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ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1894.

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THE PROCEEDINGS!

Territorial Democratic Convention at Las Cruces.

A Large Gathering of Delegates of the Party

Manuel S. Sandoval, H. L. Ortiz and Pedro Delgado officiated as interpreters.

THESE SPEECHES.

The territorial democratic convention, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for delegate to congress, met at the commodious skating rink, in Las Cruces, N. M., in the famous fruit-growing valley, Monday last, being called to order at 2 o'clock p. m. by J. H. Crist, of Santa Fe, chairman of the democratic central committee. Mr. Crist delivered himself of a few words, urging harmony in the ranks, and intimating that the strongest man to be nominated by his party was the present delegate to congress.

He read the call for the convention, after which E. V. Chavez, of Socorro, was unanimously chosen temporary chairman, and R. L. Young, of Las Cruces, temporary secretary.

Mr. Crist then produced a letter from F. A. Maderan, who positively refused to have his name used in connection with the delegate nomination.

On motion, the chair proceeded to appoint a committee on credentials, one member from each county, but when San Miguel county was reached in the call a good-sized row came in for the reason that there were two delegations from that county and both desired seats. However, San Miguel county was passed, and after the appointment of the above committee the convention took a recess until 7:30 that evening.

The afternoon was almost entirely taken up in discussions over the San Miguel county delegations, and some of the delegates indulged in pretty severe and harsh words.

Before the delegates had left the hall, Gov. Thornton was called upon and he delivered a brief speech, dwelling principally upon his course as governor of the territory.

The chair named the following gentlemen on credentials: Bernalillo, Wm. Burns; Chavez, A. W. Pruitt; Colfax, G. S. Berringer; Dona Ana, V. B. May; Eddy, J. O. Cameron; Grant, G. W. Miles; Guadalupe, Felix Martinez; Lincoln, George W. Curry; Mora, Macario Gallardo; Rio Arriba, Jose de Montoya; San Juan, J. H. Crist; Santa Fe, A. P. Hill; Sierra, J. T. Parker; Socorro, J. H. Wilson; Taos, Jose M. Martinez; Union, J. S. Holland; Valencia, B. Romero.

Promptly at 7:30 p. m., the meeting was called to order by E. V. Chavez, temporary chairman, and he asked if the committee on credentials was ready to report, to which Mr. Martinez replied that the committee would not be ready to report for at least half an hour.

The committee reported, the report being read by G. W. Miles, and it recommended that San Miguel county have 104 votes for each delegate.

A. A. Jones, one of the delegates from San Miguel county, took an appeal, and stated in strong language that he was not giving his party—the democrats—justice. While he vehemently protested against the adoption of the report, what disposition the convention made of the same, it would not prevent him and the other delegates from supporting the nominee, but he declined to take an active part in the proceedings, as the report of the committee on credentials was unjust and unfair, for it reduced his delegation from seven, down only 34 votes.

Dr. Gould, of Las Vegas, favored the report as a wise one, as calculated to promote harmony in the several political ranks of San Miguel county, and he there considered 104 votes, to each of the two delegations from that county, far preferable to a split.

Felix Martinez, of the Union party of San Miguel county, conned peace and harmony, and was perfectly satisfied with the report of the committee on credentials, granting 104 votes to his delegation. He guaranteed at least 2,000 votes from the Union party of San Miguel county to the nominee of the convention, and stated that he thought the nominee would carry that county by between 1,200 and 1,500 votes.

Further discussion was indulged in, after which the report was adopted.

George Curry, of Lincoln county, was chairman, and G. W. Miles, of Grant, was secretary of the committee.

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And Will Lead the Hosts to Victory.

A GIGANTIC CONVENTION OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY.

THE CONVENTION WAS OPENED BY THE CHAIRMAN.

In preparation for the republican convention, which convened in this city today, the town was gaily decked with bunting and flags, while the bell tower in the plaza was harmoniously draped in the national colors.

Delegates were dropping in all day Wednesday, and on the evening train the southern delegations arrived in force, being met at the depot by the Philharmonic band and a large number of citizens, both democrats and republicans.

In the evening the band gave an open air concert in the plaza, which was enjoyed by hundreds of home people and many visitors.

Among those receiving guests at the depot were noticed J. B. Baca, Dr. Martin, Ernest Browne, S. Alexander, Edigo Baca, W. E. Martin, Elias Baca, Dr. Kittrell, C. T. Brown and many other republicans. The northern delegations arrived on the morning train.

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Chairman Twitchell then appointed T. B. Catron, O. A. Hadley and M. A. Otero to escort the temporary officers to their places.

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Mr. Twitchell moved that a committee of five be appointed on credentials. Amended to make it a member from each county, on each of the three committees.

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Mr. Prince introduced a resolution denouncing the democratic party for abandoning Ft. Marcy. Other resolutions were offered, but a motion prevailed to refer them all to the committee on resolutions without debate.

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vote. R. M. White objects, but was called to order. Amendment carried.

The committee on permanent organization reported as follows:

For chairman, E. S. Stover, Bernalillo; vice chairman, first district, Gregorio Griego; second district, J. F. Chavez; third district, S. B. Newcomb; fourth district, O. A. Hadley; fifth district, J. B. Baca; secretary, Secundino Romero; San Miguel; assistant secretary, M. A. Otero; Santa Fe; representative at large, A. B. Baca, Socorro.

Report of committee adopted.

B. F. Perez and C. L. Fountain reported to meet permanent officers to places.

For E. S. Stover, making a talk of some minutes' duration, directing the remarks principally against the democrats, as follows:

The committee on resolutions reported, which report was accepted.

Nonpareil was chosen for secretary, and an informal vote taken.

Bernalillo county nominated W. H. Lee; Grant, J. A. Valencia; Lincoln, W. P. Brown; Santa Fe, M. A. Otero; Socorro, S. B. Newcomb; Guadalupe, S. B. Newcomb; Valencia, J. F. Chavez. After several votes Catron was nominated.

ANOTHER REPORT.

The republican convention held at Socorro yesterday was in every way one of the most harmonious and satisfactory political meetings ever held in the territory.

The citizens of Socorro had arranged every detail for the accommodation of visitors, and it was not fifteen minutes after they arrived until all were comfortably settling away in preparation for the duties of the morning.

From the time that Chairman E. S. Stover called the convention to order until the unanimous choice of Thomas B. Catron, not a single incident occurred to mar the pleasure and the harmony of the meeting.

Mr. Twitchell was suffering with sore throat and his voice was weak, but in a few words he explained the objects of the convention, and Gen. R. L. Bartlett, acting for L. A. Hughes, secretary of the central committee, who was unavoidably absent, read the call issued by the committee.

Mr. Twitchell then named as temporary officers of the convention the Hon. T. W. Heenan, of Lincoln county, as chairman, and Mr. Max Luna, of Valencia, as secretary. Mr. Heenan, on taking the chair, made a fifteen minutes' speech which was highly interesting and appreciated.

Committees were then appointed on resolutions, permanent organization, and rules and order of business, after which the convention adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m. Upon re-assembling at that hour reports of all committees were received and unanimously adopted.

Hon. E. S. Stover, who was named for permanent chairman, made a ringing speech in which he arraigned the democracy for the bad faith shown in placing all the productions of New Mexico upon the free list, and characterized the Wilson-Gorman bill as the sweetened product of monopolistic democracy.

Nominations being declared to be in order, Hon. F. A. Hubbard paid an eloquent tribute to our fellow townsman, Judge W. D. Dow, and asked for him the favorable consideration of the convention.

Then followed nominating speeches from about half the counties of the territory, and at one time it looked as if there would not be many delegates left to vote, unless each one voted for himself.

Hon. J. A. Anchaeta, of Grant, G. W. Pritchard, of Lincoln, Miguel A. Otero, of San Miguel, Nicholas Galles, of Sierra, Elias Alexander, of Socorro, and J. Francisco Chavez, of Valencia, were successively named by men warmed with enthusiastic loyalty to the interest of their respective candidates.

Nominating speeches of W. A. Hawkins for J. A. Anchaeta, and Max Luna for the old war horse, of Valencia, are deserving of special mention, and might well be taken as models by orators of national reputation.

An informal ballot was taken, which disclosed the fact that Judge Lee, Anchaeta, Otero and Chavez were the favorites.

The first regular ballot showed Otero, Anchaeta and Chavez leading with from 26 to 29 votes each. On the second, the order was reversed, Chavez leading the list with 30 votes, Anchaeta following with 23, and Otero having 22. The interest at this point was intense.

A break for Chavez was imminent. Every one felt that the turning point, if one there was to be, had arrived. At this critical moment Hon. T. W. Heenan took the floor and in a two minutes speech placed the name of T. B. Catron before the convention, and the third ballot was proceeded with Bernalillo started the ball by giving him 5 of her 14 votes, and when the roll call was ended it found him leading all competitors.

Before the vote was announced, delegates began to change their votes, and the secretary was kept busy recording the changes until every ballot was cast for Thomas B. Catron, and he was declared to be the unanimous choice of the convention. The wildest excitement prevailed. The band stationed in one corner of the room struck up "See, the Conquering Hero Comes."

Men threw their hats in the air, cheered themselves hoarse, and shook each other's hands. Women's eyes sparkled, their handkerchiefs waved, and every one looked pleased. All felt that a happy solution of all differences had been arrived at, and that the next delegate to congress from New Mexico had been nominated.

After the confusion had subsided somewhat, Mr. Catron was called to the platform and delivered a most moderate, pleasing and telling address of acceptance. He thanked the convention for

having made him the standard bearer of the republican party in the pending campaign, expressed regret that the honor had not been given to one of the other candidates, any one of whom would have led the party to deserved and glorious victory, and discussed at some length the issues of paramount importance that will come before the people.

As the train for the north was just about due, Mr. Catron explained that as many delegates would desire to leave, and in view of the fact that he would soon again have an opportunity of seeing them, he would not longer detain them at this time. He then urged every republican to put his shoulder to the wheel and assist in rolling up an immense majority for an ideal republican candidate, and assist in redeeming the territory from the incompetent democratic hands under which it has fallen in the past few years.

With farewell groups of the band, the delegates departed to their respective homes, equipped with an honor roll and a determination to do their power to secure the choice of the convention at Socorro would be reflected by the vote of the people of the whole territory at the polls on the first day of November next, by a majority that would leave no doubt in the minds of any one that New Mexico would not assist herself when any congress comes to trample upon all her rights and destroy all the protection that has ever been given to her people.

MEANWHILE.

At a public meeting of the citizens and miners of the Cochiti mining district held at Bland, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, A rumor has become current that there are parties contemplating jumping claims that have been regularly located according to the United States and territorial laws, in case the land court decides against the grant claimants, Therefore be it

Resolved, By the miners and prospectors of the Cochiti mining district in meeting assembled, that they do hereby warn such persons that any act of this kind will not be tolerated, and such persons will be summarily dealt with without the aid of the court; and be it further

Resolved, That this shall apply to the claims of all persons whether present or absent if they have been regularly located.

Cochiti Mining District.

Editor Citizen.

Albuquerque, Sept. 21.—Many of the citizens of this city are not as familiar with Cochiti as they ought to be. It is in our own county, sixty-two miles distant by wagon road; by rail, take the accommodation train out of Albuquerque at 7:20 a. m. to Wallace, forty miles; there, Andy Horne's stage awaits arrival of the train, reaching Bland at 2 p. m.

The town of Bland is situated in the center of the mining district, within one mile of all the principal mines, viz: The Washington, Lone Star, Iron King, Last Chance No. 2, Crown Point, Good Hope, Hopewell, Union, Peace, Black Girl, Bull of the Woods, Grant, Monument, Chicago, and a number of other excellent claims.

The entrance to the Bland tunnel commences just in rear of Collington & Puck's store, at Bland. They are pushing into Gold hill, on which the above named mines are located, as fast as ten miners can work.

This district will yet astonish the mining world, and Albuquerque business men should try and secure the benefit that will surely be found in this district.

No one can realize the immense amount of gold and silver that is exposed to view in the Cochiti district.

A majority of the people of Bland and the district look to Albuquerque for help in placing this great mineral producing camp before the world. They only ask for facts to be published. Santa Fe is working and holding out for the prize, and it behooves Albuquerque to wake up.

A Fair Demand.

Some malicious person has put in circulation the report that T. J. Shinnick, the old-time base ball player, beat and won about \$1,500 on the ball games during the tournament at the territorial fair.

The rumor reached the ears of Mr. Shinnick last night, and he desires THE CITIZEN to state that he never beat a cent on the games, and never purchased a pool ticket of any kind in his life.

In his note of denial he says: "What little silver the boys got was donated by myself, with me, and as you know, my enthusiasm was aroused by the great game ex-league players."

Continuing, Mr. Shinnick, writing to the sporting editor of THE CITIZEN, says: "I have been a strong rooter, as you know, for our own team, since you and I helped organize the old Browns in 1881, and we have always rooted freely without the aid of pay or bets for our own boys, and will continue to do so."

Paul Dalles, captain and manager of the Bland base ball club, was in the city last evening, and during his stay was the guest of W. E. McLaughlin and R. E. Shannon. Mr. Dalles was here for the purpose of arranging a series of games between the Albuquerque Browns and the Bland base ball club.

ALBUQUERQUE ATHLETIC CLUB

Permanent Organization Effected at the Meeting last Evening.

The meeting called for last evening for bringing about the permanent organization of an athletic club in this city, was well attended and much enthusiasm was manifested.

The meeting was called to order by W. T. McCreight. The committee on permanent organization reported, and on motion the report was adopted, and the committee discharged.

The committee on constitution and by-laws submitted their report, which was adopted, and the committee discharged.

The committee on membership reported, and were ordered continued until October 1st.

The committee on permanent location and apparatus reported that the Armijo house could be had free until winter.

On motion of Attorney Wilkinson, a vote of thanks was extended to Meliton Chavez, agent of the Armijo house, and he was made an honorary member of the club.

The board of directors were authorized to elect a vice president in case of vacancy.

The following is the report of the committee on permanent organization:

We, the committee on permanent organization, beg leave to submit the following:

That the organization be known as the Albuquerque Athletic Club, and that the permanent officers be as follows:

President, W. T. McCreight; vice president, A. E. Walker; secretary, R. E. Shannon; treasurer, H. S. Knight; directors, Tim Wilkinson, Harry Lee, W. J. Dixon.

J. P. McCanna, J. W. Vonnies, C. M. Doss, Committee.

The club starts out under the most favorable auspices, and is an organization that should be welcomed by our citizens.

Albuquerque has many promising athletes at present, and the organization of the Albuquerque Athletic Club will swell the number.

Las Cruces Items.

Court was adjourned to-day for the ostensible purpose of having a democratic primary meeting at the court house.

But the funniest part of it is that the democrats, being unable to get up a meeting of the people, adjourned to the court house in order to have the court attendance and, of course, the petit and grand jurors.

Don Leon Albares, a very popular citizen of Anthony, arrived in our city to-day on the noon train.

Dr. Brown and Capt. Hyland, of the Kingston shaft, are in from Rincon. Capt. Hyland informs us that he came in on a tie pass. He is the man who favored the strike, the only thing that can account for his being in editorial pants.

The republicans of precincts Nos. 3 and 20 held their conventions to-day.

The convention held in precinct No. 3 was largely attended and enthusiastic.

Judge McFie, who is always on hand at anything of the sort, was called upon to address the meeting, which he did. He made a very fine speech, causing a great deal of applause as he made his remarks.

Don Lorenzo Lapoint, who was made chairman, made an elegant speech, telling the meeting why he was a republican now. Hereafter Mr. Lapoint has been a democrat.

J. C. Swarts, who has been a democrat for the last thirty years, declared himself a republican. He was made secretary, and Isidoro Armijo, Jr., interpreter of the meeting. The attendance was very large.

The convention held in precinct No. 20 was also a success. It was held in the house of Hon. Jacinto Armijo. Col. A. J. Fountain was elected chairman, Col. Eugene Van Patten interpreter and Isidoro Armijo, Jr., secretary. The attendance was surprising. Speeches were made by Judge J. R. McFie, Col. A. J. Fountain and Myer Heisch. The spirit of the people is remarkable. There was not even a mouth organ making music to call these primaries, and the people got no more notice than a few posters that were displayed on Friday, the day before.

Fifty-eight Indian boys left this week to attend the Albuquerque Indian school.

The Court Cases.

The third of the Cochiti cases is on trial to-day in the land court, this being the San Jose grant. Judge Laughlin and G. H. Howard appear as attorneys, and the time of the case was taken up in examining Mr. Jose Albino Baca and several other witnesses. The Borrego grant, which was on trial yesterday, was concluded, and the present case will be followed by a trial of the Canada de Cochiti claim, in which the principal fight will be made—New Mexican.

Dr. Bair, who came to Albuquerque last spring for the benefit of his health, and who has recently been located in Las Lunas, where he has practiced his profession, was in the city yesterday. The doctor has been a sadly failing in health recently, and his many Albuquerque friends will be pained to learn that his condition is such that he has been advised to go back to his home in Chicago, where his family and intimate friends may be able to care for him.

The latest report in regard to the big ditch on the mesa is to the effect that the result of the survey, together with a full official statement of all facts in connection with the situation, had been laid before the president of the enterprise in Boston, and that everything was regarded as satisfactory. Preparations for the beginning of active operations are now in progress.



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LADIES OF INDIA.

An Existence Without Misery, Not Intolerable.

The position of the native ladies of laputania is singularly deplorable. Pinned in from their babyhood within the narrow limits of the zenana, they are cut off from all contact with the outer world, with which they communicate only through their slave girls; seeing not only no men, but hardly any women, very few ladies of sufficient high rank (living within visiting distance of each other).

They are quite uneducated, unable to either read or write or work; nothing therefore remains to them but their natural affections, and these are outraged; their husbands professing no love for them, and visiting them but occasionally; their children being taken from them at a very early age, and placed under the guardianship of men, their mothers being considered unfit, and also truly, to bring them up. Is it to be wondered that such an education, such a violation of every instinct, every need of a human being, should produce creatures singularly deplorable?

Weekly Citizen

ALBUQUERQUE — SEPT 22, 1924

The Cochiti Call has temporarily suspended publication.

The next delegate from New Mexico will be named at Socorro.

The republicans will take a united delegation to the Socorro convention.

The people want the chronic office seekers left off the county ticket this fall.

That big democratic majority in San Miguel will not materialize this year.

Fort Winita is the only military post in western and northern New Mexico.

The populists in New Mexico are gaining recruits from the democratic party.

The whole people of New Mexico enter their protest against the abandonment of Fort Marcy.

The Citizens are for a good republican county ticket, and the people will back it in the demand.

The most hopeful sign of the times in this vicinity, is the active inquiring for farming lands.

Will Delegate Joseph explain to the people of Santa Fe why he allowed Fort Marcy to be abandoned?

Backers may contest, but the result of the primaries shows that he will not go back to congress.

Ton Rahn would make a pretty good republican candidate for president in 1926, on a free silver platform.

The troops stationed at Raton have returned to Fort Marcy, and peace reigns throughout the borders of this territory.

"Robert J." the pacing wonder, that went a mile recently at Terre Haute, in 2014, was sold in Philadelphia, at auction for \$250 in 1923.

AGAIN this paper is reminded that the democrats are so few in numbers in this county that it is hard work to keep up a party organization.

The last kick that New Mexico has received from the present democratic administration is the abandonment of several of the military posts.

MANEAS offered to put a big pile of money into the campaign provided Felix would support him, but Felix said no, and Frank wouldn't run.

The New Mexico did nothing to help make the territorial fair a success, and its criticism that the fair was not up to the standard is not in good taste.

This month paid on best sugar last year amounted to \$523,174.64. Of this sum California received \$555,798.84; Nebraska, \$118,564, and Utah, \$77,542.

The abandonment of Ft. Marcy will be a severe blow to Santa Fe, but it is right in line with the whole policy of the present administration toward New Mexico.

The democrats say Col. Mills is a "two for five" candidate, meaning probably that the colonel will draw to him five democratic votes to two republicans.

The democrats probably will not put a ticket in the field, but indorse the populist ticket, which will be put in the field as soon as Halliburton and Stamm can agree.

All of New Mexico and Arizona should be thoroughly organized at once for next year's fair. It will be the greatest advertising chance the southwest ever had.

In Maine fourteen democrats were returned to the legislature in place of the forty-four of 1922. Fourteen out of one hundred and fifty-one will not hurt the country.

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POPULIST NOMINEE

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Joe Moore, who was bartender at Gregory's Arcade, Gallup, is in the city and will probably remain.

G. H. Waterbury, postoffice inspector, was in the city yesterday, arriving Saturday night from Denver.

Miss Fidelia, the old town school teacher, left on No. 4 passenger train yesterday afternoon for St. Louis.

Prof. I. Aronson, after making a tour through Old Mexico, has returned to this city, and intends to remain a few days.

The Misses Hill, who have been spending their week in the city, returned to their home in San Antonio last evening.

D. L. Sammie and B. C. Robertson, who were up at the Cochiti mining district, returned home last Saturday night.

Mrs. Belle Langham, who recently came to Albuquerque, was called to her former home in San Francisco yesterday by telegram.

F. R. Stockton, official court stenographer of his district, returned to his home in Prescott, after a short stay in the city.

A son of J. B. Mackel, a merchant of Las Vegas, passed through the city last night to attend the agricultural college at Las Cruces.

F. C. Rogers, who has been one of the clerks at Life Bros. for the past six months or more, left last Saturday for Pueblo, Col.

John Kerrigan, of Trinidad, was here several days last week, leaving Saturday night to visit his brother, James Kerrigan, at Winslow.

C. H. Young, division superintendent of Wells-Fargo Express company, and wife have gone to Denver. They will return Thursday night.

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R. S. Stockton, who was so delighted with the fair that he stayed the whole of last week, returned to his home at Ash Fork, Arizona, last night.

Mrs. Belle Hall Small, who was here during the past week on a visit to her brother, C. C. Hall, returned to her home at St. Joseph, Mo., yesterday afternoon.

G. W. Pitcock, the energetic news publisher for the Santa Fe along the line of the Atlantic & Pacific road, left last night for an extended trip over northern Arizona.

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Rev. T. C. Beattie and wife, who have been spending their vacation back in New York, have returned, and Rev. Beattie filled his pulpit at the Presbyterian church yesterday.

Miss Clements, a very pretty young lady who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moore, left last night for Pueblo, N. P. Owen, the young lawyer, saw the lady safe on the Pullman.

J. F. Palmer, manager of the office of the Western Union company at Flagstaff, and who is one of the school directors for that district, was accompanied by Manager Delaney, while in the city.

Miss C. I. Haun was registered at the Highland last evening from Saco, Ariz. The lady was formerly teacher of the Indian school at that place, and has been transferred to the Indian school in this city.

Hon. Rafael Romero, one of the democratic delegates of Las Vegas to the territorial convention at Las Cruces, mingled with his many Albuquerquean friends last night until the 11:30 train, when he left for the south.

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Juan Herrera, the leader of the people's party of San Miguel county, was in the city last night and dropped around at this office for a few minutes chat. He is one of the delegates from San Miguel county to the territorial democratic convention at Las Cruces.

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Peter Stewart, hoisting engineer in one of the Crescent Coal company's mines at Gallup, returned home last night accompanied by his wife and child. Mr. Stewart and family have spent the past week in the city, and report having a most enjoyable time. They were guests of the Highland during their stay in the city.

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LAOROX'S EXPERIENCE.

Not a Believer in Ghosts. But He Holds a Singular Circumstance.

"I am not a believer in ghosts, reincarnations, or the supernatural in any shape, but I had a singular experience some years ago which I have never been able to account for satisfactorily," said J. P. Laoroiz of Montreal. "I was second mate of a merchant ship in 1842. Among the crew was a tough customer named Lander, always in trouble. He had a frightful scar, extending from brow to chin, the result of a dock fight; he had a bullet wound which had taken away the lobe of his right ear, besides a peculiar pro- nouncement like a won on his forehead. I would take my oath that there was like him, another man alive marked just like him. At the end of the voyage Lander killed his wife and cut his own throat. He severed the windpipe but he recovered. The wound in his throat healed, but left a hole, which he had to cover with his hand when he spoke. He breathed through a silver tube. He was tried and convicted, and, happening to be in port, I was present at the hanging and saw the body buried. In 1890 I was on the gold coast of Africa. Ashore one day I came across a man bossing a gang of negro laborers. His form seemed strangely familiar, and I started with surprise when I saw him place his hand over his throat giving some orders. Going closer I saw the scar, the won, the silver tube and every feature and characteristic of the man I saw hanged and buried. I got into conversation with him. He said his name was Lander. He was unable to tell how he came by the wound in his throat, ear and face. He said he must have had a long illness. He remembered being in a hospital, he said, but it was like a dream, and he had no recollection of his life before that. He said he remembered while still ill, taking a voyage, he didn't know where from, until he had landed where I met him. He told me my face looked like one he had seen in a dream, but he knew he had never seen me before. How do I account for it? I don't try to. I am only telling the facts. I don't know whether Lander was Lander come to life again, or a reincarnation of him. Maybe Lander's neck was not broken and some scientific chap had been experimenting on him with a battery. All I know is that no two men could possibly be marked exactly in the same way. If it was Lander he was greatly benefited by the change, as on inquiry I found that he bore a splendid reputation as a quiet, law-abiding, peaceable citizen."

"The Belle"

Henry Sartain, son of the famous engraver, tells this story of how, in 1881, Poe's poem of "The Belle" was first published in Sartain's Magazine. "One came into the office one day, and, handing father a stanza in manuscript, asked him what he thought of it. Father looked it over, and said he thought it pretty good. 'Is it worth \$5?' asked Poe. Father said he thought it was, and paid him the money. The poem was the first stanza of 'The Belle.' A week or so later Poe again sauntered into the office with the remark: 'Well, John, I see you haven't printed my poem yet.' Father replied that he had not, because of lack of space. 'Well, I've got another stanza here. Will you let me have a five on it?' The man looked so utterly wretched that father paid him the money and took the stanza. Still another installment of two additional stanzas followed within a month, and then it was that the poem was first printed."

From Tuesday's Daily

L. Smith, of Santa Fe, is in the city today.

Rev. Fr. Pouyet, of San Marcial, is in the city.

John Lawler, of Prescott, is registered at the San Felipe.

B. H. Shaw is registered at the European from Allerton.

Terrance Muller, who is interested in mining in the Cochiti district, is in the city.

Mrs. Hilton and daughter, Eva, returned to their home in San Antonio yesterday.

Ralph Halloran, the bustling insurance man, was a passenger from the north last evening.

J. W. Miller, a well known commercial traveler of Kansas City, is registered at the Columbus.

Geo. E. Murphy, representing the Roosevelt Record, was in the city and made this office a pleasant call.

B. H. Shaw, of Allerton, one of the republican delegates, gave this office a pleasant call this morning.

Mrs. Albert Grunsfeld, returned last evening from a three month's visit with her two daughters in Boston.

Mrs. Wroth and Mrs. Ferguson, who have been on a visit to Denver, returned by yesterday evening's train.

F. W. Lord, a genial commercial traveler who makes frequent visits to Albuquerque, is at the Columbus.

Alex. Bowle and George Spairs, of Gallup, are in the city today, being delegates to the republican convention.

W. A. Givens, general agent of the Singer Sewing Machine company for New Mexico, took today's train for Las Vegas.

Roswell is preparing for a grand celebration on October 15, in honor of the arrival of the first train over the Pecos valley road.

Miss Hans, the new teacher of the Indian school, who was recently transferred from the school at Saco, Ariz., went out to the school yesterday, and will resume her duties at once.

C. G. Lott, who is interested in several mining claims in the Cochiti district, will return to the gold region to-morrow, after spending several days with his family in this city. Mr. Lott expects to remain in the district during the coming winter and push work on his claims.

Ferguson stood up the voice of a democratic nomination in New Mexico this fall very accurately. He had voted

though in the convention to nominate him, and still he declined. As Joseph has had the democratic nomination as long as there was anything in it, he no more than fair that he should take it now, when it is empty.

Dr. Crane, a prominent dentist of Minneapolis, Tenn., is spending a few days in the city, and was being shown the sights of New Mexico's metropolis yesterday by Dr. Chamberlin. Dr. Crane is making a tour of the southwest for the benefit of his health and is much pleased with our glorious climate.

Parties just in from the Cochiti district report that the Band Tunnel company have just encountered a fine body of ore as it strikes the Black Girdle lead. The Hopewell, also, is in great luck having in its latest assay beaten its recent return of 244 ounces of silver and one and a half ounces of gold.

The Postal company received to-day two large reels of 8-wire safety cable and eight cases containing relays, rheostats, switches and other instruments. The accumulators for the battery plant are on the road, and the work of permanently wiring the office will proceed rapidly.

Santa Fe officials say the local business of their road at this point is more than a hundred per cent greater now than it was a year ago. That speaks well both for the road and the town.

Folsom and Dane are book keepers at the penitentiary, and the warden boasts that no prison in the United States can show a finer set of books.

The Indian schools have an official styled the "disciplinarian." The services of such an officer have just been greatly in demand at Las Cruces.

Dr. Crulchank, of San Marcial, was on the Santa Fe train held up in Missouri last night, and dressed the wounds received by the engineer.

One of the first steps in the way of preparing for next year's great show, should be an effort to secure suitable fair grounds.

Hot Water for Cows.

Hot water for cows is the maxim of the French dairy farmers in the department of Finisterre. They claim to have proved by experiments that when cows drink hot water they produce one-third more milk than when they are refreshed with cold water only. (Caution must, of course, be observed in adopting the new system. Avaricious dairymen must be wary of scalding the throats of their cows in their haste to avail themselves of this discovery, which is vouched for by our consul at Brest. The proportions, we are told, are half a pail of boiling water and half a pail of cold.

Play's "Crime"

A great sensation has been caused in Austria by the imprisonment of a 14-year-old boy on the charge of lese majeste. The little fellow, Eduardo Krollsch, was arrested in Trieste a few weeks ago charged with making improper remarks regarding the Austrian emperor. He was tried in secret and condemned to hard labor in prison for two months. The public prosecutor proposed to banish the boy from the country, but the courts would not uphold him in this. Krollsch, who is a schoolboy, is said to be the youngest person ever imprisoned for such a "crime."

A Student's Smart Trick.

Professor, to a student who had on in the lecture hall a loud cravat instead of a white one—These loud cravats are becoming very fashionable, it seems.

Student—Yes, professor, that's so. Professor, severely—But they are not worn in the presence of gentlemen.

Student, somewhat confused—No, professor, they never are—Sunday Mercury.

Four City Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale: Dr. King's New Discovery, for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for Liver, Stomach and Kidney troubles—Book's Relief, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at Dr. T. H. Burgess & Son's Drug Store.

Marvellous Cures.

From a letter written by Rev. J. G. Gorman, of Dincoland, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitations in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were all marvellous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist church at River Junction she was brought down with Pneumonia, succumbing to Grippe. Two weeks of coughing would have cost her life with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery. It was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Trial bottles free at Dr. T. H. Burgess & Son's Drug Store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00.

Dinner Tables.

The form of dinner table varies. John Bull loves a round table, the German is partial to an oval board and the French like the old square line; in America all three are used.

Occupation.

"Hello!" said the waves to the bathing suit, "what are you doing now?"

"Oh, traveling on my shape," replied the bathing suit.—Truth.

A Fortunate Youth.

"Tommy, is it a new brother you have?" Tommy, perplexed—Yes, sir, but one of him is a girl—Life.

John G. Kneger, editor of the Sunbeam, of Kansas, Mo., who named Grover Cleveland for his presidency in Nov. 1902, while he was mayor of Buffalo, N. Y., is enthusiastic in his praise of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and Chamberlain's Kidney and Bladder Remedy. He says: "I have used it for the past five years and consider it the best remedy of the kind in the market. It is an equally good remedy for all the ailments of the throat and chest and should be used in every household. For sale by T. H. Burgess & Son, druggists."

THE CONVENTION!

Grand Gathering of Bernalillo County Republicans.

Full Delegations from all Precincts.

The Convention was terminated, Un- ted and Harmonious.

ORGANIZED FOR VICTORY.

The republican county convention to choose delegates to represent Bernalillo county at the Socorro convention, was called to meet in this city at 10 o'clock this morning, but the central committee was tardy in completing its arrangements, and the convention was not called to order till some time after the hour designated in the call. A large majority of the delegates assembled at the hall at the proper time, and waited quietly for the committee to get ready. After the company had listened to remarks from several gentlemen, who all counseled unity and harmony, Gov. Stover, chairman of the central committee, appeared and announced that the convention had been postponed till 2 o'clock p. m., and would be called to order by him in the hall of Grant's opera house promptly at that hour, and not before. Upon this announcement the delegates dispersed in good humor to await the pleasure of the committee.

Promptly at two o'clock p. m., Hon. R. S. Stover, chairman of the central county committee of Bernalillo, called the meeting to order.

Mr. R. B. Meyers was made permanent chairman of the convention, and Mr. R. W. Hopkins secretary.

Mr. Librado Baca, of Pena Blanca, was appointed interpreter.

Hon. R. S. Stover addressed the meeting on the great impending issues. He called attention to the statement he had made two years ago, that the democratic party was a fraud, and he called upon the people to witness the ample proofs which had been furnished by that party during the last two years. He tellingly referred to their pension record, in which they cut off thousands from the roll without investigation, but had been compelled by public indignation to restore the same to the lists again.

He showed up the hypocrisy of the democrats when they pledged that if the Sherman bill should be repealed, that they would immediately give up something as good or better in its place, and asked what have they done.

He paid his respects to their noted record in favor of trusts, the Great Sweetener in particular. That after all the cry they had made and professions of friendship for the dear people, with full power and authority to carry out any policy they desired, they had listened to the bribes of the syndicates and heaped an immense load upon the government which must be taken out of the sugar buckets of every laboring man in the United States.

He showed the utter absurdity of reasoning by which democratic power had gained the protection of wool on the ground that manufacturers could thus furnish clothes for the poor so much cheaper, but that they left the protection on the manufactured goods and allowed manufacturers to control prices for both the laborer and the wool producer.

In a few pointed conclusions he repeated the disastrous position the democrats have taken on wool, lead and silver ore, and predicted the sure annihilation they have courted and are sure to reap.

There was determination and purpose in the faces of the delegates from every precinct in the county, and the immense enthusiasm displayed warrants the prediction that democratic representation in New Mexico is a thing that once tried is not to be renewed.

As we go to press, the convention is organizing for business. Harmony and enthusiasm will send to Socorro representative men to the territorial convention. A full report will be in to-morrow's Citizen.

The following committees were chosen: Organization—Jesse Castillo, E. W. Hopkins, Jesus Romero, Wm. Parr and John Bernalillo.

Ordeal table—Pedro Perez, Chas. F. Hunt, Cornelius Murphy, F. A. Hubbard and Sam White.

Resolutions—Thos Hughes, Dr. Wine- low, Mr. Boyd, Judge Shaw and J. R. Ribera.

Stock on Sale.

Are the prejudices which some people cherish against what is good for them. They reason, as our old friend Artemus Ward says, "No and so has been taking medicine for a long time and isn't any better." They only know of individual cases. Many could be cited to their astonishment, in which Hostetter's Stomach Bitters has brought about a complete change in the physical condition of persons suffering from general ill health. This thorough stomachic, besides having the decided recommendation of the general public as the possessor of qualities as an invigorant and restorative of health not found anywhere else. In bodily troubles caused by the liver, stomach and bowels, in instances where rheumatic tendencies are experienced, and when the kidneys are weak, it is the true resort.

Impressed with Cochiti Mineral.

Mr. Strong, brother of our citizen, W. H. Strong, has gone with the latter to investigate the Cochiti mining region. Like all mining experts who have closely investigated that wonderful district, he will return full of enthusiasm over the richness and extent of those great mineral deposits.

Mr. Strong is impressed with metropol- itan Albuquerque, and will return this winter and make his headquarters here while investigating the mineral resources of our territory. He is from Cripple Creek, Colorado, and we predict that

when the new pending settlement of grant questions is made, that many Colorado capitalists will come in and invest in the greatest gold mining district on the continent. The leads are immense in breadth and uniformly bring in big mill returns. The Band Tunnel company is demonstrating the fact that these leads are rich, as they go down and the tunnel will attain a depth of 1000 feet below the apex of Gold Hill when it is 1,200 feet.

YEARS IN A PILL BOX.

Unearthed life of the New-Mexico Snail and three other "snails."

Many persons, even those who have always lived in the city, have seen this strange looking mollusk. Though not beautiful, it is such a queer creature, creeping along so slowly with its house on its back, that even if one were in great haste, he would stop and take a good look at it. The snail is like the clam oyster, in that it has a short body without any bones and a hard shell over it. It has one foot running along the under side of the body, and a long tongue like a ribbon, with teeth which work against the upper jaw and crunch the weeds it feeds on. It is an air-breathing animal, and has a little sack which answers for lungs. The pond snail working on the river bottom comes to the top occasionally, sets free the bubble of air he has used, takes a fresh one, and returns to its work.

The land snail has four feelers or horns two above and two below, and has its eyes at the ends of its horns which it can draw in and out at pleasure, while the pond snail has only two horns and wears its eyes at their base. If the snail gets its shell broken it throws out a sticky fluid across the fracture and soon a horny patch has grown as good as ever.

Snails remain torpid during the cold weather, the land snail early in the fall creeping under a log and fastening itself to it by forcing out a little glue or saliva at the edge of the shell, which soon hardens so that no air can pass in or out of the shell; there it remains hermetically sealed until the warm weather returns.

The pond snail seals up its mouth in the same way and sinks to the bottom of the pond, where it lies buried in the mud in the same way as frogs. Although so careful to protect themselves, they can bear intense cold and are often frozen solid without being killed. They have no sense of smell, and as their blood is white they are not sensitive to pain as red blooded animals are.

They live a long time without food. Dr. Newcomb of the University, it is said, kept snails shut up in a pill box for several years and they were resuscitated by a very little moisture.

Snails are good weather prophets, their color changing on the approach of rain. Some kinds prophesy rain seven or eight days before by tubercles that appear on their bodies, seemingly for the purpose of imbibing moisture, and they are often seen some days before a rainstorm climbing bushes and trees and seeking shelter under the leaves.

Snails were much valued in olden times for their supposed medical qualities, boiled in milk they were thought to be an unfailing remedy for lung troubles, and the water in which they had been boiled was considered a sovereign cure for many ailments, as was also their oil.

In Paris the common snails are eaten and considered a rare titbit by gourmets. In some parts of France they have regular snaileries or parks, where snails are raised and fattened for sale. Snails are well liked, too, by our friend the house wren, which often feeds its young almost entirely on the shellless snail, thus being a benefactor to the farmer and gardener, for the slugs, as the shellless snails are called, are very destructive to green wheat and vegetables, often destroying whole gardens of plants.—New York Sun.

Justice of the Peace from the State of Iowa. Having arrived, previous to a trial, at a conclusion upon a question of law highly satisfactory to himself, refused to entertain an argument by the opposing counsel. "If your honor please," counsel pleaded, "I should like to cite a few authorities upon the point." Here he was sharply interrupted by the justice, who stated: "The court knows the law, and is thoroughly advised in the premises, and has given his opinion, and that settles it." "It is not," continued counsel, "with an idea of convincing you honor that you are wrong, but I should like to show you what a d—n fool Blackburn was."—Argonaut.

WHY WAIT A LITTLE LONGER.

Two children of New Brunswick, N. J., fell in love with each other and eloped. They tried to induce every justice of the peace and every minister in Perth Amboy to perform the marriage ceremony, but although the girl, who is 14 years old, tried to give herself a more mature appearance had lengthened her dress and fastened up her hair, all refused and the youthful couple finally decided to return home and wait a few years.

As the alcohol increased escaped from the body in an unaltered state. It cannot, of course, be looked upon for possessing an alimentary value. According to Dr. E. Smith, alcohol does not increase the production of heat in the body as a chemical agent, but by the power it possesses of stimulating the activity of the vital functions.

Offenbach was the French Gilmore. He always tried to please rather than to instruct, and of the sixty- seven years that he wrote in less than twenty-five years, only one had good fortune to last more than three or four years.

Wanted no interference.

Mrs. de Fashion, to her new Chinese cook—John, why do the Chinese bind the feet of their women.

John—So they not trotter round streets and beseech cook.—Life.

Frank Short, who has been confined to his bed for the past three weeks with an ailment, is again able to eat.

TRAIN ROBBERY!

Bold Attempt at Robbery on the Santa Fe in Missouri.

Engineer is Badly Wounded by the Bandits.

Passengers were Badly Frightened by the Cry of "Train Robbers."

CHINESE SUFFER GREAT LOSS.

Gorin, Mo., Sept. 18.—The Colorado and Utah express on the Santa Fe was held up by robbers at 3:30 a. m. to-day. As the railroad and express officials had a spy on the trail of the bandits, when they stopped the train they met a hail of buckshot and bullets, and it is said that at least two are dead in the surrounding woods, while others rode for a rendezvous twenty-one miles away filled with bullets. They shot Dad Prescott, the engineer, before they even gave him a chance to hold up his hands. His wound, it is believed, will not prove fatal. After the train left Chicago at five o'clock, last evening, railroad and express detectives, all walking armaments, climbed off at every station. J. A. Matthews who has been acting spy for two weeks boarded the train at Galesburg. He brought news that the robbers had decided to leave their hiding place near Memphis at 8:30 o'clock last night and make third attempt to get rich at the expense of express company. They expected to make a haul of at least \$30,000. At Fort Madison Iowa, division superintendent of Wells Fargo Express Company got into the treasury car. He carried a sawed off Winchester that once belonged to Bill Dalton. With him were four men, Santa Fe detectives Kinney and Montgomery who boarded the engine. Superintendent Stockton and two good shots were carried in the express car. In the forward end of the smoking car a dozen men were placed. At 2 o'clock when sheriff Saling of Scotland county climbed on board all details of the surprise party were arranged. There was a spy who had to be protected.

According to the report brought in by Matthews, the spy, he would endeavor to be the one who flagged the train, if so, one torpedo would precede the swinging of the lantern. Orders were given that no matter if every robber got away there was to be no shooting to endanger the life of the man who had taken his life into his hands to frustrate the attempted robbery. In a little compartment filled with armed men the lights were out and windows up. In each seat were two men sitting side- ways with the muzzles of their guns protruding just over the sills. Beside them stood others, with Winchester at half cock resting across their hands. Out from between two high embankments just one mile from Gorin sped the train, and then came the crack of the longed-for signal, and across the tracks not fifty yards away swung a red light.

Within twenty seconds the train was at a standstill. Out from the dense undergrowth came the four forms, the face of each hidden by a black mask. One rushed to the engine almost before his companions could reach the express car. Within ten feet of the tender he pointed a rifle at Dad Prescott, the white-bearded engineer, and as he shouted "Hold up your hands," he pulled the trigger. Dad fell to the floor of the cab with a bullet in his right breast. With one bound Kinney gained the top of the tender and sent a shower of shots almost into the face of the masked individual. How the fellow ever managed to move six inches is a mystery, but he did and made for the woods. The shot which laid Eugene Prescott low was a signal for a fusillade and also for the hasty retreat of the robbers to the timber. They fired two shots, but although the men were leaning from the car windows and pulling triggers as fast as possible while others were giving chase, they failed to hit a man.

The place where the horses were tied was soon found, and cut hitching straps showed one man at least had life enough to escape. Search for the dead and wounded was postponed until morning, but chase after one or more who escaped was started within ten minutes. It is not likely that the passengers will ever forget the experience. With the first shot every man near a window opened it and looked out, and with the second he drew his head in and dropped on the floor. The cry, "train robbers," went through the train and women went down on their knees and screamed. When the train reached Gorin, Engineer Prescott was removed to his house and Dr. Cruikshanks, the Santa Fe physician in New Mexico who was on the train, dressed the wound. Fireman McGraw took the train west twice before last night's attempt the bandits started for the spot selected for their deed of violence. Each time the fall of rain baffled them.

The Santa Fe received a tip of the contemplated raid three weeks ago. Every night since half a dozen secret service men have been on the train, and on nights when the spy gave warning that the robbery was to take place, the force was increased.

W. E. McDaniels, the man who advised the officers of the plot, time and place of the Santa Fe train robbery, went last night with C. F. Abrams, Link Overfield and two others to Gorin. As the train neared Gorin, the engineer noticed the switch signal light had been removed, and heard a torpedo explode and saw a signal flag waved. He stopped the train, and Abrams, the leader of the gang, ran to the engineer and called out, "We've got you! Hold up your hands!" The engineer was slow in responding, and Abrams shot him. Detective Kinney, concealed in the tender, shot Abrams in the shoulder with a double-barreled shot gun loaded with buckshot. Abrams and the other robbers ran for the brush.

Abraham's horse was killed. The officers secured the brush, but did not find the robbers. The officers came to Memphis and got out warrants. They located Abrams and Overfield and brought them to jail. Abrams will die. The officers refuse to give the names of the others implicated.

Thoroughly Whipped.

London, Sept. 18.—A dispatch from Ping Yang, Corea, says every hour adds to the crushing character of the Chinese defeat. The total of Chinese losses is said now to be over 17,000 killed, wounded and prisoners. The Chinese prisoners number 14,500. It is probable the number will be increased in the next few days by prisoners being constantly brought in by the Japanese cavalry. Besides, Gen. Tao Fank Wai, commander-in-chief of the Manchurian army, who only surrendered when badly wounded, the Japanese captured Generals Tao Pak Wai, Wei Ink Wei, Nanyu Kow Kog and Sai Kin Lin, practically all the defective Chinese staff. The Chinese prisoners are to be sent to Japan in batches of 1,000 on board Japanese transports.

GHOSTS WALKED BY NIGHT.

Captures of Four Lads Who Escaped From a State Industrial School.

Several officers of the state industrial school spent a night lately in pursuit of four boys who, clad only in nightgowns, had escaped from the institution, says the Rochester Post-Express. The runaways were overhauled at Spencerport and reached Rochester at 10 o'clock the next morning, lying under guard on the deck of a canal boat. Samuel Morrill, Albert Perkins, William Stone and Frank Lewis were attacked by chicken-pox a fortnight ago and placed, to guard against contagion, in a ward of the hospital which is located in the second story of the building outside of the walls of the school. One of the windows faced on Emerson street. At 10 o'clock one evening the door of the boys' room was locked, but when an hour and a half later the attendant visited that portion of the building the boys were not to be seen. The window was found open and the light bars had been pried from their fastenings. The room was never intended to contain any one well enough to attempt to escape. A rope, made from sheets, away from the window. The lads were convalescent. Their clothes had been removed and they were obliged to venture out in nightgowns.

The police were notified and the officers of the school started out in search of the patients. Soon word was received from police headquarters that a canal boatman steering his craft through the western midwater had seen four ghostly figures stealing along the towpath. The boatman shouted to the spirits and they vanished in the air. Superintendent F. H. Briggs, Colonel McClutcheon and another officer of the school started in chase at 10 o'clock. Now and then they heard of the runaways and finally learned that the boys had embarked on a west-bound boat near Four Mile grocery. The officers of the school pressed on to Spencerport, where the boat was overtaken; the lads were huddled together in the main cabin. The captain made no attempt at concealment, asserting he had planned to notify the authorities at the first opportunity. The boys could not be returned to town at once on account of the remoteness of their apparel, so they were placed under guard and a boatman agreed to take them as passengers. The runaways laid down on the deck and they were covered with blankets.

WILES OF THE CIRCUS MAN.

How He Bartered With the Farmer for a Barnside.

The sun is just peeping over the first chafe of hills when we rouse the farmer from his breakfast. He has a nice new barn from the road, which the bill posters measure with greedy eyes. The one who is boss for the day jumps down and goes to the door. The farmer comes out in his shirt sleeves and argues with him. He says that he has no prejudice against the circus; but he is a member of the church and is afraid the neighbors will talk. The old man keeps his eyes averted from the ticket order which is prominently held in the tempter's hand, for fear he will be unable to resist. Time is precious, however, and the circus man runs down the walk and remounts his place, and we drive on.

The next place is all right. The bill posters know it before going to the house, because the marks of the last circus bills are hanging in tattered remnants to the old barn. While the boss goes to the house the other man gets out his buckets and brushes and goes for water. He considers permission a "dead sure thing." The other man carries a little order book, each leaf of which contains a contract to the effect that the owner of the place gives permission for posting bills on his barn or the stable or shop, and promises that the bills shall be allowed to remain there to a certain date, in consideration of which he receives from two to six tickets. The circus man offers him the very lowest number and generally keeps him down to two, but the smart farmer makes the man give him three or four. The owner signs the contract, very reluctantly always, as a farmer hates to sign anything the circus man places a little square across the leaf, and tears off the order so as to include the number agreed upon, enters the man's name on the corresponding stub up against the house and then bolts down to the road. The other fellow, as soon as he sees the farmer laboriously writing his name, gets water from the well or spring and yanks on his overalls. Within the next half minute both men are copping the sides of the barn with paste.

Irrving W. Lathrop, physical director of Y. M. C. A., Des Moines, Iowa, says he can conscientiously recommend Chamberlain's Pain Balm to athletes, gymnasts, bicyclists, foot ball players in general for bruises, sprains and dislocations; also for soreness and stiffness of the muscles. When applied before the game because swollen it will effect a cure in one half the time usually required. For sale by Dr. T. H. Burgess & Son, druggists.

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