General Land Office. Approved May 15, 1909. FRANK PIERCE, First Assistant Secretary of the Interior. Lists 3-42 and -128. 5-28-4t

## A Clubbing Offer.

It has invariably been the great effort of the Thrice-a-week edition of the New York World to publish the news impartially in order that it may be an accurate reporter of what has happened. It tells the truth, irrespective of party, and for that reason it has achieved a position with the public unique among papers of its class. If you want the news as it really is, subscribe to the Thrice-a-week edition of the New York World, which comes to you every other day except Sunday, and is thus practically a daily at the price of a weekly. We offer this unequalled newspaper and the CARRIZOZO NEWS together for one year for \$2.00.

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6.11.96 T. C. TULLOCH, Registrar.

I said it to your mother, friend

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## CAPITAN NEWS.

Miss Agnes Pfingston visited Carrizozo last Sunday.

Messrs. J. G. Riggle and C. D. Wilson attended the Taliaferro bankrupt sale at White Oaks, Monday.

A nephew of J. E. West of Little Creek, arrived in town from Texas Sunday.

The forest officers have been kept busy during the past couple weeks, fighting forest fires. A fresh one was discovered Wednesday afternoon on the north side of the Capitans which was soon extinguished.

The Fort Stanton "invincibles" will play the Willard team two games of base ball at the Fort, Sunday and Monday. The Stanton team is scheduled to play a "pick up" nine at Lincoln on the 24th, San Juan's day.

The Capitan kids lost a second game to the Carrizozo kids last Sunday on the Carrizozo grounds the score being 8 to 11. However, the score keeper by mistake recorded it as 7 to 12, crediting one run made by the Capitan boys to the Carrizozo bunch.

The auction at the Angus VV ranch last Tuesday was well attended, and a great deal of the junk sold brought fair prices.

Geo. A. Tittworth has, in well diggers' parlance, just brought in a "gusher," having encountered such a strong flow of water at a depth of eight feet that a gasoline engine attached to a centrifugal pump, barely suffices to pump the water out fast enough to allow the workmen to go deeper.

The Capitan kid nine came over Saturday evening and met the local kids the following afternoon. The home team gave a dance Saturday night to entertain their visitors. The game began at 2:30 Sunday afternoon, and for a while it looked as if the visitors would walk away with the victory. The locals, nevertheless, kept their nerve, overcame the lead of the visitors and won the game by a score of 12 to 7.

## NOTICE.

Department of Territorial Engineer, Santa Fe, N. M., June 10, 1909.  
Notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of May, 1909, in accordance with the Irrigation Law of 1907, A. C. Austin, of Angus, County of Lincoln, Territory of New Mexico, made application to the Territorial Engineer of New Mexico, for a permit to change the place of use of water heretofore owned and acquired.  
Such change is to be made from 6.4 acres of land in SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 Sec. 14, Tp. 10 south, range 13 east, to tracts of 3.97, 1.26 and .81 acres in E 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec. 14 Tp. 10 south, range 13 east.  
The Territorial Engineer will take this application up for consideration on the 9th day of August, 1909, and all persons who may oppose the granting of the above application must file their objections with the Territorial Engineer on or before that date.

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## NOTICE.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF FRANK HOUSTON CALFE, DECEASED.

To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that a paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Frank Houston Calfe, late of Lincoln County, New Mexico, deceased, has been filed in the Probate court of said county and that the same will be proven at the next regular term of said court to be begun and held on the first Monday in July, 1909. All persons having objections to the probating of said will and testament will be heard at such time and place.

Given under my hand and the seal of the probate court of Lincoln county, New Mexico, this 21st day of May, 1909.

J. G. RIGGLE, Clerk.

By PETER A. SCHMIDT, Deputy.

5-25-11

## Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,  
May 21, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Eugenio Sanchez of Ruidoso, N. M., who, on September 15, 1903, made Homestead Entry No. 4586, Serial No. 01454, for N 1/4 NE 1/4 section 12, township 11 S, range 14 E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before J. G. Riggle, probate clerk of Lincoln county, at his office in Lincoln, N. M., on the 6th day of July, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses:  
Abel Trullillo, of Glencoe, N. M.; Prospero Gonzales, Romulo Sanchez, and Manuel Sanchez, all of Ruidoso, N. M.

5-25-09

T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

## Notice of Publication.

In the District Court, County of Lincoln,  
No. 1892.

MARIANAS ARCHIBUEQUE, Plaintiff  
vs.  
CECILIO ARCHIBUEQUE, Defendant.

The above-named defendant, Cecilio Archibueque, is hereby notified that a suit has been commenced in the District Court for the county of Lincoln, Territory of New Mexico, against him by the plaintiff above named, Marianas Archibueque, for a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony now existing between said plaintiff and defendant, together with costs of suit. That unless you, the said defendant, Cecilio Archibueque, shall enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 30th day of June, 1909, and thereafter make answer therein as required by the law and practice in said cause, judgment will be rendered against you.

CHAS. P. DOWNS,

[SEAL] Clerk of said Court,  
Alamogordo, N. M., May 22, 1909.  
Plaintiff's Attorney is Geo. R. Barber, whose postoffice address is in Lincoln, New Mexico.  
5-25-09

## Forfeiture Notice.

To John S. Lennox and the Mesquero Mining and Milling Company, Roswell, N. M.

You are hereby notified that I, Jas. E. Hurt, your co-owner in the mining location known as The Birmingham Iron Placer, situated in the Capitan Mining District, Lincoln County, N. M., as appears in the records of Lincoln county, N. M., have expended during and for the years 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907 and 1908, the sum of five hundred (\$500) in labor, in order to hold said location under the provisions of Section 2324 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.  
Therefore, if within ninety (90) days after the expiration of this publication, you fail or refuse to contribute your respective proportions of aforesaid expenditures, together with the cost of this publication, your interest in the aforesaid claims becomes the property of the subscriber, your co-owner.

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JAS. E. HURT.

## Forfeiture Notice.

To Simon Ryan, Walter B. Weeks, Oscar D. Weeks, H. L. Bokey, Benjamin F. Hammett, co-owners, their heirs and assigns, and to all persons whom it may concern.

You and each of you are hereby notified that I, Henry Pfaff, of El Paso, Texas, your co-owner in the Clipper mining claim in White Oaks Mining District, Lincoln county, New Mexico, have expended One Hundred Dollars for and during each of the years 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, and 1908, in labor and improvements upon the said Clipper mining claim in order to hold said claim under the provisions of Section 2324 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, being the amount required for each of said years.

And you are further notified that if within ninety days after the completion of this notice by publication either of you fails or refuses to contribute to the undersigned your proportion of such expenditures, as a co-owner, the interest in said mining claim of the co-owner so failing or refusing to so contribute will become the property of the undersigned under said section 2324.

HENRY PFAFF

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CAPITAN.

J. H. Potter of Corona was in Carrizozo yesterday, and made this office a call.

S. C. Pandolfo, an insurance man of El Paso and Tucumcari, has spent the past week here.

E. D. Fred, formerly publisher of the Outlook, was up several days this week from El Paso.

Ross Coe came over yesterday from Glencoe, on his way to El Paso. He may locate in the Pass City.

Hon. J. E. Wharton came up from Alamogordo Monday night, and went to Lincoln the following day.

H. Cronsbruck, one the original settlers on the Bonito, was in Carrizozo yesterday. He expects to return Saturday.

S. T. Gray and J. W. Craig returned to Capitan today. They were at Tularosa yesterday at the opening of the new town site.

John C. Copeland came over from Fort Stanton yesterday, and left the same evening for Kansas City. He expects to return in about ten days.

W. E. Dudley, of Alamogordo, a member of the Territorial police force, was in Carrizozo the early part of the week, investigating the trouble of Sunday night in which one man lost his life.

George Braune and family of the City Hotel, will leave in the morning for the Rio Bonito, where they will remain during the warm weather.

Q. Sadler, special agent of the El Paso & Southwestern, was here this week looking into the disturbance at the depot Sunday night, in which the watchman for the company was one of the principals.

W. H. Lumbley and wife were up from Alamogordo this week. Mr. Lumbley makes regular visits to this place in the interests of the Singer Sewing Machine Co., and has many friends in this county who are glad to see him.

Sheriff Stevens came up from Lincoln Monday and spent several days in town. He had been notified of Sunday night's affair, and came up to learn the details of the tragedy and the causes leading to it.

S. A. Simmons returned Tuesday night from the Palomas hot springs, and went to Fort Stanton on yesterday morning's train. Mr. Simmons had been at the springs the past two months, but failed to secure the relief that he expected.

Mrs. George Ulrick went to El Paso Monday to meet her son, who had been attending school in

New Orleans. She returned on Wednesday with the boy who will spend his vacation in the comparatively cool atmosphere of Carrizozo.

The manager of the Fort Stanton ball team spent several days this week in El Paso. His business was to arrange a series of games with El Paso's best, and also to arrange with the railroad company to run a special train from Capitan to Alamogordo on July 2, where they are expected to play on July 3 and 4.

A cutting scrape took place here yesterday morning, in which Narciso Velardez and Pedro Estargas were the principals. The cutting was done by Velardez, but the wound was only skin deep. The combatants were taken before Justice Perry on the charge of disturbing the peace, and were each fined five pesos and cost, and told to go and sin no more.

A. H. Hilton, the pioneer merchant of San Antonio, N. M., was in Carrizozo Sunday. Mr. Hilton has traveled considerable through the territory this spring. He says all parts of the territory suffered for want of rain. Agriculture has been retarded, and stockmen have felt the effects of the drought, but not more so

here than in other parts. Early rains, however, will go a long ways towards evening up things.

Governor George Curry was in Carrizozo Sunday night between trains. He had been visiting at Alamogordo and Tularosa for several days, and intended visiting a large portion of Lincoln county on the same trip, but he received a telegram demanding his presence at Santa Fe, and could only remain here a few hours. He expects to return before the first of July and will see many of his old-time friends in this county on that occasion.

Mrs. Louise McGuinness and Mrs. Jennie Keeley arrived from Grand Junction, Colo., Sunday morning, and went to White Oaks that afternoon. These ladies were residents of White Oaks more than twenty years ago, and at one time published a paper there. They have many friends among the old-timers in the mountain town, and will remain there a good part of the summer. Mrs. Keeley is a sister of Mrs. James Reid, formerly of White Oaks, but who now lives at Parsons, this county.

C. D. Mayer, successor to Taliaferro Mercantile & Trading Co., will sell at a bargain a large stock of fireworks.



# IS HISTORIC MANSION

House, Once Washington's Headquarters, Changes Hands.

Was Abode of Commander of Revolutionary Forces in Pennsylvania Campaign of 1777-78—Where Lafayette First Appeared.

Philadelphia. — Gen. Washington's first headquarters in his Pennsylvania campaign of 1777-78, a house wherein he spent a longer time than he did in any of his numerous other temporary abodes of that period, excepting only those at Whitemarsh and Valley Forge, has just been transferred at public sale. The building is an ancient farmhouse near the village of Hartsville, Bucks county, at the point where the Old York road crosses the Neshaminy creek. Though no battle was planned or directed at that place, the house is, nevertheless, of much historical interest because of events that occurred there, chief among which was Gen. Lafayette's first appearance in the American army.

The building, together with the adjacent farms, belonged to the Bothwell



Washington's Headquarters in 1777-78.

family, and then Henry Campbell became the owner. At the recent sale the property passed into the possession of G. W. Rubinkam of Jamieson, Bucks county, who paid \$7,475 for it.

While some alterations have been made in the dwelling in the past 130 years, in many respects it remains the same as at the time when the "Father of His Country" resided there. The dining-room, with polished black joists and a large fireplace, is to-day just as it was when Washington and Lafayette sat at meals there.

On the outside of the house is a bronze tablet, which the Bucks County Historical society placed there in 1897, the inscription briefly narrating the facts that make the old building noteworthy.

Washington had his headquarters there from August 10 to August 23, 1777, while his 12,000 troops were encamped along the nearby Neshaminy creek. The commander-in-chief had moved the army from New York into Pennsylvania to protect Philadelphia from the threatened invasion of the British, and a halt was made at the Neshaminy to ascertain the enemy's plans. Thus was begun the campaign that was to lead to the defeats at Brandywine and Germantown, and the terrible winter at Valley Forge.

This headquarters building on the Neshaminy held so conspicuous a place in Lafayette's memory that in later years he had a painting made of it. This is still in the possession of his descendants, and was exhibited at the Chicago world's fair in 1893.

Another of Washington's aides-de-camp who was with him at that time, and who was destined to attain distinction in the republic which he helped to establish, was Alexander Hamilton, then but 20 years old.

Much important correspondence from Washington's pen was dated at this camp, which was variously called Neshaminy's Bridge, Neshaminy Camp or simply Cross Roads, that be-

ling the point where the road to Bristol crossed the Old York road.

A short distance from the headquarters is the Neshaminy Presbyterian church. The church that stood there at the time of the encampment was used as a hospital, and court-martials were also held in it. Several other old buildings near by were the headquarters of division and brigade commanders.

Though picturesquely situated, with the Neshaminy on one side and the undulating hills on the other, the headquarters is so far from railroad and trolley lines that comparatively few persons visit it, though occasionally historical and patriotic societies make it the destination of pilgrimages. The nearest railroad station is Ivyland, on the New Hope branch of the Reading railway, some six miles from Willow Grove.

## GRANITE MOUNTAIN QUARRIES

Texas Deposit Could Supply United States for 200 Years, It Is Said.

The Granite mountain quarries at Granite Mountain, Tex., are said to be the largest in the world. During the last 20 years there have been shipped from these quarries 250,000 carloads of granite, averaging 50,000 pounds per car. The removal of this enormous quantity is hardly noticeable. It appears as if children had been playing around the mountain's base and had chipped off a few pieces of stone. The mountain covers 100 acres and is 200 feet in height. The granite extends into the ground to an unknown depth. Experts who have inspected this wonderful store of building stone declare that the mountain contains sufficient granite to supply the whole United States with building stone for 200 years.

This mountain of granite came into commercial prominence at the time plans were adopted for the construction of the \$3,000,000 state capitol at Austin. The building commissioners were charged under the law to select Texas stone and were casting about for the necessary material when the owners of Granite mountain sought to have their product selected for the purpose. A geologist was sent to the quarries by the commission to investigate the quality of the granite, and he made a report that it was unfit for building purposes. The owners of the mountain immediately sent samples of the granite to experts in various portions of the United States, and the reports of these experts were unanimously favorable. The state capitol building commissioners thereupon selected this stone for the big building. The owners of the quarries furnished the granite free of cost to the state, the contractors for the building paying the expenses of quarrying, cutting and transportation. In quarrying the granite for the state capitol building 300 convicts were employed and in cutting and polishing the stone 200 Scotch granite workers found employment. The contractor was fined \$10,000 for importing these Scotchmen in violation of the foreign contract labor law.

The jetties at Galveston, by which means that port secured permanent deep water, were built of granite from this mountain. Large shipments now are being made to Aransas Pass, where the stone is being used in the construction of the United States government jetties for that future deep water port. The great sea wall at Galveston, which has a length of more than five miles, is built of the same material.

### Bobby's Idea.

Bessie—"Oh, look, Bobby, there is a taxicab broken down in the street. Do you think they'll send for a blacksmith?"

Bobby—No, I guess they will send for a taxidermist.

### An Illuminating Clue.

"The detective found one thing which threw a light on his character."

"What was that?"

"A dark lantern."

## SHE KNEW.



The Masher—Does your sister know I am waiting out here for her?

The Boy—Yes! She gave me a nickel to tell her when you had gone.

## PROVED POINT BY HOLY WRIT

Granddaughter of Gladstone Proved She Had Not Read Scriptures for Nothing.

Miss Dorothy Drew, who was presented at court a few days ago, was the favorite granddaughter of the late W. E. Gladstone, and among the stories told of her childhood days is the following: One morning she refused to get up, and, all other things failing, Mr. Gladstone was called to her. "Why, don't you get up, my child?" he asked. "Why, grandpa, didn't you tell me to do what the Bible says?" replied Dorothy. "Yes, certainly." "Well, it disapproves of early rising—says it's a waste of time," rejoined the child. Mr. Gladstone was unable to agree, but Dorothy was sure of her ground. "You listen, then," she said, in reply to his exclamation of astonishment, and, taking up her Bible she read Psalm 127:2, laying great emphasis on the words: "It is vain for you to rise up early."—Tit-Bits.

### A Mild Reproach!

One cold morning little Elsie was being bathed by her mother, and usually her bath was a great delight to her. But this morning her mother talked incessantly, while she worked.

Elsie loved her dearly and tried hard to be patient. But the lecture was so tiresome! Her mother was laying out a course of conduct for the day—and it was all so old. She had heard it over and over again!

Finally she said very sweetly, but very wearily: "Please, mamma, don't talk any more. You do make such a draught!"

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# THE FORK in the ROAD

By H. A. HELMHOLTZ

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Half-past eight found all of the gang except Jimmy Dean assembled in Mike Riley's back room. Over their mugs of beer they discussed the week's net profits. Business had been more than ordinarily good. Not one of the six engaged in the genteel art of burglary, had run the least chance of being hauled into the dragnet of the police unless it were Jimmy. For a moment they held their breaths. No, Jimmy was too smooth to fall into any trap. Why, their leader was the best "house-lifter" in the business! A quiet smile wreathed the faces of the five as a low, familiar knock was heard. Jake Collins was the first to reach the door, and as their leader stole softly in, each nodded a silent welcome.

"What makes you so late, Jimmy? None of yer plain-clothes friends tagging yer, was there?" Jake asked, with a smile of confidence in his chief.

"No; that wasn't it," slowly responded Jimmy. "I just sat down after my feed to think over me experience of last night. It was the rummest go I ever struck in me life, and I've had several, yo' know, boys."

"Spile the tale, Jimmy; it must be a good one. We'll talk biz afterwards," Jake urged, eagerly.

"Well, if youse boys wait until me suds gets here, I'll spile it. It's a hummer," he added, as he reached for the drink set down before him. "Yer see, it was this way," he began between his gulps. "Last night there was nothing framed up for the bunch, seeing that we are laying a little low just at present, so I thought that I would do a little job that was ripe. The guy belonging to the place was out of the city; I made sure of that; besides, the servants' ball was on that night, so yer can see how the layout sized up. Pretty soft, hey? The basement window was a cinch. I reaches the main floor and made for the library, knowing just about where it ought to be situated, and holding me glim in one hand. I makes the grand entree where the safe stays when it's at home. I flashes the bull around and rooks right into the muzzle of a 38! Up against it? Well, I was for fair! Who would have expected it? It proves the old saying, boys: 'Always be on the job.'"

"Well, boss," says I, "you got it over me all right! What yer going to do?" "We'll fix that later," he shoots back. "I expected you; that is, maybe not precisely you, but some one of your profession, so I just stayed around here for the excitement."

"With that he turns on the glim, and I notices we were in a little room next to the library. Say, you could have knocked me down when he sticks out his mit and says, real friendly like: 'Shake, old man!' And then he asks my name. I wasn't wise to the game so I handed him me mit and tells him the first installment of me name is Jim."

"Jim," he says, says he, 'sit down over there and we'll have a nice pleasant chat. I suppose you are wondering what kind of a game I am playing on you, but I'll inform you right here that I am square. I have something I would like to tell you about myself; it will be interesting to you, and I'll pay you for your trouble listening to it. Will you trust me?"

"About all I could do was to nod my head, though I'd given anything if I could have beat it about that time."

"Well, then, you wait right here until I get a couple of bottles. Now, don't go away, will you?" he says, rather anxious like.

"By that time I was getting interest-

ed in the game and so I made up my mind to stick and see it out. Pretty soon he comes back with four quart bottles of beer and a box of cigars."

"Have one, Jim," says he, and I didn't wait for the second call.

"Jim," he goes on, "I'll bet you won't believe what I am going to tell you, but it's the whole truth, every bit. Just 12 years ago to-night I was in the same circumstances you are in. I was just out of college then, and came to Chicago looking for a job. Day after day I hunted for one until at last I was almost willing to give it up as a bad business. Then my money gave out and I was up against it right, as the boys say. But at last I got a job as a freighter in a wholesale house, packing trucks, but I was glad of even that. I tell you, a square meal was about the only ambition just then. After I had worked about two weeks, I got into a row with one of the men, and he gave me a beautiful beating. But that wasn't all; I lost my job. The fellows at the warehouse all told the boss I was to blame. Well, in a few days I was more badly off than before. The worst of it was, I couldn't find a position anywhere."

"One night when I was wandering around looking in the windows and wishing I had the price of a beer lunch, a fellow tapped me on the shoulder and said: 'Want to make a good thing?' I nodded. 'Then come along with me,' he said, pleasantly. I followed him into an alley, and he took me into a back room where there were three other fellows. Then he told me that they were a band of lifters and offered me a chance to join. They told me exciting stories about their doings and their life. On the whole, they didn't seem to be such a bad lot so I joined them. They put me on a job the same night after giving me the best meal I ever had and the biggest. One of the men went with me on the job to point out the place they had marked. When we got there he handed me a 'Jimmy.' I got in a basement window and came upstairs and gathered up some valuables in one room and had just entered another when I threw my spotlight around, and, great Scott! I was in a girl's room! She was sitting up looking straight at me! My hand shook, but I pointed my revolver at her. She never so much as winked!"

"Don't do that," she said, sharply. "It might go off! You are welcome to anything I have. My jewels are in that box on the dressing table, and my purse is in the little drawer to the right."

"I picked up all the stuff and was turning to go, when she said: 'How long have you been in this business?'"

"This is my first experience," I answered, truthfully. First I thought I would bluff her, but by that time I was feeling kind of sorry for being in the business at all. She nodded sympathetically at me when I gave her my reply, and pointed to a chair. "Tell me why you are here," she asked, kindly. I told her all that I told you, and when I had finished, she said, emphatically: "I knew you were no common burglar. Your face and hands show that. Don't you know you are making a great mistake? Think of what you might do in the world and then think of the many possibilities of your capture and your long years in a prison. Just now you are downhearted; it's a perfect shame to ruin your life," she said, earnestly.

"I couldn't stand that sort of talk, and told her about my three men friends. She thought for a long time, and then said: 'I tell you; I'm going

to do something for you. In the bottom drawer of that bureau over there in the corner of the room is \$500 which you haven't got—you see you are very inexperienced, aren't you—I was saving that money for some new clothes but I am going to give it to you to pay off your gang, as you call them. With your share I want you to purchase a new suit of clothes and other things that you need, and come to this address.' Before I realized what she was saying she had reached over to her writing desk near the bed and had written an address on a card. Handing the card to me, she said, simply: 'That is my father's address—his office address; I will speak to him about you in the morning. He will do anything I ask.'"

"The next day she was down at the office when I came. She helped me to the position all right, and I made good; that's all. After a time I fell into the habit of going to her father's house to talk over business, and it wasn't long before she and I realized we were made to travel this world together. When we were married I got a half-interest in her father's business, and since last year, his voice lowered respectfully, 'I have full charge.'"

"You see, my friend, Jim, what that girl did for me. Ever since that time I have been wanting to do the same for some fellow like you. It's all wrong, Jim," he said, pleadingly. "Don't you see you're wrong? Look besides at the risk you are running! Why, man, what chance is there of living in a cell with four walls pretty close together? And after you get out—Oh, Lord! Now, Jim, I am going to give you a chance, just as my wife gave me one year ago. Here are \$500. Come down to the office to-morrow morning, and I will see what I can give you in the line of work, and good, decent work, too; and if you stay with us and make good, I promise to stick with you in all your troubles. Just a minute—I'll write you a note and an address for you to give to the superintendent. He'll fix you out."

"Then he turns to a desk, and writes for a few minutes. While he was handling his pen, I tell you, boys, I thought some. He was right; I knew it; and I tells him so when he hands me the envelope."

"Well, Jim," he says, full of sympathy, and pleasant like, "I'm mighty glad to do for you what was done for me."

"With that he excused himself for a minute to go upstairs, explaining when he comes down with a small grip in his hand that he was on his way to New York to meet his wife, who was just returning from a trip in Europe. Then we walks out of the house by the front door and walks down the street."

Jim fumbled in his pocket for a letter. Then he said, slowly, with a queer look on his face: "Here is the letter." It read:

My dear Jim: When you read this I will be well on my way out of Chicago and will never perhaps, have the pleasure of meeting you again. Lord, Jim! but you were easy! I heard you when you came into the house. You pretty nearly spoiled my job, but I got away with the prize all right. I admire your judgment in one thing: you picked the job, but you couldn't handle the proposition. Did you know, Jim, that the Ripleys were away to a funeral in Michigan and had left the family jewels and \$10,000 which the old boy had not time to take to the bank, right in the house? I heard him tell the butler at the train to be careful because there were valuables in the house. The rest was easy. The servants all went to the ball; I made sure of that, and would have no trouble at all had you not stepped in at the crucial moment. You didn't give me very much trouble, as it turned out, but I was put to it for a minute all right to make up some kind of a story. So I rung in the girl and myself, with you for the come-on. You know my revolver was not loaded and I couldn't take many chances with a hold-up man like you, Jim. Pardon me for classifying you with us, although I was dead scared that you would make a break. I would have vamoosed myself when I went after the refreshments, but I had left the grip upstairs and didn't want to pipe it off to you anyway. Well, good-by, Jim. Take a flyer at reform; you are the original 1909 goat all right. Yours very cordially,

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The ire of the men had been aroused by this time, and there seems sufficient evidence to show that they did become boisterous and that the watchman was pretty roundly abused. The watchman drew his pistol, one of the men took hold of it, and it was discharged, the bullet entering the floor. All men retired at this point, save Hart, or Keith, and the watchman placed the pistol against, or very near, the body of Hart and fired. Hart fell to the floor, and his companions busied themselves putting out the burning clothes of the wounded man which had been ignited by the shot. The only eye witness, aside from the parties to the trouble, was Howard Perry, who testified that he was in the room the entire time and his testimony was somewhat favorable to the watchman. However, his presence was disputed by a half a dozen witnesses, and each individual must draw his own conclusions. The four men from Coyote, who were pipe line employes, were arrested on the charge of rioting, and given a hearing. The company got busy and used every effort to convict these men, notwithstanding the evidence showed they were disturbing no one until the watchman himself started the difficulty. It was, apparently, more an attempt to muddy the water in the main case.

Three of the alleged rioters, Klink, Connor and Letendris, were bound over to await the action of the grand jury in the sum of \$200 each. The other, Harry

Johnson, proved to have a very slight knowledge of the English language and was asleep when the trouble occurred, and was discharged. The watchman who did the killing was placed under a \$1,500 bond. The bold, bad rioters went to jail in default of bond; the watchman didn't go to jail—he made bond.

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