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ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO, SATURDAY, JANUARY 3, 1903.

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Territorial Topics

GALLUP.

Republican.
Drunk Indians were arrested at Winders and an assistant was evening. Four of them was each and two of them got. If some of the parties engaged in selling liquor to us were given three years in entery it would have a ten at a stop to the business. reported that J. B. Smith has ttle to M. B. Johnson.
Lenden is in from the reseed the holidays.
Shara Cotton returned from to pass the holidays with A. Waring returned from a o months with relatives in r has been dinned in the r the round house, and Gal shortly have a fine skating

LAS CRUCES.

From the Progress.
Miss Edith Davis, of the college, is spending her vacation in Topeka, Kansas.
Prof. H. Hadley has been in attendance this week upon the educational association at Las Vegas.
Prof. D. M. Richards has been in Las Vegas this week attending the meetings of the educational association and the Christian Endeavor convention.
Mr. Jack Fall, son of Judge A. B. Fall, has been in town spending a few days of his Christmas vacation. Jack attends the Military Institute at Roswell and has the honor to hold first place both in his class and department.
W. N. Hager returned from the New man oil well the first of the week. He reports the outlook better than ever before. They have enough oil that it will rise to the top of the water and can take off. The oil has been tested and is of a high grade. The well is now down 1000 feet and will be put down 200 further if necessary.
Mr. Shears of Highrolls, was in town this week with a big load of his fine vegetable. He prides himself upon the celery which he can raise, and this office is indebted to him for some of the finest celery we have ever tasted either from the California or Michigan gardens. Mr. Shears is an old and experienced gardener and every winter makes trips to El Paso and this vicinity to sell his vegetables.
Away out on the plains near the base of the San Andres, a well boring machine has been at work several weeks with good results. The well is down some 160 feet with a six-inch casing, and eighty feet of water demonstrates the feasibility of the scheme. It is the intention to sink 500 feet in the hope of an artesian flow. Success in this instance means other wells and a rapid advance in the agricultural welfare of that region. Chas. Story is standing the cost.

DEMING.

From the Herald.
Mr. and Mrs. Bullard, recent arrivals from Denver, have a child sick with tonsillitis.
Mr. and Mrs. Posten came in thirty miles with their child, suffering from tonsillitis, to see a physician.
W. D. Miller, the carpenter, has gone to Gainesville, Texas, to reside. His family moved there several weeks ago. T. S. Robinson's store is still closed and no one appears to know the whereabouts of the proprietor. The store was closed under orders from Mrs. Robinson, in California. Al. Kuntz has the keys to the place in his possession.
Three young boys who are out seeing the world are washing dishes for the cowboys at the stock yards for their board. They are Will Tyra, Ray A. Puddy, and Johnny Boone, and they say they are headed for Bisbee. Will Tyra, who is only about 8 years of age, gravely informed the reporter that he was in search of work.

SOCORRO.

From the Register.
Mrs. R. C. Uppergrove left for Deming, where Mr. Uppergrove has a position in the railroad yards as switchman.
Mrs. W. H. Coleman, who has been away several weeks taking medical treatment, returned much improved in health.
Donatiano Tapia was quite severely burned one day last week, while at work on the big furnace at the smelter, by a large piece of hot slag falling against his right leg.
It is reported that John Jones has sold his copper gold claim in the Santa Fe mountains for fifty thousand dollars. The first payment was made last Tuesday.
C. C. Green has bought a house and lot on the south side of the river, of G. B. Hendricks, and is fixing it up for a home. Thus it is that the residence part of our town is filling up with permanent settlers.
J. L. Wells and family left for their new home at Nacozari Mexico, where Mr. Wells has accepted a position as metallurgist in the great smelting works situated at that place. Mr. and Mrs. Wells were among our best citizens and it is a matter of regret to all that they are leaving our town. The best wishes of the entire community go with them to their new home.

WHITE OAKS.

From the Eagle.
The public schools have dismissed until after New Year's.
A W. O. W. lodge has been organized

at North Captain. The charter membership is twenty-two.

Richard Tallafiero is home from the A. & M. college at Las Cruces to spend the holidays.
J. B. Collier is spending the holidays with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Hopping, at Albuquerque.

Col. G. W. Prichard went to Socorro on legal business. He returned the last of the week and will spend the holidays at home.

John Y. Hewitt is adding several hundred volumes to his law library. He now has the finest library in southern New Mexico, and when the recent purchase is added he will have one of the finest law libraries in the territory.

Imposition to get freights over the Rock Island is heard from every quarter. The matter seems to be a multiplicity of things. Bad water, which disables engines on the line between Alamogordo and Santa Rosa; snow fall on the divide between Carrizozo and Santa Rosa, and the California orange crop is also taking precedence of all other freights, and the railroad company, it is said, is under contract to move it within a certain time, as is the custom with perishable freights.

SILVER CITY.

From the Independent.
Owing to the large number of invalids in Silver City, ranch eggs are a scarcity at 40 cents.
County Commissioner John C. Cureton returned home yesterday from California, where he had gone with the recent shipment of 3,000 cattle.
Miss Alice Green will in about a week leave for Los Angeles, where she will perfect her musical studies under Miss Carrith, one of the best musical instructors in that city.

The quarters occupied by the Masonic lodges in the Silver City National bank building have been repapered and painted, and a new carpet had for the floor, making them among the handsomest in the southwest.
Report has reached Silver City that Miss Irene Tibany was recently married in Albuquerque. Miss Tibany was last year a student at the Normal school and secured for herself many friends, with whom the Independent joins in extending heartiest good wishes.

W. H. Jack, of this city, has been named by Governor Otero as one of the three delegates at large from New Mexico to attend the sixth annual convention of the National Live Stock association to be held at Kansas City, January 13 to 16 inclusive. Mr. Jack expects to attend.

The Porterfield Brothers are in receipt of a letter from Delegate Rodey acknowledging receipt of the turquoise pins sent by them to further the cause of statehood. Mr. Rodey says that the pins were a great novelty. He distributed them to the senators and newspaper men and the demand was so great that the 100 sent were insufficient to go around.

ALAMOGORDO.

From the News.
The Democrat of Tularosa has been sold to A. J. Smith who is now teaching the school in Tularosa.

The engine and grinding machinery for the sausage factory of the City Meat Market were set up and put to work Monday.

Surgeon General Wyman, of the United States Marine Hospital service, is on an inspection trip at the Fort Stanton sanitarium.

Charles Smith, superintendent of the water services on the El Paso & Northeastern, is putting in some new and deeper wells at Santa Rosa, N. M.

We are informed that the White Oaks Eagle, the Captain Progress and Nopal Republican have all changed hands and those three papers will be consolidated under one management.

The postoffice at Cienega, Socorro county and Pine Springs, Otero county, will be discontinued on December 31, mail for the first named to go to Salt Lake, and mail for the other to Cloudcroft.

SANTA FE.

From the New Mexican.
Miss Souder left for Albuquerque, where she will be the guest of friends for two weeks.

The postoffice department has instructed Postmaster Walter to ask for bids for five year leases on property suitable for postoffice premises. Blank bids can be secured from him. Charles M. Waters, assistant superintendent of the postoffice department, will be in Santa Fe next month to examine the bids and the premises offered for post office purposes and will then make his recommendation to the first assistant postmaster general, who will thereupon locate the future home of the Santa Fe postoffice.

Arthur Staab is in Alabama looking after business interests, and before returning will visit friends in Athens, Georgia.

Thomas B. Catron returned from a

four weeks' trip, which includes New York, Washington and other eastern cities.

Territorial Secretary and Mrs. Raynolds, accompanied by their children arrived from Las Vegas, where they spent a few days on their way back from Omaha.

Arthur Austin, who has been here for a few weeks, left for El Paso, where he will spend the balance of the winter.

Dr. C. O. Harrison arrived from Cerrillos last evening and took possession of the dental office and effects of the late Dr. Manley.

J. L. Wells and family, who formerly lived at Cerrillos, have gone to their new home at Nacozari, Mexico, where Mr. Wells has accepted a position in the large smelting works situated there.

Eugenio Romero, treasurer and ex-officio collector of San Miguel county, who was re-elected to that office at the last election, is a visitor in town on business with the Santa Fe Central railway.

Hon. Nestor Montoya, member-elect of the house from Bernalillo county and who will probably be the next speaker, returned to his home at Albuquerque last night. He expects to return in about two weeks.

LORDSBURG.

From the Liberal.
Dr. R. M. Lutton returned from his Michigan trip Tuesday evening.

James Colquhoun, president of the Arizona & New Mexico company, is quite sick at his home in Clifton. Mrs. Colquhoun, who has been in Los Angeles, came to care for him.

A delightful Christmas surprise came to the paragonage in the shape of an elegant quilt accompanied by twenty dollar in gold. Rev. Dickley and wife wish to express heartfelt thanks to the donors comprising nearly all the Lordsburg people whose names are inscribed on the quilt. Particular thanks and acknowledgments are made to Mrs. Marbie and Mrs. Clair to whose faithful efforts and skill the success of the enterprise is due.

PORTALES.

From the Herald.
H. S. Bennett, of Crowell, Texas, will take charge of the new Pinkston hotel building on or about January tenth. The new hotel will be called the Portales House. Mr. Bennett is an experienced hotel man and is deserving of a share of the public patronage.

Sheriff Higgins came up from Roswell and rearrested I. C. Freeman, the man who killed Wm. Harris several weeks ago. Freeman had his examination trial shortly after the killing occurred and his bond was fixed at \$1,000. It seems that the officers have dug up some new evidence against Freeman and caused his rearrest. His bond was fixed this time at \$1,500, which he was not able to give, and Sheriff Higgins took him to the county jail at Roswell. Attorney W. W. Gatewood from Roswell, appeared for the prosecution.

The question of county division is at present the most interesting topic for discussion among the citizens of eastern Chaves county. Of course it is known that a division of some kind is going to be made in the near future and Portales is going to make a fight for the county seat of the new county. Portales is the largest town in the eastern part of the county, is splendidly located and is enjoying a good steady growth, and is populated by an intelligent and enterprising class of people who are interested in her development and growth. We must all work together for that which we know will make Portales a larger and better town. Let some one take the lead in this matter—call a meeting of our citizens so that plans may be promulgated upon which to make this fight. Let us do something and that at once.

LAS VEGAS.

From the Optic.
Judge John R. McFie is killing two birds with one stone. He is attending the Christian Endeavor convention and trying a case at the same time.

In the chambers of Jones & Rogers this morning, the judge heard arguments in the case of the Red River Valley company vs. George S. Good & Co. on a motion to set aside default judgment. Jones & Rogers represented Good & Co., Money and Haydock represented the Red River Valley company. Judgment was not rendered.

The smoke stack of the street car power house fell and broke into four pieces.

Mrs. Atanacio Casaus, of Fulton, has been treated by a Las Vegas physician for paralysis of the intestines.

Mrs. Robert Long, wife of Gray & Hayward's bookkeeper, is reported dangerously ill with membranous croup, an incision having been made in her throat Saturday afternoon.



George Lewis, who is employed with M. M. Sundt on government buildings at Fort Stanton, is reported to have been badly injured by the falling of a scaffold. He will be brought to Las Vegas for medical treatment.

The new fountain for the plaza park cost \$526.70 in New York and the freight charges to Las Vegas aggregated \$47.85. There were also paid the following bills: Architect, \$75; erection of base, \$268; plumbing, \$53.77; wiring for electric lights, \$16.90; surveying, \$1; total, \$985.22. After collecting all amounts subscribed and outstanding, the Davis of the west side park committee, found himself in the dilemma of being \$12.67 short of that amount. However, it was easy enough forthcoming. Jefferson Reynolds drawing his personal check for an additional \$100, and Dr. William Curtiss Bailey, of the Plaza hotel, for an additional \$27.67.

WINSLOW.

From the Mail.
The Ladies' Aid society cleared \$77 by the carnival and bazaar last week.

W. H. Burbage returned from a brief visit in Flagstaff.

Mr. and Mrs. Burr Williams have returned home from an extended visit with relatives in St. Louis and Kansas City.

Reports from Los Angeles state that there is very little improvement in the condition of D. D. Carter, who was sent there recently with an injured eye.

Notices have been posted around town offering \$500 reward for the recovery of the goods stolen from the jewelry store of S. Vann & Son, Albuquerque, N. M., on the night of November 20, 1902.

The nomination of Miss Julia Mahoney for postmistress of Winslow was sent to the senate by President Roosevelt last Saturday. Miss Mahoney has been a faithful and efficient public servant during her term of office and well deserves the re-nomination.

The Burt Ward property on Second street has been purchased by O. S. Reeder, who is now busily engaged in installing the steam laundry plant in the building. With improved machinery and conditions, Mr. Reeder hopes soon to start up again and give better satisfaction than ever.

The interior of the Methodist church has been thoroughly renovated this week. The ceiling and the walls have been newly papered, the walls a dark green and the ceiling a light pattern, and the woodwork has been repainted. The auditorium now presents a very attractive appearance. The Ladies' Aid society is responsible for the improvement, which has been done under the direction of Frank Jones.

WILLIAMS.

From the News.
Harry Schlee has returned from his trip to California.

H. F. Adams returned home from a lengthy visit to Prescott.

F. O. Polson returned from Kansas, where he attended the bedside of his brother who is rapidly recovering.

Jack Mullin, while engaged in cutting ice on Phelan's dam some days since, slipped and fell into about six feet of water, and in doing so lost an axe.

Arthur Harrell and Mrs. Ranney went to Winslow for a visit with relatives. Mrs. Ranney will remain there some time.

Governor Brodie last week appointed Dr. A. Tyroler, of Williams, a member of the board of territorial medical examiners in the place of Dr. W. J. Barrett, of Prescott, who had resigned.

Mrs. C. B. Lindsay and daughter, Miss N. Josephine, arrived from Minneapolis, Minn., for a visit to their daughter and sister, Mrs. E. J. Lindsay, the accomplished stenographer for the Saginaw and Manistee Lumber company. About the middle of January the ladies will all leave for an outing at the coast.

On last Saturday, at his home in Hobart, Okla., T. B. Clark, father of Mrs. H. F. Adams, of this city, was called to his last rest. Mr. Clark was a man 88 years of age, and had always been robust and vigorous, even up to the time of his death being able to look after and care for himself. At that time, also, his mind was perfectly clear, which was remarkable for one of his age. A son, E. P. Clark, of Los Angeles, went east to be at the bedside of his father, arriving in time to be

present in his last moments. The community extends its sympathy to the family in its loss.

FLAGSTAFF.

From the Sun.

Mrs. Bury, of Phoenix, is visiting her daughter, Miss Francis Bury.

M. J. Kennedy, who has the contract for building a government building at the White River Indian agency, is spending the holidays here with his family.

Miss Mina Jones, teacher in our public schools, left for Phoenix, to visit relative and to attend the meeting of the Territorial Teachers' association in Phoenix.

A. H. Spellmire, who for the past ten years has had charge of the office work for Habbitt Bros., left recently for Los Angeles, where he expects to reside in the future. Mr. Spellmire is an excellent business man, and a citizen that any community will gladly welcome to their number.

Miss Minnie Neldeken and Homer Bartlett were married recently at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William McIntire, the latter being a sister of the bride. The ceremony was performed by Rev. George Logie, pastor of the Presbyterian church. The newly wedded pair left for California where they will spend a fortnight. They will make their home in Flagstaff.

The boys who were throwing snow balls on the depot grounds recently had better be a little more careful in the future, as there is an ordinance now in force prohibiting the same, and Agent Sullivan says that henceforth he will not wear out the tip of his boot, but will let the law take its course. Mr. Sullivan has the names of the boys who were throwing snow balls on Christmas day, and a repetition of their acts will bring them before the magistrate.

From the Gem.

Where's that jeweler who is going to locate at Flagstaff?

Mrs. Eva Wheeler, who has had a siege of pneumonia, is recovering and will soon be well.

Thomas Sayer, the sheep grower, came in from the Cataract canyon to look after some business.

S. A. Wilson, wife and daughter, Miss Jessie, left for a visit to their old home in Kansas.

There are a dozen or more men hauling wood to town for sale and they can hardly supply the demand.

The Masons of this place have leased the Elks' hall for a lodge room, where they will hereafter hold their meetings.

Sam Johnson, who has been in town several days nursing a sore foot, left for Cameron's camp to resume his position of butchering timber.

Miss Mary Rierdan, who has been attending school at San Francisco, Cal., came in to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Rierdan.

HOLBROOK.

From the Argus.

Robt. D. Morgan, of Menomonee, Wis., was the guest of H. A. Pease this week, having arrived from the frozen north Tuesday morning.

Miss Chapman, of California, arrived here and will go out to Keam's canyon Monday, where she has a position as teacher in the Indian schools.

This office is in receipt of the report of the governor of Arizona for 1902. The work is gotten up in fine shape and contains valuable information concerning the resources of the territory.

The masquerade dance given for the school children Wednesday night was about the best time the children ever had. Quite a number of very cute costumes were worn and all seemed to enjoy themselves to the fullest extent.

A party consisting of Barney Stiles, George Hennessy, Pete Pemberton, Ed Bargman, George Larson, Mrs. J. I. Clark, Misses Maggie Jervis, Eliza Jervis and Cora Maupia went down to Frank Wallace's home the other day and in the evening had a dance and general good time, until about 2 o'clock. About this time Miss Annie Despain was taken suddenly ill and a messenger was sent here to wire to Winslow for a physician. The cause was probably congestion of the stomach and from being overheated. She is very low at this writing, but we hope for her speedy recovery.

Ramon Montoya, the 9 year old son of Hon. Nestor Montoya, is at the sick list suffering with a severe cold.

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RAILWAY SAFETY APPLIANCES.

The sixteenth annual report of the interstate commerce commission, which was transmitted to congress on the 17th inst., makes particular mention of the gratifying results of the law of 1893, providing for the use of safety appliances in the handling of railway trains. The benefits of the law have been increasingly evident during the present year. It appears from the report that the number of persons who were killed or injured in the work of coupling and uncoupling cars during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1902, (that being the first entire year reported since the law went into effect) showed a remarkable diminution as compared with the year 1893 (the year when the law was enacted.)

The number of casualties from this cause in 1893 was 11,710, of which number 433 were killed and 11,277 were injured. In 1902 the total number of casualties was 2,256, of which number 143 were killed and 2,113 injured. This shows a diminution of 9,454 in the number of casualties, or of 68 per cent in the number of persons killed, and of 81 per cent in the number of persons injured. It is further to be borne in mind, in this comparison, that the total number of men engaged in railway work in 1902 is much greater than the total number at work in 1893.

EQUALITY OF THE STATES.

The Denver Republican contains the following able article on the equality of the states:

"In their eagerness to find some objection to the admission of New Mexico and Arizona members of the senate committee on territories who signed the majority report against the admission of those territories made a declaration which was certainly strange, coming as it did from men occupying the high station of senators from American states. We refer to the following concerning the equality of the states:

"Despite the fact that the different sizes of the thirteen colonies and the insistence of ambitious men from the smaller states for an equal representation in the senate with the larger ones compelled the anomalous compromise by which small states secured as large a vote in the senate as the large ones; nevertheless the general theory, of course, was that there should be a government by population and not by area."

"No man who understands the constitutional history of this country can be blind to the fact that the insistence upon equality of representation in the senate was not the work of 'ambitious men from smaller states,' but the demand of those states themselves. It was recognized from the beginning that to deny equality of representation was to deny the equality of the states as sovereign and independent commonwealths. The union is based upon the theory that the states are equal with one another, as the nations of Europe stand, in respect to sovereignty, independence and the rights of distinct communities, upon equal ground."

"The union would never have been formed if this equality had not been recognized. As it was, Rhode Island remained out of the union until after the first presidential election. The compromise which the members of the majority of the senate committee on territories have pleased to refer to as 'anomalous' saved the attempt to form a 'more perfect union' from defeat. It recognized the equality of states by insuring them equality of representation in the senate, but it also recognized the differences in population by basing representation in the house of representatives upon the number of inhabitants in a state."

"Commenting upon this, Justice Story uses the following language in his work on the constitution of the United States:

"Whatever may be thought of the reasoning of the contending parties, no person who possesses a sincere love of country, and wishes for the permanent union of the states, can doubt that the compromise actually made was well founded in policy, and now may be fully vindicated upon the highest principles of political wisdom and the true nature of the government which was intended to be established."

"It is strange that Senator Dillingham, of Vermont, and Senator Burnham, of New Hampshire, give their approval to an un-American declaration as that which we have quoted from the report in question. Although Vermont was not one of the original thirteen states, it belongs to the group of extremely small states. No senator from New Hampshire should have put his signature to a document declaring that the representation in the senate was the result of an 'anomalous compromise' secured through the insistence of 'ambitious men.'"

"By the attitude of the majority of the committee we are brought face to face with a condition parallel with the one to which Mr. Madison directed attention in the convention which framed the national constitution. In the debate on the question of representation in the senate, he said that the country had to fear was not the conflicting interests of the large and small states, but the conflict growing out of the difference in interest between the north and the south. So we

are today confronted with the fact that the east does not want to concede to the west its full share in the administration and government of the country."

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

Up to the year 1902 wireless telegraphy was in the experimental stage, and no successful instruments had been invented to transmit the electric fluid without the confining and conducting wire. In the past year, however, Marconi has not only invented, or rather perfected, a wireless telegraph instrument, but he has proven by more than experiment that the discovery is now an assured fact. Messages have been transmitted across the Atlantic, and one experiment from Land's End, in Cornwall, to Table Bay, South Africa, fulfilled all the promises of the genius Marconi.

The importance of this invention to the world can not be over-estimated. The great cost of submarine cables will be avoided, and land systems of wire and pole lines away with, and in their place will be built at intervals, the huge receiving and transmitting stations invented by Marconi.

NOW THAT CHRISTMAS IS OVER.

It is well that there is one season in the year—however brief, in which consideration for others should take first place. But as there is one, at Christmas, why should not the same spirit, even in a modified degree, be scattered throughout the year?

In the practical everyday world one cannot look for a too altruistic spirit, but the pleasure which so many enjoy being due entirely to the consideration which they give to others might be projected through the length and breadth of the year, in a less concentrated form perhaps, but with a result which would have a vast influence upon the world and tend greatly to promote the happiness of all those who live in it.

Most of us are inclined to put the Christmas spirit off and on like a coat, to be worn only for a day or for the few closing days of the year. If some of the same spirit were carried through from year's end to year's end every body would be the better for it and when the grand total of profits and losses were summed up none would be found the losers by it.

WILL BE REJECTED.

There is talk at Washington of merging New Mexico and Arizona into one state. The idea is visionary and entirely impractical. The combined state would be too large and expensive to govern, and the people of each territory would reject it measure.

There is little in common between the two territories. New Mexico was a state of the Mexican republic before the American conquest in 1848, and has been an American territory for more than a half century. The territory is larger in area than a majority of the states. Combined with Arizona it would almost equal Texas in size. The cost of a state government for so vast a country would be enormous, and there would be constant friction between the two sections.

It is supposed that the scheme to combine the two territories is on a par to combine Oklahoma and the Indian Territory—simply to amend the omnibus statehood bill and secure its final defeat.

New Mexico and Arizona earnestly desire statehood, and each territory is every way qualified to become a member of the American union, but the people of each will bitterly oppose any measure combining the two into one state.

The area of the proposed combined state would be about 800 miles long by 400 wide.

People would have to travel hundreds of miles to reach the borders of the vast commonwealth.

The idea is too chimerical to deserve serious thought from the senate of the United States.

ROOSEVELT ON STATEHOOD.

At Las Vegas, on Sunday, June 25, 1899, during the Rough Riders' reunion, Hon. Frank Springer presented Col. Theodore Roosevelt a medal on behalf of the people of New Mexico. In response, colonel, now president, Roosevelt, said:

"I cannot say how glad I have been to come here. I never was in New Mexico before, but I never felt like a stranger for one moment among you. (Applause.) I claim the same right that each of your sons claims of glory, and take pride in the name and fame of New Mexico. I am an American, as you are Americans, and you and I alike have the right to claim as our own every acre and every rod of country from Maine to Oregon; from Florida to California. (Applause.) The heavens have been more than propitious, so far, and we must not complain of this shower. All I shall say is, if New Mexico wants to be a state, you can count me in, and I will go to Washington to speak for you, or do anything you wish." (Long and continuous applause.)

The Las Vegas Optic says that the words were taken down verbatim by W. E. Gortner, court stenographer for the Fourth judicial district. They are reproduced at this time to illustrate the change which seems to have come between Colonel Roosevelt and President Roosevelt as regards statehood for New Mexico.

CONTEST WITH IGNORANCE.

The Arizona Republican says that in pressing for admission into the union, the territories have found, of course, that ignorance is the chief enemy with which they have to deal. It is necessary to overcome ignorance of geogra-

INDIGESTION

is the cause of more discomfort than any other ailment. If you eat the things that you want and that are good for you, you are distressed. Acker's dyspepsia tablets will make your digestion perfect and prevent dyspepsia and its attendant disagreeable symptoms. You can safely eat anything at any time, if you take one of these tablets afterward. Sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee. 25 cents. Money refunded if you are not satisfied. Send to us for a free sample. V. H. Hooker & Co., Buffalo, N. Y. J. H. O'Reilly & Co. and B. H. Briggs Co.

phy, ignorance of climate, ignorance of the people, their resources, and all their equipment for statehood—and in addition to this, ignorance of the elementary principles upon which the federal government was founded. The prospects for the bill would undoubtedly be brighter if there were not so many statements and newspaper writers who are entirely lacking in understanding the true theory of the federal union. The general discussion of the pending measure has brought out very clearly the need of better instruction in the public schools—or somewhere—concerning the fundamental principles of the constitution of the United States. With the impetuous zeal which usually accompanies ignorance, the opponents of admission take the absurd ground that the population of any given state should not be greatly disproportionate to the population of any other state.

For the first time in American history, this nonsensical theory received the formal sanction of a senate committee when Senator Beveridge argued in his report in favor of waiting until Arizona and New Mexico each should have a population of 1,500,000, his contention being that "any new state should have a population equal to the average population of the remainder of the states."

Ignorance cannot be imputed to the Indiana senator, of course, for in his report he takes notice of the rule which has prevailed from the foundation of the government, namely, that a new state should have, merely, a population approximating the minimum population allotted to a congressional district. The senator states frankly in substance, that the time has come for making a new rule, his reason being that the senate should not be permitted to become a populous body. But the ignorance to which we refer is found among the people who insist that some existing rule or law or principle would be violated by the admission of Arizona and New Mexico as they stand.

There seems to be a general ignorance of the fact that the question of senatorial representation was thoroughly threshed out in the debates in the great assembly which framed the American constitution. The argument was then advanced that it would be unjust for a small state to have the same representation in the senate as a state vastly greater in population, and while there were many answers to this contention the most forceful were these:

1. That the question of liberty and self-government under state autonomy was not properly dependent upon population, beyond a requirement that each state should have in addition to area and resources, a population sufficient to maintain a state government.

2. That a senator of the United States is not a "representative" of his state in the senate, but is, in fact, "a senator of the United States." The allotment of two senators to each state was to preserve an equilibrium between the wealthy and populous communities, and those which were poor and sparsely settled.

3. That representation according to population was provided for in the national house of representatives, in which house all legislation affecting taxation must originate. Thus we find, today, that if Arizona were a state she would have one lonesome representative in the lower house as against the thirty-four representatives from the state of New York.

THE STATEHOOD QUESTION.

Senator Beveridge's conscientious scruples about admitting New Mexico and Arizona as states lack that splendor that is supposed to exist in the conclusions of unbiased minds, says the Indianapolis Sentinel. He urges with much vehemence that it would be unjust to give territories with their population the same power in the senate as the largest states in the union, but he ignores the matter of giving them the same power as the smaller states, which now have the same number of senators as the large ones. Population has nothing to do with representation in the senate.

Arizona, by the census of 1900, has 122,931 people. That is three times as many as Nevada has, and Nevada was admitted by a republican congress. New Mexico has 195,310, against 184,735 for Delaware, 161,722 for Idaho, and 92,531 for Wyoming. It is rather late in the day to be setting up the plea that Arizona and New Mexico have not enough population to entitle them to statehood, as compared with states that are now members of the union.

But, further than that, the question is not what population the states have now, but what they had when they were admitted. Senator Beveridge talks of the population of Indianapolis now, but there was no Indianapolis when Indiana was admitted in 1816, and the population of the state by the census of 1810 was only 24,520. A special census and estimate in 1815 gave Indiana 63,897. Illinois had only 55,211 in 1820, two years after her admission. Colorado was admitted in

1876, and her population in 1870 was 39,864. When Idaho was admitted in 1890 her population was 44,385.

OBJECTIONS TO NEW MEXICO.

One of the silly charges against New Mexico is that our people are disloyal to the government, and this in face of the fact that during the civil war the territory raised more than its quota of troops without a draft, and during the Spanish war parts of two volunteer regiments were given by New Mexico.

On this subject the San Francisco Chronicle says:

"The senate committee on territories reported against the admission of New Mexico to statehood on the ground that its population was made up largely of persons of Mexican birth and Spanish blood, and a Chronicle correspondent, writing in the same vein, accuses them of disloyalty. The committee's objection is exceedingly frivolous when it is considered that the nation is, in fact, a combination of homogenous peoples welded into a homogeneous mass by a common affinity for republican institutions controlled by an enlightened system of government and a liberal code of laws. If, on the other hand, the correspondent's charge were admitted to be true—that the New Mexicans of Spanish origin or extraction are now tainted with disloyalty to the government—the policy of excluding them from the privileges of self-government by refusing to admit the territory to statehood, is much more likely to keep them disloyal and to strengthen and perpetuate their antipathy to American principles than it is to win their friendship."

"The same objection might have been raised against the admission of California to statehood, for a large proportion of the inhabitants at the time admission was granted were of Mexican birth and Spanish extraction. What is more, these people were then suffering from the wounds inflicted by an American war of conquest which had only a few years before terminated in the arbitrary transfer of the territory in which they were domiciled under the American flag. The influx of population from other states, which was stimulated by the act of admission, soon submerged the native Californians of Spanish blood, and they have since accepted American citizenship as a precious boon and conducted themselves becomingly with the strictest loyalty."

"The presumption is a fair one that the native New Mexicans of Mexican and Spanish blood will pass through the same experiences if statehood is granted by congress. The conversion of the territory into a state will certainly help to develop its resources, and their development will as surely be the means of attracting an influx of new blood from other states, into which the native blood will be as quickly and as thoroughly assimilated as it has been absorbed here. The only rational way to make New Mexico American is to make the territory an American state and thus cultivate the pride and aspirations of American citizenship among its people. A denial of the privilege which they ask will merely tend to embitter them."

A Thousand Dollars' Worth of Good.

A. H. Thurnes, a well known coal operator of Buffalo, O., writes: "I have been afflicted with kidney and bladder trouble for years passing gravel or stones with excruciating pain. I got no relief from medicines until I began taking Foley's Kidney Cure, then the result was surprising. A few doses started the brick dust like fine stones and now I have no pain across my kidneys and feel like a new man. It has done me a \$1000 worth of good." Alvarado Pharmacy.

CONVENTION OF STOCKMEN.

Elaborate Program Arranged for the Gathering at Kansas City Next Month.

The program for the sixth annual convention of the National Live Stock association has been issued. The convention will be held at Kansas City January 13 to 16 inclusive. The program for the last day includes an address on "The Process of Evolution from a Populist to a Stockman" by Hon. Jerry Simpson, of New Mexico.

The social arrangements are unusually complete. The convention will be held in the Century theater and on Tuesday the opening day, street cars will be provided for the visitors to visit the stock yards and packing houses. In the evening serenades will be given at each hotel. Wednesday evening a grand ball will be given in Convention hall. Thursday afternoon the ladies of Kansas City will give a reception and tea at Emery, Bird and Thayers tea room. Thursday evening a reception and smoker will be given at press headquarters. Friday night a great smoker and luncheon will be given in Convention hall at which it is expected to entertain 15,000 people.

Boy's life saved from Membranous Croup.

C. W. Lynch, prominent citizen of Winchester, Ind., writes: "My little boy had a severe attack of membranous croup, and only got relief after taking Foley's Honey and Tar. He got relief after one dose and I feel that it saved the life of my boy." Refuse substitutes. Alvarado Pharmacy.

The Santa Fe Railway company opened a telegraph station at Dorsey yesterday.

John Boardman, a clerk in the Albuquerque railroad office, is down with pneumonia at the Las Vegas railroad hospital.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

Write to the senators urging statehood.

This city is enjoying an immense holiday trade.

The driver of the government camel train brought to Arizona in 1856, died a few days ago at Phoenix. His name was Hi Jolly.

The highest ambition of every territory is to become a full fledged member of the sisterhood of states. It is part of the craving for independence and political entity which is implanted in every American breast.

The great west now produces 90 per cent of the gold, silver and copper output of the United States, 75 per cent of the iron and cereals, 65 per cent of the swine, 50 per cent of the milk cows and 60 per cent of all other cattle in the land.

President Roosevelt, it is reported, will come west in the spring and visit New Mexico and Arizona, with a view as to their fitness for existence. The president ought to know enough about those territories to be friendly toward them. He has weakened very much in four years, and it is now claimed that he is controlled by New England influences.

It is reported that Prof. Hewett, of the Las Vegas normal university, is opposed to statehood for the territory, and has gone to Washington to oppose the omnibus bill. The people of New Mexico pay Mr. Hewett a comfortable salary, and if he goes to Washington to slander the people who support him, he should be promptly removed.

The verses on statehood in yesterday's Citizen are from the pen of one of the gifted young poets of the west, Mr. G. Cathcart Bronson, of Chicago. Mr. Bronson is a native of California, and has won an enviable place in 'American literature.' His poem, "The Soul's Immortality," is destined to find a place in every well selected library. Mr. Bronson is now at Phoenix, Arizona, where his invalid young wife will spend the winter. Mr. Bronson's brother is the author of the popular play, "California," which will be produced in this city this winter.

Last week was a record breaker for frightful railway accidents.

In this day and age advertising is the foundation of all successful business.

The subjugation of the Indian has cost \$445,000,000 and his education, \$240,000,000.

There are twenty-one counties in New Mexico, any one of which is larger than the state of Rhode Island.

At Las Vegas President Roosevelt publicly pledged himself to help New Mexico and Arizona get statehood.

New Mexico will help El Paso celebrate its midwinter carnival next month. A large crowd will attend from this city.

Cattle are reported as starving and freezing by the thousand on the high ranges in Colorado. It is stated that it is not possible to get them out.

Nearly ninety thousand Boers are preparing to "trek" to America, and will settle in Colorado, New Mexico and Texas, according to the Denver Times.

During last year \$669,983,900 was invested in oil stock companies. About 3,000 dry wells represented a loss of nearly \$5,000,000. The unfinished wells represented a still larger loss.

The New Mexico-Texas boundary line will be surveyed if a bill introduced in congress to that effect becomes a law. The demand for the new survey comes from stockmen on both sides of the line.

Venezuela has had 104 wars in seventy years. The number would undoubtedly have been larger if it had not been for rain and darkness and other circumstances that were beyond human control.

The United States civil service commission reports that for the year ending June 30, 1902, there were 14,983 persons appointed from its registers. There was 4,692 more than was ever before appointed in a single year.

There are about 600,000 Smiths in the United States. Add to these the Smyths, Smythes, Schmids, Smids and the rest, and this number is increased to at least 1,000,000, or one out of every eighteen of the total population.

Chairman McLeod of the Western Passenger association, in a table regarding immigration for the year ending June 30, 1902, shows where a total of over 700,000 immigrants went, and it appears that of this number the state of New York got 203,824 and Pennsylvania 139,000.

The United States has 200,000 miles of railway upon which there are 548 employees for each 100 miles. The cost of operating these roads with steam power is \$502,000,000 a year; but to carry on the same amount of work with men and horses would cost the country \$11,308,500,000.

The postmaster general will recommend an extension of the international postal card system. As the limit of weight in the United States mails is fixed by law at four pounds, he will recommend that this be the limit in all new international treaties. Germany admits packages weighing eleven pounds.

Not a single new state admitted east of the Mississippi in addition to the original thirteen had as large a population by the census nearest to the date of admission as New Mexico had by the census of 1900. Indiana was admitted in 1816. By the census of 1810 it had only 24,000 inhabitants and by the census of 1820 only 147,178—nearly 60,000 less than New Mexico had two years ago.

The national bankruptcy law would not have been enacted had it not been for the panic of 1893. There was an irresistible pressure on congress to give relief to the victims of that financial disaster. Some of them were un-

deserving of relief, but the great majority were deserving. The persons for whose benefit the law was chiefly intended mostly took advantage of it promptly. As a consequence there has been a notable decline in the number of petitions in bankruptcy the last two years.

It is about decided that the Monroe doctrine is a myth.

The Durango Democrat is having a lively fight with the printers' union.

There are over 300,000 acres of land under irrigation in sight of Albuquerque.

The business men of this territory are closing their books on a remarkably successful year's trade.

With over \$350,000 cash balance in the treasury, New Mexico will enter the new year in prosperous condition.

The statehood fight has effectively settled one thing. Senator Beveridge will never be president of the United States.

The daily press of this city, during the past year, has led in every measure for the advancement of Albuquerque and New Mexico.

The philosopher of the Salt Lake Tribune insists that the man who conquers one bad habit at the beginning of the year is greater than he who acquires two new ones.

Had a Good Time.

A. J. Snell wanted to attend a party, but was afraid to do so on account of pains in his stomach, which he feared would grow worse. He says: "I was telling my troubles to a lady friend, who said: 'Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy will put you in condition for the party.' I bought a bottle and take pleasure in stating that two doses cured me and enabled me to have a good time at the party." Mr. Snell is a resident of Summer Hill, N. Y. This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

Death of Ex-Congressman.

Dayton, Ohio, Dec. 30.—Hon. H. I. Morey, former congressman from this district and a member of the board of trustees of Dayton state hospital, died shortly after midnight at his home in Hamilton, Ohio, from a stroke of apoplexy.

Coughs, Colds, and Constipation.

Few people realize when taking cough medicine other than Foley's Honey and Tar, that they contain opiates which are constipating besides being unsafe, particularly for children. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates, is safe and sure and will not constipate. Alvarado Pharmacy.

Castro's Reply.

Washington, Dec. 30.—President Castro's answer to the allies' proposal to arbitrate the Venezuelan troubles has not been received. In fact Secretary Hay had nothing of importance on the Venezuelan situation to communicate to the cabinet. There are, however, under discussion such questions as those relating to the best means of terminating the blockade and other matters touching the personnel of the commission, which, it is expected, will meet in Washington to lay down the lines of the arbitration scheme.

A Timely Topic.

At this season of coughs and colds it is well to know that Foley's Honey and Tar is the greatest throat and lung remedy. It cures quickly and prevents serious results from a cold. Alvarado Pharmacy.

The Santa Fe railway fire department at Needles expects to receive a steam fire engine soon and when it arrives it will furnish Needles with the best fire protection on the desert. They are also about to close an order for twenty-one new uniforms.

Report From the Reform School.

J. G. Gluck, superintendent, Pruntytown, W. Va., writes: "After trying all of the advertised cough medicines we have decided to use Foley's Honey and Tar exclusively in the West Virginia Reform school. I find it the most effective and absolutely harmless." Alvarado Pharmacy.

Word from Senator Andrews is to the effect that he is greatly improved and after a short business trip to Chicago will return to Washington to join the statehood forces.

Don't be imposed upon by taking substitutes offered for Foley's Honey and Tar. Alvarado Pharmacy.

J. E. Saint, of the Santa Fe Central railway company and postmaster at Torrance, left Sunday evening for that point where work is to be commenced in a few days on the laying of track for the Santa Fe Central.

A kidney or bladder trouble can always be cured by using Foley's Kidney Cure in time. Alvarado Pharmacy.

J. R. Hollinger, a Gallup round house employe, had the misfortune to break his leg on last Tuesday night. He was trying to start an air compressor with a crowbar and was off his guard when it started.

Foley's Honey and Tar positively cures all throat and lung diseases. Refuse substitutes. Alvarado Pharmacy.

The Santa Fe Central railway's telegraph line between Kennedy and Moriarty was blown down by the wind on Sunday and it took some time to re-establish communication.

Dr. P. W. Connell, physician and surgeon for the Santa Fe, is a guest at the Castaneda hotel, Las Vegas.

Charles White, stenographer in the office of Master Mechanic F. P. Barnes, is sick at his home on South Second street.

FORAKER'S VIEWS.

Thinks That New Mexico and Arizona Will Be Admitted as One State.

United States Marshal C. M. Ker, a brother of Senator Foraker, Ohio, and a member of the state committee which recently 'Washington in behalf of this important measure, has returned and this morning was found engaged with the duties of his office. Mr. Foraker's absence of weeks, work has been piling up in the marshal's office and the city representative was much surprised to find the marshal in such a pleasant mood.

Marshal Foraker said that he enjoyed his trip and spent a Christmas with a brother who is a lawyer living in Cincinnati. He said that it was pretty cold in Ohio as he was glad to get home. He reasons for his gracious front under the prospect of burying in the desk full of papers stacked before him. In regard to the state situation Marshal Foraker's view is very encouraging. He says that opinion, obtained from facts gathered while in Washington, is that the territories were sure to be admitted through the omnibus bill, thinks that the omnibus bill, withdrawn and in its stead will bill taking in Arizona and New Mexico as one state, that state to be Arizona. Senator Foraker, a warm friend of Senator Quay, statehood champion, has opened himself as in favor of taking territories as states, and has made a change in the bill for as above mentioned. When asked with this idea, Delegh Smith, of Arizona, was not pleased as having said that refuse to use his influence for bill.

HIGH SCHOOL DEFEAT.

Basket Ball Team From Mesilla College Victorious.

Albuquerque's star basketballers—the High school girls—defeated by the Mesilla Park girls score of 9 to 6.

The defeat was not one to the High school girls feel discouraged, but rather they were every reason to feel happy, excellent showing they made, scientific game they played.

The first half started fast but both teams did not win by bad or slow playing. school girls plainly displayed superiority in quickness and endurance.

The large house of sport is expectant, as the teams were evenly matched, and Vaughn threw a goal from the first few minutes play gave vent to their feelings and enthusiastic yelling, such before reverberated in Colorado.

During the first half the latter near one basket or Ada Vaughn gained possession ball again and made a jump from field, and scored two more.

Several fouls were called first half.

The Mesilla valley girls several chances to score on, only once did they make good.

The High school girls were excellent spirit when the first half with a score of 4 to 1 in their favor.

The second half started in termination, visible in both teams made it decidedly interesting.

The Mesilla Park girls improved their team work and also the High school girls were busy. The ball passed with able rapidity from one coffee to another until it reached Meyers, who tossed it into field.

In a few minutes Miss Vaughn open field again and goal play. Although it was goal the High school girls the home team kept up the ing cries.

The High school girls the last half and several times had a narrow escape from goal, but they couldn't make good.

leg team, by Miss Foster other goal from field and more on fouls, giving them at the end of the second half.

The improvement in the of the High school is very and they are to be commended excellent game they play, they see they are losing.

Miss Vaughn received all sides for her skill as a player and Rose Harsch and Helga sturdy guards, won the ad the audience by their cleverness. Eliza Bennett excellent name, as did Rose the center. Everyone for Albuquerque's star basketballers, and even if they were de have won a reputation of bearing

Railroad Topics

Brakeman H. C. Chapman has gone to Kansas for a short rest.

A. E. Walker, night clerk at the Alvarado, has gone to California for a month's vacation.

Harry Snyder, of the mechanical department of the local shops, has returned from a short trip to Topeka.

Engineer J. W. Lyons, of San Marcial, has been relieved of his severe attack of rheumatism by systematic treatment at the institute of Dr. McCrory.

W. D. Hitchcock returned to San Marcial from Hitechock to assume the duties of general foreman at the shops, pending the complete convalescence of his father.

Allie Lowe, hostler at the Santa Fe shops in El Paso, while working around a buzz saw the other day, got in too close contact with the instrument and came away minus one of his fingers.

Wells Fargo Express company have notified their clerk at Las Vegas, Guy Gatchell, that they have raised his salary \$5 per month as a Christmas present, in lieu of the usual turkey and oysters.

Charles Wincheck, division master mechanic on the Mexican Central, with headquarters at the City of Mexico, who has been spending Christmas with his family on Stover avenue, left last night for Mexico.

Mike Deveraux, who will be remembered as a fireman out of Las Vegas some sixty days ago, was killed in the head-end collision on the Colorado Southern road, near Trinidad, Wednesday evening last.

Machinist James Tierney left last night for San Bernardino to resume work in the Santa Fe Pacific shops at that place. He has been spending Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Tierney.

W. H. Matson, Jr., and wife, who spent Christmas with their parents on the Highlands, have gone to their home at Fresno, Cal. Mr. Matson is traveling passenger agent for the Santa Fe coast lines.

Cole Lydon, for many years superintendent of the fifth division of the Denver & Rio Grande railroad and well known in New Mexico, is very ill in a Denver hospital and there seems to be no hope for his recovery.

Orders were last Friday sent to Torrance to commence track laying on the Santa Fe Central at that point as soon as the weather and condition of the ground will permit. It has been undecided as to whether the work would be done from this or the lower end of the road.

Mrs. M. R. Williams, wife of the superintendent of railroad bridges and buildings, has returned to Las Vegas, with her son, Frank, who has an inmate of the hospital at Albuquerque, suffering from typhoid fever. His condition now is very favorable, and a speedy recovery is expected.

W. E. Younker, formerly in the trainmaster's office at Las Vegas, and who has been away on a visit to Marceline, Mo., for the past three weeks, returned and took the position as night ticket agent at the Las Vegas depot. Harry Hasiell, who had held the position previously, takes a desk in the freight office there.

John A. Edson, the new manager of the Denver & Rio Grande railroad system, will assume office on January 1, 1903. He is a railroad man of long and varied experience. He was born February 14, 1854, at Sylvania, Ohio. He entered railway service in 1867 as an operator on the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railroad. From 1873 to 1886 he was chief dispatcher and train dispatcher on the Union Pacific. Later he was employed by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad. In 1887 he was made division superintendent of the Missouri Pacific, after which he went with the St. Louis Southwestern railroad and then assumed the management of the Kansas City Southern. The road runs from Kansas City almost directly south to Port Arthur.

T. A. Grady, who has been manager of the Santa Fe's California tourist service for the last three years, will leave the company the first of the year. He has been appointed general traveling passenger agent of the Oceanic Steamship company, with headquarters at Sydney, Australia. His successor with the Santa Fe has not been appointed.

The Santa Fe has issued some expensive and handsome pictures of the Bright Angel of the Grand Canyon of Arizona. The picture is in color and so arranged that the reflection from colored tinsel gives the proper light effects to the canyon. If you can induce W. J. Black to send you one they will make a handsome ornament for any library or den.

Walter Merrifield, formerly chief train dispatcher at Dodge City, has been appointed trainmaster with headquarters in that city. Mr. Merrifield succeeds R. D. Fowler, who has accepted a position in General Manager H. U. Mudge's office as transportation clerk. Mr. Fowler was off on leave of absence this summer and Mr. Merrifield performed the duties of the office as acting trainmaster.

Mrs. H. W. Hendricks, sister of W. T. McCreight, accompanied by her little son, Hyda, left last night on the No. 8 passenger train for Ohio, being called back to Cincinnati in response to a telegraphic message that her husband, Dr. Hendricks, was dangerously ill. The lady had about completed her

visit, but her trip home, under the present conditions, is not a pleasant journey.

The Deming Herald says: A Santa Fe railroad bridge gang was in town and got gloriously drunk, apparently having considerable money among them. While one of them was exhibiting his roll in a saloon another of them, named Hagin, snatched it. Constable Oglesby snatched the snatcher and jailed him, securing the money. \$214. No one appeared against the snatcher, however, and he was released. Constable Oglesby still has the money.

The Baltimore & Ohio railroad officials in Baltimore made the announcement that the company will undertake the work of building a new railroad some 200 miles long that will shorten the distance between Baltimore and Pittsburgh by at least fifty miles and, in connection with cut off by built west of Pittsburgh, will bring Chicago eighty miles nearer Baltimore so far as travel by the Baltimore & Ohio is concerned. In the construction of the new line the old south Pennsylvania route will be utilized.

J. A. Edson, general manager of the Kansas City Southern railroad, has resigned and will succeed J. M. Herliot as manager of the Denver & Rio Grande, the Rio Grande Southern and Rio Grande Western roads of the Gould Rocky Mountain system. The change becomes effective January 1. The office which Mr. Edson held was abolished and B. F. Dickson, now superintendent of maintenance and way, will take up the duties of general manager in connection with a promotion to the title of general superintendent.

What Harriman Wants. From New York to San Francisco in three days and a half is the task that E. H. Harriman has set forth to accomplish. He says it will be accomplished within three years. He declares that as fast as men and money can make the change the Union and Southern Pacific systems from Omaha to San Francisco will be in every respect equal to the "hot road" from New York to Chicago. Millions are to be expended in straightening the road from Omaha westward, and the work of rebuilding the Southern Pacific from Ogden will follow. The Sierras are to be tunneled so that the grade will be no greater than the grades found on the lines east of them.

IT IS SETTLED. G. R. Joughins Will Move to Los Angeles January 1.

The headquarters of G. R. Joughins, mechanical superintendent of the Santa Fe coast line which have been located in San Bernardino for several years past, will be transferred, along with that official's clerical force to Los Angeles, on or about January 1, 1903.

Last Saturday Joughins returned from a week's stay in Los Angeles, where he has been discussing affairs with the mechanical officials of the system, and made the official statement that the move was to be made to the Angeles the first of the new year. As has been stated, the change is made in the office, which is in reality a part of the general headquarters, may be immediate connection with the head of the department.

WOODMAN LEAVES SANTA FE. Rock Island Comes an Expert on California Advertising.

E. H. Woodman, chief clerk in the advertising department of the Santa Fe at Chicago, leaves that company January 1 to become chief clerk in the same department of the Rock Island road. W. H. Simpson, advertising agent of the Santa Fe, has not announced Mr. Woodman's successor.

Mr. Woodman is counted as one of the strongest advertising men in the employ of the Santa Fe. He was with the Southern Pacific for many years and started their campaign called "Sunset." From San Francisco he removed to Chicago at the death of his wife, and it is supposed that the Rock Island expects to utilize his services especially in preparing California advertising matter.

CONDUCTOR MATHALONEY. His Injuries Resulted in His Death at Las Vegas Hospital.

After several weeks of stubborn clinging to life, suffering of untold pain, Steven Mathaloney, the Santa Fe conductor whose head was mashed by a chain between two cars a few miles this side Thornton the fore part of December, succumbed to the injuries received at the Santa Fe hospital at Las Vegas last Friday. The grief-stricken family, consisting of a wife and four children, were present when the end came.

Immediately after being injured Conductor Mathaloney was brought to the hospital in a cab for the treatment of his wounds. His face was horribly crushed and the time the physicians thought it was possible for him to live. But the injured man rallied under the treatment received and hopes were entertained that he would recover. He finally became so improved that it was thought safe to move him to the Santa Fe hospital at Las Vegas, as he was a Santa Fe railway employee. Shortly after the change had been made to roof of his mouth, which was shattered was broken down and had been damaged up, broke loose afresh and he came a hemorrhage.

LOSING FLESH.

Are you losing flesh? If so, better consult your doctor at once. He will tell you the cause. We can provide the remedy, which is Scott's Emulsion of cod-liver oil.

A young woman in Batavia writes us she had lost twenty-five pounds in three months, and her lungs were seriously affected. She took three bottles of Scott's Emulsion and gained fifteen pounds, and was able to resume her work.

Send for Free Sample. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 101 East 12th St., N. Y.

which ultimately caused his death. The body was taken to Raton for burial.

NOT FOR LOVE OR MONEY.

No Show to Buy Any More Engines This Year.

"Locomotives can not be had for favor or money just now," said President Loree, of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad in discussing the lack of hauling power. "For seven years the Baltimore & Ohio has been pouring money into improvements and increased facilities, and we have had more money to spend than we could possibly use. No man can get a locomotive until January, 1904, unless the orders are in, and money can not buy them. I happened to stumble over a chance to get space for the construction of seven engines in the Baldwin shops and paid \$7,000 premium for these spaces. The premium was paid to the Pittsburgh, Shawmut & Northern railroad, and the engines will be delivered in January. Then we have 100 engines to be delivered in January, February and March, and 100 more in the fall. As it is with engines so it is with cars, rails and terminal facilities."

President Loree gives figures to show that the Baltimore & Ohio is moving east as rapidly as possible, both east and west, and that no discrimination is being practiced, as charged in eastern quarters.

SANTA FE. From the New Mexican.

Mrs. Alfred M. Bergere and daughter, Dolores, and Miss Doyle, who are now in southern California for Mrs. Bergere's health, will spend the next ten days at Long Beach.

Adjutant General and Mrs. W. H. Whitman are in Denver visiting their two daughters residing in that city and will not return to the capital until after the holidays.

A suit was filed in Santa Fe county by the Santa Fe Water and Light company against W. E. Dame, at present clerk of the court for the Second district at Albuquerque. The suit is for \$254 claimed to be due for the rent of a farm owned by the water company near this city.

Governor and Mrs. Otero and son, Miguel, left on Thursday for New York City, where they will remain until the 15th of January. Governor Otero will then go to Washington to aid in the passage of the omnibus statehood bill, and he and Mrs. Otero and son will return to New Mexico about the 14th of January.

Hon. Nestor Montoya, member of the house of representatives of the Thirty-fifth legislative assembly from Bernalillo county, and editor of La Bandera Americana, the well known Spanish publication at Albuquerque, came up from the south accompanied by his 8-year-old son. He is here to rent a house wherein he and his family will reside during the session of the assembly, he and his wife being natives of Santa Fe. It is universally conceded that Mr. Montoya will be elected speaker and it is believed that he will make a first class record in that position.

UNJUST FREIGHT RATES. Compelling Flour Mills at Wellington to Close Down.

A dispatch from Wellington, Kansas, says:

"We will be compelled to shut down our mills unless there is a vast change in our favor, and I believe the Aetna mills will meet the same fate," said G. H. Hunter, of the Hunter mills. He was speaking of the unjust freight rates adopted by the railroads in Kansas against her towns and in favor of Kansas City and other Missouri towns.

"Since December 15," continued Mr. Hunter, "we have been compelled to reduce the price of corn from 33 cents to 28 cents a bushel, showing that the rates are exerting an injustice to the farmer. It is an outrage and something that the incoming legislature should take cognizance of. It is a matter that should be remedied or the ultimate outcome will be the closing down of every jobbing interest in the state, including the mills. We will have to close down our mills, because we cannot operate under the prevailing circumstances and from talk I have had with Kramer Bros. I am inclined to think that they look at it in the same light. It's a bad state of affairs."

Mr. Hunter stated that wherever the Santa Fe and Rock Island do not go the local flour output cannot be shipped. Texas and Louisiana, as well as other southern states, into which a great deal of Wellington flour has always been shipped, are now closed to it.

From Wellington to Gainesville, Tex.

as, the rate is 31½ cents a hundred on corn. From Kansas City to Gainesville, 247 miles farther away, it is 32½ cents a hundred. The rate from Wellington to Kansas City is 12 cents. All stuff must be sent by way of Kansas City, because of a discrimination which the railroad people lay to river competition.

There is no proportional rate between Kansas City and Kansas points. Because of the distance the rate from Kansas City to Newton should be less than it is to Wichita, yet it is the same. So it is between Anthony and Harper and Wichita. It costs 20 cents a hundred more to ship from Wichita to Anthony than it does from Kansas City. Wellington is on the same schedule and is being oppressed.

THOSE SUN DIALS. Description of a Unique Santa Fe Device at Dodge City, Kansas.

Upon the right of way at Dodge City, where the company "changes time," just east of the station platform, the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway has described in the ground north of the track two big sun dials, about fifteen feet in diameter, that never fail to attract the attention of travelers, says the Kansas City Star.

They are side by side, the one on the east marking "central time" and the one on the west "mountain time." The hours are indicated by Roman numerals, as the dial of a clock, and are formed of white shells set in the black earth.

The shadow is cast by a bar set at an angle and sustained by a post. On the dial of mountain time, the sun day begins at 5 o'clock in the morning and ends at 7 in the evening. On the other it begins at 6 o'clock in the morning and ends at 7 o'clock in the evening. The ten hours between are not indicated by the dials, for the obvious reason that there is no sun above the horizon during that part of the day.

In the figures here given the artist has cast the shadows at 7 o'clock a. m. mountain time, and an hour later, central time. A line between the two dials indicates where central time ends, goes west, and mountain time begins. The western edge of mountain time is in Arizona and Nevada and the eastern edge of central time is in Ohio.

To thoughtful persons, the sun dials at Dodge City are instructive, and while trains wait to change crews and take meals passengers never fail to study them carefully.

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Word has been received of the death of A. Gravel, who for twenty years past has been well known in the Pecos valley. His body was found last Sunday in the Macho canyon, about eight miles from Santa Fe. It was covered with snow and he had been frozen to death. The remains were taken to the little settlement of Macho where they were buried. Gravel has been a miner since he has been in the Pecos valley.

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A novel contract has been made by H. R. Morrow and K. F. Barnett of the Barnett and Morrow Land, Irrigation and Orchard company, of Chaves county.

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This year trees will be set out on 160 acres of land and trees that perish after planting will be replaced. The varieties used are the Missouri Pippin, Ben Davis and Wine Sap.

FIRE BOYS OF THE SHOPS. Are Arranging for a Grand Dance on Tuesday Night, February 17.

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Very little is known of this organization outside of the people employed at the shops. It has eighteen members and a full list of officers.

At a recent meeting of the company new officers were elected and are as follows: C. O. Young, chief; P. A. Lillie, assistant chief; George Gilegott, foreman; Ed Moore, house foreman; Frank Chamberlain, secretary and treasurer.

The company has a nice house in the yards and the railroad company has been very liberal and furnished neat and cozy quarters for those of the company that remain on watch at night. A large brass pole extending from the sleeping quarters to the cart house furnishes means of rapid transit for the boys in case a hurried call is received by them.

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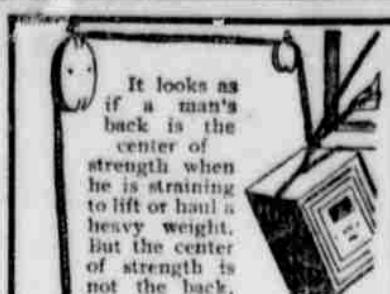
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Large Cash Balance. The cash balance in the territorial treasury is about \$253,000 and is the largest in the history of the office.

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BRIGHT PROSPECTS FOR THE FUTURE

The dying of the old and the coming of the new year to many means only a throwing away of the old and hanging up of the new calendar; to others it merely means a day of beginning; forgetting the past and starting out with fresh resolutions. But to sensible, broad-minded persons it carries with it a world of meaning.

It is with a feeling of pleasure when one can look back and see the results of a year's work looming up before him in brilliant colors that can be universally recognized as permanent. To one interested in the welfare of Albuquerque a sketch of the achievements, improvements and progress of the Duke city in the past year is a most interesting subject.

Occupies Prominent Position.
That Albuquerque occupies a more permanent position among the cities of the southwest than it did a year previous is not to be questioned. The reason of this advancement is accounted for by the extensive advertising the city has received from noted events and also from a commercial standpoint.

A conservative estimate of the people who visited the city during the territorial fair will reach 5,000 people, several hundred people coming from Denver and Pueblo. The success which attended the fair was one of the best advertisements which the city could obtain for the progressiveness and industry of its people.

A Trade Center.
Albuquerque is the trade center for an area extending over 100,000 square miles. It is a railway and manufacturing center, and in every essential respect is the most important point between Pueblo and El Paso, and Kansas City and Los Angeles. The last year has brought with it the development of many new mining districts near the city and cattle and sheep ranges are springing up continually.

Capitalists and promoters of industries are constant visitors to the city, whose fame as a trade center is becoming established throughout the United States, for the purpose of investigating the conditions for establishing various kinds of industries which will in every way benefit the city and its people.

It is not the idea to convey the intention that the city is undergoing a boom, but one of those gradual growths which is desired by every patriotic and interested citizen.

The Industrial Side.
The manufacturing, commercial and social side of the city is so plainly in evidence that it has never failed to call forth the admiration of every visitor. When the traffic men of the Santa Fe road visited the metropolis about a month ago, they expressed themselves freely as being favorably impressed with the general appearance and character of the city. The territorial senate committee, who were royally entertained, not only were given an opportunity to see the industrial and educational facilities of the commonwealth, but the social life, in its brilliant and charming aspects, was placed before them. But principles were regulated by prejudice and the progressive city was hidden a black eye.

Educational Facilities.
It is a most favorable indication of future advancement when the educational institutions are filled with a prevalent spirit of higher learning and culture. A few of the new features and departures from the old methods of the public schools may be mentioned as: One teacher added to the high school, two teachers to the grade school, high school enrollment increased about 20, total enrollment increased 125, special music teacher for the grades, fourth grade added to the high school, chemistry laboratory fitted up and electric lights in central building. A most commendable department of the high school is the literary societies. The work being done by the schools at present will stand on par with any of the eastern schools.

The past year has developed the field of music in a wonderful manner.

School of Music.
A department, known as the school of music of the University of New Mexico, was organized in 1902 and at present has no equal in the southwest as to talented and accomplished musicians. A large enrollment has been built up and several recitals have been given by the faculty and pupils. The faculty is made up of the best talent that could be secured. A chorus of forty-five voices has been organized in connection with the school, one successful recital has been given and two more are to follow soon. It is the intention to bring to the city soon articles of merit, who otherwise could not afford to come, and to cultivate the musical taste of the community by the vigorous personal study. The department of elocution, oratory and physical culture has also been added to the

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Municipal Franchises.
In the way of modern municipal conveniences and necessities a number of franchises granted the Electric Light and Gas companies and the extended franchise granted the Automobile Telephone company. Although there has been no noticeable advancement or even improvement in the street railway service in the past year, there is certain to be some most noticeable developments in the next few months. On March 15th the franchise of the new electric street railway expires, and the city council have given the old street car company their choice of remodeling the present line to conform with the streets or put in an electric line.

The aldermen take the greatest interest in the welfare of the city, as to comfort, convenience and health.

The year of 1902 has seen over a mile and a half of cement sidewalks laid. Not a cheap, short lived affair, but cement walks are used in the largest and most modernized cities of the world. Over thirty-two blocks of streets have been graded and made comfortable for the travel of vehicles. All the bridges and culverts have been recovered and several new bridges built. A better sewerage system is hard to find, in fact the sanitary conditions of the city are looked after carefully and no room is left for the development of diseases. The street commissioner uses to a good advantage all the "hobos" and drunks, who find their way into the police court in keeping the streets clean and in good condition.

The council's interest in the public health has reached the point where they have provided for the inspection of milk and foods. Albuquerque has been and is adopting municipal methods and customs daily that her people may enjoy the privileges as other citizens do.

Buildings Substantial.
Real estate dealers have had a prosperous and successful year. There has not been a street, but on which property has been sold or residences erected.

The contractors say that the buildings in the past year have, without exception, built modern equipped houses. Many beautiful homes, with every comfort and convenience, have been erected in the past year. Not only have they had a prosperous year, but there are better prospects for business blocks and residences to go up in the near future than ever before. Several large business blocks are under erection now, and many buildings have been remodeled. There is no doubt but that another year will bring with it a new theater, postoffice and other desirable buildings.

From an architectural standpoint Albuquerque has as fine experts as can be found in the southwest; their ideas are all modern and strictly up to date, which is a favorable qualification with the progressive citizen.

A Curio Center.
Albuquerque has gained a wide reputation and received much attention as a curio center. Branch curio stores are to be found in New York, Pittsburgh and Chicago, which are supplied from Albuquerque. Advertising literature is distributed from these stores inducing the people to visit the place where such wonders are natural.

Transcontinental travelers cannot fail to be impressed from the city's entrance and form good opinions from the depot and hotel built, as they are, after the old Spanish missions.

Visitors Favorably Impressed.
The southwest contains as many interesting and wonderful places as does the old world; from a historical view, more, and the pleasure and sightseeing world have come to realize it. Every year brings more and more people into the land of sunshine, and in many cases they are so favorably impressed that the city soon won them as residents.

Police Protection.
While it cannot be stated that the city is better morally, it can be said that the police authorities have been effective in suppressing and preventing crime. One new policeman has been added to the force in the past year.

Continual Sunshine.
As a municipality there is lacking the general clamor connected with a lively city. We miss the clang and rumble of the electric car, the jarring noise of the heavy trucks over the rough cobbles, the characteristic cry of the "sewage" and the jostling and pushing of the world of the streets, but we have a prevalent feature, which surpasses all these everyday indications of city life, and that is an ideal climate with a continual blessing of sunshine.

A Bright Future.
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If the progressive spirit of 1902 is equal to that of 1902 there is no doubt about a successful and happy new year.

"The Papoose."
That is the name of a magazine just issued in New York by the great Hyde Exploring Expedition. It treats of the Navajo Indians throughout New Mexico and Arizona, and tells some interesting legends regarding these wonderful western hemisphere red men.

Among its editorial notes, the following compliment is paid The Albuquerque Citizen:

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Albuquerque (New Mexico) Daily Citizen on the enterprise displayed in their recent fair number, October 12. The edition was handsomely illustrated and contained an exhaustive report of the resources of the Territory of New Mexico. Water, brains and western energy have indeed worked wonders for the section The Citizen so ably represents, and with government handling of big irrigation enterprises, not alone will the latter be benefited but to the Indian will be given the means of self support.

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Acting Governor J. W. Reynolds appointed Augustin Vigil y Valdez, of Lordsburg, Mora county, a notary public.

BOOTH CAMP.

The Spanish-American War Veterans Met and Elected New Officers.

The regular meeting of Booth Camp No. 255, Spanish American War Veterans, was held last evening over Ziegler's Cafe, with a fair attendance of members. New applications for membership were received, and the prospects for a large and enthusiastic camp are very bright. The stated question was discussed by the members and the following resolutions introduced and adopted:

Whereas, it has been the sense of a majority of the senate committee on territories to report adversely on the house bill admitting to statehood the territories of New Mexico, Arizona and Oklahoma, which was unanimously adopted by the latter; and

Whereas, in their report they state that the citizens of these territories, especially of New Mexico, are not fit to become citizens of a state; therefore be it

Resolved, That Booth Camp No. 255, Spanish American War Veterans, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, do hereby call the attention of the honorable senators of the United States to the fact that the territory of New Mexico in the late war with Spain furnished proportionately as many, and perhaps more, volunteers than any other state or territory in the Union, one man passing the rigid examination of the muster officer for every 150 of population within her borders. The call of the president of the United States for volunteers found New Mexico's quota of 420 for the First United States Volunteer cavalry, commonly known as the Rough Riders, filled within two days, with as many disappointed ones turned away. The second call for over 100 more men to fill the depleted ranks of the Rough Riders, was filled with equal rapidity. The third call for four full companies of infantry for the First Territorial Infantry Regiment of Volunteers was responded to likewise, as was also the case in recruiting for the Thirty-fourth United States Infantry, which regiment saw service in the Philippines. That each and every man who went from this territory done his full duty honorably in camp and on the battle field can be attested by reference to the records of the war department, as well as from the lips of the Honorable President Theodore Roosevelt, who commanded five troops from New Mexico and to whom, at the first annual reunion of the Rough Riders at Las Vegas, New Mexico, he publicly pledged himself to support New Mexico and Arizona in their claims for statehood and stated that he would go to Washington and speak in our behalf. Be it further

Resolved, That while we call the attention of your honorable body to what New Mexico did in the war with Spain, we also wish to state that the feeling toward the flag of the United States will always remain the same, and that New Mexico would, in the event of another call, furnish twice or thrice the number mentioned who volunteered in the late war. Be it further

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Resolved, That booth camp join in the prayer of the great majority of the citizens of New Mexico in asking that the coveted stars be placed in the great American flag for the territories of New Mexico, Arizona and Oklahoma.

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be forwarded to our good friend the Hon. Matthew S. Quay, United States senator from Pennsylvania, and to Hon. Bernard S. Rodey, New Mexico's delegate in congress.

After the adoption of the resolutions the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Commander, Harman H. Wynkoop; senior vice commander, Coral P. Roberts; junior vice commander, John Lane; adjutant, Ervin Hale; quartermaster, A. V. Skinner; chaplain, Edward Hale; officer of the day, Warren Burgess; officer of the guard, P. A. Skinner.

The next meeting will be held the first Wednesday in February, when a smoker will be had after the installation of officers.

Plenty of fine literature, all about California resorts, can be obtained by calling on the ticket agents at the local depot.

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PROVISIONS FOR PAYMENT.

The total debt of the territory of New Mexico, according to Territorial Treasurer Vaughn's figures, is \$1,123,200. The indebtedness is divided into fourteen classes.

Of the capital building bonds \$96,000 were issued September 1, 1884, and \$100,000 March 5, 1885. The bonds bear 7 per cent interest and are to run for 20 years. The annual tax to run September 1, 1899, is sufficient to raise 20 per cent of the issue for five years. The bonds are payable at the National Bank of Commerce, New York.

Current expense bonds were issued in three series, \$50,000 on May 2, 1887, \$50,000 on November 1, 1887, and \$50,000 on May 1, 1888. The bonds bear 6 per cent interest and are for 20 years and optional at five or ten years from date. On their face value they are payable at the First National bank of New York, but all coupons are paid by the National Bank of Commerce, New York.

Of provisional indebtedness bonds, \$100,000 was issued May 1, 1899, and \$100,000 September 2, 1899. The bonds bear 6 per cent interest and are for 20 years and optional at 20 years or after. They are payable at the National Bank of Commerce, New York. An annual tax after ten years from the date of the bond is sufficient to create a fund to pay off the bonds at maturity.

Casual deficit bonds to the amount of \$101,800 were issued May 1, 1893, which bear 5 per cent interest and are for 30 years, but are optional after ten years. The annual tax after ten years is sufficient to pay them in full at maturity.

Refunding bonds were issued July 1, 1895, to the amount of \$104,000, which bear 6 per cent interest. They are for thirty years but optional after twenty years and the annual tax after twenty years is sufficient to pay the bonds at maturity.

The penitentiary refunding bonds were issued in two series, \$71,000 on July 1, 1894, and \$10,000 January 1, 1895. They bear 5 per cent interest and are for thirty years, but are optional at twenty years or after. The tax provided for the refunding bonds also applies to the payment of these.

Territorial institution bonds were issued July 1, 1895, to the amount of \$35,000. They bear 5 per cent interest and are for thirty years, but are optional at ten years. Annual tax after ten years is sufficient to pay the bonds at maturity.

The New Mexico military institute bonds were issued July 1, 1895, for \$15,000. They bear 5 per cent interest and are payable at the Western National Bank, New York. They are for thirty years, but optional at ten or after. The provision for the payment of the territorial institution bonds covers these bonds.

Issued any time bonds amounting to \$20,000 were issued July 1, 1895, for thirty years or optional at ten years or after. They bear 5 per cent interest and the provision for their payment is the same as for territorial institutions bonds.

Capital rebuilding bonds were issued in two lots. On May 1, 1895, \$25,000 were issued and on November 1, 1895, \$50,000. The bonds are for thirty years but optional at ten years or after and bear 6 per cent interest. The provision for payment is the same as for territorial institutions bonds.

The second series of capital rebuilding bonds was issued May 1, 1899, in the sum of \$50,000 for thirty years, but optional at twenty-five years. They bear 4 per cent interest and the annual tax after ten years from their date will be sufficient to create a fund to pay them in full at maturity.

Series A of certificates of indebtedness, amounting to \$21,000, was issued March 1, 1899. Series B amounting to \$28,400 was issued on the same date. In both series the certificates bear 6 per cent interest and run for five years. One-fourth of the amount is paid each year.

The total fees paid into the treasury by district court clerks, from December 1, 1900, to December 1, 1902, amounted to \$18,799 or an average per cent of the salaries paid of 58 4-10 per cent. A. M. Bergere, clerk of the First district, paid \$2,405, or 36 3-10 per cent of salary; H. P. Owen, clerk of the Second district, \$2,485, and W. E. Dame, clerk of the Second district, \$1,792, or a total for the Second district of \$4,277, or 66 8-10 per cent of salary; James P. Mitchell, clerk of the Third district, \$4,018, or 62 8-10 per cent of salary; Secundino Romero, clerk of the Fourth district, \$4,543, or 71 per cent of salary; and J. E. Griffith, clerk of the Fifth district, \$3,444, or 53 4-10 per cent of salary.

The banks having territorial monies on deposit and the amount each had on November 30 are: Bank of Commerce, Albuquerque, \$28,000; First National bank, Las Vegas, \$30,000; First National bank, Albuquerque, \$30,000; San Miguel National bank, Las Vegas, \$30,000; First National bank, Raton, \$15,000; First National bank, Roswell, \$15,000; Citizens' bank, Roswell, \$15,000; First National bank, Clayton, \$20,000; First National bank, Carlsbad, \$20,000; Tasc County bank, Clayton, \$20,000; New Mexico S. B. & T. Co., Albuquerque, \$781; First National bank, Santa Fe, \$31,313; and National Bank of Commerce, New York, \$8,582. The Silver City National bank, on November 30, had made application to become a depository to the amount of \$20,000

and had filed its bond, but it had not yet been approved.

Here, Too.

The management of the sixth annual convention of the national live stock association, meeting in Kansas City, January 12, 13, 14 and 15, 1903, should pay more attention to small details. Advertising matter which the newspapers are expected to publish gratuitously is being sent out with insufficient postage attached and the newspaper people are called upon to make up the delinquency. The printed matter mailed at Kansas City should be forwarded unsealed and then letter postage would not be demanded.—Optic.

COLONEL HAMPSON.

He Will Bid on Construction Work on Moffat's Colorado Road.

Col. Joe Hampson and family, and J. W. Hampson, brother of the colonel, are guests of the Brown hotel, says the Denver News. The party is traveling in a special car en route from the east to the City of Mexico. Colonel Hampson expects to return next summer when the Moffat road is further advanced, to make a bid on a large section of construction in Utah or western Colorado. He regards the road as the greatest step for the development of Denver that could be made at this time.

J. A. Terrell, in charge of a large herd of cattle in the region of Wilcox, Ariz., owned by the Hampsons, is in the city for the purpose of conferring with his employers. Mr. Terrell is one of the pioneer cattlemen of the west, and has had wide experience on the plains and in the mountains. He says the greatest enemy of the cattle in the district around Clifton is the bears.

"We are paying \$10 apiece for bear scalps," said he. "In one year the bears killed at least 100 of our cattle. We are at an altitude of 7,000 feet, and the bears seem to thrive wonderfully in that region. The Apache Indians are good hunters, but they will not kill a bear. They have a superstition that prevents them from hunting bears, and all our talk and arguments have no effect upon them. These Indians say their forefathers came into the country 500 years ago, and found ruins of an early civilization, which appeared just as old then as they appear today. The ruins are an enigma which is beyond our intellect to solve, and I gave up the problem."

Mr. Terrell is an old buffalo hunter. Yesterday he examined the painting of a howland, entitled "In the Arroyo."

"That picture," said the veteran, "is all right."

OUR CONVICTS.

Robert Friday, Convicted of Murder, Gets a New Year's Pardon.

Executive Office, Santa Fe, N. M., Dec. 24, 1902.

Whereas, a custom has been established in this executive office of the Territory of New Mexico, to extend to some unfortunate prisoner an act of clemency upon each national holiday;

Whereas, Robert Friday was at the May, A. D. 1896, term of district court, sitting within and for the county of Santa Fe, Territory of New Mexico, convicted of the crime of murder, and sentenced by the said court to serve a term of life imprisonment in the territorial penitentiary; and

Whereas, the trial judge, Hon. N. B. Laughlin, and a great number of citizens have each recommended and advised that a full pardon be granted in said case; and

Whereas, after a full investigation into the merits of said case and the recommendations and papers on file in the executive office, it has been ascertained that there are many mitigating circumstances connected with the crime, which if brought out during the trial would have probably changed the result; and

Whereas, it has been further ascertained that before the commission of the crime with which said Friday is charged he bore a most excellent reputation and that he has sustained the same during the entire time of his incarceration in the penitentiary, never having violated any of the rules, extending over a period of ten years, and his conduct is highly praised by all the prison officials under whom he has served, I find his case most worthy of consideration, believing that a pardon should be granted to the said Friday as the ends of justice have been fully attained.

Now, therefore, I, Miguel A. Otero, governor of the Territory of New Mexico, by virtue of the authority in me vested, and in pursuance of the established custom, do this day grant a full and complete pardon to the said Robert Friday, the said pardon to take effect on New Year's morning, January 1, 1903, and the superintendent of the penitentiary upon receipt of this order, will act in accordance therewith.

Done at the executive office, this, the 24th day of December, A. D. 1902. Witness my hand and the great seal of the Territory of New Mexico.

MIGUEL A. OTERO.

By the Governor:

J. W. RAYNOLDS, Secretary of New Mexico.

Reprieve Granted.

A reprieve was also granted to John A. Murray, one of the oldest prisoners in the institution. Murray has consumption and will not live long. The crime for which he was imprisoned was blowing up with dynamite a house in which two of his sons were, causing their death. The pardon is recommended by Judge McFie and Judge Parker. He will make his home with another son who has agreed to care for him the balance of his life.

A CHANCE IN A LIFE TIME

to invest on the ground floor with owners, in a developed free milling gold mine that has produced, and has expended on it:

FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS

In development on the ledge and a complete five-stamp mill, with all other necessary machinery ready to run.

The Ozark is not a prospect, but a mine that has produced. We are offering 100,000 shares of development stock at 25c per share, capital stock 1,000,000 shares, (par value \$1 each), fully paid and non-assessable, to further develop and put the property on a paying basis.

A property lying near the Ozark, with nowhere as good a showing and very little development, sold last week to a New York syndicate for \$200,000. The Ozark will pay dividends and be worth par inside of six months. This is the best investment for the money that has ever been offered to the investing public.

Don't lose this opportunity. It will never come again. For further particulars, prospectus, report on mine, references, etc., address,

IZARK GOLD MINING & MILLING CO.,
MOSCOW, IDAHO.

The formal order is: Executive Office, Santa Fe, N. M., Dec. 31, 1902.

Whereas John A. Murray was at the August, 1892, regular term of the district court of the Third judicial district, sitting within and for the county of Grant, Territory of New Mexico, duly convicted and sentenced by the said court to life imprisonment in the territorial penitentiary; and

Whereas, since his incarceration the said Murray has contracted tuberculosis in an incurable form, and during the last five years is said to have been the direct cause of infecting three other convicts with the same disease; and

Whereas, in account of the physical condition of said Murray the board of penitentiary commissioners on July 7, 1902, declared the convict in question to be a burden upon the institution and a positive menace to the health of all other convicts with whom it is necessary for him to come in contact, and recommended that said Murray be released from the institution, which recommendation, supported by the certificate of the regular attending physician, Dr. Kim, and a similar certificate from J. Diaz, who was called in consultation on the case, as well as by Hon. H. O. Baum, superintendent of the territorial penitentiary; and

Whereas, the trial judge, Hon. John R. McFie, has filed a statement in the case recommending that executive clemency be extended to said Murray in order that he may return home with his son who promises to care for him during the remainder of his days, and a similar recommendation has been filed by Hon. F. W. Parker, judge of the Third judicial district.

Now, therefore, I, J. W. Reynolds, acting governor of the Territory of New Mexico, by virtue of the power in me vested, do this day grant to the said Murray a reprieve from a further service of his sentence, subject to the condition that he relatives remove him from the Territory of New Mexico and care for him, they have agreed; and the superintendent of the territorial penitentiary upon receipt of this executive order properly signed and sealed will act in accordance therewith.

Done at the executive office this, the 31st day of December, A. D. 1902.

Witness my hand and the great seal of the Territory of New Mexico.

(Seal) J. W. RAYNOLDS.

By the Acting Governor:

J. W. RAYNOLDS, Secretary of New Mexico.

BACK FROEL PASO.

W. H. Foster, of Peer Millinery Company, Surprised at the Fire.

W. H. Foster, of the Foster Millinery company, returned this morning from El Paso and other western towns. Mr. Foster, who had been in El Paso on account of his neighbor that city the day previous to the fire of Monday night, and was making a visit to the small town between El Paso and this city. After many greetings he was finally notified of a disastrous fire. The fire and loss connected with it was quite a shock to Mr. Foster. However, he states that will equip another store in the building where he was burned out.

F. H. Rhoads, district master for the Continental company of Denver, will be in Albuquerque Sunday to investigate the origin of the fire. It is probable that Mr. Rhoads will do the adjusting for all the companies, with which the firm was insured.

Williams' Postmaster Dead.
Hon. James Williams who is a well known cattle and sheep raiser of Williams and Selman, is in the city, the guest of W. Harris. Mr. Williams brings the intelligence of the death of E. H. Spason, former postmaster of Williams. Mr. Spason was short in his affairs, and this fact worried him until he was declared insane. He was taken to Phoenix for treatment, where he died before yesterday. His burial place at Williams today.

It was a Strife.

During the booming of the new year last night some useless person shot a hole in the plate glass front of H. E. Fox's drug store. The ball had evidently come some distance, as its force was spent as it struck the window, and had enough momentum to break through the glass.

The ball was apparently from a 32-caliber revolver. It had just inside the window and was picked up this morning by Mr. Fox.

The accident occurred about 12 o'clock and was immediately discovered. Whoever made the discovery telephoned Mr. Fox, and he came down town and removed the jewelry from the window. The building is the property of Hon. H. B. Ferguson, and it is not known whether or not he carried plate glass insurance. The glass was a large one and of extra heavy plate. It can not be replaced for less than \$100.

MORE CHANGES.

E. G. Witteberg Quits The Alvarado and Goes to Chicago.

Yesterday, The Citizen mentioned the fact that J. Fred Klooz had resigned as manager of "The Alvarado," and W. H. Cheatham had succeeded him.

Last night, the well known and popular steward of the big hotel, E. G. Witteberg, left for Chicago, where he will become the steward of the Sherman house. He is a thoroughly capable man, and one of the best that has ever come to the southwest in the capacity of hotel steward.

Today, the handsome Sherman house, Chicago, changed managers. A. Frank, for many years the superintendent of Fred Harvey's railway dining cars, assuming the management. Byron Harvey takes the position made vacant by Mr. Frank's resignation.

John Stein, one of the superintendents of the system, is in the city, and yesterday turned over the management of "The Alvarado" to Mr. Cheatham.

County Commissioners Organize.

The new board of county commissioners, composed of E. A. Miera, Ignacio Gutierrez and A. Harsch, met at the court house this morning at 10:30 o'clock, and after being sworn in by the probate clerk organized by the election of Mr. Miera as chairman. The long term of four years as commissioner went to the Second district, therefore at the general election two years hence a commissioner to represent the First and Third districts respectively will have to be elected.

Albuquerqueans Attend Dance.

A number of young Jewish people last evening got up an impromptu dance at Rosenthal hall, in honor of the Albuquerqueans who attended the I. O. B. B. installation. There were twenty couples, and at the close of the dance an excellent repast was partaken of at the Imperial restaurant.

In the afternoon, three of the Albuquerque young gentlemen and three of Las Vegas' charming daughters went out to the Mentezuma in a four-in-hand. The victors left on the flyer Tuesday morning, having the highest words of praise for this city and its good people.—Optic.

The Torpedo Mine.

George Fitzgerald, a well known man in El Paso, has secured a bond and lease on the Torpedo mine, in the Organ mountains, New Mexico. This is a very fine property, but some months ago the water got beyond the control of the pumps, and no further effort has been made to clear the workings.—El Paso Herald.

After His Porks.

Some time ago several hogs strayed away from their owner's place on Dr. M. M

RAILROAD NOTES.

Carl Brunner left Las Vegas for Lamy to resume his position as fireman on the mountain.

Conductor Upstays has reported for duty punching tickets, which sends Conductor Fortner back to his freight run.

Dr. Baird has resigned his position at the Las Vegas freight office, being succeeded by Harry Haskell, who has been the night ticket agent there for some time past.

John Tate has resigned the master mechanicship of the Rio Grande shops at El Moro, and goes to the Rock Island. A Mr. Smith, formerly with the Union Pacific, succeeds him.

S. E. Johnson, a Rock Island fireman at Santa Rosa, N. M., accidentally shot himself with a 44 caliber revolver, which fell out of his hip pocket when he was retiring for the night.

The fifth annual ball given by Hope Lodge, No. 97, International Association of Machinists, Raton, occurred at the opera house of that town Christmas night and proved to be a decided success.

C. J. Boyd, who had been at Lamy for two years and in the service of the Santa Fe railway for fourteen years, resigned his position with the company and returned with his family to Las Vegas.

Mrs. Charles Medland, wife of Car Inspector Medland, left yesterday for Chicago. Mr. Medland will leave in a few days for El Paso, where he will accept a car inspectorship with the El Paso & Southwestern railroad.

O. B. Turner, chief engineer of the proposed New Mexico & Pacific railroad from Raton to Elkhartown, having completed the survey, has returned to his home in St. Louis. It is expected that grading will be begun early in the spring.

The Las Vegas Record says: Railroad life seems to be a continued story just now, running in chapters of twenty hours from here to Albuquerque, and thirty and forty coming back; then a big kick for rest. Right now is all anyone gets to rest.

The builders of the Dawson railway were not able to complete that line and have it in operation on Christmas day, on account of delays in receiving material. The passenger and freight tariffs for the road are now in the press and will be issued as soon as formally approved. The passenger tariff shows a rate of 5 cents a mile. The laying of steel is being rushed from both directions and the two gangs are now only a few miles apart.

W. J. Hanna, the water service man on the Rio Grande division, is a visitor at the local yards.

B. K. Flowers, who tired of his job of firing, resigned at Las Vegas, and came on to this city.

D. A. Shope, superintendent of bridges and buildings in the Winslow division, visited the city yesterday.

W. E. Hulce and Claude Betson, assistants to the Santa Fe resident engineer of Las Vegas, are in the city.

Theodore Thompson, yard clerk at the Las Vegas freight office, is carrying a handsome gold watch, of which he is very proud, it being a present from his brothers in Chicago.

J. F. Rees, who was formerly transit man with the railway surveying corps, but who is now assistant general engineer at Pueblo, left for that place, after a few days' visit at Las Vegas, accompanied by Mr. Harris, his transit man.

The Las Vegas Record says: "The Santa Fe went several men here from Kansas City, recently, to work firing out of here, but before leaving Kansas City they were all vaccinated on the arm, so when they arrived here there was a good many things they would rather do than fire an engine. Most of them are resigning, as they are unable to work with sore arms."

The Portales Herald says: "The Santa Fe Railroad company has purchased a strip of land two miles wide and about twenty miles long. This strip extends from the Texas line to the Portales stock pen, and was purchased for the purpose of giving to cattle shippers easy access to this point. At other places along the road the country has been taken up by settlers and cattle men find it very difficult to reach the railroad. This move on the part of the railroad people will make Portales the greatest shipping point along the line of this system."

MAY OWN A RAILROAD.

Indiana Likely to Buy One in Self Defense.

That the state of Indiana should own and operate a railroad within the next two years is within the range of probabilities.

The board of audit consisting of the governor, secretary of state and auditor of state, met in the governor's office with W. A. Ketcham, ex-attorney general, to consider the future policy of the state in relation to the Vandalia litigation in which the state recently won a judgment, with interest, of a little over \$1,250,000.

The board considered the question of whether legislation is needed this winter to put the state in a position should the need arise, to bid on the T. H. & L. (Vandalia) railroad in case it should be sold by the receiver, Volney T. Malett.

The receiver is an appointment of the United States circuit court. The Pennsylvania railroad holds mortgage on the property, and the question may arise whether the lien of the state is junior or not to these mortgages. If the state's lien is second, the Pennsylvania might be able to bid the road in at a low figure without rival bidders, and the state would have to whistle for its million. Hence the

need of authority for the state to bid. The board did not decide what course to pursue, but is preparing for emergencies. The situation is rendered complex because the receivership is in the federal court and the judgment for the million was rendered in a state court.

Hurt in Las Vegas Yards.

A young man by the name of Press White, who recently came to Las Vegas from Oklahoma, was run down by the cars in the local yard and severely injured, says the Record. He had been at the round house to make application for work, and was returning through the yards when he was struck by some cars of coal, which the switch engine was putting into the coal chutes.

There is a switch at the point where he was hurt and, evidently he mistook the track that the cars were going to take. He was immediately conveyed to the Ladden home, where it was ascertained that he had sustained severe scalp wounds, besides being injured in the back and spine and, probably, internally. He is resting easy, but the extent and seriousness of his injuries are not known.

OKLAHOMA LEADS.

Has Built 570 Miles of New Railroad During 1902.

A carefully preliminary estimate made by individual canvasses of the railroads and supplemented by the Railroad Gazette's own records, figures furnished by the state railroad commissions and other sources of information, shows that approximately 6,020 miles of new steam railroad have been built within the United States between January 1 and December 31, 1902. The figures are exclusive of second track, sidings and all electric lines. Rebuilt mileage is also excluded except where the work involved such extensive changes in alignment that a new route was established, as in the case of the Southern Pacific between certain points in Nevada.

Railroad building was reported done in forty-two states and territories and Oklahoma leads the list with track laid on 570 miles of new line during the year. Texas came second, with 490 miles; Arkansas is third, with 371 miles; and Indian Territory is fourth, with 363 miles. Georgia built 236 miles during the year.

In addition to these, Illinois, Iowa, Missouri and New Mexico show returns of over 200 miles built, and Alabama, California, Florida, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Washington and West Virginia built between 100 and 200 miles.

No steam mileage was reported from Alaska, Delaware, Idaho, Maryland, New Hampshire, New Jersey, Rhode Island or Wyoming.

Tanislado Sal's was arrested yesterday on the charge of desertion. The warrant was sworn out by his wife, who charges him with refusing to provide for herself and boy. He was locked up in the old town jail, and the case placed in the hands of the United States commissioner, H. R. Whiting. The case will be tried under the Edmunds law.

Navajo Irrigation Ditch.

The Farmington Herald says that the government survey for the new Navajo ditch was completed Monday, Mr. Butler departing for Fort Lewis, where he will remain a few days and then return to the San Juan river to make two more surveys for the Indians. The new canal will extend from Farmington to about twenty-five miles south of the hogback.

Lister was a brakeman.

Thomas A. Lister, president of the North American Mining company, of Lordsburg, came in on No. 7 last night and left on the flyer this morning for home. He was a brakeman out of this point some ten years ago, and all his old friends here are glad to hear of his prosperity.—Las Vegas Record.

Waived Examination.

J. E. McDonald, charged with the murder of William Turk, at Hope, was remanded to the grand jury without bond. The preliminary examination had been commenced and some of the testimony heard but his attorneys suddenly announced that he would waive examination. The testimony showed that Turk did not draw his revolver.

Big Coal Roads to Be Merged.

One of the most important deals in the history of railway corporations was made known at Chicago on Tuesday. Early in the year J. P. Morgan & Co. will announce the consolidation of the Erie, Lehigh Valley and the Reading railways. The merger will be planned after the manner of the Northern Securities company, the stocks of the companies to be pooled and held as a basis for the issuance of a large amount of common shares which will take as their name the title to be given the consolidated companies.

A Bit of History.

Every Tennesseean will be interested in the following from an exchange: It is not a generally known historical fact that from 1774 to 1784 the territory known as Tennessee formed a part of North Carolina, and that in 1785 Tennesseeans, becoming dissatisfied with their government, organized a state government under the name of Franklin, which was maintained for some years. The state organized afterward disbanded, and territorial Tennessee was again annexed to North Carolina. The following is among the laws passed by the legislature of the state of Franklin. The Columbian Statesman copied it as

found in a speech by Daniel Webster on the currency in 1835:

Be it enacted by the general assembly of the state of Franklin, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that from the first day of January, 1779, the salaries of the officers of this commonwealth be as follows: His excellency, the governor, per annum, 1,000 deer skins. His honor, the chief justice, per annum, 500 deer skins. The secretary to his excellency, the governor, per annum, 500 raccoon skins. The treasurer to the state, 450 raccoon skins. Members of the assembly, per diem, three raccoon skins. Justice's fees for signing a warrant, one muskrat skin.

To the constable for serving a warrant one muskrat skin. Enacted into the law of the 18th day of October, 1789, under the great seal of the state.

GOOD FOR KANSAS.

Railroads Paid State of Kansas \$1,968,965 Taxes in 1902.

According to the annual reports of the state board of railway commissioners of Kansas, filed Tuesday, the past year has been a profitable one for Kansas railroads. Only one road lost money, and that one road was the so-called Leavenworth & Topeka line, a branch which leaves the Santa Fe's Atchison line at Moriden and goes through Olathe and other small towns. The Leavenworth & Topeka reports a deficit of \$2,787.

The report shows that there are 10,495 miles of road in the state. The total number of railway employees in the state aggregate 30,558, drawing salaries aggregating \$16,901,759 yearly.

All told the sum of \$35,773,148 was paid out in dividends on stock during the year. The railroads also paid \$1,968,965 in taxes in Kansas. The Santa Fe was the greatest tax payer, having paid \$702,440. The Missouri Pacific was next, paying \$421,589. The Rock Island was third with \$391,128, and the Union Pacific fourth, with \$122,422. During the year fifty-three employees were killed and 779 injured in Kansas, five passengers were killed and 187 were injured; 63 trespassers were killed and 156 injured; others not trespassing, 20 killed and 89 injured.

FOR NEW ORLEANS.

Illinois Central and Frisco Making Important Deals.

Vice President J. T. Harahan, of the Illinois Central railroad authorizes the statement that arrangements have just been closed for the double tracking of the main line of the Illinois Central from Memphis to Fulton, Ky., a distance of 122 miles. Mr. Harahan says the work should be finished within a year and will give the Illinois Central a complete double track between New Orleans and Chicago.

On January 4 the Southern Pacific will, in connection with the Illinois Central, operate all trains from the New Orleans side of the river, affording direct connection between New Orleans and San Francisco. Negotiations are also pending for the operation of the Louisville & Nashville trains into the same depot. President Yonkum and Vice President Winchell, of the Frisco, are in New Orleans, as is Assistant General Freight Agent Yonkum of the Chicago & Alton. It is expected that an official announcement soon will be made that the Frisco will enter New Orleans, coming down through Arkansas and Louisiana via Alexandria, and confirming the reported purchase of the Big Port Charlotte terminals on the river front by the Frisco as well as the other property rights of way of the New Orleans Belt & Terminal company and the Carondelet Canal & Navigation company. The Frisco is credited with purchasing twenty squares of ground in the heart of the city whereon its terminals will be built.

President Yonkum, of the Frisco, with W. H. Lyford, general counsel of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railway, spent a day in New Orleans in a tour of the various terminals of the roads entering that city. All the necessary papers will be signed after banking hours providing for the entrance of the Frisco into New Orleans. The tour included a visit to Avondale, where the Southern Pacific will cross its passenger trains by ferry, in order to reach the Illinois Central depot. It is considered not improbable that the Frisco will arrange to enter the union depot.

THE ARE HERE.

Pleasant Words About the New Manager and Head Bell Boy of the Alvarado.

W. H. Cheatham, the popular manager of the Castaneda hotel, left for Albuquerque, accompanied by his wife. Mr. Cheatham will assume charge of the Alvarado at that place, while J. K. Gillis, of La Junta, takes charge of the house here. Mr. Cheatham is one of the most popular managers the Castaneda has ever had and we are sorry to see him go; but, as it comes in the line of promotion, we extend our congratulations.—Las Vegas Record.

Wm. P. Reidy left with Manager Cheatham for the Alvarado hotel, Albuquerque, where he will be in charge of the hotel bell boys, as he had been here. Mr. Reidy is a small man, but he is quite large enough when it comes to the faithful discharge of his duties. He had been here for three years, in the service of the Harvey system, and never a guest but had for him a word of praise. Mr. Cheatham's estimate is

shown by his taking Reidy with him. As the change is a promotion for both manager and bell boy, their friends are both glad and sorry to see them go—glad for their good, sorry for our loss.—Las Vegas Optic.

GOT WHAT IT WANTED.

Frank Criticism on a Dining Car Meal Was Filled.

One of the trunk lines which invites specific criticism of its dining car service—they all do, by the way—received recently the following:

"Specific criticism of breakfast on R. R. train No. —, Tuesday morning, 12-23-02:

"Steak—stringy.
"Omelette—like a lump of boiled dough.

"Tolls—bullets.
"Bacon—excellent.
"Coffee—weak.

"Buckwheat cakes—made of a mixture including corn meal.
"Service—good.

"Conductor—polite and apparently thoroughly satisfied. That's where he had the advantage of me.
"Appetite—fine.

"Result—stomach full of indigestible food and a headache in prospect.
"Suggestion—furnish plain tablets with this breakfast without extra charge."

ALVARADO--CASTENADA.

Few Interesting Facts About Fine Hotels Here and in Las Vegas.

As is generally known, the Harvey hotel in this city is named Alvarado, from a captain in Coronado's army, which invaded New Mexico in 1540, and the Harvey hotel at Las Vegas is named Castaneda from a literary gentleman who accompanied the army, and who has been called the historian of the expedition because the letters he wrote back to Spain contain about the only account of what the expedition did and saw.

While there was a French translation of these letters, made many years ago, there was no English translation until 1895, when George Parker Winship, son of Dr. Winship, who delivered a lecture in Las Vegas on December 23, went to Spain, secured from the government, which keeps the letters in a glass case, under lock and key, consent to copy them, and did so, and then translated them into English, the translation being printed by our government in Vol. 14 of the Ethnological reports. Many gross errors were found in the French translation, from which the errors had passed into history. George Parker Winship was himself in Las Vegas about two years ago.

SAN MIGUEL COUNTY.

Las Vegas.

From the Record.
Sesario Sanchez made final proof on his homestead of 160 acres at Tremontina.

R. T. Long and his two children left for Silver Lake, Ind., with the body of his wife.

C. M. Moore, who had been confined to his home, suffering from his arm, for a couple of days, is able to be out today.

Alejandro Sena arrived in town from El Corazon. He had been engaged in delivering cattle to parties at Watrous for H. Roriero.

The government thermometer at the Plaza only registered as low as 3 degrees above zero last night, which is the correct temperature, despite the various rumors around town today of it being 6 below.

Rev. Myron Woodworth, who had been occupying the Baptist pulpit since it became vacant several weeks ago, left for Cerrillos, where he will probably take up his future residence.

Mrs. Victor Gallegos, an inmate of the asylum, died at an early hour. She was admitted to the institution from Mora county, on February 3, 1902, and leaves a large family of children.

The contest between the red and blue application card committees of the Y. M. C. A. still rages fiercely. The blues are only four or five behind now, and it's an even bet who will pay for the supper.

The Odd Fellows lodge, to serve during the ensuing term of six months: J. H. York, N. G.; J. B. Mackel, V. G.; P. M. Ellwood, secretary; W. E. Crites, treasurer, and Fred Bredfeld, trustee for three years.

The electric railway power house smokestack, which fell last week, has been repaired and will probably be placed in position this week. Everything is ready for starting the fires under the boilers as soon as it is erected, and then the electric street railway will be an accomplished fact and ready for business.

From the Optic.

Several young people from this city attended a social hop at Watrous.

Dick Hester was around after four days of sickness, which strongly threatened pneumonia.

Rodney B. Schoonmaker, Hilfeld's handy man at the quill, has purchased the F. A. Edwards ranch on the upper Galinas.

Joe Joquel has resigned his position as foreman of the mechanical department of this office to accept the business management of the Record around the corner.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nolan have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Anna Nolan, to Thomas G. Swain, of Iowa, at the east side Catholic church on the morning of January 14, 1903.

Tax collections are not up to the amount of last year collected at this

time, but are coming in slow as yet. The number of receipts issued for last November collections fell short about 200 as compared to November, 1901.

The improvements at the residence of Byron T. Mills have been declared non-union work and union carpenters will not work on the job unless it be let to a contractor, he to employ men of his own selection.

The other evening a certain young man of this city went into a certain resort, put 5 cents on the wheel and in a short time had \$20. In an equally short time the \$20 had gone whence it came, and he had gone whence he came, 5 cents poorer than when he went in.

The Teolote plant of the Las Vegas Copper company will commence this week, under the supervision of Dionisio Martinez, Blake & Martinez having secured the contract. There will be required 20,000 feet of heavy hewn timber, and 40,000 feet of sawed lumber, for construction.

SANTA FE COUNTY.

Santa Fe.

From the New Mexican.

Fidel Ortiz and wife, of Las Vegas, are the guests of friends in the capital. Forest McKinley, special agent of the land department, is here on official business.

Juan Sandoval, a sheep raiser, and Ventura Barros, who is in the cattle business, both of Gallateo, are here on business.

James Allen Wood and Mrs. Ruby Ann Marshall, both of Lake City, Colo., were quietly married Monday afternoon at the Presbyterian Manse by Rev. W. Hayes Moore.

Mrs. Anna J. Jones, who has spent the past three months with relatives and friends in Illinois and Michigan, has returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. R. McCord, on Johnson street.

Sheriff-elect H. C. Kinsell and wife will entertain his brother, George M. Kinsell, and A. L. Kendall, county commissioner-elect, from Cerrillos, over New Year's day.

T. C. Phalen, a real estate man of Omaha, Neb., is here with a view of investing and possibly bringing a colony to New Mexico. He called at the office of the bureau of immigration and was given a complete set of pamphlets and full information regarding the various parts of the territory.

Miss Lillian Eldott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Eldott, left for New York, where she will remain for a few days with friends. The latter part of next week she will sail for Germany on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse. She will go to Frankfurt-on-the-Main, where she will visit relatives. She will enter a select school which is conducted by Mr. Eldott's sister. There are several young ladies from the United States being educated there.

KINGMAN.

From the Miner.

The Kingman lodge of Odd Fellows have purchased a plot of ground and will soon commence the construction of a building for lodge purposes.

El Hilly, who recently suffered the fracture of one of the bones of his leg by a fall at Needles, arrived in town Wednesday night. He is still unable to get around.

There are about twenty carloads of lumber in the Kingman yards consigned to the Gold Road company, which teams are hauling to the mines as fast as it can be loaded. Buildings for every purpose will be built at the mines, including a large mill building. The company is just now working every man that shows up.

The Elks are working earnestly on the subject of a lodge building in Kingman and it is expected that the matter will assume definite shape at the special meeting to be held in a few days. They now have enough money in the treasury to buy a lot and begin the work of construction and it is the intention, we believe, to incorporate a company to carry the matter through.

We understand that the Catholics of Kingman are negotiating for a plot of ground in Kingman and will soon commence the construction of a church. There are a large number of communicants of that church in Kingman and the country surrounding and it is believed that more interest can be aroused in church matters by having a church dedicated to that creed.

Fred Stull came over from the Lucky Boy mine recently. He reports that on the 300 level the vein known as the "black ledge" is yielding wonderful rich ore. One of the peculiar things about this ore is that it is free, although above that point for two hundred feet the ore is a heavy iron sulphide. A somewhat similar occurrence is noted in the C. O. D. at a depth of 400 feet, the ore being greatly oxidized, but there the break in the vein is very noticeable. In the Lucky Boy there does not appear to be any break in the vein, but above that point there is a well defined fault.

A. P. Davis, chief hydrographer of the geological survey, and F. H. Newell, of the same department, have gone to Bulls Head Canyon and other camps of the survey corps to inspect the work so far done in this locality. Mr. Davis will leave for Washington some time in January to personally place before the department the necessity of storage and overflow dams in this country for the irrigation of the millions of acres of fertile lands. He is an enthusiastic irrigationist and is one of the best posted men in the United States on the subject of irrigation of the arid lands.

Sudden Death of Old Miner.

Martin Hammond, who has lived in Mohave county for many years, died suddenly at the Pendishy lodging house in Kingman Wednesday evening. He had come in from his camp Oak Creek about noon Wednesday.

He had been in the room occupied by Hammond and went in to see what the matter was and found the old man in the throes of death. It is thought that death was caused by pneumonia of the heart. Deceased was nearly 70 years of age at the time of death, a native of the state of New York, and a veteran of the civil war.—Kingman Miner.

Sheep in Southern Pastures.
Hon. William Morgan, of Show Low, last week arrived in Phoenix by the overland route and on interview with him was asked in the Phoenix Republic: "Mr. Morgan says that there will be more sheep in the Salt River valley of Arizona this year than ever before, probably not less than 250,000 head. Over the Heber trail 100,000 have gone already by actual count, and it is estimated that 125,000 have passed over the Chaves route. Feed is springing up everywhere on the Maricopa desert, this winter being very much like the season of 1897 when all the sheep owners got enormously rich."

EVENTS OF NEW YEAR.

It Was Observed in Yesterday—The Fixed and Movable Festivals.

The year 1903 jumped in on a Thursday and will go out, of course, on same day of the week as is always the case except on leap years. Leap years have been few and far between, but we will have one in 1904. In 1903 there will be four eclipses, two each of the sun and moon; but none of them will amount to much from a spectacular point of view in this region. The only one of the four visible here at all will be a partial eclipse of the moon, on April 12. There will be a total eclipse of the sun on September 20, but it will be visible only in the far southern hemisphere. Easter Sunday will occur on April 12, which is a little earlier than the average date of that great religious festival. Decoration day and the Fourth of July, which always come just five weeks apart, will this year come on Saturday.

For the year 1903 the days and dates of important events, anniversaries and holidays will fall as follows: Epiphany, Tuesday, January 6; Septuagesima Sunday, February 8; St. Valentine's Day, Saturday, February 14; Sexagesima Sunday, February 15; Quinquagesima Sunday, February 22; Washington's birthday, Sunday, February 22; Shrove Tuesday, (Fasnacht), February 24; Ash Wednesday, February 25; Quadragesima Sunday, March 1; St. Patrick's Day, Tuesday, March 17; Mid Lent Sunday, March 18; Palm Sunday, April 5; Maundy, Thursday, April 9; Good Friday, April 10; Easter Sunday, April 12; Low Sunday, April 13; Rogation Sunday, May 17; Ascension Day, Thursday, May 21; Decoration Day, May 24; Whit-Sunday, May 31; Trinity Sunday, June 7; Corpus Christi, June 11; Independence Day, Saturday, July 4; Labor Day, Monday, September 7; Michaelmas Day, Tuesday, September 29; Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 26; First Sunday in Advent, November 29; Christmas, Friday, December 25.

GOES TO SANTA FE.

George A. Fleming, the clever young business man, popular in society circles, has resigned as manager of the Crystal Ice and Cold Storage company here to accept a position as assistant to Secretary J. W. Reynolds at Santa Fe. He is succeeded by E. W. Rich, a young man of good business attainments who has resided here about a year. He is a nephew of the former attorney general of Massachusetts, recently deceased. Mr. Fleming has also tendered his resignation as secretary of the Montezuma club and the Business Men's Protective association. He leaves for Santa Fe on Sunday, and will be followed by the good wishes of everybody.—Optic.

CONSUMPTIVES MAY NOT WED.

Bill to Be Introduced in Indiana Against Them.
A bill to prevent the marriage of consumptives is now being prepared and it will be presented in the Indiana legislature next month. The author of the bill is consulting with physicians and gathering statistics. The provisions to prevent marriages of consumptives will not be based on the old theory of heredity of the disease in offspring, but on association. Statistics which make an appalling showing are being compiled. Last month over eighty mothers died of consumption in Indiana, leaving over 150 motherless children. The death of fathers was hardly as large. The number of children who died of the disease was large.

On the figures thus presented it will be urged that steps should be taken not only to protect offspring but to cut down the number of parents that die and leave orphans.

UNCONSCIOUS CONDITION.

Health Seeker at Las Vegas Found in a Sad Plight.

About ten o'clock Tuesday morning, a young man named John Perkins was found in his room, corner of Eleventh and Columbia avenue, in an unconscious condition and taken to the ladies' home, where at three p. m. all efforts to restore consciousness had proven unavailing, says the Optic. He is about twenty-two or twenty-three years of age, from Grubville, Mo., a health seeker doing light work as he could find it. He was baching in his

room, and when found was lying under the cot on which he slept. There being no one else in the room, the circumstances connected with his becoming unconscious cannot be learned.

Press White, who recently came to Las Vegas from Oklahoma, and who Monday was knocked down by the switch engine drawing four cars, and who was taken to the ladies' home, is doing as well as could be expected. His scalp wounds are severe and while his back is much bruised there are no bones broken. Should it prove that no serious internal injuries were received he will doubtless soon be himself again.

Mrs. Haslan, mother of Mrs. J. R. Smith, is quite ill and her demise at any time would not be surprising.

BELEN VISITOR.

A Writer From Los Lunas Tells His Opinions.

Los Lunas, N. M., Dec. 30.—The writer took the train Sunday morning for Belen to spend the day in the pleasant and progressive little town which is now having its "measure taken" for its new garb of a metropolis, that is looked forward to after the Santa Fe cut off its built. Its commanding commercial situation in the midst of its lovely and productive valley, undoubtedly justifies its citizens in their expectations, especially when the fact is added that besides the progressiveness of its business men the Belen citizen is hospitable to a fault. There are many who remember the good time and kind treatment they have experienced there.

At the great mercantile house of John Becker everything was bustle in preparation for the launching forth of the new corporation to be known as the "John Becker company." No doubt the new firm will grow in importance, aside from the well known business talent of Mr. Becker. Messrs. Reinke and Dallas, the other incorporators, are possessed of excellent like qualities and energy.

THE FINANCES OF NEW MEXICO

Report of Territorial Treasurer Vaughn.

Territorial Treasurer J. H. Vaughn has submitted to Governor Otero his report for the two years ending November 30 last. It shows the financial condition of the territory to be exceptionally good and the outlook the best in its history.

On December 1, 1900, at the commencement of the fifty-second fiscal year, there were balances in the various funds to the amount of \$109,974. During the past two years the receipts from all sources amounted to \$1,087,102, and the disbursements to \$948,626, leaving on hand as cash balances in the various funds, the sum of \$248,449. During the fifty-second and fifty-third fiscal years all claims within the appropriations made were promptly paid and in addition the bonded debt has been reduced from \$1,205,100 to \$1,122,200, a reduction of \$82,900. Certificates of indebtedness paid amounted to \$48,900, capital contingent fund bonds redeemed to \$30,000 and capital building bonds purchased to \$4,000. In addition to this the territory has accumulated for the ultimate redemption of capital building bonds \$7,760, and for provisional indebtedness bonds \$26,421, or a total of \$114,982.

The territorial funds are deposited in nine territorial depositories which are entitled under the applications and bonds filed to have on deposit \$203,000. These banks now have on deposit the full amount of their applications which bear interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum. The total tax levy for the fifty-third fiscal year, ending November 30, 1902, was 14.29 mills and the appropriations for the same year for general territorial purposes, \$182,172. The territorial tax levy for the fifty-fourth fiscal year was reduced to 12.99 mills and the appropriations to \$177,372, or a decrease of \$4,800.

On May 1, 1903, \$101,800 of casual deficit bonds become redeemable at the option of the territory. These bonds are dated May 1, 1893, running thirty years and optional after ten years from the date of the bonds, bearing 5 per cent interest. The present law makes it lawful for the territory to issue 4 per cent bonds, to take up any bonds that bear a higher rate of interest, when the bonds may be redeemed at the option of the territory, but restricts such action from being taken until the optional period has expired. In order to allow ample time to allow and prepare such bonds, treasurer Vaughn recommends the amendment of the law so that the treasurer, with the approval of the governor, can dispose of the new refunding bonds for cash for not less than par, at any time within three months prior to the time at which the outstanding bonds become redeemable at the option of the territory.

Attention is called to the present law governing the class of securities required to be given by banks doing business in the territory, who may apply to become a depository of territorial funds. Under the law, as it exists, personal securities shall be accepted. Treasurer Vaughn says:

"The late experience of the territory in the case of the suspended Taos County bank leads me to believe that all banks applying for territorial monies should furnish the territory such security or bond as could be at once realized upon provided it became necessary. It would be a very difficult undertaking for the treasurer to attempt to keep informed as to the sufficiency of the securities on the bonds given by the different banks, and as there is good reason to believe the territory will be able to continue to carry on large deposits with the various territorial banks, it would surely cause no little embarrassment to the territory should an amount equal to that now on deposit with any one of the authorized depositories get tied up. This can be obviated and the territory secured from any possible loss by repealing the present law and passing a law making it compulsory that any bank applying for a deposit of territorial monies shall, before receiving such deposit, execute and deliver to the territory a bond in some reliable surety or guaranty company, authorized to do business in this territory; such bond to be in penalty, which shall not be less than double the amount applied for."

On the subject of a traveling auditor Treasurer Vaughn says: "It was recommended to the thirty-third and thirty-fourth legislative assemblies that there be created the office of traveling auditor or territorial examiner the duty of such officer to be the examination of the assessment rolls, tax lists, collectors and treasurers' accounts and territorial banks, at stated or irregular intervals, and establish and maintain a uniform system in each county for the keeping of records and accounts. The conditions as they appear today demand more imperatively than ever that such an office be created and it may be done without in the least working any hardship on any interest. As an economic measure this method of systematizing the public business of the territory would increase the revenues very materially and result in a corresponding decrease in tax levies, as well as equalizing the values placed on property of the same class and value for taxation purposes over the territory."

The receipts in each fund from December 1, 1900, to and including November 30, 1902, and the cash balance on the last named date, were:

Interest fund—Receipts, \$263,450; balance, \$23,141.
Salary fund—Receipts, \$123,191; balance, \$23,674.
Supreme court fund—Receipts, \$2,

633; balance, \$758.
Miscellaneous fund—Receipts, \$44,606; balance, \$11,066.
Militia fund—Receipts, \$3,882; balance, \$790.

Capital maintenance fund—Receipts, \$6,506; balance, 95 cents.
Capital contingent fund—Receipts, \$6,900; balance, \$760.

Penitentiary current expense fund—Receipts, \$20,465; balance, \$710.
Penitentiary maintenance fund—Receipts, \$63,622; balance, \$268.

Penitentiary permanent improvement fund—Receipts, \$14,519; balance, \$812.

Penitentiary income fund—Receipts, \$351; balance, \$69.
Convict earnings fund—Receipts, \$31,578; balance, \$969.

University of New Mexico fund—Receipts, \$29,376; balance, \$418.
University of New Mexico, Hadley fund—Receipts, \$2,594; balance, none.

University of New Mexico, deficiency fund—Receipts, \$6,880; balance, \$190.
University of New Mexico, income fund—Receipts, \$70; balance, same.

New Mexico School of Mines—Receipts, \$16,358; balance, \$557.
School of Mines, permanent improvement fund—Receipts, \$13,378; balance, none.

School of Mines, income fund—Receipts, \$388; balance, \$75.
Normal School, Silver City—Receipts, \$17,689; balance, \$1,142.

Normal School, Silver City, permanent improvement fund—Receipts, \$10,830; balance, none.
Normal School, Silver City, income fund—Receipts, \$338; balance, same.

Normal University, Las Vegas—Receipts, \$23,086; balance, \$1,874.
Normal University, Las Vegas, permanent improvement fund—Receipts, \$19,530; balance, none.

Normal University, Las Vegas, income fund—Receipts, \$338; balance, same.
New Mexico Military Institute—Receipts, \$17,460; balance, \$183.

Military Institute, permanent improvement fund—Receipts, \$6,512; balance, none.
Military Institute income fund—Receipts, \$336; balance, \$760.

New Mexico insane asylum—Receipts, \$54,133; balance, \$760.
Insane asylum permanent improvement fund—Receipts, \$2,577; balance, same.

Insane asylum income fund—Receipts, \$358; balance, same.
Agricultural college—Receipts, \$10,850; balance, \$104.

Agricultural college income fund—Receipts, \$73; balance, same.
Agricultural college, United States appropriations—Receipts, \$50,000; balance, none.

Deaf and Dumb Asylum—Receipts, \$3,226; balance, \$72.
Deaf and Dumb Asylum permanent improvement fund—Receipts, \$12,686; balance, none.

Deaf and Dumb Asylum income fund—Receipts, \$346; balance, same.
Miners' hospital income fund—Receipts, \$336; balance, same.

Reform school income fund—Receipts, \$336; balance, same.
Blind asylum, income fund—Receipts, \$393; balance, same.

Blind asylum, permanent fund—Receipts, \$32; balance, same.
Water reservoir income fund—Receipts, \$615; balance, none.

Water reservoir permanent fund—Receipts, \$60; balance, same.
Charitable institutions fund—Receipts, \$32,779; balance, \$2,764.

Common school income fund—Receipts, \$37,673; balance, \$14,308.
Proceeds 5 per cent United States land sales permanent fund—Receipts, \$4,716; balance, same.

School fund—Receipts, \$725; balance, same.
Special purposes fund—Receipts, \$21,490; balance, \$1,241.

Special tax fund—Receipts, \$3,234; balance, \$357.
Sheep sanitary fund—Receipts, \$5,422; balance, \$589.

Compensation fund—Receipts, \$1,309; balance, \$853.
Legal expense fund—Receipts, \$192; balance, \$192.

Special court fund—Receipts, \$1,164; balance, none.
Capital rebuilding fund—Receipts, \$746; balance, none.

Cattle indemnity fund—Receipts, \$35,573; balance, \$269.
Deficiency fund, fifty-fifth fiscal year—Receipts, \$4,119; balance, \$154.

Springfield Fire and Marine Insurance fund—Receipts, \$7,500; balance, same.
Pullman tax fund—Receipts, \$697; balance, none.

Compensation of assessors fund—Receipts, \$34,904; balance, \$2,026.
Geological survey fund—Receipts, \$6,773; balance, same.

Louisiana Purchase fund—Receipts, \$10,820; balance, \$6,820.
Interest on bank deposits—Receipts, \$12,428; balance, \$5,668.

Capital contingent bond sinking fund—Receipts, \$35,285; balance, \$5,285.
Interest and sinking fund of certificates of indebtedness—Receipts, \$67,672; balance, \$3,908.

Provisional indebtedness bond sinking fund—Receipts, \$26,421; balance, same.
Capital building bond sinking fund—Receipts, \$91,760; balance, \$87,760.

Young Forger Remanded to Jail.
The young man who was arrested Wednesday, for passing forged checks, appeared before Judge Wooster at Las Vegas, waived a preliminary examination and was bound over to district

court in the sum of \$500 and remanded to the San Miguel county jail.

First he claimed his name was John Rogers, but changed it immediately and said it was W. G. Wood, and that he was 20 years old. In fact names do not seem to count much with him.

He established the fact that he had been in this part of the country for the past ten weeks, and that he was working for Daily & Adams on November 15 and 16, which clears him of the train robbery charge, as that took place on November 18.

He does not deny passing the checks but says he found two of them, and bought the \$25 one he passed on the Lewis for \$8.

He had on his person when arrested a book of the First National bank blank checks, one of which he had started to fill, having completed the date. All of the clothing which he secured on the spurious check was discovered intact yesterday at the 'lo preserving works by Marshal Curtright and returned to the victims.—Record.

THOSE BIG MILLS.

American Lumber Company May Yet Decide to Locate in This City.

Mayor Charles F. Myers received a letter from General Manager Ira B. Bennett, of the American Lumber company, from Detroit, which bears very encouraging news.

"Mr. Myers: The executive committee of the American Lumber company expects to arrive in your city January 5 on their way to visit the timber lands in Valencina county.

"According to our talk last week, I would be very much pleased to have you and your committee bring about some definite proposition that you could make this company, in regard to locating our mills, etc., in your city.

"I regret very much that I was unable to see you before our return home, but explained to Mr. Brooks and others of your friends about what our company wanted. Hoping you will be able to take the matter up with us in a formal way during our visit there. I am yours very truly, etc."

Mr. Bennett called at The Citizen office while he and Mr. Davis were in the city several weeks ago for the purpose of investigating the advisability of locating the mills here, and stated that at a meeting of the directors it had been decided to locate on the timber tract.

The reasons given by Mr. Bennett for their decision to locate on the timber tract, was that there were more advantages to be gained and less expense connected with a mill on the tract. However, the conditions of both places were thoroughly investigated before he returned to Detroit, but it seems that there are certain conditions which, if met by the committee, will bring the mills to this city.

To those who favor the introduction of new industries this will be good news, considering the requirements are not too heavy. If the conditions desired by the company are reasonable there is good prospect of having the lumber mills located in Albuquerque.

CRUSHED BY THE ROOF.

John William Werney, an Old Resident of Grant County, Was Killed.

John William Werney, an old resident of Grant county, was crushed to death by the roof of a dug out falling on him at Gold Hill the other day. Werney owns some mining claims about a mile and a half from Gold Hill camp and was doing his annual assessment work on them. He was accompanied by his wife and they were living in a small dugout which he had constructed near the claims. Last Friday night they retired as usual but late in the night Mrs. Werney rose for a drink of water. Werney was awake and the two were talking when the roof fell without warning. Mrs. Werney was standing close to the fire place and the roof fell in such a manner as to leave a clear space around her. The mass of dirt and rocks of the roof fell on Werney. His wife tried to get him out but was unable to make any progress. Werney was then alive and was trying to talk to her but she was unable to understand him. After working in vain for some time Mrs. Werney went to Gold Hill camp and procured assistance and Werney was dug out. He was dead when the rescuers got to him as a heavy beam had struck him on the temple and he was injured internally. The body was taken to Silver City on Tuesday. The deceased was a native of Austria and was sixty-seven years old. He lived in Grant county for nearly twenty years and was engaged in mining and stock raising. He is survived by his widow and two children, Otto, who lives in Grant county, and Lillian, who lives in Chicago.

SANTA FE REPUBLICANS.

A New Chairman for the County Central Committee.

Pursuant to call, the republican central committee of Santa Fe county held a special meeting yesterday forenoon at 10 o'clock at the office of David M. White, at the capital. Those present were Chairman J. D. Hughes, D. M. White, Amado Chavez, J. W. Akers, T. B. Catron, C. C. Closson, Antonio Salazar and J. D. Sena, by Marcelino Ortiz, proxy. The chairman stated that conditions have arisen which necessitated tendering his resignation as chairman and thereupon he made the tender. It was accepted and D. M. White was elected chairman to succeed him. Mr. Hughes then tendered his resignation as a member of the committee and it was accepted. Major R. J. Palen was elected to fill the vacancy. The committee adjourned to meet at the call of the chairman.

SHOPS ARE COMPLETED.

Lantry's Finish San Bernardino Job Eleven Days Ahead of Time.

A San Bernardino dispatch, dated December 25, says:

The contract for the construction of the new Santa Fe shops and accessories, in this city, has been fulfilled. All is complete as well as satisfactory and the representatives of Lantry & Sons, contractors, who have had supervision of the work here, have turned the entire plant over to the company and disbanded forces.

The contract required that the work be completed by January 1, 1903. Eleven days before the allotted time found not only all finishing touches completed, but work being done in all the additional departments by company employees.

On the last day the contractors had seventy-five men at work. Many of these were local men, who will, of course, remain here. Others have already left for Los Angeles, some will go to China Basin, in the northern part of the state, where Lantry & Sons are doing contract work for the company while others will scatter over the country.

Thomas Frazier, who was general foreman, left yesterday for Los Angeles and will, on Wednesday, leave for Point Richmond. T. E. Dill, the time-keeper, has also gone to Los Angeles.

E. W. Grove

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Brakeman Kipp, of the east end, received a wire while at this end of the division, that his wife was very sick at Raton, so he was allowed to lay off and dead head to Raton while Brakeman Archer, of the south end, was sent out to do duty in his place, says the Las Vegas Record.

R. H. Lawrence, John Lee and A. L. Lowe are three colored men who have secured positions on the road as porters in the chair cars. Porters are hard to keep, it would seem, from the number who are hired and discharged.

Announcement was made at Chattanooga that the wages of all engineers, firemen, conductors, trainmen and station employees of the Alabama Great Southern has been increased from 5 to 10 per cent.

The work of ridding Cleveland, Ohio, of 134 grade crossings will be commenced in the spring. The estimated cost of the work will be about \$10,000, and ten years will be required to do the work. The seven railroads concerned in the extensive improvements are the Nickel Plate, Wheeling & Lake Erie, Pennsylvania, Lake Shore, Big Four, Erie and Cleveland Terminal & Valley. Legislative authority has been granted to begin the work, the city and the railroads each bearing an equal share of the cost.

Frank Harris, who has been spending a few days with his mother on North Second street, left last night for San Bernardino, where he has a clerical position in the Santa Fe offices.

Dr. Norris, Santa Fe Central physician at Kennedy, is in the city.
W. J. Hanna, water service man on the Rio Grande division, is in the city.

The Indiana railway employees will ask the coming legislature to create a new office, that of state train inspector. They say that this is in line with the inspection given to employees of factories and that the railroad men need the protection. The duties of the office as proposed by the organizations will be to look after cars, tracks and so forth and see that they are kept in repair to guard against injuries and loss of life.

German railroad receipts for the month of November amounted to \$34,200,000, an increase of \$1,062,500 over the same period of last year.

Superintendent F. J. Easley, of the middle division of the Santa Fe, and friends, who have been visiting with family at San Marcial over Christmas, passed through the city this morning en route home to Newton, Kansas.

The value of time in railroading these days was never more emphasized than by the announced determination of the Santa Fe to expend \$10,000,000 to save five miles in going over Raton Pass.

Employees of the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh railroad have been granted a 7 per cent increase in wages, effective December 1. The company employs about 12,000 men, almost all of whom will benefit by the raise.

The survey of the New Mexico & Pacific railroad from Raton to Elizabethtown was completed Saturday. The survey has been in progress for several weeks and sixteen men were engaged in it. Chief Engineer Turner says the road will enter Raton from the south.

"If I Could Get Rid of this abominable cold," exclaimed the sufferer, when the end of a spasm of coughing gave him a chance to talk. The way out of the trouble is plain. Take Allen's Lung Balm before the merciless grip of the cold has fastened upon throat and lungs. After a few doses the cough is easier and less frequent, and a complete cure is but the question of a little time.

The 4,700 engineers and firemen on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul system have been given an increase in pay of about 10 per cent. The joint committee of locomotive engineers and firemen on that system, which has been increased since December 1, adjusting the wage scale, reached an agreement with the management of the entire system on Christmas day.

O. M. Zeigler, Santa Fe station

For Drunkenness, Opium, Morphine and other Drug Using, the Tobacco Habit and Neurasthenia.

Keeley Cure

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agent at Belen, has taken to himself a wife. Mrs. Zeigler was formerly Miss Rigney. Rev. R. Richter, pastor of the German Lutheran church, of this city, performed the ceremony.

There's Many a Slip
on the ice or wet ground at this time of year, and many a sore spot in consequence. No amount of caution will guarantee you against accident. That is why we keep Perry Davis' Painkiller on hand to relieve the ache of bruised flesh, and sore, throbbing muscle. It has given relief to two generations. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'.

L. R. Idso, of Marshalltown, Iowa, who came here with his sister, Mrs. M. Erickson, left this morning for his old Iowa home.

J. F. Cook, of Socorro, is in the city and will remain a few days.

Fred Hunning was up from Los Lunas yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. Oswald Parker and Mrs. Anna Reed, of Waltham, Mass., who enjoyed several days in the city, left yesterday for California.

The Optic says: Engineer T. C. Evans, on his return from Sedalia, Mo., where he went to pay the last rites of respect to his aged father, brought with him a cane which had long been an heirloom in the family. It was first presented to Mr. Evans' great grandfather by his father in 1832. T. C. Evans' grandfather fell heir to the cane in 1852, and his father, recently deceased, became its possessor in 1882, while it descended to T. C. Evans in 1902.

Back from Socorro.
Attorneys W. B. Childers and E. W. Dobson returned yesterday morning from Socorro, where they represented the contestants in Socorro county election contest case which has been occupying the attention of Judge D. H. McMillan's court. The last bit of evidence was in Friday and the arguments finished Saturday. The court took the case under advisement and it is thought will render a decision about January 1. It is one of the most important cases of the kind ever tried before any court in New Mexico, and its termination is looked forward to with much interest. Attorneys James G. Fitch and H. M. Dougherty, of Socorro, represented the respondents.

Lodge Organized.
Simon Stern, the railroad avenue clothier, returned this morning from Las Vegas, where he went Saturday night, and Sunday, assisted in the organization of a lodge of the Independent Order of B'nai B'rith at the Meadow City.
The J. E. Rosenwald lodge, No. 445, was organized with thirty-five members. Attorneys Mueller and Anfanger, who are district deputies for the I. O. B. B., have returned to Denver. Those who went from here are expected home tonight. A brilliant banquet at the Castaneda followed the installation of the new lodge.

MAN EXTEND TEXAS & PACIFIC.

Denver Rumor Says Big Changes Are Contemplated.

The Denver Times says that the announcement comes from an apparently authentic source that the branch of the Texas & Pacific railroad from Weatherford, Texas, to Mineral Wells, Texas, is to be extended to Trinidad, Colorado, where connection will be made with the Denver & Rio Grande railroad, thus giving Denver another direct railroad into Texas and the south.

It also says that the Denver & Rio Grande will expend something like \$2,000,000 improving its roadbed between Denver and Pueblo in contemplation of increased traffic as a result of the new extension of the Texas Pacific.

Further improvements are contemplated from Trinidad and Walsenburg, Colorado.

The road from Weatherford, Texas, will be about 450 miles long, and will form a link which will give the Gould system its own road from New Orleans to Ogden, Utah. It will form an outlet for all of the northern Pacific ports to the leading Gulf shipment points and give the Gould system a new connection of its own interest west. It will also be the following out of Mr. Gould's policy of making himself independent of the Hawley-Harriman interests in the event of an extension of their fight, as it will be a parallel road for Mr. Hawley's Colorado and Southern Texas road.

CARTHAGE ACCEPTS.

Will Raise \$20,000 to Buy Right of Way for Rock Island.

At a citizens' mass meeting, held at Carthage, Mo., it was agreed to accept the terms of the proposition made by the Oklahoma Central & St. Louis railroad, the proposed branch of the Rock Island, to build to Carthage, President W. R. McCull, of the road, stated during the day to a committee of Carthage citizens that the proposed line will be built through Carthage if the people will furnish the right of way for a distance of thirteen miles from Carthage. It is estimated that such right of way will cost \$20,000. Carthage will undertake at once to raise the amount.

The bent and twisted remains of the engine that took part in the Peach Springs wreck a week or so ago, were brought to this city yesterday and dumped off in the local yards.

SANTA FE EXHIBIT.

Has Part of the Alvarado Collection on Display in Chicago.

A dispatch from Chicago, dated December 25, says:

Fred Harvey, who has charge of the dining car service of the Santa Fe road, has opened at the Auditorium Annex an interesting exhibit of southwestern Indian and Mexican curiosities and goods. The exhibit is the most notable of its character ever seen in Chicago, and contains old and modern blankets, baskets, silverware, beadwork, pottery, serapes, headwork and other materials. The exhibit is a portion of the museum exhibit which the Santa Fe has established at the new Alvarado hotel in Albuquerque, N. M., and which cost over \$50,000.

If you are troubled with impure blood, indicated by sores, pimples, headache, etc., we would recommend Acker's Blood Bitter, which we sell under a positive guarantee. It will always cure scrofulous or syphilitic poisons and all blood diseases. 50 cents and \$1. J. H. O'Reilly & Co. and B. H. Briggs & Co.

Death of Mrs. Maguire.

Mrs. A. Maguire, of St. Louis, who has been at the sanitarium at Santa Fe since August, died early Thursday morning, after a week's illness, of pneumonia. She was 86 years old and was the mother of Mrs. Carr, wife of Gen. E. A. Carr, United States army, retired, of Washington. Mrs. Carr has been with her mother for several days and her son, Major Clark M. Carr, arrived at Santa Fe yesterday morning from Guam, N. M. The funeral services were private and were held yesterday morning. Interment was made in Rosario cemetery and later the remains may be taken to St. Louis.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on the box; 25c.

Death at Las Cruces.

A telegram was received announcing the death at Las Cruces Thursday morning of Beatrice Otero Armijo, wife of Charles Armijo. The cause of her death is unknown. She was a cousin of Governor Otero and sister-in-law to Mrs. A. M. Bergere and a niece of Mrs. J. B. Lamy. Her husband and four children survive her. Two of her daughters are married and the third is attending school in Kentucky. She had one son. The funeral was held at Las Cruces yesterday afternoon.

You Know What You Are Taking

When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic, because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure; no pay; 50c.

Freight Handlers' Strike Failed.

A special from New Orleans says: The strike of the Illinois Central railroad freight handlers has been declared off, and the men will go back to work on the old conditions, but without discrimination. They were receiving 16 cents an hour for a ten hour day and 25 cents for all overtime. They struck for 20 cents an hour for a ten hour day, 40 cents overtime and 40 cents an hour for Sundays and holidays. In the contract signed the strikers agree not to bring up the question of wages for at least one year.

The Best Prescription for Malaria,

Chills and fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure; no pay. Price, 50c.

Girl Unconscious a Month.

For a month Miss Anna Peck, of Phelps, New York, has been unconscious, and her attending physicians think that if she ever regains consciousness her mind will be a blank. Miss Peck and her sister, Mrs. Van Hausen were struck by a New York Central train at Oaks Corner, last month, and the girl's condition is the result of the injury she received. Mrs. Van Hausen is also in a dangerous condition from an injury in her spine.

PATENTS

CAVEATS, TRADE MARKS, COPYRIGHTS AND DESIGNS.

Send your business direct to Washington, saves time, costs less, better service. My office is in the U. S. Patent Office. I am a native of the U. S. and have been practicing for over 20 years. I have secured over 1000 patents for my clients. I am a member of the American Patent Association. I am a member of the American Inventors' Association. I am a member of the American Mechanical Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Chemical Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Electrical Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Civil Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Sanitary Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Mining Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Railway Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Shipbuilding Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Lumber Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Iron and Steel Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Coal Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Petroleum Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Gas Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Water Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Sewerage Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Sanitation Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Public Health Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Food Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Textile Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Paper Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Printing Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Book Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Stationery Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Envelope Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Card Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Label Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Tag Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American String Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Thread Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Sewing Machine Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Typewriter Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Adding Machine Engineers' Association. I am a member of the American Calculator Engineers' Association.

BACK FROM THE EAST.

"I think We Will Get Stated," Says O. N. Marron.

Hon. O. N. Marron returned from the east yesterday. Mr. Marron was a member of the statehood committee from Albuquerque that recently visited Washington, after which he visited New York relatives.

To The Citizen Mr. Marron said: "I think the committee from this city did effective work in convincing the senate that Beveridge's reports were false. We proved that Beveridge's investigation committee made their trip through the southwest for the purpose of obtaining testimony against us."

"President Roosevelt is in favor of statehood for New Mexico, and I believe all the others of the committee believe that we will get statehood."

Mr. Marron spent a few days with his mother at Port Henry, N. Y., before he returned home.

Ballard's Horehound Syrup.

Immediately relieves hoarse, croupy cough, oppressed, rattling, rasping and difficult breathing. Henry C. Stearns, ruglist Shullsburg, Wisconsin, writes May 20, 1901: "I have been selling Ballard's Horehound Syrup for two years, and have never had a preparation that has given better satisfaction. I notice that when I sell a bottle, they come back for more. I can honestly recommend it; 25c, 50c and \$1.00 at Cosmopolitan Pharmacy—B. Ruppe."

Dope Fiends in Police Court.

Frank N. Rogers, a dope fiend, and a woman claiming to be his wife, were before Judge Crawford on the charge of vagrancy.

They both are addicted to the habit of hitting the dope, and are of the type who frequent the city police courts. They were informed by the court that this place was very unhealthy for them and that he would give them ten days to remind them what will be always waiting them should they hit the town again.

"Harry Duckwell, aged 25 years, choked to death early yesterday morning at his home, in the presence of his wife and child. He contracted a slight cold a few days ago and paid but little attention to it. Yesterday morning he was seized with a fit of coughing which continued for some time. His wife sent for a physician but before he could arrive, another coughing spell came on and Duckwell died from suffocation.—St. Louis Globe Democrat, December 1, 1901." Ballard's Horehound Syrup would have saved him. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 at Cosmopolitan Pharmacy B. Ruppe.

Chess Club's Doings.

As a result of last week's games the players of the Albuquerque Chess club's championship tourney stands as follows:

Mundelle, Pearce, Keyes, Metcalf, Shinnick, Wilkerson, Purdy, Mahaffey and Fox.

The handicap prize tourney resulted as follows: W. B. Mundelle, first prize; F. O. Keyes, second prize, and the third prize lies between A. L. Mahaffey and George Purdy, who have not finished their games.

He Found a Cure.

R. H. Foster, 318 Second street, Salt Lake City, writes: "I have been bothered with dyspepsia or indigestion for twenty one years. I have tried many doctors without relief, but I have found a cure in Herbine. I recommend it to all my friends, who are afflicted that way, and it is curing them, too. 50c at Cosmopolitan pharmacy—B. Ruppe."

Miss Hattie Kunz Entertains.

There was a very pleasant holiday party Saturday evening at the home of C. W. Kunz. It was Miss Hattie's birthday and she royally entertained a number of her friends. The evening was passed playing games and having a good time. The following were present: Misses Zeiger, Albright, Rose and Daisy Huntzinger, Bearup, Neher, Strong, Henry and Teller, and Messrs. Holman, Anderson, Strumquist, Glen Bearup, Pratt, Sturges, McClellan, Tom and John Hughes and Grover Strong.

Favorite Family Remedy.

Frequently accidents occur in the household, which cause burns, cuts, sprains and bruises; for the use in such cases, Ballard's Snow Liniment has for many years been the constant family remedy. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 at Cosmopolitan Pharmacy—B. Ruppe.

AT VILLAGE OF ISLETA.

The Art Club and Camera Fiends Attended Dances Yesterday.

The Art club spent Sunday at Isleta, the guests of Pascual Abeytia and his father, Marcelino Abeytia, and witnessed the feasting and dancing. Sunday was the last day of the Christmas feast and dance. The camera and pencil was busy most of the day, although it was necessary to conceal the camera most of the time. One of the members of the club speaks the Isleta language very well and knows many of its best people. In this manner everything of interest was visited. There were many interesting sights to be seen yesterday in the usually quiet pueblo.

The dancing spirit predominated and a lively scene followed when any one of the Indians refused to dance. A squad of six painted bucks were sent after them, and when they were captured they were thrown into the cold water in the Rio Grande. The dancers were divided into two different parties, one painted with white and the other black paint. Each danced a half hour at a time in the spacious church yard. Then they were relieved by the other

party. This was kept up until sundown. If a camera was brought to view near the dance trouble was sure to follow.

Hon. Charles Morgan, ex-congressman from the Fifteenth district of Missouri, accompanied by Thomas Connor, the Joplin, Mo., mining king, left last night for the City of Mexico, after a short visit to this city.

For Over Sixty Years.

An old and well tried remedy. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Is pleasant to the taste. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind.

Numerous Counterfeit Nickels.

Numerous spurious 5 cent pieces are about in the city. It has been discovered in the last few days that some smooth individual is stuffing the slot machines with them. They are of a very soft quality of lead and of such poor workmanship that they can be told at a glance, and were it not for the slot machines the graft would be an unprofitable one. It is more than likely that the first of the month will find the slot machines full of them.

EAGLES IN MEETING.

They Will Be Represented at the Big Meeting in New York.

The Eagles had a rousing meeting in Knights of Pythias hall last night. Five new members were initiated. A fine lunch was served. It has been decided by the Eagles that Albuquerque send a delegation to the meeting of the national aerie which meets in New York next September. The Eagles of the neighboring towns will be invited to join them and assist in securing a special car for the occasion.

It's the little colds that grow into big colds; the big colds that end in consumption and death. Watch the little colds. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

A carload of fine liquors and Lash's invigorating bitters was received this morning by Hachechi & Glom.

F. L. Myers, the excellent local agent of the Santa Fe road, visited the Meadow town, up the road, yesterday, returning to the metropolis last night.

"I had a running, itching sore on my leg. Suffered tortures. Doan's Ointment took away the burning and itching instantly, and quickly effected permanent cure." C. W. Lenhart, Bowling Green, Ohio.

Linus Shields, of the Jemez hot springs, who made a business trip to Santa Fe, returned to this city last Saturday night. Accompanied by "Happy Moments" Brown, Linus will drive overland to the springs tomorrow or Wednesday.

Dr. F. A. Jones, the well known mining engineer and expert, will leave tonight for his iron properties in the Oscura mountains. He will be absent about a week.

The boys of the St. Elmo resort are telling a good story on a member of the local sporting fraternity, in which he had some unwritten experience with a recent arrival from Denver.

Accidents come with distressing frequency on the farm. Cuts, bruises, stings, sprains. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil relieves the pain instantly. Never safe without it.

Billy Berry has heard from Professor Kinsley, and after the latter fulfills an engagement at Los Angeles he will come on to Albuquerque with the intention of starting here a physical culture class.

Half the ills that man is heir to come from indigestion. Burdock Blood Bitters strengthens and tones the stomach; makes indigestion impossible.

STILL UNCONSCIOUS.

Jose Molino at St. Joseph's Hospital in a Bad Condition.

Jose Molino, the young man who was found on the Santa Fe tracks at Laguna early last Saturday morning in a horribly bruised and unconscious condition, and who was brought here Saturday night and placed in the St. Joseph's hospital for treatment, lies on his cot at that institution still unconscious. His skull is fractured and until he arouses from his present stupor, it is impossible to say whether or not he will live. His mother, Felicitas Dominguez, who lives at 413 North Broadway, was seen this morning and said that her son was 19 years old and had gone to Gallup about a month ago to work in a barber shop. He had written that he had resigned his position at Gallup and would return to Albuquerque. As he had no money, and no person was missed on any of the trains which arrived here Friday night and Saturday morning, it is more than likely that he was stealing a ride and unfortunately fell under the train. His father is employed at the Cochiti saloon.

Elmer E. Veeder, an attorney of Las Vegas, is here on legal business.

H. P. Benham, of Bland, Cochiti district, is in the city today. He formerly resided in the territorial metropolis.

K. M. Chapman, of Las Vegas, is on a visit to the territorial metropolis.

One-armed and one-legged tramps are bobbing up in Albuquerque this winter in good numbers. Watch them.

LP TO THE LADY.

Midwinter Carnival at El Paso Will Not Stand for Expenses.

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 27. Hon. C. F. Myers, Mayor, Albuquerque, N. M.:

Dear Sir:—Replying to your favor of December 17th, addressed to W. W. Turney relative to appointment of young lady to represent Albuquerque at the Midwinter Carnival to be held in El Paso January 12th to 17th. This and your former communication were referred to me some time since by Mr. Turney, but owing to my absence from El Paso neither communication has received attention.

The Carnival association cannot incur any expense in the way of transportation or any other manner on account of maids of honor. We are very anxious to have Albuquerque represented and hope that you will find some suitable young lady who will consider that the expenses incident to the trip are counterbalanced by the honor of her selection. Yours truly,

W. R. FAGAN, Chairman Committee of Arrangements.

COUGHS AND COLDS IN CHILDREN

Recommendation of a Well Known Chicago Physician.

I use and prescribe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for almost all obstinate constricted coughs, with direct results. I prescribe it to children of all ages. Am glad to recommend it to all in need and seeking relief from colds and coughs and bronchial affections. It is non-narcotic and safe in the hands of the most unprofessional. A universal panacea for all mankind.—Mrs. Mary R. Melendy, M. D., Ph. D., Chicago, Ill. This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

Watch Night Service.

The Lead Avenue Methodist Episcopal church will celebrate the close of the year by a big watch night service on Wednesday night. It will open with a song service conducted by Sidney Houghton at 9 p. m., followed by a sermon by the pastor, Rev. F. V. Fisher. At 10 p. m. H. P. Groat will conduct a testimony service, followed at 11 p. m. by a consecration service held by the deacons, Mrs. Myra A. Yanchow.

All denominations are cordially invited to join in this meeting.

A Good Cough Medicine.

(From the Gazette, Toowoomba, Australia.)

I find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is an excellent medicine. I have been suffering from a severe cough for the last two months, and it has effected a cure. I have great pleasure in recommending it.—W. C. Wockner. This is the opinion of one of our oldest and most respected residents, and has been voluntarily given in good faith that others may try the remedy and be benefited, as was Mr. Wockner. This remedy is sold by all druggists.

HAPPY MARRIAGE.

Niece of Mrs. McKinley Will Wed Denver Attorney.

Canton, Ohio, Dec. 30.—Miss Mary Barber, niece of Mrs. McKinley, will be married at 6 o'clock this evening to Ralph Hartzell, a prominent young attorney of Denver. Mr. Hartzell is a son of one of the oldest Canton families, and was the schoolmate of the bride. Miss Barber is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Barber and spent much time with Mrs. McKinley in white house and on the extended trips made by the presidential parties. About 150 guests have been invited. Mostly relatives and close friends. Mrs. McKinley will attend. Her present to the bride is a magnificent silver table service.

To Get Rid of a Troublesome Corn.

First soak it in warm water to soften it, then pare it down as closely as possible without drawing the blood and apply Chamberlain's Pain Balm twice daily; rubbing vigorously for five minutes at each application. A corn plaster should be worn for a few days, to protect it from the shoe. As a general liniment for sprains, bruises, lameness and rheumatism, Pain Balm is unequalled. For sale by all druggists.

INGLAS SHOT.

Ranchmen of Lake View Quarrel—One Dangerously Wounded.

News comes from Hillsboro, down in Sierra county, of the shooting and dangerous wounding of Thomas Inglas, a well known and popular ranchman of Lake View, that county. The shooting took place last Saturday night, and T. T. Lee, another ranchman, is charged with the crime. The men are reported to have been engaged in a bitter quarrel.

CHAMBERLAIN'S

STOMACH AND LIVER TABLETS.

Try them

When you feel dull after eating. When you have no appetite. When you have a bad taste in the mouth.

When your liver is torpid. When your bowels are constipated. When you have a headache. When you feel bilious.

They will improve your appetite, cleanse and invigorate your stomach and regulate your liver and bowels. For sale by all druggists.

H. T. McIntyre, St. Paul, Minn., who has been troubled with a disordered stomach, says: "Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets do me more good than anything I have ever taken." For sale by all druggists.

Conductor Charley Stevenson has returned from California greatly improved by the trip.



Land Office Business.

Homestead Entries—Jose I. Valdez, of Wagon Mound, 160 acres of land in San Miguel county; John Tasharski, of Roy, 160 acres of land in Mora county. Coal Land Sold—Charles J. Burnam, of Raton, 30 acres in Colfax county for \$500.

Finds Way To Live Long.

The startling announcement of a discovery that will surely lengthen life is made by editor O. H. Downey, of Chubbuck, Ind., "I wish to state," he writes, "that Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption is the most infallible remedy that I have ever known for coughs, colds and grip. It's invaluable to people with weak lungs. Having this wonderful medicine no one need dread pneumonia or consumption. It's relief is instant and cure certain." All druggists guarantee every 50c and \$1.00 bottle, and give trial bottles free.

POLICE COURT.

"You bet I'm drunk, and I am going to keep drunk," said Pat O'Donnell in police court this morning. But the judge gave him ten days in which to sober up.

A couple of boys, broke and in hard luck, were up for vagrancy. After their stories had been told the judge gave them five days each.

The Secret of Long Life.

Consists in keeping all the main organs of the body in healthy, regular action, and in quickly destroying deadly disease germs. Electric Bitters regulate stomach, liver and kidneys, purify the blood, and give a splendid appetite. They work wonders in curing kidney troubles, female complaints, nervous diseases, constipation, dyspepsia and malaria. Vigorous health and strength always follow their use. Only 50c, guaranteed by all druggists.

"Punch" Tansill Dead.

R. W. Tansill, a well known millionaire cigar manufacturer, formerly of Chicago, died at Carlisle, this territory, yesterday, of heart failure. Mr. Tansill came to Carlisle several years ago for his health. He had been very prominent in advancing the interests of the territory. He is known throughout the country as "Punch" Tansill, in honor of his famous 5-cent "Punch" cigar.

New Century Comfort.

Millions are daily finding a world of comfort in Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It kills pain from burns, scalds, cuts, bruises; conquers ulcers, and fever sores; cures eruptions, salt rheum, boils and felons; removes corns and warts. Best pile cure on earth. Only 25c at all druggists.

Pensions.

Late New Mexico pensions allowed: John F. Allard, Deming, \$10; Maria A. Garcia de Gallegos, Las Vegas, \$8; Francisco Lopez (dead), \$8; Prudencio Sanchez, \$6; Belle M. Forsha, Santa Fe, \$8; David F. Graham, United States general hospital, \$17, (war with Spain); John Whalen, \$30, (war with Spain); Joseph R. Guffey, Fort Bayard, \$30, (war with Spain); Juan Luna, Lemitar, \$6; Juan de las Pelles Arguello, Penasco, \$12; Lorenzo Romero, La Cueva, \$10; Eugenio Gonzales, Garfield, \$8; Robert P. McAuliffe, Albuquerque, \$10; Jose Carmen Cardenas, Cleveland, \$12; De Witt D. Brier, Clayton, \$8, (war with Spain).

Heads Shoud Never Ache.

Never endure this trouble. Use at once the remedy that stopped it for Mrs. N. A. Webster, of Winnie, Va. she writes: "Dr. King's New Life Pills wholly cured me of sick headaches I had suffered from two years." Cure headache, constipation, biliousness. 25c at all druggists.

Malicious Trespassing.

The constant and malicious trespassing of pedestrians across the corners of the blue grass lawn around the Alvarado, has worn the grass off until in a number of places nothing but the bare ground remains. The railroad company has spent about \$5,000 to set that grass and intend to make a park of the lots where the Putney wholesale house now stands. If the citizens continue to destroy the improvements already made, it will be rather discouraging to them to make more. This trespassing should be stopped.

Treaty With Brazil.

Rio Janeiro, Dec. 30.—The protocol of the extradition treaty between Brazil and the United States has unanimously passed both houses.

BIG DIVIDEND.

Steel Trust Will Disburse \$5,000,000 in New Year Dividend.

New York, Dec. 30.—Before New Year's day every holder of the common stock of the United States Steel corporation will receive a substantial dividend on his holdings. Checks for the amounts due were mailed today from the general offices of the corporation and amounted in the aggregate to \$5,000,000. Large as this amount is it is but a drop in the bucket to the great dividends to be disbursed from Wall street during the coming month. It is estimated that the aggregate dividend

WHERE IS "DR." J. J. PHELAN?

The Ex-Albuquerquean Who Flourished in Denver Has Disappeared.

It appears that "Dr." J. J. Phelan, formerly of this city, but of recent years a resident of Denver, has disappeared from that city and his bondman will be called upon to produce the distinguished gentleman for trial or pay up. The Denver Republican says: "Ignatz Lederer, who signed the bond of John J. Phelan, has been notified to appear in the county court and state why the amount of the bond shall not be forfeited. It was for \$300 and was to secure the attendance of Phelan in court to answer a charge of practicing dentistry in this city without a certificate from the Colorado board of dental examiners. Phelan was arrested several months ago. His hearing was to come up about the first of this month and upon his failure to appear the summons upon a surety was issued by the sheriff on December 18."

"About the same time Phelan was made defendant in a divorce case which was brought by his wife while she was in California. She charged him with extreme cruelty."

A Scientific Discovery. Kodol does for the stomach that which it is unable to do for itself, even when but slightly disordered or overloaded. Kodol supplies the natural juices of digestion and does the work of the stomach, relaxing the nervous tension, while the inflamed muscles of that organ are allowed to rest and heal. Kodol digests what you eat and enables the stomach and digestive organs to transform all food into rich, red blood. J. H. O'Reilly & Co. and B. H. Briggs & Co.

COI JO-AN J. DICKEY.

Western Superintendent of Western Union Telegraph Company Dead.

An Associated Press dispatch from Omaha, Neb., of last night says:

Col. John I. Dickey, superintendent of the fifth district of the central division of the Western Union Telegraph company, and one of the oldest officials in the service of that corporation, died at his home in this city tonight of pneumonia.

He had been ill but a few days, having been at his office in good health on Christmas day. On that day Mr. Dickey went home suffering from the grip, which developed into pleuropneumonia. His condition became critical early today and during the afternoon, after a consultation his physicians announced that he could live but a few hours.

They resorted to every means known to medical science to prolong his life, but he lost consciousness at an early hour in the afternoon and never rallied. His children were summoned to his bedside this evening but none were able to reach the Dickey home before death.

Mr. Dickey was born in Rushville, Ill., April 11, 1839. In 1857 he entered the law office of Judge J. D. Caton, of Chicago, where he also learned telegraphy. He identified himself with a number of telegraph companies and served during the civil war as a military telegrapher. He then entered the service of one of the large companies, which later merged into the Western Union, with which concern he held a high position for twenty-five years.

Unconscious From Croup.

During a sudden and terrible attack of croup a little girl was unconscious from strangulation, says A. L. Spafford postmaster, Chester, Mich., and a dose of One Minute Cough Cure was administered and repeated often. It reduced the swelling and inflammation, cut the mucus and shortly the child was resting easy and speedily recovered. It cures coughs, colds, lagrippe, and all throat and chest and enables the lungs to contribute pure, health-giving oxygen to the blood. J. H. O'Reilly & Co. and B. H. Briggs & Co.

Boston Wool Market.

Boston, Dec. 30.—Notwithstanding the holiday season, the wool market has been active and is stronger than last week. Some of the largest manufacturers have been buying freely. Stocks are unusually small for the season. Territorial wools are in good demand with prices fully sustained. Fine staples are quoted at 56¢@60¢; strictly fine, 50¢@55¢; fine and fine medium, 50¢@53¢; medium, 45¢@47¢. Fleece wools also are in good demand and prices are firmly held.

One Hundred Dollars a Box.

is the value H. A. Tidale, Summerton, S. C., places on De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. He says: "I had the piles for 20 years. I tried many doctors and medicines, but all failed except De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cured me." It is a combination of the healing properties of Witch Hazel with antiseptics and emollients; relieves and permanently cures blind, bleeding itching and protruding piles, sores, cuts, bruises, eczema, salt rheum and all skin diseases. J. H. O'Reilly & Co. and B. H. Briggs & Co.

Treaty With Brazil.

Rio Janeiro, Dec. 30.—The protocol of the extradition treaty between Brazil and the United States has unanimously passed both houses.

BIG DIVIDEND.

Steel Trust Will Disburse \$5,000,000 in New Year Dividend.

New York, Dec. 30.—Before New Year's day every holder of the common stock of the United States Steel corporation will receive a substantial dividend on his holdings. Checks for the amounts due were mailed today from the general offices of the corporation and amounted in the aggregate to \$5,000,000. Large as this amount is it is but a drop in the bucket to the great dividends to be disbursed from Wall street during the coming month. It is estimated that the aggregate dividend

and interest payments of the big railroads, traction companies and industrial corporations within the next week or so will reach the figure of \$200,000,000.

Simple Colds.

Cause to be simple, if at all prolonged. The safest way is to put them aside at the very beginning. Ballard's Horehound Syrup stops a cold and removes the cause of colds. 25c, 50c, \$1.00 a bottle at Cosmopolitan Pharmacy—B. Ruppe.

SULTAN FOILED.

He is Penned Up in Fez by the Rebel Army.

Madrid, Dec. 30.—It is reported that the Sultan of Morocco has been foiled in an attempt to break out of Fez by the rebels, who are investing the city.

Foreigners Must Leave.

Tangiers, Dec. 30.—Foreigners in the interior of Morocco have been advised to make for the coast, as provisions are scarce and communications almost closed. The pretender himself is reported only twenty miles from Fez.

Water Supply Shut Off.

Madrid, Dec. 30.—A dispatch from Tangier, Morocco, today announced that the rebels had cut the aqueduct, which supplied Fez with water, and added that the place was practically without water. It is further asserted that unless the Kabyleh tribesmen from the south come to the succor of Fez the place must surrender within three days.

Rev. Carlisle P. D. Martin, L. L. D.

Waverly, Texas, writes: "Of a morning when first rising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm, which produces a cough, and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons, needing a medicine for throat or lung troubles." Price 25c, 50c, \$1.00 a bottle at Cosmopolitan Pharmacy—B. Ruppe.

GAS EXPLOSION.

Woman Fatally Hurt by Explosion of Natural Gas.

Delaware, Ohio, Dec. 30.—When Miss Helen Kurrly went to the cellar this morning to start the fire for breakfast, a terrific explosion of natural gas occurred from a lighted lamp and wrecked three sides of the house. Five members of the family were blown through the house and Miss Kurrly was fatally injured and her mother seriously hurt. The other three were slightly injured. Gas had leaked into the cellar and filled the house during the night.

Best Liniment On Earth.

Henry D. Baldwin, Supt. City Water Works, Shullsburg, Wis., writes: "I have tried many kinds of liniment, but have never received much benefit until I used Ballard's Snow Liniment for rheumatism and pains. I think it the best liniment on earth." 25c, 50c and \$1.00 a bottle at Cosmopolitan Pharmacy—B. Ruppe.

MAKING INVESTIGATION.

No Reason Why There Should Be Soft Coal Shortage.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Attorney General Hamlin arrived here this morning to enter upon his investigation of the coal situation. Invitations were sent to the railroad officials, coal dealers, shippers and some large consumers to meet Mr. Hamlin at 2 o'clock. While he has no mandatory power, Hamlin says that he expects to get to the bottom of the question of a shortage of bituminous coal. The investigation is prompted by the report that thousands of car loads of soft coal is being held out of the market in a conspiracy to raise the price.

If Unwell.

Try a 50c bottle of Herbine, notice the improvement speedily effected in your appetite, energy, strength and vigor. Watch how it brightens the spirit, gives freedom from indigestion and debility.

Isaac Story, Ava, Mo., writes: Sept. 10th, 1900. "I was in bad health, I had stomach trouble for twelve months, also dumb child. Dr. J. W. Mory prescribed Herbine. It cured me in two weeks. I cannot recommend it too highly, it will do all you claim for it." Sold by Cosmopolitan Pharmacy—B. Ruppe.

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POLICE COURT.

Batch of Evil Deeds Up Before Justice Crawford.

Albert Epperson, a young colored fellow, representing himself as a physician, was brought before Judge Crawford, charged with stealing an overcoat from the Majestic rooming house on South Third street. Epperson said that if he was guilty of the crime he did not do it intentionally, as he was drunk, and it was through a mistake he took the coat. But excuses do not go with the law as exercised by the court, and Mr. Epperson was sent over for sixty days. He had several good letters of recommendation, and a few books and instruments that proved he might possibly have been all right, but went to the bad when he struck the high altitude.

W. N. Smith and J. P. Murphy were up for being drunk on the street. The same old excuse "that they had over-estimated their capacity," was used, but the phrase has been time worn, and five days was the best that could be obtained from the judge.

A lad giving the name of David Floyd, one of Las Vegas' young men, was thrown in the jail last night for loitering around in the railroad yards at an untimely hour. He claimed he had only come down to see the town and intended to go back today. His story seemed straight and the judge turned him loose.

The receipts for the past month will amount to \$475. This month has been a very good month, notwithstanding there were several days when there was no court.

PRIEST DEAD.

Father J. P. Puetz, of Las Vegas, Died Suddenly.

Rev. J. P. Puetz, a Catholic priest, died suddenly yesterday morning of heart failure. He was 70 years of age and was a well known figure in the city. His death came as a shock to his many friends, as he was up and about as usual Saturday and apparently in good health.

His attendant entered his room yesterday morning, opened the window blinds and then went out. Returning later to arouse him for breakfast, they were horrified to discover that his spirit had passed to the great beyond. Mass was held in the east side church, and his body was shipped to Tiffin, Ohio, for interment.—Las Vegas Record.

STANTON-GA' LEGOS.

A Former Albuquerque Young Man Married at Las Vegas.

A. G. Stanton, Jr., and Miss Elmira Gallegos, both of this city, were married by Rev. Father Pouget at the east side Catholic church Monday morning. In the presence of a large company of relatives and friends.

The bride wore a handsome gown of white silk, decorated with orange blossoms, and carried a beautiful bouquet of roses and carnations.

Charles A. Stanton, a brother of the groom, and Miss Othello Gallegos were the attendants of the happy couple.

After the ceremony the happy couple and wedding guests repaired to the home of the bride's parents, on Railroad avenue, where they enjoyed a most delicious wedding breakfast, the pretty home being most beautifully decorated for the occasion. The presents were not only numerous but costly, showing the esteem in which the young couple is held.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanton are well known and highly esteemed in this city, and they have the best wishes of their many friends for a life of happiness. They will make their home in this city. Record.

FARMINGTON FACTORIES.

Two More Industries to Be Added to the Town.

From the Hustler.

Another feature in Farmington's cap, more employment for our mechanics, further assurance that Farmington will always be the commercial center of the county, a town that a railroad is bound to seek, are the present conditions that now exist.

Immediately upon the announcement that Mr. Pittard had arrived to begin construction work on the big flour mill, comes the news of a new organization with capital subscribed, to build and operate a fruit cannery and cold storage plant. The incorporators are J. C. Bowman, Charles Bowman, Alex Bowman, M. M. Engleman and others. A 45-horse power engine and boiler are already on the ground, together with a large portion of the lumber to be used in the building. The site will be the half block of land constituting the southwest corner of Oliver and Animas streets, directly south of the flour mill site. It is the intention of the company to have the plant ready for the coming season.

Christmas Accident.

What might have proved a very serious accident occurred Christmas eve at the house of Henry Stoen. Little folks of the neighborhood were gathered about a little Christmas tree, when cotta upon the coat of Mr. Stoen, who was impersonating Santa Claus, suddenly caught fire. Both Mr. and Mrs. Stoen were painfully burned before the flames were extinguished and the little ones present were pretty badly

SAN MIGUEL COUNTY.

Las Vegas.

From the Record.

The Woman's Federation will meet on January 8, instead of January 1, at the city hall.

Dionicio Martinez has recorded the mining locations on the La Plata claims, in the San Pedro district.

Frank B. Forsythe has returned from a trip to Chicago and reports that the cold weather there is too severe on a New Mexican.

Mrs. Frank Flumerfelt and Mrs. Harry Hanham returned from Raton, where they accompanied Mrs. Arthall with the body of her husband.

Messrs. Faber, Offner, Seymour Lewin and Ben Jaffa, of Albuquerque, came up to attend the Ethel Brith banquet and remained over for the ball.

August E. Conrad has filed a petition in bankruptcy. He gives the assets as \$145 and his liabilities at \$425. Several east side merchants are mentioned among his creditors.

Kenneth Mymy, who was struck on the head some time ago with a fence picket in the hands of another boy was operated upon and two large splinters removed from the wound.

The woman and two children, who were around town Saturday asking for assistance to help them get to Trinidad, where the woman claimed they had relatives, left on No. 8 Saturday night, having secured enough to take them on to their destination. They came from California and were sent here from Albuquerque.

Sam Hunter, an old colored man, who had been cooking for Eugenio Romero at the stage station of Bado de Juan Paiz, was found Saturday afternoon, lying on the floor of his room dead. He had imbibed quite freely of whiskey in the morning, and those around thought he was merely intoxicated until late in the evening. He was about 65 years old and leaves a wife and four children, his wife being an inmate of the asylum here. The body will be brought to this city for burial.

Mrs. R. T. Long, wife of Graaf & Hayward's bookkeeper, passed quietly away about midnight Saturday night, from membranous croup. She was 29 years of age and, in addition to her husband left two children, a boy of 13 and a girl of 10, to mourn the loss of a devoted wife and a tender mother. The body will be shipped to Silver Lake, Ind., on No. 8 tonight, accompanied by the grief-stricken husband and children. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the entire community in their great sorrow.

From the Optic.

Mining location notices are being filed for record daily at the probate clerk's office.

W. E. O'Leary is said to be contemplating a trip to California for a change of climate and scenery.

It is understood that the builders of the new electric line will ask for another extension of time for the completion of their work, only thirty days being asked. There has been unavoidable delay in the receipt of some of their supplies.

Professor Ed. Schrader, the artist, has on exhibition at the Antlers, a very handsome picture in a very handsome frame, for which he wants \$300. It is a large nude, female figure, symmetrical in proportions, graceful in pose, attractive in form and features, and natural in coloring. It is an unusually fine picture from the artistic standpoint.

Friday night, Sheriff Cleofes Romero, of this county, arrested Narciso Valdez at Puerto de Luna, Guadalupe county, on the charge of horse stealing. Wishing to bring his prisoner immediately to the Las Vegas jail and finding the stage pretty well crowded, Mr. Romero took the place of the driver and handled the reins into town himself.

On Thursday last, the Literary and Mutual Aid society on the west side elected the following named officers: President, Rafael Gallegos; vice president, Florentino Montoya; secretary, Demetrio Silva; treasurer, Sabino Lujan; marshal, Camelario Montoya; librarian, E. C. de Baca; board of directors, Santiago Moya, Bonifacio Lucero, Lucio Duran, Torrique Mares.

When asked about statehood for New Mexico, by an Optic reporter this morning, District Attorney Chas. A. Spiess, just returned from Washington, D. C., would venture no decided opinion of his own, but stated that there is quite a sentiment favorable to joining New Mexico and Arizona together and admitting them as one state. The friends of the omnibus statehood bill are still hopeful of its passage. It is quite certain that there are enough votes for it in the senate, if it can be brought to a vote.

Smallpox at Truxton School.

It is reported on the best of authority that there are twenty-two cases of smallpox at the Truxton Canyon Indian school, in Arizona, the patients being Indian children.

No deaths up to this time have occurred and the cases are said to be of a mild type, although the disease is very pronounced. Dr. Perkins, the superintendent, is doing everything possible to prevent the spread of the disease to the tribe, but it is possible that isolated cases among the older Indians may result from the contagion prior to the discovery of the nature of the outbreak. The school has been closed and the school room is used for the patients.—Kingman Miner.

SAN MIGUEL COUNTY COURT.

Important Matters That Have Come Up in Court at Las Vegas.

The contest cases in Union county were stricken from the court calendar at Las Vegas.

An appeal to the supreme court has been filed in the case of Browne & Manzanera company against A. G. Green, involving a tract of land near Las Vegas.

W. E. Gortner has been appointed examiner to take proofs in the two contested election cases in San Miguel county and he will spare no time in doing so.

In the divorce case of Mrs. Millicent Herberger vs. John Herberger, of Raton, decree pro confesso has been granted and M. H. Baker appointed referee.

In the attachment suit of M. B. Goldenberg & Co., of Puerto de Luna, vs. A. F. Moore, a judgment for the plaintiffs has been rendered in the sum of \$2,232.69.

Mrs. Ada Phillips, of Raton, has brought suit in the district court for a divorce from her husband, Henry Phillips. W. E. Gortner has been appointed referee to take testimony in the case.

James D. Hand, who purchased the Travis F. Jones place at Los Alamos, has brought suit in the district court against Albert B. McGehee and others, to quiet title to lands and premises lying partly in both Mora and San Miguel counties.

The bond of Juan B. Martinez, probate clerk-elect of Union county, has been approved by Judge Mills in the sum of \$5,000; that of Epifanio Gallegos, commissioner-elect of Union county, in the same amount; that of the sheriff-elect of Guadalupe county, same amount.

The bond of George J. Pace, of Raton, to be treasurer and collector of Colfax county, has been approved by Judge W. J. Mills in the sum of \$90,000; that of Romualdo Roibal for the same office in Mora county, for \$35,000; Manuel Lopez, commissioner-elect of Mora county, sum of \$5,000.

In the matter of the assignment of J. F. Ruffner, of Raton, a bond for \$14,500 has been executed, and approved by Judge Mills, with the First National bank of Raton, John Joffa and J. van Houten as sureties. The court appointed appraisers, in the persons of George J. Pace and Thomas Shaw.

The bonds of A. T. Rogers, Sr., and Roman Gallegos, San Miguel county commissioners-elect, have been approved by Judge Mills, in the sum of \$5,000 each; also the bond of Felix S. Esquivel, the hold-over member; also that of Severo Baca, to be probate judge, in the same amount; and that of Felix Garcia y Gutierrez, to be west side chief of police, in the sum of \$200.

MASONS OF SANTA FE.

The Old Montezuma Lodge Installed New Officers.

The officers of Montezuma lodge, No. 1, A. F. and A. M., of Santa Fe, for the ensuing Masonic year were installed on Saturday evening by Past Master A. F. Spiesberger. The officers are: W. M., Charles F. Easley; S. W., C. Spitz; J. W., C. J. Crandall; S. D., R. D. Holt; J. D., Morgan A. Llewellyn; treasurer, Margus Eldott; secretary, P. P. Crichton; stewards, W. J. McPherson and G. W. Shoen; Tyler, W. T. Guyer. After the Blue Lodge exercises Santa Fe chapter, No. 1, Royal Arch Masons, opened a convocation for the installation of the newly elected officers, which the Blue Lodge attended. The installing officer was Past High Priest Charles F. Easley and the officers for the ensuing year are: H. P. Marcus Eldott; king, W. R. Price; scribe, M. S. Davis; secretary, Arthur Seligman; treasurer, H. B. Cartwright; C. of H., W. E. Griffin; P. S., Charles F. Easley; R. A. C., George W. Knaebel; M. of Third V., C. J. Crandall; M. of Second V., Fred Muller; M. of First V., S. Spitz; sentinel, W. T. Guyer. At the conclusion the chapter served refreshments in the banquet hall. General Easley acted as toastmaster and many witty speeches were made by the members present. Philippine cigars were enjoyed that came from Judge W. H. Pope, formerly assistant attorney for the court of private land claims, but now judge of the court of first instance at Manila. The committee in charge of the arrangements consisted of S. Spitz, W. R. Price and Fred Muller.

McGINN-HOWARD.

A Pretty Christmas Wedding of Two Popular Young People.

A very pretty wedding was celebrated on Christmas day at the Catholic church, Gallup, by Rev. George J. Julliard. The contracting parties were Miss Margaret Howard and Hugh S. McGinn, of Gibson. The groomsmen were Thomas McGinn; the bridesmaid, Miss Gabrielle Zaczynski. The maid of honor was Miss Katie McGinn. The church was crowded with friends of the young people who have grown up here in our midst.

The bride was gowned in a beautiful dress of green silk with orange blossoms, the maid of honor wore a handsome green silk with roses and carnations, and the bridesmaid was tastefully dressed in tan colored silk with roses. Four bright little girls dressed in white were the flower girls and veil bearers.

After the ceremony the party and guests proceeded to the McGinn home at Gibson, where a bountiful dinner was served to all and refreshments of all kinds were in abundance. The young people enjoyed themselves in dancing, and merrymaking was kept up until a late hour.

The newly married couple were recipients of a number of beautiful and useful presents. The entertainment of the large number of guests was perfect and the occasion will be a pleasant remembrance for years to come.—Gallup Republican.

SANTA FE COUNTY.

Santa Fe.

From the New Mexican.

The First Cavalry band will give another dance January 19, in Armory hall.

The foot ball eleven of the government Indian school came into town to have their photographs taken.

E. C. Perry and wife were passengers on the Denver & Rio Grande train for their home in Denver. They have been the guests for a week of Capt. and Mrs. G. D. Crittenden.

Although Postmaster Walter had recommended that rates of 50, 75 cents and \$1 be established for lock boxes at the postoffice, the postoffice department has instructed him to charge a uniform rate of \$1 for the small lock boxes and \$1.50 for the large lock boxes from January 1 on.

Col. George W. Knaebel, treasurer and collector-elect of Santa Fe county, has filed his bond of \$50,000 with District Clerk A. M. Berger and it has been approved by Judge McPhee. The sureties are Samuel Eldott, of San Juan, \$20,000; Frederick Muller, \$10,000; Thomas B. Carron, \$20,000; Charles Wagner, \$7,000; Grant Riverburg, \$3,000.

Manager Sparks last evening turned on the current from the new dynamo that had just been installed at the Santa Fe Light & Water company's plant on Water street. The service, however, was betwixt good and bad up to 11 o'clock, when everything went along nicely until this morning. Sunday night the water service in the canyon gave out and last evening the lights were furnished by the Water street plant. In starting new machinery there are great many annoyances that have to be met, such as hot boxes and getting the different parts of the machinery regulated. All these things Manager Sparks had to contend with last night, but he hopes tonight to have things nearly righted.

Not a Quitter.

The enemies of Senator Quay are spreading a report that he is not serious in his fight for statehood and that he will "lay down" after making a bluff. No one who knows Quay will believe this. That is not his method. He never "lays down"; he is not a quitter, and he never goes into a contest but with the expectation of winning. With those who are spreading this report the wish is evidently father to the thought.—Tucson Citizen.

ST. JOHN'S DAY.

The Anniversary Is Celebrated by Masonic Fraternity.

The twenty-seventh of December was the anniversary on which the feast of St. John is celebrated by the Masonic fraternity. Masonic lodges in ancient times were dedicated to King Solomon. Tradition informs us that they were thus dedicated from the builder of the first temple at Jerusalem to the Babylonish captivity. From that time to the coming of the Messiah they were dedicated to Zerubabel, the builder of the second temple and from that to the final destruction of the temple by Vespasian, they were dedicated to St. John the Baptist.

Owing to the many massacres and disorders which attended that memorable event, Freemasonry fell very much into decay. Many of the lodges were broken up, and but few could meet with sufficient numbers to constitute their legality. Under these circumstances, a general meeting of the craft was held in the city of Benjamin, when it was observed that the principal reason for the decline of Masonry was the want of a Grand Master to direct its affairs. They thereupon deputed seven of the most eminent of their members to wait upon St. John the Evangelist, who was at that time Bishop of Ephesus, to request him to take the office of Grand Master. He returned for answer that, though well stricken in years, (being upwards of ninety), yet having been in the early part of his life initiated into Masonry he would take upon himself the office.

He did so, and completed by his learning what St. John had accomplished by his zeal. After his decease the Christian lodges were dedicated to him and St. John the Baptist, both of them regarded as eminent Christian patrons of Masonry. Since then Masons have ever celebrated the 24th of June in commemoration of St. John the Baptist, and the 27th of December in commemoration of St. John the Evangelist.

The Bells of Fate.

Before the sweet sound of the wedding bells had hardly died away the very sad news of the death of the mother of Fred D. Bush was received at Silver City by the young gentleman on the 29th day of December. The news was a severe shock to the young man, as he had only returned from her bedside but a few weeks previous and left her improving with chances favorable for ultimate recovery. About two weeks ago he was married to one of Silver City's leading young ladies. His many Albuquerque friends will be sorry to learn of the sad news, and with The Citizen extend heartfelt sympathy.

A Plucky Young Lady.

Miss Cora Allen, a young lady who lives at White Signal ranch, a distance of some twenty miles from this place, is undoubtedly a nifty girl.

Being extremely frail and delicate, she spends most of her time riding and driving in the open air for the sole benefit of her health. On these trips she always carries a little 23-caliber rifle, and has proven on many occasions that she is not afraid to use it.

A few days ago, while driving near

Oak Grove ranch she suddenly came upon a large wildcat and lost no time in firing at it. At the report of the gun the animal fell, rolling some distance down an embankment, but regained its footing and ran off over a hill, which was entirely too steep and rough for any one to follow in a buggy.

Miss Allen seems very sorry to have missed getting the animal, but is now spending much time in search of a band of infernal wolves, which are said to be ranging in the vicinity of Cactus Flat—Silver City Independent.

Socorro Reviving.

Socorro is exhibiting considerable public spirit and municipal progress. A wide driveway or boulevard is to be constructed from the center of the town to the school of mines, and an expert tobacco grower is to be given a number of acres of the city's lands and water rights to demonstrate that the best of tobacco can be successfully grown in the Rio Grande valley.

RESIGNATION SENT IN.

Ralph P. Collins Resigns as Superintendent of Local Indian School.

Ralph P. Collins, who for the past three years has been superintendent of the local government Indian school, has sent in his resignation to the proper authorities at Washington, to take effect on March 1, 1902. Mr. Collins was seen this afternoon by The Citizen and he stated that on leaving the school he would return to Rocky Ford, Colo., where he has a good farm and in the future is now farming. Mr. Collins has made a most conservative superintendent, and many will regret his determination to quit the city. There are several applicants now in the field for the appointment as superintendent.

WAGES INCREASED.

Thousands of Pennsylvanians Will Get Increased Pay.

New York, Dec. 31.—Beginning tomorrow a new schedule of wages will go into effect on the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad that will increase substantially the pay of a large percentage of the employees in all the departments of the road.

The percentage in increase varies in different departments and with different men or classes of employees.

According to an official statement the new schedules, taken in connection with various increases made during the year 1902, will make the total increase approximate what other roads located in the territory through which the Lackawanna roads run have done in this direction.

President Trustadale would not state definitely what the increases will aggregate per month or year, but it is ascertained that they will approximate \$50,000 per month.

INDIAN SCHOOL NOTES.

The children are enjoying the holidays immensely and the merry shouts and peals of laughter may be heard from all parts of the premises.

Our second team of foot ball players are practicing very diligently preparatory to meeting the town team on New Year's day at the fair ground. They expect a hard battle, but they fully expect to defeat the city team.

Our new disciplinarian is expected in this evening and will take charge of the boys tomorrow morning.

Severo Lente, from Las Lunas, is spending the holidays with friends at the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin, from San Felipe, were callers at the school yesterday.

Dr. Wood has gone west on official business.

Miss Maclovio Devalis was called to her home in El Paso on account of the serious illness of her mother.

The basket ball team from Las Cruces and from the city high school, made a short call at the school yesterday.

Our basket ball girls wish to thank the high school girls for the courtesy extended to them at the game on Monday. The girls do not have much to say but they appreciate any kindness very much.

CHANGE AT ALVARADO.

W. A. Cheatham Succeeds J. Fred Klooz as Manager.

W. A. Cheatham, formerly manager of "The Castaneda" at Las Vegas, and wife, arrived last night. Mr. Cheatham comes as the new manager of "The Alvarado," succeeding J. Fred Klooz, who left a few days ago for his old home at Louisville, Ky. The Citizen regrets to lose Mr. Klooz from the business circles of the metropolis. He was one of the most jovial, good natured fellows imaginable, and drew around him a large circle of warm personal friends, who wish well wherever he may locate. He is a hustler in the hotel business and such a man will not be without a good position long.

To Mr. Cheatham The Citizen extends the right hand of fellowship. He stands high with the Harvey house officials, and will prove a worthy successor to the retiring manager, Mr. Klooz.

THEY WERE ENTERTAINED.

Prof. and Mrs. A. B. Stroup Honor Mesilla Park Visitors.

Basket ball players and many enthusiastic admirers gathered at the home of Superintendent and Mrs. A. B. Stroup, on North Walter street, last evening, where the Mesilla Park maidens were the guests of honor at a pleasing reception.

The game of Wednesday night did not weaken the bonds of friendship between the two teams in the least, and

a more congenial and mirthful crowd would be hard to find. Games, interesting and amusing, were the pastimes of the evening, prizes being awarded for the most successful or accomplished contestant. An elegant lunch, highly seasoned with jokes and pleasant conversation was greatly enjoyed.

The merry crowd escorted the visitors from the south to the hotel, where the farewell biddings were exchanged. The party for Mesilla left on the late train for their college town. They expressed themselves as highly pleased with their visit to this city and were profuse in their thanks for the manner in which they were entertained.

Tally-Ho Ride.

The High school girls entertained the victors in the afternoon with a tally-ho ride. The Indian schools and many other interesting parties in and around the city were visited. The young ladies had to keep the ride a secret until just before the start. The High school boys did not like the idea of seeing so many young ladies riding alone, and so they hired the tally-ho Explorer and accompanied the party. The basket ball game Monday night was a success financially. After the athletic association of the High school paid all expenses there was a neat sum left.

SWITCHMAN INJURED.

Slipped on the ice and Had Left Foot Run Over.

Special To The Citizen.

Gallup, N. M., Dec. 31.—Jack Kemmerer, a well known switchman, slipped on the ice in front of a car, while he ran to throw a switch this afternoon and had his left foot run over by one wheel and was bruised somewhat about the body. The wheel ran quartering across the foot, missing the big toe, so that he will lose only part of the foot. He had just renewed his accident insurance at noon today. He will receive \$10 per week until he recovers. He has a wife and one child. He has lived here for several years and is highly esteemed by all who know him.

AT MESILLA PARK.

Our Indian Girls Will Play Agricultural College Basket Ball Team.

The young girls' basket ball team of the Albuquerque Indian school will play a game at Mesilla Park with the Agricultural and Mechanical Arts college basket ball team, who defeated the High school girls here this week. The game will be played on January 10.

The Mesilla Park team have been victorious in every contest engaged in this year. And if they can stay with the fast and effective Indian girls there will be no doubt as to their skill as basket ball players.

W. J. Travis, of the Albuquerque Indian school, received a letter from the Indian school at Phoenix, asking for a game with the Indian school here. He made them a favorable reply, but has received no word from them since.

The championship of the territory is at stake and there is little doubt but that it will be settled soon.

Progressive Euchre.

Progressive euchre was the pleasant pastime at the home of Miss Ephema Nelson, who entertained a number of young people in a charming manner. A large Jack Horner pie was brought into view at the close of the euchre contest and the ends of the ribbons were given each guest who drew from the pie a small gift. A number of beautiful piano solos were brilliantly rendered by Miss Mary Menaul. Elegant refreshments were served.

Willie Fraser Surprised.

A number of friends of Master Willie Fraser gave him a complete surprise, by dropping in on him in an unexpected manner at his home last night. The evening of pleasure and games was greatly enjoyed by the merry throng.

Holiday Party to Little Ones.

Master B. Shandon Rodey, Jr., gave a holiday party to a large number of his young friends. The home of Mrs. B. S. Rodey on North Eighth street was the scene of this enjoyable social function. The pleasant weather permitted the guests to spend most of the time out of doors. In connection with the many social features several fine pictures were taken of the assembled young people by Butman, the artist.

Mrs. Ifield Entertained.

Mrs. Bernard Ifield entertained quite a number of lady friends at an informal afternoon gathering yesterday. Much pleasure and amusement was derived from a social game, "Library Cat." An enjoyable time resulted from the gathering of the congenial ladies.

Miss Campfield Surprised.

Miss Ada Campfield was tendered a pleasant surprise last evening by a number of her friends. The unexpected and sudden arrival of a host of friends was a complete surprise, but seeing they were her schoolmates and every day companions the young lady welcomed them and the evening was one of pleasure and enjoyment. Those present were: Misses Helen Rodey, Mabel Strong, Susie Dobson, Mildred Fox, Gladys Childers, Messrs. Will Pratt, Raymond Stamm, Frank Springer, Ralph Tascher and Lloyd Stuges.

Murdered a Moor.

Madrid, Dec. 31.—A dispatch received here from Ceuta, Morocco, says that a Moor who was under British protection has been murdered by Moors between Tangier and Tetuan. The Kabyles, in the vicinity of Mellila, Morocco, are quiet. People who have arrived at Ceuta from Fez do not take very serious views of the situation there.