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Baking Powder.

Congress is convincing the people that it is a body not capable of self-government.

There are no hard in the east that court-terrors are turning out quantities of spurious one-cent pieces.

The paths of great men are frequently stony. Secretary of Agriculture Morton has been burned in effigy in his own town.

The wool growers of New Mexico will be heard from next fall, and Delegate Joseph will not get many votes from the sheepmen.

Wicks will the democratic council publish a statement of the financial condition of the city? Why is there no revenue in the license receipts?

It is predicted that the richest gold mines in the southwest will be developed this year in the Mogollon mountain region in western Socorro county.

FOSTER, the weather prophet, predicts that one of the most severe storms in recent years will prevail over the United States and Canada from March 7th to April 13th.

There are still very much mixed in Washington in regard to the tariff bill. The latest report is to the effect that a compromise duty of three-fourths of a cent a pound may be placed on sugar.

It is time to begin active work on the territorial fair preparations. C. C. Hall, the energetic fair promoter, says a big fair can be held next fall, and that the attendance will reach into the thousands.

Gov. Hovey, of Texas, has gotten himself into a bad fix. A few weeks ago he emphasized the necessity of enforcing the game laws of the state, and he and a party of friends are the first to break them.

The Jewish Historical society of England recently held a meeting in London in honor of Oliver Cromwell on the 230th anniversary of the grant of Rights of Residency to the first Jewish settlers in London by him.

Persons who have a desire to read up on prophecy might take Cleveland's message to the extra session of congress, in which he told of "the great prosperity" which awaited the repeal of the silver purchasing clause.

This metropolitan and city police districts of London, according to Whitaker's Almanac for 1894, cover an area of 443,421 acres, with a population of 5,938,806. The total length of the police districts reaches 3,359 miles.

The condition of the unemployed all over the country is most deplorable. The great mass meeting in Boston recently, which nearly ended in a riot, demonstrated as much as anything the straits to which the unemployed are put.

Some of the members of the First Presbyterian church of Chicago have formed an anti-Chinese Sunday school society. They fear that the susceptible Chicago girls are powerless to withstand the charms and graces of their celestial pupils.

For the first time since 1896, it is said, New York is now without a representative in the supreme court of the nation. After nearly ninety years of "recognition," it is pretty good time for New York to let some other state have a chance for something.

The greatest disappointment of the present administration is the utter failure of the trust crusher to crush. The attorney general says the thing won't work. The mistake has probably been made of filing the attorney instead of the machine.

This dwarf lizard, known in commerce as a chameleon, has been unchained from its short tether, on the necks and bosoms of women of fashion, through the intervention of the society for the prevention of cruelty to animals in San Francisco.

The democrats do not appear to be pushing things to secure statehood for New Mexico. When the republicans were in power the democrats were constantly harping about how quickly they would make the territory a state if they had control of congress.

A DEMOCRATIC paper commenting on local affairs says: "Home merchants should be protected. Do not go abroad to buy goods." In these two sentences the writer unwittingly stated and endorsed the whole doctrine of protection advocated by the republican party.

COMPULSORY temperance reform has sustained a backward in the decision of the supreme court of Michigan, which has declared unconstitutional the law authorizing justices of the peace to sentence disorderly to take the cure for the liquor habit.

The statistics of 1892 show that the deposits in the savings banks of New York state amounted to \$588,425,421, divided among 1,516,289 depositors, an average of \$388.07 to each depositor. This average is larger than exists in any other state in the Union with the exception of Ohio, where 84,779 depositors have \$339.80 each.

This elections in Pennsylvania recently plainly indicate how the country is taking to democratic rule. The returns show increased majorities, wherever the elections were held, for the republicans. The city of Pittsburgh was carried by over 5,000 majority, in spite of the fact that the democrats had nominated their most popular men.

BOSS Mc KANE, in his cell at Sing Sing, is an instructive example of the timidity which so frequently results in the overthrow of political bosses. At the outset of his malodorous career he observed the cautious policy of accomplishing his designs through the operation of influences which were not fully apparent to the public. By an amalgamation of religion and politics he obtained a wonderful hold

upon the masses, and he made this useful in controlling a multitude and securing his success. He inflated him with a sense of power which caused him to forget prudence and openly defy public decency. An order of the court, requiring an examination of the poll books at Cleveland, was met by the Boss with the arrogant declaration that the court orders were not recognized there, and that unless the committee sent to inspect the registry lists returned to Brooklyn, they would be summarily dealt with. This intolerably insolent challenge aroused the people to speedy action, and the utter overthrow of the ring and its boss, McKane, was the result.

The latest big colonization scheme is now being undertaken by the Salvation Army. A dispatch from the City of Mexico announces that a syndicate of capitalists interested in the Salvation Army has concluded to purchase from the Mexican government 200,000 acres of land in Southern Mexico, where, with the aid of Gen. Booth, plans will be perfected by which 5,000 families from England and the United States will be put upon the tract, operating under the direction of the officers of the army. The plan is the outcome of Gen. Booth's hope to relieve the congested conditions in the city of Mexico.

HENRY W. KELLY, of the firm of Gross, Blackwell & Co., of the city and Las Vegas, estimates that there are 4,000,000 sheep in New Mexico. These show an average of four pounds each, making a grand total of 12,000,000 pounds of wool annually. With the Wilson bill put through this vast industry would fall into the hands of the sheepmen.

The Durango, Col., Herald, a newspaper published daily, has a long article in the third page of its issue of February 24, on the fight between Garfield and Mitchell. It is the opinion of Jack Dempsey, and was written before these two gladiators got together in Jacksonville several weeks ago. Railroad communication between Albuquerque and Durango, would give the power of the light to the Durango people long before the 23d of February.

The republican central committee for the town of East Las Vegas, consisting of Capt. L. C. Fort, George Bell, Joseph Overholts, Robt. L. M. Ross and J. C. Thompson met last Friday evening and decided to put a full and straight republican ticket in the field for city offices. With democratic corruption all over the country, with starvation staring the voters in the face everywhere, the republican ought to win in every hamlet, in every state and territory.

Of the 3,585 men who enlisted in the United States army last year twenty-five per cent were laborers. Other callings were represented as follows: School teachers, 6; students, 26; druggists, 34; photographers, 14; musicians, 214; lawyers, 71; printers, 55; book keepers, 52; typewriters, 2; engineers, 75; cooks, 105; farmers, about 1,200; and no occupation, 80.

It has been reported in Washington that the Chinese telegraphing system has been connected with the Russian system so that the messages may now be sent overland between any part of China, Russia, Europe, and by cable to Africa, North and South America and Australia. The whole world is now wired and telegraphically connected.

This pegging out of mining claims is going on vigorously in Matabeland, in the region from which the native owners were driven at the muzzle of the Maxim gun, but a few weeks ago, and the process of transformation from savage barbarism to frontier civilization is proceeding at a remarkable pace.

Four thousand tons of gold have been used in the present century, it is computed, by jewelers and decorators, and for other purposes. The amount of silver used for the same purposes in the same period is computed to be 25,000 tons.

GUATEMALA, owing to the decline in silver, has stopped payment on its external debt. As the bulk of this debt is owed in London, the boomerang tendencies of the British war on silver are plainly to be seen.

Do you note the fact that while petitions are pouring in on the senate against the Wilson bill, there are none in favor of its passage? Are there no democrats left except the boozers and leaders?

This most wonderful railroad project possibly in the world is projected in Japan. The cars will accommodate four passengers each and will be drawn over the rails by coals.

There is excitement in Alaska because of the attempts to enforce the Edmunds law against the relations between the whites, and the Indian and half-breed women.

The United States sent abroad furs to the value of \$1,000,000 last year. At the same time we sent to England last year \$2,651,000 worth of shoe leather.

The democrats thought Cleveland was a great and good president in 1887. Why have they changed their minds? Has Cleveland altered, or the times?

CONSERVATIVE Illinois republicans are predicting 50,000 majority for their party at the next election in their enlightened state with her senses restored.

It is agreed that Carlisle had a necessity. Now who caused the "necessity"? Let somebody answer that.

St. Johns says Kansas consumed only 1,000 barrels of beer last year. The Lawrence Journal admits that Lawrence drank half that number.

It was the democratic organ that said a few days ago that the license collections had fallen off 65 per cent. It does not explain why this is so.

TEKISSAW will be a hundred years old on June 6, and a big celebration will be held on that date at Nashville.

There are lots of men who would be good to you if you would let them own you.

THE PROPOSED NEW SYSTEM.

There are four territories that are looking for admission as states. They are Utah, Arizona, New Mexico and Oklahoma. The Denver Republican says: All the west is interested in this matter, and every western man should use his influence, whenever the opportunity affords, to encourage the passage of enabling acts for each of these territories. The admission of the proposed states into the Union would strengthen the west in both houses of congress.

United with the Indian Territory, Oklahoma would have about 75,000 square miles and a population of nearly 500,000. This would be ample to maintain a state government, and whenever these conditions are presented in the case of any territory congress ought not to hesitate to pass an enabling act. It is true also of New Mexico, Arizona and Utah. They have population and wealth enough to maintain state governments, and therefore they are entitled to admission. To keep them out of the Union any longer would be an act of injustice toward their inhabitants, of which the United States congress should not be guilty.

It is the principle of our federal union that the territories should remain in that condition only during what may be called their state of pupillage. As long as a community has neither population nor wealth sufficient to maintain a state government, it is proper to subject it to a territorial government; but it should always be remembered that the government of a territory is that of a province. To a greater or less extent a territory is governed directly from Washington. The governor and many of the other chief officers are appointed by the president. Even the acts of the legislature are subject to revision at the will of congress.

This is intended to be a union of states, and therefore a state government should be erected as soon as practicable. To deny state government to the inhabitants of a territory is to deprive them of one of the most sacred rights of American citizens, which is the right of self-government. The states have a certain measure of sovereignty which the territories do not enjoy, for as we have said, the latter are in the nature of provinces under the federal government. The longer congress continues a territorial government, the more it does a wrong to American citizens, and this condition has been reached in all the territories named. All of them are capable of maintaining state governments, and in each of them the people desire the privilege of statehood. That ought to be the end of the whole matter. This being the condition of affairs, congress should not hesitate to pass the enabling acts.

AN INSTRUCTIVE REVIEW.

A New Hampshire manufacturer has made an investigation into the average rate of wages paid to employees in the mills of that state—men, boys and women—under the different tariffs since 1848. The tabulation is an instructive one.

1848. Walker free trade tariff, 60.7 cents per day of 14 hours, 8.92 cents per hour.

1853. Walker free trade tariff, 57.4 cents per day of 14 hours, 4.1 cents per hour.

1861. Morrill protective tariff, about 50 cents per day of 11 hours, 4.6-11 cents per hour.

1864. Morrill protective tariff, about 60 cents per day of 11 hours, 5.5-11 cents per hour.

1890. Morrill protective tariff, \$1.16 per day of 11 hours, 10.5 cents per hour.

1892. McKinley protective tariff, \$1.57 per day of 10 hours, 15.7 cents per hour.

For 1893 the wage rate showed a slight increase over 1892, until the panic stopped business.

Note the fact that the working hours were 14 per day until republican rule began. Then they dropped to 11 hours and later to 10 hours. The steady growth in actual wages was supplemented by the decrease in the daily number of hours of toil. From 3.02 cents an hour, working 14 hours a day, under the Walker tariff in 1847, the increase was to 15.7 cents an hour, working 10 hours a day, under the McKinley tariff in 1892—an advance of almost 500 per cent.

AFRICAN GOLD FIELDS.

The gold fields of Africa are going to cut no inconsiderable figure in any discussion of the coinage problem of the world. Note the following figures compiled by Mr. Moreton Frewen who is perfectly familiar with the gold mining industry in the Dark Continent, which gives its annual output in ounces for the past five years:

1889	1,200,000	241,750
1890	1,200,000	241,750
1891	1,200,000	241,750
1892	1,200,000	241,750
1893	1,200,000	241,750

As this is worth about \$16 per ounce, it is at once seen that there is a large addition made yearly from this new source to the world's supply of the precious metal. And as Africa is largely unexplored, it is altogether probable that new fields await the gold seekers.

OFFICIAL BUTTON.

Packages of the new official button of the Cigar Makers' International Union are being expressed to the officers of the various local unions throughout the country from Chicago, and within a few weeks every cigar maker will be able to recognize a fellow unionist on the street or in the factory without the necessity of asking a question, or receiving the union grip. The button is neat without being gaudy. In the center is a far smile in miniature of the noted blue label of the organization, while around the rim on the upper circle are the letters C. M. I. and on the lower circle I. U. of A., thus indicating the name of the organization.

How fierce and implacable has become the feeling in England against that nullity, the house of lords, is evidenced by the fact that not even the respect of the people for Gladstone restrains their resentment against him because of his perfunctory defense of that body.

If the Wilson bill becomes a law it is safe to predict that the democrats will not carry twenty congressional districts north of Mason and Dixon's line next fall.

THE DANE TRIAL.

A High-Toned Thorough Trial for Bank Breaking.

Las Cruces, N. M., Feb. 24.

Early in 1892 the whole territory was surprised to learn that the First National bank at Denning and also the First National bank at Silver City had been closed by National Bank Examiner. In consequence of the gross irregularities of Charles H. Dane, who was president and also director in both institutions. The stockholders being mostly eastern capitalists, Dane had almost unlimited control of both institutions.

After the banks collapsed Dane was indicted by the grand jury and in default of bail was confined in jail at Las Cruces, with no special privileges, for about ten months, when the bail was reduced to \$15,000, which was furnished, and he was allowed to return home.

There are thirty-nine counts in the indictments, covering alleged amounts of \$200,000 from the Denning bank, and \$100,000 from the Silver City bank.

At a former hearing Dane pleaded not guilty and engaged T. B. Catron, of Santa Fe, to defend him. United States attorney, J. B. H. Hemingway, is prosecuting, assisted by H. B. Ferguson, assistant United States attorney. The case went over last term on account of the sickness of defendant's counsel, but is now fairly on before Judge Fall and an intelligent Mexican jury.

Frank H. Seibold, who was cashier of the Denning bank, is an important witness and has been kept on the stand for the first three days.

A great deal of sympathy is expressed for Mrs. Dane, who is the constant attendant of her husband at the trial, watching closely all the details.

The mythical Indian Springs ranch is said to have absorbed nearly \$70,000 of the funds of the Silver City bank and various wild cat schemes and railroad enterprises were promoted with the funds of the Denning institution.

A favorite plan was to get some responsible party to sign a note, when the president of the bank would go into committee of the whole of the board of directors, discount the note and place the proceeds to his own credit. Another method was to draw drafts on the bank's books to a correspondent and neglect to credit them back when returned protested.

The indictments therefore, also include the charge of making false reports to the government.

LAS CRUCES, Feb. 25.

Promptly at 9:30 o'clock this morning the jurors were in their places in the case against Charles H. Dane for embezzlement and wrecking the Denning and Silver City failed banks.

Frank H. Seibold, ex-cashier of the Denning bank, is still on the witness stand. It will be remembered that Seibold was placed under arrest at the same time Dane was arrested, but not indicted, the government considering it to be the part of wisdom to use him as a witness in the trial of Dane. His testimony is of the most damaging kind, as Dane, while paying twelve per cent dividends to the stockholders, was at the same time diverting capital and deposits of both banks to further his own private ends.

At the time of the collapse of the banks P. R. Smith was in New York trying to place bonds to the extent of \$100,000, secured on the Vermijo ranch property in Colfax county, and into which Dane had put a considerable proportion of the embezzled funds. Had the bond scheme succeeded the twelve per cent dividends might have been continued for some time longer.

Personal Mention.

Herbert E. Fox, the genial manager of Albuquerque's star jewelry house, George W. Hicks & Fox, was in town Tuesday. Mr. Fox came up to witness Rev. Osborn's performance on Knights of Pythias' goat No. 3, and also to look after the interests of his house.

Among the new firms in Albuquerque worthy of mention, The Office saloon, under the management of Barnett & Neider, is a conspicuous one. Johnny and Claude have a large number of friends in Gallup who will be pleased to know that the young gentlemen have a fine place and are doing the business of Albuquerque.

Mrs. A. E. Phelan will sell her household goods at public auction this afternoon, and to-morrow or next day will leave for Albuquerque with her two daughters, Misses Grace and Rose, where they will take up their residence. John Phelan will accompany them to Albuquerque and then go to Phoenix.

Where is it Printed?

The New Mexican asserts that The Gauntlet, a recent free lance publication bearing the date line of "Santa Fe, N. M., Feb. 20th, 1894," was not published in that town "but it does look suspiciously like a Las Vegas production." We do not believe the muddling ever originated in Las Vegas. On the contrary, if "suspicious" are to be indulged in, we would say that as Governor W. T. Thurnton and Judge A. B. Fell are the only men of whom it speaks well, the dirty sheet bears the impress, but not the imprint, of having issued from the New Mexican office—Las Vegas, Opte.

Gaining a Bad Reputation.

Deputy revenue collector, Wm. Burns, who visited Prescott a few days ago, says the town of late has gained a bad reputation for crimes. The evening he landed in the town there was a killing, and the evening after he left there was another man for breakfast. During his short stay in Prescott, the deputy internal revenue collector registered over 250 Chinese, and about with good success in registering the Mongolians in other towns of Arizona along the Atlantic & Pacific.

They pay 25 cents each for cottonwoods at Eddy and are planting thousands of trees this year.

The Bank Killing.

The killing of Raed, the Indian, by the officers while attempting his arrest, charged with the murder of John Doherty, of Mora, was indeed a misfortune. Not but that his desperate resistance alone was sufficient to reasonably establish his guilt, but that was no ordinary murder; Raed may have executed but he did not plan John Doherty's assassination. Now that Raed is dead, his conspirator, the man who instigated the murder, who hired an unscrupulous Indian for its execution, and who is much the guiltier of the two, will go unpunished by the law. Of course no blame is attached to the officers, but it is most unfortunate that he was not taken alive, as he would have undoubtedly disclosed his confederates. The report is that in Mora, that the woman at La Cueva, at whose house Raed was shot, contradicted the story of Juan Romero and Deputy Luevros, and says that Raed was killed in bed, while not offering any resistance.

How the Victims.

The Law Lums district court for Valencia county closed last Saturday night, and all the local attorneys, with Judge Collier, Clerk Marron, and Stenographer Medler, returned to the city. There were two murder cases on the docket, disposed of as follows: Blas Luna, who murdered his aunt, told the jury that he thought his aunt was a witch and he was found not guilty; Julian Chavez, the most prominent murderer in the county, told his little story about the killing of Eusebio Saez all being a mistake, and he was set at liberty. It is hoped by the law-abiding citizens that he will not feel called upon to commit another such "verra." He was one of the tyrants of the other side of the mountains, and while justice of the peace it was necessary to produce the statutes, for he was the law. Sam Carter, who has been reported in the Times, was fined \$100 and costs for shooting at Hon. F. A. Highbell.

"Big George" Dead.

George Burton, familiarly known as "Big George" and well known in this city, died at Gallup, the other day from typhoid fever. His funeral was preached by Rev. E. A. Osborn, of the Episcopal church, and a large crowd followed him to their final resting place. The casket gave him a long obituary notice, the following extract being taken therefrom:

Deceased had many friends in southern Colorado and northern New Mexico, and among them old Uncle Dick Weston and Clay Allison, both of them now dead. On April 1, 1880, he came to Gallup and entered the employ of Mr. T. N. Hinch, as clerk in the European hotel, which position he held until December, 1893, when he entered the employ of Mr. George Page, as chief clerk of the Reception, which place he held up to the first of the year when he was taken down sick.

The Toledo & A. T. Railroad.

The articles of incorporation of the Gila Valley Globe & Northern Railway company, declare that the said railway is intended to run from a point on the Southern Pacific, at or near Brown station, on the most practicable route, to the town of Globe in Gila county. The estimated length of the road is about 125 miles. The capital stock is \$2,000,000, of which the amount actually subscribed is \$130,000, by the following named persons: Julius Liberman, one share, (\$100); E. A. Cutter, one share; D. W. Wickham, one share; I. E. Solomon, one share; A. C. Laird, one share; Wm. Garland, one share; and that at least ten per cent thereof has been paid into the treasury.

Just Enough Said.

The New Mexican compliments two well-known Albuquerqueans in the following pleasant words: "Miss Armstrong, who was a visitor here with the Albuquerque excursion party, is one of the Duke city's most talented young ladies, and when it comes to making sound arguments in behalf of woman's suffrage she is readily at home in answering all opposing contentions." Among the visitors from Albuquerque Thursday was Mr. Floyd Bone, of the auditor's office of the Atlantic & Pacific railroad. Mr. Bone is one of Albuquerque's finest musicians, and established an enviable reputation as such last spring when he drilled and directed the Albuquerque Opera company in the Chimes of Normandy, the brightest, prettiest little opera ever sung in this country.

The Boom of Hon. John H. Starns.

The next republican candidate for governor of New Mexico is steadily growing, and his candidacy, which is in the hands of his friends, and concerning which he has so far made no personal sign, is rapidly receiving endorsements from organizations and republican newspapers in different parts of the state. Although a millionaire, it is urged that the fact that he is a self-made man, who began life in very humble circumstances, and has arisen to his present position entirely by industry and perseverance will tell largely in his favor among the trades union voters, who would infinitely prefer such a man to a professional politician.

The New York Sun of recent date gives a lively resume of the political situation in that state as affecting the approaching congressional elections. The Sun says that the election of the Hon. L. A. Quigg by a majority of 947, in a district which went democratic by 8,835 at the regular congressional election has greatly elated and encouraged the republicans, and they now talk of contesting in November several of the congressional districts, which they have not done since November, 1891, when Levi P. Morton and Anson G. McKim were elected republican congressmen in New York City. They have not had any republican representative since Mr. Quigg is the first in fourteen years.

Morris Mason and Frank Shirley escaped from the jail at Santa Fe, in broad day, by kicking a hole through the wall. Mason was in for counterfeiting and Shirley for burglary. The bloodhounds were sent without success, as usual. Deputy Sheriff Page Otero went over on the train to Las Vegas; and he and Depot Master Tim O'Leary caught the men as they were getting off a freight train. Mr. Otero and his pursuers have returned to Santa Fe.

M. C. Turner & Co., successors to E. D. Fluke. Fine cigars and tobacco; smokers' articles.

WINSTON WAILES.

Interesting Items From a Live Arizona Town.

Winstown, A. T., Feb. 25.

C. A. Buck was in Holbrook for a few hours yesterday.

Dr. R. C. Dryden visited Canon Diablo yesterday afternoon.

W. H. Burbridge went to St. Johns last Wednesday evening to be absent about ten days.

A R. Thompson, special agent, has been scouring in Apache county's metropolis for the last few days.

Frank Gibson, telegraph line repairer on the New Mexico division, came down from Albuquerque Wednesday.

Rev. T. L. Moffett arrived from Flagstaff this evening, and will occupy the pulpit in the Union church to-night.

F. A. Lockhart, acting in the capacity of Sheriff Campbell's private secretary during the absence of Mr. Burbridge.

The 102nd anniversary of George's birth was observed in true patriotic style by everybody that could afford to "indulge."

Mr. and Mrs. David Blair, residents of the north side, have the sympathy of the entire community over the death of their infant daughter, which occurred last Friday.

Conductor C. D. Austin is the happy father of a bouncing baby boy, since last Thursday. All concerned doing well except Cy, who, it is thought, will also recover.

Chas. Canall, of Flagstaff, was in town Thursday. Mr. Canall is receiving quite a boom as a probable candidate for sheriff of Coconino county at the next general election.

John Woods, traveling salesman for Sam'l C. Davis Dry Goods company of St. Louis, Mo., stopped over last evening en route home from California, and was the guest of Edward S. Mahoney.

Con. Moore, "Mickey" Roach, Chas. Currier, Frank Moore and Jas. Gordon composed a hunting party which returned from Chevelon Friday after a week's absence. About 200 ducks were secured.

Another horse race has been planned to take place on the Winston race track March 10, between Sam Hamilton's horse, "Jim," and "Coley," owned by J. W. Palmer, for a purse of \$150 a side, 300 yards. Considerable betting on the side will probably be indulged in to make the race interesting.

The mail and apron social last Tuesday evening was a complete success. Mrs. Livingston succeeded in winning the prize for being the best artist with the nail and hammer, and Mrs. H. B. Davis carried the bulky prize. When the apron contest opened quite an intense interest was manifested, but Mr. Selka, the gentlemanly photographer, had but little trouble in capturing the prize, while as usual on such occasions, Frank Pickering carried off the bulky prize, a bag of cabbage.

Cerillios Chittings.

Mr. W. Moore Clayton, Albuquerque manager for Bradstreet's Commercial agency, was in Cerillios in the interest of his firm.

Miss Kirkpatrick resumed her duties as teacher Tuesday after a siege of the mumps. Mrs. Barnhart taught her school during her illness.

W. W. Atchison, deputy United States marshal, went to Santa Fe, having in charge James Garland, arrested at Rogers Bend on the charge of adultery.

J. B. Burdick, manager of the company store at the Waldo mines, returned from a trip to his home in Leavenworth. While east he also visited Kansas City, St. Joseph and Topeka.

Mr. Burdick expects to bring his family here soon and it is hoped that he may locate at Cerillios instead of at the mines.

W. H. Kennedy and F. H. Mitchell went to San Pedro. While there Mr. Mitchell arranged for active work on the Goldsmith mine, with which he is much pleased. Work is also being done on Mr. Kennedy's property, the "Old Timer."

Lotion to the Front.

The Cochiti Transfer company was organized at Santa Fe last Saturday and articles filed with the territorial secretary. The incorporators are T. F. Moore, Lorion Miller and J. W. Akers. The officers for the first three months are Col. T. F. Moore, president; J. W. Akers, vice president; and Lorion Miller, secretary and treasurer. Capital stock, \$15,000, divided into shares of the par value of \$100 each.

The object for which this company is formed is to build and maintain a ferry across the Rio Grande near Cochiti pueblo, to construct a toll road west of the river to the Cochiti gold camp, and to transport a general transfer of freight and passengers between the camp and the most accessible railway stations. The wire cable for the ferry has been secured and the lumber ordered. Work will commence March 1 on the boats, and work on the toll road will commence as soon as the ground is clear of snow.

A Good Man.

The people of this section of Bernalillo and Valencia counties have not abandoned hopes of securing a new county, and when the next legislature convenes they will make a stronger effort than ever to secure a county. Their first step will be to unite on good, live, representative men, and then elect them. If the people of this end of Bernalillo county had a chance to vote for Clark M. Carr, they certainly would do so.—Gallup Gleaner.

As Idea of the progress which has been

Weekly Citizen

FORGET THE PROTEST.

Albuquerque the Center of Attraction

Big Companies Organized

By reference to the articles of incorporation filed with Secretary Miller and published in another column of this Citizen, it will be noticed that the Cochiti Townsite company have filed their papers. The incorporators and directors are F. B. O'Hannon, F. H. Kent, P. A. Simpson, F. J. Otero, Mrs. Fannie Hostetter and Chas. F. Hunt. The capital stock of the company is \$45,000; single shares, \$100. The principal place of business of the company is Albuquerque. The company, so it is learned, will as early as possible, survey their land, mark off lots and begin their sales with a rush. Mr. Kent was an enthusiastic yesterday, that he was around giving away choice lots to intimate friends.

Another big concern for the metropolis also comes from the secretary's office, and that is the filing of papers of the Tuxpan Land company, with a capital stock of \$2,000,000, and divided into 100,000 shares of \$20 each. The incorporators and directors are Thomas H. Mastin, of Kansas City, Mo.; Sam H. Miliken, of Dallas, Texas; and Eugene M. Taylor, of this city, according to the articles filed. It is a big company, with plenty of money, and this Citizen is sorry that some of our old-time residents are not represented in the concern. However, Mr. Taylor will judiciously work this end of the string, and good results are expected to flow in this direction with him at the helm.

EL PASO NEWS

A Hatch of Small Items from the Press

Policy agents are on the streets daily selling to enthusiasts who extend their time to go out and purchase, but can spare the money. The wheel turns two times daily at two cents and many interest themselves in guessing. Several persons are reported to be buying the numbers, one of the numerous in progress, to say nothing of the lottery, but which are coming in constantly, it is well known.

Miss Valie Brown will entertain a "rucky" party at her home on Myrtle street, this evening, the theme of the paper. These "rucky" parties are a sort of reprieve under the mask.

A box of cologne, which looked attractive, engaged attention, and the name stamped on the package indicated that Blunder sends to this market.

Ordinarily dressed, with the exception of knee breeches and red stockings, a man has been going around blowing a horn like unto that heard in military garbisons. He is a chimney sweeper and the horn is blown to attract attention to his calling.

John Marie, late chief of the Bureau, came here under employment at the Vendome, but was too ill to work steadily.

There are fully 300 idle men in town, a great many of whom do without meals frequently and likewise a bed. The saloons offer chairs and gaming tables, after certain hours, for a host who try to sleep in this way. Some saloons do not permit the practice. A practical method of making these men work and earn a living, is yet to be adopted here, though something could be done for such a number in a place of scarcely 14,000 inhabitants.

The last test of the teams drawing a Sibley engine a distance of perhaps 100 feet, partly up grade, reduced the time to one minute, the best yet made. The horse and hook and holder were equally as efficient as the unexpected call.

Pete Zimmerman, who fell from the balloon just as it cleared the ground on the third day of last year's fair, is here under the direction of Manager Stewart, of the open house.

Wm. Chalk, S. B. Ritchie, Hopewell, Publisher DeLuna and several sports not mentioned in last letter, are here from Albuquerque. Chalk expects to return to Albuquerque soon and no doubt others would if they could.

There is trouble on the question of water, the assessor being enjoined by court from collecting to pay interest on \$175,000 bonds issued. The true status of the case is not apparent to the writer. Sufficient to know that Albuquerque is not alone delinquent about paying for water.

In the Wigwam last night, a nightly occurrence in fact, 300 men filled the keno department to engage in what is known as a "free roll" for \$200. The average at an Albuquerque keno game does not exceed \$50, so the excess is at once apparent between the two. All departments of gambling have felt a depression in the past two weeks. In four prominent and central houses fully 100 men are under pay from one to six dollars per day as dealers, assistants, boosters, etc., and this, be it remembered, is a falling off since early in January of at least 25 per cent.

The Herald office has been enlarged and improvements made in various departments. There is no change in the other publications, though a greater variety, like unto this Citizen, is needed on the local, state and territorial topics, something all seem to overlook.

NEW MEXICO NEWS.

Interesting Items from all Parts of the Territory.

A. M. Adler, of Wagon Mound, has become a partner in the Cheap store at Baton.

George Williams and Miss Lizzie Watson were joined in marriage at Blomberg the other day.

Myer Friedman and sister, of Las Vegas, are now enjoying the balmy breezes and early spring climate of San Bernardino.

The Dona Ana county commissioners let the contract for work at the Earham bridge to Messrs. Curtis & Mead, of La Mesa.

Miss Timberlake, the accomplished young lady singer, from Kentucky, now visiting her sister, in Las Vegas, is on the sick list.

C. L. Betterton, deputy United States internal revenue collector, will be in Baton March 1st for the purpose of registering the Chinese.

Judge French has resigned his position as chief singer at the White Elephant, Las Cruces, and is now chief poet on the Whim at the great social place.

Thos. Redin, of Silver City, has returned from his eastern trip accompanied by his wife and carrying a few days' sickness, but an enjoyable time.

R. J. Rodgers, a ranchman near Carlsbad, aged 37 years, died recently and was taken to Silver City for interment. Rev. Finch conducted the services.

John Anderson, who was injured in the Blomberg mine several months ago, died at St. Joseph's hospital at Trinidad and was buried in the Baton cemetery.

John and James Holland, two brothers, who were separated from each other twenty five years ago, met each other again that time at Blomberg last week.

Miss Bertina Coffin, daughter of the Catholic doctor, is one of the best musicians there. She is an able pianist on the piano, violin or guitar.

Miss John J. Hall, of Silver City, who has been ill in health for some time, left with her family for Los Angeles, California, where she will spend the winter with relatives.

Rev. W. K. Lloyd has resigned his pastorate of the Church of the Good Shepherd in Silver City, and will in the future divide his time between Denning and El Estero.

The new reservoir dam across the Pecos river near Elddy, to supply water for the great Higueron canal, will be finished this week. It means millions for the Pecos valley.

John Guthrie Smith has commenced suit in the United States circuit court at Denver, to foreclose a mortgage against the Maxwell land grant company and others, for \$275,000.

The Mesa court convenes on the first Monday in March; the Colfax county court on the fourth Monday in that month; and the San Miguel county court, on the second Monday in April.

While horse-back riding with a number of little companions near Dillon, Colfax county, Georgia, the ten-year old son of Mrs. Madison, received the fracture of a leg by his horse falling on him.

From Las Vegas: Clint Withrow has a pullet, hatched in July, which is now the mother of a brood herself, having laid the eggs and hatched them out. That is pretty good for a New Mexico chicken.

A reward of \$25 is offered for a knowledge of the whereabouts of Frank Longhram, aged 23, tall and slim, black hair, who left New York in 1880 for New Mexico, and has not since been heard from. He was a stenographer and typewriter, in poor health.

The other morning the horses attached to a wagon in which Mrs. J. M. Forbes, of Las Cruces, was seated, took fright and started on the run. In her attempt to leap from the wagon Mrs. Forbes was thrown violently to the ground and had her leg broken.

August Winkler, of Socorro, who a few days since received intelligence of the death of his father, has since received a letter stating that his mother died two days later and that they were both buried in the same grave. They were residents of Fellingering, Alsace, Germany.

The Chama New Mexican says: In the case of the Territory vs. A. P. Morris, for shooting Andy Garland at Amargo, on the night of January 31st, the defendant waived an examination, and in default of a three thousand dollar bond was sent to jail to await the action of the grand jury next May. It will be remembered that Morris is the one-legged man who is accused of shooting Ed. Vorhane and burning his residence at Amargo several months since.

False Rumor.

It was reported at Gallup yesterday that Navajo Indians, out of revenge, had assassinated J. W. Bennett, the general merchant at Houck's Tank, Arizona. It will be remembered that Mr. Bennett assisted Special Officers Selvy and Smith in making the arrest of a desperate Navajo renegade Indian some time ago, which resulted in the Indian being shot to death. When the No. 2 passenger train, under Conductor Roberts, came along several hundred anxious Gallup friends of Mr. Bennett were at the depot, inquiring about the truthful end of the rumor, but Conductor Roberts informed them that everything appeared quiet at Houck's Tank when his train passed. Hon. W. F. Kuchelbecker, who is here today, informs this Citizen that the rumor of the assassination must be false.

Done.

The Corliss Rustler says: M. D. Latton, editor of the Corliss Democrat, town clerk, etc., has not been seen in these parts for several days. Such is life in the far west.

TOLL ROAD FRANCHISE.

A Letter of Protest Against Such a Franchise.

Editor Citizen.

The proposition of a toll road franchise to the mining camp at Cochiti should not receive a moment's consideration from our board of county commissioners.

An old established road has existed probably for generations, from Pina Blanca almost into the heart of the present developments, and a very small expense would put it into good shape for any increased traffic that the growth of the company may render necessary.

Three or four miles of an extension at the end of the present road would be all the new road necessary, and it can be constructed very cheaply, as the grade is light and very little blasting or cutting would be necessary, while there is an abundance of timber and stone on the ground for any bridge or filling needed. In view of the benefits to be derived by this county and city from the successful development of the camp, the amount necessary could not be expended by the county commissioners for a more laudable and beneficial purpose.

The men who have been working and struggling to develop the camp, with as little expense as possible, and with the aid of the poor prospectors who are now beginning to flock to the still fertile, or in its development, should not be subjected to the exactions of corporations formed for the express purpose of taking toll from the frontiers labor and enterprise without any real necessity or adequate investment.

Our board of county commissioners, it is fair to assume, are men of broad common sense to grant any franchise of this character, which in any way benefits the community, and would enable the promoters at a more nominal outlay to put a tribute on every miner, prospector or business man in the camp. Fortunately one member of the board of county commissioners is a resident of Pina Blanca, and thoroughly familiar with the camp and its needs.

If these public spirited gentlemen who are so eager for franchises costing nothing, would invest a little of their surplus cash in assisting to develop some of the prospects into mines, and thereby establish in fact that there is something there, they would do a better service to the community than by a toll road, which would do nothing toward maintaining a public road, the people interested in the camp will be satisfied to struggle along with what they now have, and can make themselves, rather than be given over to the tender mercies of any corporation.

HENRY LEONARD.

Cochiti on a Grand Grant

And now it turns out that the new mining district of Cochiti is situated upon the Camata de Cochiti land grant, which is said to belong to J. P. Whitney, the best known millionaire of Santa Rita Copper mine and Estancia land grant company, and to R. S. Raley, Hannah Harris, Roush and others. The grant contains about 104,000 acres, and was made in 1828 to one Antonio Lueves, by the Spanish crown. R. S. Raley obtained his interest in 1884, which is said to be about an undivided fifth part, for defending quinos Lueves, a lineal descendant of Antonio, for murder.

Whitney, Raley, the Bares and Hannah Harris are now plaintiffs in a case before the court of private land claims at Santa Fe to have the grant confirmed to them. The Hurtado family are also claimants in another suit, but both suits will probably be consolidated. Whitney paid upwards of a hundred thousand dollars for his interest in the grant, and is said to be able to show title to nearly three quarters of it. The land court can not confirm the title to the mines in this grant as the land court act now stands, but no one can legally mine upon the grant until leave so to do is granted by act of congress. Many able lawyers say that congress cannot reserve this right to itself, that if the land, mines and all belong to Mexican citizens at the time this territory became a part of the United States, that to take the mines away now would be to take property without just compensation and would be unconstitutional. Many grant claimants will fight hard for their mines as well.

The miners and townsite companies have been notified to desist from trespassing by Whitney et al, and no doubt these great owners will yet see to some arrangement with the squatters and give them quit claim deeds for a consideration, but there is no telling what will be done until Whitney and his attorney, Mr. Knebel, arrive from Boston and Denver, and have a conference with Mr. Raley and the owners the latter represents. In any event it looks as if the grant owners would make a fortune. The case will be tried before the land court in April next.

A Prominent Gentleman.

Hon. J. T. Bearden, of Los Angeles, Cal., who was introduced at this Citizen's office yesterday afternoon, was years ago a prominent politician back in his native state, Arkansas. He was district judge for the southern division of Arkansas, served as a member of the legislature of that state for several years, and was also speaker for a term. Besides the above, he held important trusts in the gift of the people of his own county. He is now a practicing attorney of Los Angeles, Cal., where he has resided for the past few years, and where he enjoys an extensive practice. He is a pleasant gentleman and a good conversationalist on subjects of national importance. He is pleased with Albuquerque, from a business and social point of view, and will remain the guest of his daughter, Mrs. G. W. Champion, for a short time.

Chas. Smith, one of the most experienced mine and mill men in Grant county, who went to Philadelphia about one year ago with the intention of leaving permanently, has returned. He says there is no place like New Mexico for climate.

RIGHTFULLY CLAIMED.

Wallace the Outfitting Point for the Cochiti Mines.

A FEW OLD POINTS.

Wallace, N. M., Feb. 22.

That Wallace has developed into a mining town, and is now being developed as a outfitting point for the Cochiti mines, is a fact which is becoming more and more apparent to all who visit the place.

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THE SILENT MOVIE GRAM.

Cochiti Mining District, Heratano County, Ore. Continued.

James H. May, who is interested in several mines, at this time is in the city, and has been seen by the writer. He is a very energetic man, and has been working the properties in the district for some time. He is said to be a very successful man, and has been seen by the writer. He is a very energetic man, and has been working the properties in the district for some time. He is said to be a very successful man, and has been seen by the writer.

WHEEL WHIRLERS.

The Hares of the First Meet of the Cycle Club a Success.

Pursuant to notice in the columns of this Citizen, several hundred enthusiasts, followers of wheel sport assembled at the fair grounds yesterday afternoon to witness the events of the first race meet of the Albuquerque Cycle Club.

Promptly at 2 o'clock J. E. Saint, Arthur Everett and V. A. Walton, judges, and M. C. Nettleton and W. P. Metcalf, time-keepers, took their positions in the judge's stand, while Manager Harding had the following riders: F. E. Lee, L. D. Mandell, J. F. English, W. O. Gentry, and J. N. Shurts lined up for the quarter mile dash. Harry Lee started them at the crack of a pistol shot, and the outcome resulted in Shurts first, Lee second and Gentry third. Time, 45 seconds.

The second race, half mile dash, was participated in by Shurts, Lee and English, and was won with ease by Shurts, Lee second, and English third. Time, 1:25.

The third race was a novelty one and it proved very interesting. The entries were Chas. McDaniel, H. Wender, Gus Thiel, W. H. Harrison and Fred White. One hundred yards was stepped off from the judge's stand, and the riders whirled around the track. Thirty feet was then stepped off, and the riders took the mark, running that distance, turning their wheels, mounting same and make the race of 100 yards. McDaniel came in first in 35 seconds, followed by Whites, man, W. H. Thiel, and Harrison in that order. It meant their wheels, fell off, and were left on the track.

The fourth race, one mile dash, brought forward Mandell, Scott, English and Shurts. At the start upon the hands of Shurts' wheel came off, but he rode on, coming in second. Scott first and English third. Mandell dropped out after the first half mile. Time, 4:44.

The next race was a novelty event. The following entered: Mandell, Gentry, McDaniel, English, Thiel, Harrison, Whites, man, Harrison, Brooks, Koolley, Hye and Wender. The distance was seventy yards, and the riders divided into two squads, the first squad was won by the card and the second by Gentry. In the end of the race was a 20.

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ARIZONA.

News from All Portions of the Neighboring Territory.

Gila county has \$5,000 of outstanding warrants.

Tucson is talking about building a \$40,000 hotel.

A large acreage about Florence is being sown in grain.

Mohave was the banner silver producing county last year.

The northern counties would like some experimental stations.

An attempt to incorporate willow saw made by the citizens of Flagstaff.

There are four hundred trap stations set at Huachuca at the present time.

All stores in Phoenix will close on Saturdays after the first day of next month.

Photographer Evans, of Phoenix, has photographed 1000 Chinamen at that place.

There is an attempt being made to dig another water storage company in St. Johns.

The United States court of private land claims will meet in Tucson about the 15th of March.

It is said that S. C. Pledge, of the Tomba stone Prospector, will soon start a paper at Nogales.

The Phoenix Gazette reports the subject of the Maricopa time for the sum of \$15,000 to W. G. Evans.

H. M. Matthey, of Gila county, submitted a bill to the board of having an inconvertible dollar.

Aside from the post-office about all of the federal office in Arizona are in a possession of democrats.

A new town called Orangedale, is to be built in the Salt River valley near the falls of the Arizona canal.

Thirty-four head of cattle seized by custom house authorities were sold at Fairbank last week for \$5 each.

There has been one hundred new bulls placed in Phoenix since the beginning of the eastern season last year.

Phoenix has a new democratic postmaster. Mr. Thomas, a good man for the place, is the fortunate gentleman.

Present indications are that an increase of grain and potatoes will be planted about Prescott the coming season.

The territorial laws provide that no deer shall be killed after January 1st, and that the most so obtained shall not be bought and sold.

John Casey, a deserter from Fort Bowie four years ago, gave himself up in Los Angeles the other day. He had been out of trapping.

The desert well on the road between Mesa and Goldfield has been abandoned. It was down about 100 feet, in a hard bottom, and not a sign of water.

The Selmonville Bulletin states that there are 75 men, 15 scorpions and two plows at work on the railroad grade near Bowie. Four miles have been graded.

The total expense of running Yavapai county last year amounted to \$46,754. The expenses of Pima for the same time were \$51,620.08, and of Cochise \$315.45.

The school trustees of Prescott have issued a card for a special election to vote on a special school tax levy to run the school of that town for the remainder of the regular term.

J. R. Halsey, of Kingman, has purchased in Denver complete machinery for sampling works to be erected in Kingman. The plant will be in operation in about thirty days.

The best place in Arizona for an observatory, says the Journal Miner, is in Mt. Union, twenty miles south of Phoenix. The altitude is about 5,000 feet, and there is an easy, natural grade for a wagon road to the top of the mountain.

Henry Smith, one of the big cattle raisers near Springerville, and member of the live stock sanitary commission of that territory, has gone to Childs, Texas, where he is making arrangements to pasture several thousand steers.

The residence of J. A. Vail was burned February 19th, at Flagstaff. It was the finest residence in town and cost \$10,000. A portion of the furniture was saved. The insurance on the residence was \$5,000, and \$2,000 on the furniture.

C. D. Reppy, in a letter from Selmonville to the Phoenix Herald, says that the farmers along the Gila valley oppose the coming of the railroad. They believe that as the locomotive does not eat hay and grain their occupation is gone.

The workmen at a lime kiln near Gila City, while prospecting for lime stone, found a vein of beautiful white marble forty feet wide. Specimens taken from the surface and polished show it to be of a very fine quality and equal to the best Vermont marble.

All Arizona is indignant over an article written for several eastern papers by a correspondent by the name of Heywood Base fabrications were published about the territory. It is thought that Governor Hughes furnished the data for the article for the purpose of defeating statehood.

Says the Flagstaff Democrat: S. Rowe is now down eighty feet on the railroad company's new well at Chino station. The indications for water in large quantities being found are becoming better every day, and it is confidently believed that ere long many feet in depth are attained the much desired article will be found. A great change is likely to take place should the well prove a success.

Buckhorn Arises Alive.

The best alive in the world for cuts, bruises, sore throats, colds, rheum, fever, sore, fever, chapped hands, chilblains, burns, and all skin eruptions, positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Dr. Thos. H. Burgess & Son, druggists.

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