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NEW MEXICO TOWNS

SANTA FE.

From the New Mexican.
Mrs. L. B. Prince was a passenger on the Sunshine ranch north of Esanola this morning.

John Wenborne and C. D. Eggleston have formed a copartnership as contractors and builders.

Miss Cassie Cross expects to leave within a few days for California to spend a month or more with relatives.

Civil Engineer David M. White will give the specifications for the new Gaspar avenue bridge finished by Saturday.

George Anton has sold his stock of goods at Coyote, and has returned to Santa Fe. He will open up a butcher shop here in the near future.

Specimens of very rich copper ore were seen this morning at the capitol, where they were from the mining claims of J. L. Bacia in Sandoval county.

Dr. J. A. Massie, well known in this city, where he practiced medicine for several years, is reported to be quite sick at his home in Toronto, Canada.

Gibson & Mitchell are negotiating for an automobile that will carry from twelve to fourteen people, to make regular trips several times a day between this city and Sunmount.

The Historical society has received three nicely bound volumes of the late Mission Reports of the state of New York, from the University of the state of New York.

A severe hail storm occurred at Jenesa, twelve miles west of this city, Sunday. Trees and growing crops were damaged. The windows of most of the houses were damaged.

Auditor A. E. Powell of the Wells Fargo Express company, with headquarters at Albuquerque, has finished packing up Agent Bell of the local office and found everything all right.

The illness of Mrs. M. A. Smith, who has been sick for several days, assuming a grave phase yesterday afternoon, however, she spent a good night last night and awoke this morning much refreshed and feeling better.

Territorial Secretary and Mrs. J. W. Reynolds, Miss McElroy and Charles C. Brown left this morning on horseback for a week's outing in the Catron county and the Pecos reserve. They followed the trail across the mountains.

County Assessor M. A. Ortiz today filed with the probate clerk of Santa Fe county his appeal in the Santa Fe Water and Light company matter, which the assessment of that company was reduced from \$140,400 to \$8,000 by the board of county commissioners.

Miss Grace Kennedy has been employed as stenographer in the office of R. Gibson, most of her time at present being taken up by clerical work in connection with Sunmount and the cent city, these health resorts attracting a great deal of attention now and any letters concerning them being received daily.

The Christian Brothers of St. Michael's College yesterday laid aside their studies and work and had a good picnic. They secured the four-horse wagon and other vehicles from Lowry's, and, headed by Brother Butph, to a man, they went out in the mountains and spent the day in a picnic. It was in honor of Brother Sullivan, and those present spent a delightful day.

Judge A. J. Abbott, United States special attorney for the Pueblo Indians, left this afternoon for Albuquerque, where he was called by Superintendent A. C. of the United States industrial school at Albuquerque, who also agent for the Pueblo Indians. Judge Abbott goes for the purpose of taking after the rights of the Indians in the matter of granting the Santa Fe Central railroad a right of way through the Indian reservation.

O. A. Budd of Terrell, Tex., arrived in the city Sunday and yesterday went on duty as chief railway accountant in the office of the Santa Fe Central railway. He is an expert accountant, having been connected with several railroads in such a capacity for the past thirteen years and comes very highly commended as to efficiency, knowledge of work and trustworthiness.

SILVER CITY.

from the Independent.
Construction work on the handsome new residence of Contractor Richard W. Grabe on Bullard street is progressing rapidly.

The court house lawn is one of the prettiest spots in the city. Its appearance is due to the untiring work of Mr. James W. Gil.

Sheriff Blair is still down in Old Mexico trying to extradite Mendosa, and it is a sure thing that he will stay here until he can bring his prisoner to him.

Robert Metcalf, of the Mangus, is quite seriously ill as the result of a hemorrhage of the stomach. His many friends hope for his speedy restoration to health.

Margerie, the little daughter of Postmaster A. B. Galloway, is confined to her home by an attack of typhoid fever. Her condition, while serious,

gives every hope of ultimate recovery. J. J. Morrison, a thoroughly experienced railroad man, formerly stationed at Santa Fe, has been placed in charge of the Santa Fe at this point and was checked into office yesterday.

A game of base ball for \$300 a side was to have been played here last Sunday between the Silver City and Deming teams, but it was postponed on account of the Windmill city boys being unable to keep the engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Gillett left last week for San Jose, Cal., where they will make their future home. Mr. and Mrs. Gillett are old time residents of Silver City and their departure is a source of sincere regret to their many friends.

Judge William H. Newcomb will leave Thursday evening for Baltimore, Md., where he will attend the session of the grand judge of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, as the representative of Silver City lodge No. 413. Judge Newcomb will also visit his family in Boston during his absence and expects to be away something over two weeks.

WHITE OAKS.

From the Eagle.
F. M. and Robert Lund have secured a contract for drift work at the North Homestead.

Rev. White, Congregational minister, and wife will return home to Michigan in a few days.

Jicarilla is now one of the busiest mining camps in the territory and has good prospects for continuing so.

There is a great number of strangers prospecting here now, and many are meeting with satisfactory results.

The addition to the concentrating plant at the Old Abe is nearing completion. Four canvas tables are being added.

Swirling Lacey is employed by the American Placer company. His present work is aiding in the surveying of the company's properties.

White Oaks people about 300 strong visited Jicarilla the Fourth and were simply delighted with the hospitality and attention shown them by our neighbors.

James M. Simms is going to locate at Alamogordo. He will have charge of the machinery of the big ice plant, and will probably purchase an interest in the business.

Allen Lane has been employed to go to Batey City to put up the big well drill for the Dividend Mining and smelter company. This new company is going to work in the right way, and have grasped the situation from the beginning.

The people of Lincoln and the visitors to the county seat Monday were excited by the reported escape of a prisoner on the way down from Capitlan, but in a few minutes Deputy Langston rode in with his man and placed him behind the bars.

SANTA ROSA.

From the Sun.
Building continues active in Santa Rosa.

Three homestead locations were made a few miles east of Santa Rosa last Monday.

Mrs. Sproule, of Eldorado, Kansas, died in Santa Rosa last Friday. She was buried Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. J. D. Ellington, of Couchhatti, La., has just arrived to join her husband, who recently accepted a position at this place with the Rock Island.

Sheriff Owens, of Lincoln county, spent several days in Santa Rosa this week on business. He was accompanied by Deputy Till Waters. Sheriff Owens is making some well directed efforts toward breaking up a desperate gang of horse thieves operating in Lincoln county. Reputable citizens of eastern New Mexico should assist the officers of the law in every way as without the aid of law abiding citizens the officers can do nothing.

HILLSBORO.

From the Advocate.
Hillsboro's Fourth of July was a success. It is estimated that over 700 people enjoyed the festivities of the day.

Wm. Farrish, Jr., arrived here last Friday. He is here in the interest of the Sierra Consolidated Gold Mining company.

A. J. Hirsch has resigned his position as manager of the Prosper mines. He is succeeded by W. S. Howland, who now has full charge of the mines.

Arrangements have been made for a ball game to come off here on Sunday, July 19, between the Andrews team and the home team. Gate receipts to go to the poor.

A rather interesting ball game was pulled off here last Sunday between the town team and the John Cross team. At the close of the game the score stood 17 to 18 in favor of the town boys.

A coaching party came over from Lake Valley on the morning of the Fourth. The Concord coach, which was beautifully decorated, was filled to overflowing. The four in hand was admirably handled by Will John Roay.

AZTEC.

From the Index.
Mr. Joseph Walter Branson and Miss Maggie E. Bates were married at the home of the bride's parents on

Sunday, July 5, at 3:30 p. m. Rev. W. F. P. Mun officiated. On Monday they departed for their new home near Bayfield.

The little child of Marion Cooper that was hurt here on the Fourth of July by the explosion of a giant firecracker, is improving.

To the regret of a large circle of friends, Miss Perle Pendleton, accompanied by her mother, left this week for Durango, where she goes to accept a position in the famous.

W. R. Pratt, wife and family are late arrivals from Rushville, Neb. Mr. Pratt spent several days here last month looking over the country and has now returned to make his home among us.

On Wednesday some forty of Aztec's people spent a very pleasant day at Charlie Cameron's beautiful grove. Fishing was the main feature of amusement, of which plenty were caught for dinner.

Five of Mrs. Joseph Pendleton's cousins were killed in the terrible mine disaster at Hanna, Wyo. They were the playmates of her childhood, and Mrs. Pendleton is heart-broken over their unfortunate end.

Big Deal at Carlsbad.

The papers have been finally signed in the McLenathan-Joyce-Pruitt deal, whereby the property opposite the Schlitz hotel is exchanged for the present location of the big mercantile firm. Mr. McLenathan paid a bonus of about \$11,000 in the deal, which is one of the most important in recent years.—Argus.

DEMING.

From the Graphic.
Thieves entered the store of Pablo Ribera Sunday evening and stole several dollars' worth of goods. The thieves have not been caught.

L. P. Moore returned Saturday evening from Lordsburg, where he had been working on a pipe line and will be laid up for a week or two with a broken arm.

Arrangements are being made for a grand camp meeting on the lower Mimbres, beginning August 5. Interesting services are assured and a good attendance is desired.

W. C. Wallis is erecting a wind mill and pump at the lumber yard of J. I. Clement, which will be a great convenience to the water users of this part of the town.

We learn from good authority that the establishment of a new bank with the Louden people back of the enterprise is assured.

Mrs. Raithel left last week for a visit to Germany. Miss Barbara will assume the responsibility of housekeeping during her mother's absence.

Mrs. W. H. Greer and Mrs. P. R. Smith entertained last Friday evening at the latter's residence, in an unique manner, a children's party, to which were gathered a good proportion of the Deming elite, in costumes of little girls, babies, sailor boys and farmer boys, no costumes over 10 year.

Deming is the most favored town in New Mexico as regards position and railway facilities, having as it does direct communication with all the principal cities both east and west, and with Mexico and Arizona to the south, while the rich mining districts of Grant county are reached by a branch of the Santa Fe.

GALLUP.

From the Republican.
Two carloads of watermelons were received here this week.

J. B. Coleman left last night for the coast, where he will spend a few weeks vacation.

Mrs. James McQuade has started a new restaurant in the building formerly occupied by George Sampson.

Lawrence Smith writes home that he started to work in the office of the master mechanic at San Bernardino, Cal., Wednesday.

Miss Hardie, of Fort Wingate, started for New York City Sunday, where she will stay during Major Hardie's absence in the Philippines.

J. L. Murphy says that business is good and everybody engaged in getting their house fixed up. That is a sure sign of prosperity.

From the regular trips made by Mark Bennett of Zuni it looks as if the trading business was flourishing this summer.

It will surprise some to learn that on an average twenty-five freight teams leave Gallup every day. And still they complain of the town being dead.

P. Canavan, who received the contract to dig the shaft at the Rocky Cliff mine, has started the work and is making good headway. This is the only shaft of this kind in this vicinity.

A jolly crowd went to the Navajo Indian church last Sunday, arriving at the canyon below the church just in time for the genial cook, Wm. Kelly, to arrange the plates and prepare a dinner the queens of the land would relish.

BEAT THE CRAP GAME.

Couple of Sharps Clean Up About \$1,200 at El Paso.

SUPPOSED TO HAIL FROM DENVER.

The Times says that El Paso was visited last week by a party of crap sharps, who left their impress on a certain gambling house in that city to the extent of \$1,200. A few days after they disappeared from that city a crap game was hit in Albuquerque for \$1,400, and it is thought that the men who operated in this city are the same ones who got in their work at El Paso.

It is the opinion of the local gamblers that the men who got away with the two big swags are a pair of dice artists from Denver, who are making a tour of the southwest.

Speaking of the incident an old time gambler said to a Times man:

"It is a bit of smooth, cool work to beat a crap game, and yet the feat is accomplished every now and then. These dice artists will blow into a town and then begin studying the different crap games, looking for a soft spot. They look for a game where there is a heavy play, but more particularly where the man behind the table is not very quick of perception. Once they locate this kind of a game they take careful note of the color and size of the dice used."

"They then go away and manufacture a few pairs of 'horse' dice, which will be duplicates of the dice used at this table in size, color and composition. There is a material difference between the 'horse' and the regular dice, however, and that difference very materially lessens the percentage against the shooter when he uses his own dice. His dice which he has manufactured will not have the same number of spots on them that the 'square' dice have and are so arranged as to come certain numbers very often."

"The manufacture of the crooked dice is very simple, but to work them in on the dealer is where the art comes in, and it takes a man with the gift of legerdemain to do it. The man who holds the crooked dice will, when it comes his time to shoot with a quickness that deceives the eye, exchange them for the regular dice which are in commission in the game. The dealer is supposed to pass the dice from one shooter to the other, and when he passes the regular ones over to the sharp he switches them into his left hand, where he holds them concealed as he begins to shoot with his own dice. He usually has a confederate and the two bet very heavy on the dice. In the course of a half hour's play, especially where there is a big crowd at the table, a big sum of money can be won and the sharp will quit before their heavy winnings begin to attract the suspicion of the dealer."

NO MORE FLOODS.

Co-Operation of Santa Fe Company Secured—City Will Be Protected.

SANTA FE ENGINEERS HERE.

H. C. Phillips, of LaJunta, and B. H. Nowlce, of Las Vegas, who are connected with the engineering department of the Santa Fe railroad, were here yesterday and visited the lowlands north of the city, recently inundated by the overflow of the Rio Grande.

Engineer Nowlce was here during the excitement and understands the situation thoroughly. The co-operation of the Santa Fe has been enlisted and some provision will be made to protect the city from any disaster like that with which it was recently threatened.

The visiting engineers decided to have a level made of the whole valley for five or six miles north of the dyke. Lines of levels will be run from the railroad tracks to the river. The work will be begun within the next eight or ten days. The pond of water north of the Fourth street dyke is slowly disappearing, it is being carried off as was suggested by Engineers Ross, Rankin and Nowlce. An aperture was made in the railroad grade above the scouring mills and the water carried out by aqueducts.

What will be done after a level of the land has been made is not positively known, but some system of drainage will probably be decided on.

Band Concerts.

Editor Citizen: I wish to state that the Italian band owes the public one concert, which was postponed on account of the death of Mrs. Thomas S. Hubbell. This concert will be given on Saturday. The contract calls for Sunday evenings only, but on account of

the weather they have given the required number except the last. Due notice will be given through the city papers when the band will play.

E. D. FLUKE, Manager.

Needs Investigating.

The railway mail service in this territory is in wretched condition and needs reformation. Complaints are numerous, especially on the routes south from this city. Will Mr. Bristow turn his attention this way, and straighten out things?

TRIAL POSTPONED.

Cases Against Alleged Insurance Swindlers Are Finally Continued.

Word was received here yesterday that the formal trial at Chihuahua of Richardson, Mason and Harle, accused of being implicated in the murder of Mitchell and Devers, has been continued and no date yet fixed for taking up the case. The continuance was granted for the purpose of securing additional evidence both for the prosecution and the defense. Several days ago Harle appealed from the decision before the higher court. It is said of the judge that he should be held for trial and this appeal is now pending and the doctor is becoming very despondent and is fast losing courage. His relatives, it is stated, are endeavoring to secure additional counsel for his defense.—El Paso Times.

Busy Man.

Last week W. B. Walton of Silver City issued an excellent weekly paper, had a baby at his house, attended to the duties of county clerk of Grant county, and looked after the mineral exhibit of his section for the St. Louis World's Fair.

LAS CRUCES.

From the Progress.
The territorial fair at Albuquerque promises to eclipse all former efforts, and we trust the exhibitors from Dona Ana county may be numerous.

Jesus Calles, died at his home in this city Saturday evening. For over a year the deceased was a victim of paralysis and other complications which ended his life.

The Las Cruces base ball team hereby sends out a challenge to any team in the territory. Arrangements can be quickly made by corresponding with Walter M. Danburg, this city.

Professor Haaley, as one of the road commissioners, is pushing his work and avers he will go to the limit of his authority in an effort to improve the public highways under his jurisdiction. That's the stuff, professor. Push the good work. A few good roads are better than none at all.

Hurry up that new road to Mesilla Park. When it is completed one of our citizens is thinking seriously of establishing an automobile track line.

Col. Jesse Brazil, one of the original owners of the famous Mormon gold mine in the Organ mountains, left on Monday last for Bisbee, Ariz., to visit his children. He will return about the first of September and bring back two of his children, whom he will place in the convent school in this place.

John H. May, captain of Company A this city, has received word that the company's tents, guns and accoutrements had been assigned and would be here in a short time. The company is making preparations to go into camp at Fort Russell, Wyo., next month, and from present indications will probably report with thirty-five or forty men, which will, indeed, be a most excellent showing.

FLAGSTAFF.

From the Gem.
John Williams left Sunday for Seattle, Wash., where he intends to reside.

T. J. Coalter, who has been annoying the trout of Oak creek for a few days, returned yesterday.

J. C. Muderbach is having his residence property in the north part of town improved this week.

I. A. Turnell, who has been visiting in the state of Washington for several weeks, has returned.

J. C. Blake has placed a substantial sidewalk in front of his business property on East Aspen avenue.

W. J. Powell returned Saturday from a few weeks' visit in Chicago, where he went to receive medical treatment.

Miss Alice Kennedy returned home Saturday from Los Angeles, where she has been visiting for several weeks.

James Treat left Saturday for Long Beach, Cal., where he intends to reside. His family will follow in a few weeks.

W. K. Ross, who went to Kansas about six weeks ago with a carload of horses, returned Saturday with a carload of blooded bulls.

Frank Beasley sold sixteen hundred and sixty lambs last Saturday and Andy Kline sold seven hundred and twenty on the same day. They were purchased for the Kansas City market.

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SUNDAY CLOSING.

The Hot Springs Saloon Man Fined for Violating the Statute.

Ralph Gohike, the Las Vegas hot springs saloon man was convicted before Justice of the Peace Dionicio Otero of doing business on Sunday in violation of the statute and sentenced to pay a fine of \$15 and \$20 costs.

District Attorney Stephen B. Davis appeared for the territory; Capt. L. C. Fort for the defense. The territory put on several witnesses to prove that liquor had been sold at Gohike's place last Sunday.

The defense practically admitted the allegation. At least no denial was made and the defense rested solely on the claim that the justice of the peace had no jurisdiction in the case. The defendant appealed to the district court.

Under the law every additional Sunday upon which liquor is sold constitutes a separate offense. The district attorney intends to bring a complaint for every violation and pile up considerable wrath for the day of judgment if the breaking of the law is persisted in.

What Blood Tells.

It was in one of the farming districts of New England. The young folk had banded themselves together for a cutting frolic during the winter and were about to celebrate the last dance of the season as well as a couple of engagements which had resulted from the assemblies. Ben Hawkins the local paginini, and his Stradivarius had been engaged to lead them through the mazes of the country dance, and all were looking forward to the "time of their life."

But death inconsiderately claimed Mrs. Hawkins for his own on the afternoon of the eventful party. The young people gathered as arranged, but mourned the absence of "Ole Ben," and games were being substituted for the dancing, when lo! Hawkins and his fiddle appeared on the scene.

Great astonishment and many questions greeted the old man, but he calmly slipped his fiddle out of its green bag, and he immediately rubbed the rosin on the bow, said:

"Well, yes, Maria's gone; died this afternoon, but I reckon 'tain't no sin for me to play for you tonight, seel'n she wasn't no blood relation."

QUESTION OF WAR.

League Magnates Said to Stand for Final Settlement of Peace.

President Pullman of the National league has called together the magnates of that circuit. They will meet in New York next Monday, when it is expected that there will be something in baseball circles. The president did not announce what prompted him to issue the call, but the question of "to war or not to war" will be the subject of serious debate.

It was not of his own volition that Pullman called together the league magnates. Six of the eight clubs united in a demand that some such action be taken immediately. They did not couch their communications in the form of a request, but informed the head of the organization that there must be a meeting or something would happen.

Those claiming to be posted on the angles of the pin-feathers of the magnates of belligerent tendencies say that there will be much happenings when the meeting settles down to its stride. They do not pretend to predict just what will happen, but do say that it will be interesting to everybody engaged in following the game and its troubles.

Brush is said to be outspoken in favor of war, but he does not control a majority in the league. Boston is said to be the only support upon which he can count, and it is reported that even this club may take the hurdle at any backing whatever.

Persons nearer the scene of action assert that the meeting will end with Brush down and out for good and all. They say that the game cannot stand for another war and that the majority of club owners will see that there is no further trouble.

REMARKABLE AQUEDUCT.

In Australia to Be 328 Miles Long and Will Cost \$20,000,000.

For many years the great gold fields of the great Coolgardie mining district of western Australia have been suffering seriously from the lack of an adequate water supply. It was by no means an uncommon occurrence to pay as much as 75 cents for a gallon of drinking water. Hotel keepers in many towns and villages were wont to guard more jealously the manner in which the customer helped himself to the water than to the whisky bottle. Even the richest mine owners in Coolgardie were not able to take a bath.

The necessity for procuring an adequate and permanent supply of water had forced itself so strongly upon the attention of the government that finally after many preliminaries the government decided to accept and carry out the plans of the engineer in chief of the colony for a daily supply of 5,000,000 gallons of water. In July, 1889, the report was presented to parliament with a bill authorizing a loan of \$16,500,000 for the scheme. The plan was finally adopted and work on the immense scheme began in 1893.

GEN. MILES' LONG RIDE.

Covered Ninety Miles in Nine Hours and Ten Minutes.

Lieutenant General Nelson A. Miles made a horseback ride recently from Fort Sill, I. T., to Fort Reno, Okla., a distance of ninety miles, in nine hours and ten minutes. The first thirty-five miles were made in record time, the distance being covered in two hours and twenty-five minutes.

Upon completing the trip, General Miles showed no signs of fatigue and forty minutes after his arrival at Fort Reno reviewed the troops stationed at that point.

The ride was taken, it was stated, to demonstrate that General Miles, at the age of retirement, is still a sturdy man.

"The weather was cool at the start, but became intensely hot. Anadarko, Okla., thirty-five miles distant from Fort Sill, was reached in two hours and twenty-five minutes.

The ride was made in ten mile relays, soldiers stationed along the line furnishing fresh horses. Lunch consumed twenty minutes, and it is estimated that fifty minutes more were spent in changing mounts and in other small delays. This made the actual time spent in the saddle eight hours.

A salute was fired as General Miles entered Fort Reno. He showed no signs of weariness as he dismounted and said:

"I enjoyed every moment of the trip, and there was one time that I felt particularly good—that was when I came up to the men who had charge of the pack teams just south of the Canadian river. They had lunch ready and I enjoyed it with them. It made me feel extra good."

Immediately after reviewing the troops at Fort Reno, General Miles accompanied by Colonel Maus, drove to El Reno and caught a train for Fort Riley.

Denies the Charge.

A New York dispatch says that President Nash, of the American Smelting company, which controls the big smelting plant at El Paso, Tex., states there is not a word of truth in the charge that his company had defrauded the government at El Paso.

"The government has its own assayer at El Paso and we pay duties according to his assays; and it would be absurd to charge that an enterprise like ours would place itself at the mercy of half a dozen employees and the government assayer by even offering to bribe the latter. No, there is nothing in it."

RAILROAD SUBMIT'S CONTRACT.

Important Meeting of Citizens Called for Tomorrow Evening.

There will be a special meeting of the citizens' committee of sixty at the Zeiger cafe club rooms tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of discussing a contract submitted by the officers of the Albuquerque Eastern Railroad company. If the contract is satisfactory to the committee it will be accepted.

The terms of the company are said to be reasonable and if accepted by the people of this city, work on the road will at once begin, and the line through Tijeras canyon will be completed this year.

It is highly important that every member of the committee should be present at the meeting tomorrow evening.

Money for the Philippines.

The Mexican money of the Plus fund which Archbishop Rordan sold to the government has begun to arrive at the San Francisco mint. \$10,000 having reached there from Mexico City, and Superintendent Leach says it will come at the rate of \$150,000 a day until the entire amount, one and one-half millions, has been delivered.

The Mexican money is to be made into pesos for the Philippines, and as fast as it is coined it will be sent to Manila.

Citizen "want ads" bring results.

Subscription Rates.
Daily Citizen, per year, \$6.00
Weekly Citizen, per year, \$2.00

CALL DOWN.

The hired and professional slanders on the morning sheet have been called down in a most effective way by Mayor Myers. The only answer that the sheet makes is that the mayor is too sensitive. The statement made by Mr. Myers proves conclusively that the Democrat knowingly published falsehoods concerning the expenses incurred in preparing the city from being flooded by the recent overflow of the Rio Grande.

MOB RULE INCREASING.

Disgrace has followed infamy day after day in the press news of mob violence, of lynchings and feuds. The rule of the mob must always work up to the proposition of citizens being shot down in the streets by the military—carried far enough it means military despotism. Officials must not to the rigorous enforcement of the civil laws, and citizens must let the law take its course, or chaos and mob rule and military despotism and the shedding of innocent blood will surely result. Race riots breed the worst forms of lawlessness, and in communities where there is even a remote possibility of race riot, the civil authorities have a dreadful responsibility.

ENTHUSIASM AND PROSPERITY.

All men have ideas but every community contains two sorts of individuals; those who sacrificed their comforts to their ideas with unshaken confidence in their ultimate success, and fight for them manfully in the face of present defeat; and those who forever hover on the brink of uncertainty, hoping much but venturing nothing and taking care whatever other men do they keep on the safe side. The first sort of men shape their community, and sometimes stir the world. The second sort hamper progress and too often produce commercial and intellectual death. The enthusiast is sometimes wrong, but he does that which he wants to do. The doubter perhaps never makes a mistake, and very rarely ever makes anything at all.

INSANE ASYLUM INVESTIGATION.

In its comments on the recent insane asylum investigation, the Farmington Hustler says: "It seems to us that any reasonable person who is familiar with the workings of such institutions will hardly agree with the majority in dismissing the evidence of those who have been dismissed as of no weight, while accepting that of the present employees as being the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth. The fact is that those now employed are less liable to tell the truth if outrages had been committed than are those not now employed. The former are placing their continued employment in jeopardy by reporting anything that will reflect upon their superiors in position."

NOT A MEMBER.

The old man who is now the hired editorial liar of the Morning Democrat, was a special correspondent of The Citizen when the rail was made on the city school fund ten years ago. The editor of The Citizen was not a member of that legislature. It was the session when the democrats counted out enough republicans to give that party a majority. The Citizen sent the now veteran falsifier of the Democrat up to Santa Fe that winter to criticize the action of Lorion Miller and others, and he started in all right, but Felix Martinez bought him up in a few days with a clerkship and he was henceforth the mildest mannered man that ever professionally lied for a political boss. The \$1,000 stolen from the school fund of this city that winter was ostensibly for the purpose of buying the "three graces" controlled by Felix Martinez.

THE MOB SPIRIT.

The Chicago News is one of the metropolitan journals that admits the mob spirit is not confined to the south. Says that paper:

"There is no good reason to believe that if lynchings and race riots can be carried on by the citizens of Peoria and Evansville they would not be tolerated by citizens in the northern metropolitan centers were the opportunity for such lawlessness presented."

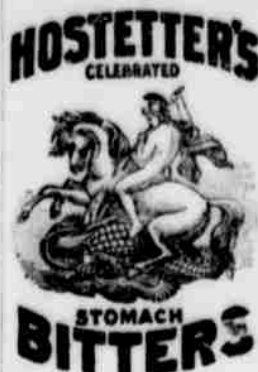
"The most alarming feature of this spread of outlaws is the evidence it affords of a dangerous apathy on the part of citizens who should be most earnest in calling for the upholding of law. Men who break open jails for the purpose of hanging or burning a prisoner may be but a small and unrepresentative portion of the whole population, but they evidently see no occasion to fear interference or rebuke from their more orderly fellow citizens."

This apathy certainly is to be found, yet the people generally admit that officers should protect prisoners at all hazards. A people that condemns race mobbing in Russia must condemn it at home.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

The convention of the Christian Scientists held in Boston last week has attracted considerable attention. It was, in fact, a remarkable gathering of some twenty thousand very earnest people, showing that whatever may be the prevailing opinion of the newest form of mysticism, originated by Mrs. Mary Baker Glover Eddy, it has grown stronger and stronger in the face of derision. It can not be maintained, however, that because a belief of opinion has survived opposition that it represents any great truth, for it has been abundantly established that error as well as truth often prevails, and also that truth crushed to earth does not always rise again.

It has been maintained with some reason that the seed of insanity is im-



STOMACH BITTERS

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planted in the human mind, and attains varying degrees of development in different individuals. All minds are at some time subject to hallucination and with most persons it takes the form of religious mysticism or fanaticism.

Christian Scientists are probably no crazier than some other people who criticize and ridicule them, says an exchange, but they are more dangerous to society because the essential part of their belief is that "matter is non-existent, and that as God is spirit and man, being made in His image, is, therefore, also spiritual and can not suffer; disease is not actual, but a wrong belief and can be cured by discharging such belief." Therefore, Christian Scientists repudiate medical science and refuse such treatment, not only to their own detriment, but thereby endangering the lives of others and of the public health in general.

GOVERNMENT LAND.

The records of the general land office for the fiscal year just closed show the rapidity with which the land is being seized. The total receipts in 1902 were \$4,144,122; in 1903 more than double the amount. Entries under the timber and stone act, which in 1897 covered less than 41,000 acres, in 1902 covered 545,000 acres, and in the first three-quarters of the fiscal year of 1903 covered 1,429,000 acres. Entries under the desert act grew from 147,000 acres in 1897, to 929,000 in 1902, and in the first three-quarters of the year 1903 they were 736,000 acres. It is believed that by far the greater part of the entries under these two laws are "grazes."

COLLAPSE OF TENT.

Fourteen Persons Injured by Collapse of Christian Endeavor Tent.

Denver, July 14.—The fourteen persons who were injured by the collapse of Tent Endeavor in a windstorm yesterday afternoon are reported to be resting easily and all, it is believed, will quickly recover. That none of the great audience numbering six to eight thousand were killed or fatally injured is regarded by the Christian Endeavorers and others as miraculous. The tent, which is 280 feet long by 180 feet wide and 56 feet high in the center, is a complete wreck. It is said by experienced circus canvasmen who examined the construction of the tent that it was not put together as it should have been. Much credit is given Percy S. Foster of Washington, D. C., Rev. R. J. Horsfield of Bristol, England, L. M. Lewis, assistant chief usher, and Miss Winfield Sleep of Denver, whose presence of mind and prompt action prevented the disaster from becoming much more serious than it was.

Postmaster at Alamogordo. Washington, July 14.—The president has appointed postmaster at Alamogordo, N. M., John M. Hawkins, formerly of El Paso.

Get Increased Pay. Chicago, July 14.—After three months' negotiations the conductors and brakemen of the Illinois Central received an increase in pay varying from 9 to 15 per cent. The increase adds over \$200,000 to the annual pay roll of the company.

PUDGE FOR YOURSELF.

Which is Better—Try an Experiment or Profit by an Albuquerque Citizen's Experience.

Something new is an experiment. Must be proved to be as represented. The statement of a manufacturer is not convincing proof of merit. But the endorsement of friends is. Now supposing you had a bad back, a lame, weak or aching one. Would you experiment on it? You will read of many so-called cures.

Endorsed by strangers from far-away places. It's different when the endorsement comes from home.

Easy to prove local testimony. Home endorsement is the proof that backs every box of Doan's Kidney Pills.

Read this case: W. R. Tripp, engineer at the Hotel Alvarado, residence 511 South Broadway, says: "If backache had been my only symptom of kidney trouble my case would probably have been very simple, but when there was added to it trouble with the kidney secretions the complications did not respond to medicine as readily as I expected. About once every year I had these attacks and the use of Doan's Kidney Pills procured at the Alvarado Pharmacy tided me over one which was only a successor of similar predecessors. For six months I have had immunity from the annoyance and if Doan's Kidney Pills can be depended upon to act as they did when they first came to my notice, I know what to use should an attack recur in the future."

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Remember the name Doan's and take no substitute.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

No insane asylum horror has been unearthed since the recent investigation.

At the present time most of the war heroes in the world are Missouri mules.

Chicago's population, according to the new directory just completed, is 2,241,000.

Way not take as much interest in a good man's development and success as that of a prize fighter.

There is constant demand for a continuous grand jury in Denver. That city beats all competitors in demands for a grand jury.

John P. Clum, formerly mayor, postmaster and newspaper man of Tombstone, is mixed up in the postoffice scandal at Washington.

In China a man who killed his father was executed, and along with him was his schoolmaster because he had not taught him better.

Albuquerque can be made the cleanest and prettiest city in the west. It would be worth millions of dollars to the community to deserve the distinction.

Pope Leo deserves to be a centenary. He is the greatest of living men and the whole Christian world will rejoice if he recovers from his present illness.

The talk about a possible English or American pope is, of course, foolish. The coming pontiff will be an Italian. All the pontiffs for several centuries have belonged to that race.

The city that takes advantage of all her opportunities is the one that always is in the front ranks. Adversity and misfortune may at times give it a hard knock, but it always arises from seeming obliteration with more strength and push than ever.

By the report of the statistician of the interstate commerce commission it appears that the dividends of American railroads which in 1897 aggregated some \$87,000,000, had reached \$185,391,000 in 1902, or more than doubled in five years. This is the story of national prosperity in a nutshell.

Sig. Grunfeld's grievance over the expenditure on the dyke is trivial. He wanted more time to examine the bill of expense. The other members of the city finance committee examined the bill and reported in favor of its payment.

Sig. is getting to be much more of a reformer than he was when he helped Mariano Armijo to \$1,000 of the city school funds. On that occasion the school money was misappropriated without any formality whatever; in fact the school board held no meeting.

The ailments of most people are largely self-induced, and he who would retain good health must not get into habit of not feeling well. The slight headache or rather trifling indisposition which hangs over most persons on arising in the morning can be quickly banished by exerting the will power, and looking on the good side of things.

The next census will show Roswell the second largest city in New Mexico. San Juan county is making arrangements to hold a big county fair next fall.

Elles, bad weather, filthy premises, spoiled meat and impure milk are well known causes of typhoid fever.

The New Mexican announces that it will soon be enlarged to eight pages and otherwise greatly improved.

Savings deposits in Chicago banks have passed the \$100,000,000 mark. In the past year they have increased more than \$22,000,000.

The Alamogordo News has enlarged, and it is now one of the newest weekly newspapers in New Mexico, and shows many signs of prosperity.

Roswell will send an advertising car filled with products of the Pecos valley to the eastern cities this fall. The car last year sent from Roswell attracted wide attention.

Scientists have computed the total weight of the earth to be 54,000,000,000,000,000 tons, which probably accounts for the fact that those who are trying to uplift it make so little progress.

The people of West Las Vegas have voted to incorporate. There were only three votes against the proposition. This hopelessly divides the city of Las Vegas into two incorporated factions.

The last of Uncle Sam's dynamite guns was sold for scrap iron in New London, Conn., recently. Experience has shown that for offensiveness and defensive operations in time of war the gunpowder of our forefathers cannot be improved upon.

At the pretty village of Artesia, near Roswell, a big flow of water was recently struck in an artesian well at a depth of 740 feet. There is an immense volume of water gushing out of the well eighteen inches above the casing and it is estimated at 1,200 gallons a minute.

The Farmington Hustler makes the following timely suggestion: "One matter that should be taken up at the fair meeting should be the appointment of a committee to take charge of the work of securing exhibits for our Durango and Albuquerque fairs. We should have creditable exhibits at such places. The advertisement is worth the effort."

Dr. and Mrs. Mueller Here. Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Mueller left.

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Saturday evening for Albuquerque, where they will remain some time, says the Roswell Register. Mr. Mueller is an optician and eye sight specialist of high standing in New York and Newport, Rhode Island. During the three months he has been here many patients have consulted him and were fitted with glasses, some of the most prominent people here being among them. His gentlemanly manner and thorough knowledge of his profession made him extremely popular with everyone. Mr. C. D. Mueller has an office and thoroughly equipped examining room with H. S. Fox, Jeweler, on South Second street. Here he will scientifically adapt the glasses to all having defects of sight.

CONFERENCE WITH PRESIDENT.

Jewish Representatives Confer With President Regarding Russian Outrages.

Oyster Bay, L. I., July 14.—An important conference was held at Sagamore Hill today between the president and representative Jewish citizens of the society of B'Nai B'rith regarding the petition to the Russian government on the Kishineff outrages. The result of the conference has not been disclosed yet, but a strong intimation is given that the petition may not be forwarded to the Russian government. Inasmuch as the Russian government has indicated by the adoption of severe measures a genuine disposition to punish adequately the perpetrators of the Kishineff murders, and in addition those who instigated them, it is a problem for the president and Secretary Hay to solve whether the representations concerning the incident are either desirable or necessary.

It is suggested that the whole matter may be resolved into a brief statement through diplomatic channels to the Russian foreign office that such petition is in the hands of the United States, thus leaving it to Russia to say whether it would or would not receive the document if it were presented.

It would close the incident without subjecting the United States relations with Russia to a strain and it is regarded that it would be quite as effective as actual presentation of the petition.

Duffy and Ferns Again.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 14.—Martia Duffy, the Chicago welterweight, and "Rube" Ferns of Kansas City, in a twenty-round contest, is the attraction arranged by the International Athletic club of Fort Erie for its patrons tonight. The two have met in the squared circle several times before, and are considered well matched. On the occasion of their last encounter, which took place at Louisville a short time ago, the decision was awarded to Duffy. Ferns was dissatisfied with the result, so the meeting tonight was arranged. The winner of the bout will probably be matched to meet Matty Matthews in the near future.

Los Angeles' New Park.

Passenger train No. 2 of this morning had on board three well known horsemen, J. W. Brooks of Los Angeles, L. B. Eaton of Pasadena and Mr. Moore of Springfield, Ill.

Mr. Brooks is manager of the Agricultural park, now being built at a cost of \$350,000, and when finished will compete with the fast track park at Oakland, across the bay from San Francisco. The new park will be opened October 10, with a great race meet lasting until October 31. Manager Brooks is now on his way east to talk the meet up and get eastern horsemen interested.

Elks' Opera House Funds.

A large committee was out this afternoon soliciting funds for the opera house. They are meeting with good success securing subscriptions.

Atlantic City Horse Show.

Atlantic City, N. J., July 14.—Excellent in both the number and high class of the entries all previous exhibitions of the kind held here, the fifth annual Atlantic City horse show opened today in abaze of glory. Society turned out in force and made a gala event of the occasion. There are upwards of fifty classes of exhibits this year, and included among the number are many prize-winning equines from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and other cities. Judging began today and will continue until the show closes next Saturday.

Smiling Scoundrel Hanged.

San Quentin, Cal., July 14.—Fredrick C. Fischer was hanged today in the state prison here. He ascended the gallows with a smile on his face and expressed no contrition of his acts. Fischer killed his wife April 23, 1903, in Riverside. The crime created great excitement in southern California and Fischer narrowly escaped lynching when he confessed.

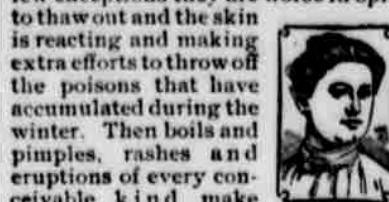
Railway Commissioners Meet.

Portland, Me., July 14.—The fifteen annual convention of the National Association of Railway Commissioners opened in this city today and will continue until Friday. More than thirty-one states are represented by about 100 delegates. The subjects to be discussed are grade crossings, classification of operating and construction expenses, taxes and plans for ascertaining full values of railroad property, unification of classification and simplification of tariff sheets, railroad statistics, legislation needed, safety appliances, rates and rate making, and forms of reports of electric railways.

R. A. Nipp, who has been here visiting his brother, J. B. Nipp, north of town, left last night for a trip through Old Mexico, and from there to his home in Fort Worth, Texas.

SKIN DISEASES THE OUTCROPPING OF BAD BLOOD

And while not always painful are aggravating beyond expression. With few exceptions they are worse in spring and summer when the system begins to thaw out and the skin is reacting and making extra efforts to throw off the poisons that have accumulated during the winter. Then boils and pimples, rashes and eruptions of every conceivable kind make their appearance, and Eczema and Tetter—the twin terrors of skin diseases—Nettle-rash, Poison Oak and Ivy, and such other skin troubles as usually remain quiet during cold weather, break out afresh to torment and distract by their fearful burning, itching and stinging. A course of S. S. S. will purify and enrich the blood, reinforce and tone up the general system and stimulate the sluggish circulation, thus warding off the diseases common to spring and summer. The skin, with good blood to nourish it, remains smooth and soft and free of all disfiguring eruptions.



me to keep it up. After the use of six bottles my skin was as smooth and soft as a baby's. This was a year ago and I have never had any trouble since.

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cal lodge of the order and from all indications the gathering will be a huge success.

Gas Belt Racing Association. Lafayette, Ind., July 14.—The Gas Belt racing circuit was opened here today with a meeting that will continue until Saturday. The three days' racing program calls for five stake races with a purse of \$1,000 for each event. The stables are filled with fast horses of a high class, and judging from the auspicious conditions surrounding the opening, the meeting will be one of the most successful ever seen here.

END OF MOAT HOUSE MURDERER. London, July 14.—Samuel Herbert Dougal, known as the "Moat House" murderer, was hanged today in Chelmsford prison.

The execution closes a career of crime that was surrounded by as many circumstances of mystery and sensation as the brain of a novelist ever invented. The deed for which he paid the death penalty was the murder of Miss Camille Cecile Holland, a woman of independent means, who not only gave him her affection, but trusted him so far as to buy the lonely Moat farm, where they might live together in peace. He betrayed her trust, and with scarcely conceivable baseness, drove her out into the stillness of the night to blow out her brains, that he might become possessed of her property, which he succeeded in doing by forging her name to her checks.

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Ultimately in 1898 he made the acquaintance of Miss Holland, daughter of a Liverpool merchant, who, as the evidence at the trial disclosed, was possessed of considerable means in her own right. How precisely Dougal first secured an introduction to Miss Holland is not known. It is said to have been effected through a matrimonial agency. Certain it is that Miss Holland conceived a genuine affection for Dougal, and by mutual consent they agreed to live together as man and wife, Miss Holland at the same time carefully concealing from her relatives all knowledge of her acquaintance with Dougal, and, indeed, of his mere existence.

Together they went to live at Moat Farm, an exceedingly lonely spot at Clavering. Soon after commencing their tenancy Dougal began to fill up the ditch leading from the farm yard to the moat. This work was not completed on the day when he deter-

mined to take the unhappy woman's life, and it afforded him a ready-made grave in which to bury his victim. Miss Holland was seen alive for the last time on May 19, 1899. Not only was she not seen again, but no trace of her was discovered until four years afterward, when the remains of a woman were found in the Moat Farm ditch. It is one of the remarkable features of the case that during all these years Dougal had been able to act as her "double" in forging his signature to checks and carrying on correspondence with her bankers and brokers. To the few inquiries made Dougal explained that Miss Holland had gone to the continent. Later he brought his real wife to the Moat Farm, introducing her at first as his widowed daughter. Divorce proceedings against Dougal's real wife, interrupted after a decree nisi had been granted, by an affiliation order obtained by a village girl against him first directed the attention of the police to the continued absence of Miss Holland.

Dougal was first arrested on charge of forging Miss Holland's name. Meanwhile the police were at work endeavoring to solve the mystery of her disappearance and in their perseverance in their search for the body they won general praise. The succeeded in linking together a chain of circumstantial evidence, which could not be broken by the best efforts of the counsel for the defense and which connected Dougal with the authorship of the crime as secure as anything short of the direct evidence of eye witnesses of the tragedy could have effected.

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BOSTON WOOL MARKET.

Boston, July 14.—Good steady demand keeps on Boston wool market active and strong this week. Many small and several large transactions have been closed, buyers representing classes of manufacturers. While medium grades have the call, business in other departments is good and inquiry is quite general. Buyers for the American Wool company have been in the market, and there is evidence that they will be more important factor in business in the near future than in the immediate past. There is an upward tendency.

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Observed in Washington.

Washington, July 14.—The tricolor waved over the French embassy today, commemorating the French national holiday, the anniversary of the fall of the Bastille, on July 14, 1789. M. Jusserand and his subordinates appropriately and quietly observed the day, the usual business of the embassy giving way to holiday recreations.

Wisconsin Elks in Session. Ashland, Wis., July 14.—Ashland is garbed in purple and gold in honor of the Elks, whose annual state convention will be in session here during the next two days. Visitors poured into the city today from all directions, among the arrivals being good sized delegations from Milwaukee, Oshkosh, La Crosse and numerous other cities of the state. The program will be ushered in this evening with a reception and ball in honor of the visitors and tomorrow morning the business sessions will begin. Elaborate entertainment has been provided by the lo-

TRAIN ROBBER INDICTED.

Train Robber Alvord is Indicted at Tombstone, Arizona.

SIX CHARGES AGAINST HIM.

A special dispatch from Tombstone says that Burt Alvord, the train robber, was indicted recently by the United States grand jury on six charges of robbing and interfering with the United States mails. The action of the grand jury was somewhat of a surprise, for the reason that it had been understood that the offense of Alvord had been condoned so far as it could be done by law.

Alvord's first offense was committed while he was a peace officer of the territory, a constable of Wilcox precinct in this county, and also a deputy sheriff. A Southern Pacific train was held up not far from Wilcox and the express and mail trains robbed. Alvord became active in the pursuit of the bandits. Not long after the robbery Alvord came under suspicion, but the detectives of the Southern Pacific kept the suspicion to themselves. About three years ago an attempt was made to hold up a train near Fairbanks, and in the fight which attended the attempt one of the robbers was wounded by Messenger J. D. Milton. Four others escaped. The wounded robber was found a few days afterward and shortly died, but before dying he said that his associates were Alvord, Billy Stiles, Bravo Juan and another man who was afterward located in Idaho and brought back. Stiles and Bravo Juan were taken into custody, the former surrendering. When the Idaho man was brought back and on the day of his arrival at Tombstone a jail delivery was arranged by Stiles, and he and Bravo Juan escaped. The latter has never been captured, but Stiles subsequently surrendered himself again. In the meantime only the Idaho man had been sent to the penitentiary.

Alvord lingered about the country sending impudent word to the authorities. Being hotly pursued after this he took refuge in Mexico, and remained there until after the capture of the Graham county murderer, Augustus Chacon. Alvord had contributed to his capture, and it was understood that the territory's account with him had been settled. He was led to believe that the United States would not prosecute him. There have been several sessions of the federal grand jury since Alvord imagined himself to be a free and untrammelled citizen.

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Territorial Topics

SANTA FE.

Prof. of the New Mexican.
Santa Fe is at present without a plumber.
Mrs. M. A. Smith, widow of General G. A. Smith, is quite sick at the Smith residence on Grant avenue and has been all week.

Mrs. H. B. Palm, mother of Mrs. Frost, arrived Thursday evening from Kansas City, Mo., and will pay her daughter a visit of several weeks' duration.

Mrs. T. B. Catron expects to leave during next week for a week's visit and outing on the Pecos forest reserve. She will be the guest at the cottage of her son, C. C. Catron.

Ramon Jimenez of Tesuque precinct had a hearing before Justice of the Peace Henry Pacheco this afternoon, upon a charge of assault with intent to kill. He was placed under bond to appear before the territorial grand jury in September next.

The men who engaged in the shooting scrape at Paloque Wednesday were given a hearing this morning before Justice of the Peace J. M. Garcia. District Attorney E. C. Abbott was present to look after the interests of the people. All of the prisoners were released with the exception of Ramon Jimenez of Tesuque.

General Francis J. Torrance of Pittsburgh, one of the leading promoters and stockholders in the Santa Fe Central railway, the Pennsylvania Development company and connecting corporations, will leave Pittsburgh on Thursday, the 16th inst., for a visit to this city, and along the line of the Santa Fe Central. It is understood that Senator W. H. Andrews will be with General Torrance.

RATON.

From the Reporter.
The American Labor union will organize in Raton.

Miss Kate Deacy, at one time a resident of Raton, was married July 1 to George V. Frampton of Dorsey.

A game of baseball is being arranged to occur at the driving park the 19th inst. between the Van Houten and Raton teams.

Miss Fanny Quisenberry, one of the teachers of the Raton schools, was considerably bruised up in a runaway accident at Trinidad last Sunday. Talk of a co-operative grocery store is again revived. Several gentlemen who are enthusiastic over the project are ready to start the ball rolling with good subscriptions.

Mrs. J. R. Givens, Miss Elizabeth Blackwell and Rev. Samuel Magill left Tuesday evening to attend the Christian Endeavor convention in Denver. They expect to return in about ten days.

Mrs. A. B. Born of Watrous, who was in Raton during the last illness of her mother, Mrs. George Hixenbaugh, left Wednesday for her home accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Hoskins and her niece, Hazel Hixenbaugh.

The total assessment of Colfax county is about \$2,750. The rate of taxation against property in the city of Raton, all told, which includes territorial, county, court, school, bridges, city and interest on bonds, is 5 cents and 13 mills on the dollar.

DEMING.

From the Headlight.
Henry Gillett and wife left for California. They have lived in this section over forty years.

John Stetson & Son are having the front of their store on Gold avenue repainted and fixed up generally.

There is every likelihood of the immediate erection of another two story brick building on a prominent corner in this city.

Misses Carrie and Mary Whitehill left for their home in Silver City, after two weeks' visit to their aunt and uncle, Richard Hixson and wife. Mrs. William Clifford of this city has a sister, Mrs. Bixler of San Marcial, visiting her. Mrs. Bixler has many friends here and will remain for some time.

A party of campers will leave next week for the Gila river, where they expect to enjoy a few weeks of pleasure in hunting, fishing, etc. The party so far will consist of the Misses Ruthertor, Legg and Connelly and Messrs. M. Nordhaus, W. Lahon, H. Rathel and Burdick. Accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Wood and Mrs. Rutherford.

HOLBROOK.

From the Argus.
W. B. Wood received a telegram Sunday to the effect that if he would come to Los Angeles, he could see the baby new baby boy that he had been presented with. Billie was all smiles, and took the train Tuesday morning for that place where he will spend three weeks.

Died—In Holbrook, July 5, 1903, Maria, wife of Freeman Hathorn. Mrs. Hathorn had been sick for sometime, having been afflicted with consumption. Besides her husband she leaves four children to mourn her loss.

Mr. Sampson came up from Winslow Monday, to attend to business with the county supervisors.

Mrs. H. H. -corse, has been quite sick the past week, but is much better now.

Sup. F. J. Watron is kept busy making out school reports.

Benj. Schuster is down from St. Johns looking after the shipping of his wool.

SOCORRO.

From the Chieftain.
Mrs. A. Cortes has so far recovered from her long illness as to be able to go out doors these cool evenings.

The Ambrosia mine in the Magdalena district is about to ship a cad load of ore a day.

Fitch & Brown are shipping two cars of zinc ore per day from the Graphic mines at Asmy.

The Juanita mine is shipping a car load of ore per day under the management of A. C. Thomas.

A squad of fifteen new men have joined company H from Kelly. Captain Matthews and his company are working hard and will no doubt bring

credit to Socorro at the big encampment in August at Cheyenne, Wyo.

Mrs. L. B. Stern and child, arrived from Albuquerque Sunday last on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Price.

The second growth of alfalfa is now ready for the mow. If water is assured to the farmers until the middle of August four cuttings will be the result.

The Fourth was passed very quietly in Socorro. The only thing in the line of entertainment being a game of ball between the feds and leans.

An apportionment has been made from the appropriation of \$4,127 of the county school funds by Superintendent of Schools A. C. Torres for the several school districts of this county. The average attendance of the city schools is about 450 pupils annually.

Dr. Duncan met with a pretty severe accident Friday evening. His horse became frightened, ran against a telephone pole, tore loose from the carriage and dragged the doctor over the dash board to the ground, bruising his face, shoulder and knees quite severely.

The Normal Institute will open about the 17th of August. A large attendance of teachers is anticipated. Hon. J. Francisco Chavez, territorial superintendent of public instruction, has agreed to come and address the assembly if he can possibly absent himself from his ever increasing duties.

Half Year Failures.
R. G. Dun & Co. report 5,628 commercial failures during the first half of 1903 for \$66,737,269 in amount of liabilities compared with 6,165 bankruptcies in the corresponding months last year, when the defaulted indebtedness amounted to \$60,374,866. While the decrease in number was about 9 per cent, the sum involved increased a similar percentage. This is due to several large failures.

Stabbed.
Augustine Tapia was brought to the hospital at this city last Sunday from Victoria, twenty miles west of here, with several bad knife wounds in his anatomy.

It seems that Tapia, imagining he was an American citizen, took on a goodly load of "celebration fuel" and then got out on a war-path and entering the house of one Rafael Salazar secured a gun with which he attempted to assassinate the residents of the camp. But Mr. Salazar stopped him in his work of extermination by plunging a knife into his frame several times.

One cut is above the heart, the other just under the heart and one lower down that allowed the man's spleen to get out into day light. Dr. McJellan said this city went down and finding the man in bad shape had him brought to the hospital where he now is, and the chances of his recovery are not very favorable.—Deming Headlight.

WILLIAMS.
From the News.
If our Arizona university gets W. T. Randall for its president it will be fortunate. Mr. Randall is an educator who believes in educating the whole man. He is just the man this territory needs. He advocates clean athletics, thorough work in the class room and pure, manly living. With Randall at the head of our university, in a few years it will not be necessary for Arizona's sons to go to California or elsewhere to get an all round education, nor will parents need to fear for their moral welfare.

A. W. Jurden was awarded the contract for finishing the drawing room in the Normal school building at Flagstaff. The price for doing the work is something over \$100.

Williams may well feel proud of her late celebration. The purses offered were most liberal, being twice as large as those of such towns as Prescott and Albuquerque.

During the ball game Sunday afternoon a daughter of E. T. Phelan was hit on the head by a foul ball. The force of the blow was broken by Tom getting his hand in the way of the ball. George H. Barney this week received a letter from W. L. George, who is now located at Steamboat Springs, Nevada, where he has a lucrative position.

M. Buggin has filed a butcher bond with the live stock sanitary board.

Albuquerque Has Good Schools.
The New Mexican heard of one family yesterday living on Palace avenue, which recently came to this city, and is a very desirable acquisition, that has already expressed its determination to move to Albuquerque this fall so that the children may attend the public schools at the Duke City.

FARMINGTON.

From the Times.
A. B. McClure was down from Aztec the latter part of last week with a party of home seekers.

D. J. Craig last week sold a steer to The Light Meat and Produce market which dressed 1,450 pounds and brought the neat sum of \$87.

An election will be held at the Hustler office on July 22 for the purpose of voting a levy of 7 1/2 mills for school purposes in this district.

Samuel Rugh has nearly completed an extensive brick addition to his residence of the same material on Orchard street. It adds to the beauty of that already beautiful residence street.

D. K. B. Sellers and family left by private conveyance for Durango Monday, where they will spend several days. After their return they will go to Albuquerque, where they expect to locate for the present.

FLAGSTAFF.

From the Sun.
Mrs. M. Scarborough and Miss Mina Jones left Tuesday for Long Beach, Cal., where they will spend the next sixty days.

W. V. Cartmell left Thursday for Idaville, Ind., for an indefinite stay.

He is one of the pioneer citizens of Flagstaff, and has always been an excellent citizen.

The sheepmen of northern Arizona were well represented at the meeting of the Arizona Wool Growers' association, held at the court house in Flagstaff July 3.

Capt. George T. Herrington and Miss Marie R. Merritt were married at the residence of the bride's parents at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon, Rev. George Logie officiating.

Sometime between the 3d and 6th of July the residence of Andy Hansen at his ranch south of Rindon, was destroyed by fire, together with its contents. The fire is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary. The loss is estimated at \$1,000.

The government is investigating the merits of the mining locations in the Grand Canyon of Arizona, for the purpose of determining what claims are being developed and what claims are being held for other purposes under the guise of mining locations.

Mr. Brown, night operator for the Western Union, took the place of Kathryn Cleary at the keys in the Postal Telegraph office Tuesday, the lady being unwell and unfit for duty through having received news of the death of a brother in Salt Lake.

SANTA FE.

From the New Mexican.

The Indians of the Cochiti pueblo are making active preparations for the feast of St. James, which will be celebrated by them this month.

Judge A. L. Morrison is to have a vitrified brick walk laid in front of his residence on Upper Palace avenue. The brick was hauled this morning.

Paving brick for the construction of a sidewalk in front of the McKenzie property on Palace avenue have been hauled and work thereon will commence in a few days.

W. B. Childers, Esq., United States attorney for New Mexico, is in the city from Albuquerque, attending to legal business for the Santa Fe Central railway, of which road he is an attorney.

B. P. Freese, an Albuquerque contractor, and his son, Howard, spent Sunday in Santa Fe. They left this morning for a visit and outing on the San Luis river. They will spend a month there.

Macario Leyba, who was arrested last week on a charge of assault upon the person of Ventura Varos, was dismissed this morning when the case was called for trial before Justice of the Peace J. M. Garcia. The costs of the suit were paid by the complainant who also said she did not wish to prosecute the case.

ROSSELL.

From the Register.
The school buildings on Military Heights are being treated to a fresh coat of paint.

C. F. Rakebrand is putting down an artesian well on Military Heights. The workmen have reached a depth of sixty feet.

The telephone company will spend \$5,000 in the near future in improving the system. All of the wires on Main street will be cabled.

A. Dunn returned yesterday from a wool buying trip to the Tucumcari country. He bought about 150,000 pounds of wool for the scouring mill here.

H. Leland, the register at the United States land office, will leave today for a much needed rest. He will be absent for two weeks and will visit Lincoln, Fort Stanton and Cloudcroft.

Professor Fabian Garcia, professor of horticulture in the Agricultural and Mechanic Arts college and experiment station at Mesilla Park, is the guest of the Chavez county board of horticulture commissioners for the purpose of investigating the orchards with reference to the orchard pests.

WINSLOW.

From the Mail.
Mrs. C. Kelly, mother of Mrs. W. F. Goldsworthy, wife of Engineer Goldsworthy, has gone to New Mexico. Mrs. Kelly expects to visit some of the famous hot springs of that territory in the hope that she may be relieved of rheumatism.

Master Mechanic M. J. Drury went to Albuquerque Thursday for a short stay.

Don Chisholm has finished decorating Engineers' hall in a very tasteful manner.

In a few weeks the Santa Fe, Phoenix & Prescott railroad will be using oil entirely in stead of coal.

Besenta Cordova, who was shot twice several weeks ago by Francisco Martinez, died this morning at 4 o'clock. One bullet pierced her temple and the other her back, the latter wound causing paralysis of the lower limbs.

Babbit Bros. are making great preparations for installing the stock in the new store, and Manager Brennan is kept very busy looking after the many details. Contractor Jim Castleman is rushing the work on the shelving, and Dick Wiggin has already put in the pipes for lighting the store with gas.

Her Bogs to Reform Ireland.

Ireland's bogs are better than gold mines and should transform the country in the remote view of Sir Richard Banker. He estimates that these bogs contain the equivalent of 5,000,000,000 tons of coal, and he would create power for varied industries by converting the use into electricity on the spot, an electric main of 150 miles sufficing to reach any part of Ireland from the bogs of Mayo. In America electric current is readily transmitted 200 miles with a loss of only 20 per cent.

SKINNING OF A SKUNK.

Clean Cut and Truthful Flagellation of a Sneak.

CHARLES GATES WARD SKETCH.

From the Las Vegas Advertiser.

The articles appearing in the off member of the Reynolds organ at Albuquerque regarding the mass meeting here which were garbled in such a manner that an idiot would collapse if accused of the authorship were concocted by an object who strolled into Las Vegas a few weeks ago and put up a hard luck story about leaving Albuquerque for health reasons. This is as far as his newspaper career can be traced.

When he sprung himself on Albuquerque he was a democrat, but when that sheet made its lightning one night flop they told Ward that unless he changed his politics he would lose his \$12. Not caring to go back to a sage brush diet he woke up the next morning in a bran new republican skin. But he adapted himself too quick. He worked the patrons of the paper to such an extent that there was nothing left for the other hookers of the paper. They became jealous, and the management issued orders to give Ward no cigars, drinks, etc., on the strength of getting free puffs. This sweeping edict was more than he could stand and he pulled his freight for pastures not so sunny.

But when the misery sheet picked him up they thought they saw in him the missing link—they thought they had found an uncut jewel, but when they found it was cut and worthless, they were disappointed. They had hoped to reap a few shekels through the mixture of the saloon element.

Ward is the grafter that poses as a Bible class leader and beautiful hymn singer on Sunday, and a libel and blackmailer with saloons as his specialty at night, although his mental faculties will not permit to be assaulted with anything stronger than ginger ale, his hypocritical bump protrudes when he has it served in a beer glass. Although grafting was his strong recommendation he has only succeeded in landing one saloon writeup. Such results are not satisfactory to the misery sheet in their ambition to cultivate new acids, and they have grown tired of his "efforts," which has been the means of causing some considerable trouble, and Ward has told them that if they will move his family for him, that they will emigrate to pastures where his peculiar combination will be appreciated.

LUMBER MILLS.

Those of the American Lumber Company Here Building Fast.

CAPACITY 150,000 FEET PER DAY.

The main building of the American Lumber company mills, now building north of Albuquerque, cleaves the sky. It has assumed such immense proportions that it is exceedingly conspicuous, and still the mills take rapid strides toward completion as days pass.

Millwright Harry Badstuebner and ninety men, skilled and unskilled laborers, are doing the work and are putting in some good hard licks.

The main building, a structure 66x 208 feet and three stories, is almost finished.

To give an idea of the immensity of its strength and proportions it will be necessary to give the dimensions of some of the frame timbers, sills and posts. On the first floor (the ground floor) the supports consist of 140 14x 14 hard pine timbers; on the second floor the posts number 28, 12x12 inch timbers, and above this floor are the truss timbers, equally as large and as many in number.

The cross timbers of the second floor (the saw floor) are 12x12 and bolted and notched together, forming a sixty-six foot span.

Millwright Harry Badstuebner prides himself on the framing of this building. Not a single timber in the whole structure was placed up with level or plumb bob. They are so braced that in framing the plumb themselves.

The lower floor is the power floor. On it is located the main shaft, six and seven-eighths inches in diameter and extending almost the entire length of building. To this power is conveyed and thence transmitted over the building. The second floor is the saw floor and it is there all sawing is done. On the second floor is the saw sharpening room and there the saws are hammered, filed and ground.

Adjoining the main building is the lat room, a small addition 23x72 feet. To explain each department of the mill Mr. Badstuebner related the story of a log dumped from the log train, through the mill and to the lumber yards and the planing department. The log pond covers about six acres and will hold at one time some two million and a quarter feet of logs. From the car the logs are rolled into this pond and floated into a flume and toward the mill. They are picked up out of the flume by an endless chain and elevated to the second floor, where they are automatically kicked off into the log deck. A steam cylinder catches the log from the log deck and holds it until the sawyer is ready to load it on the carriage. Logs can be taken through this latter process at the rate of seventy feet a minute. Once on the carriage the log is shot into a trio of band saws, forty-three feet long and twelve inches in width traveling at a velocity of 10,000 feet per minute. The log now takes the form of lumber, drops onto rollers and is conveyed to big velocity twenty-eight inch saws, termed edgers.

The edgers trim the slabs into proper widths. The edgers of the mills will be two in number and equipped with five saws each. The boards continue on to the trimmer, which trims them to proper lengths. The trimmer

includes twelve saws so arranged that they can be operated with ease by a single man. From here the lumber passes into an endless sorter, which conveys the boards to the yard, where they are discharged and graded as to quality. They are then stacked and ready for the planing mill.

East of the mill will be constructed an immense timber dock, 80x100 feet. Over this dock timber of large proportions will be handled and loaded into cars for shipment.

The engine and power house is to be of brick, 50x93 feet, with walls twenty-one feet high, supporting a steel truss or roof of galvanized iron. The power includes four 12x18 foot boilers, each of a capacity of 25 horse power, and a 600 horse power Corliss engine, with twenty-foot fly wheel. This wheel carries a double leather belt forty-six inches in width and 190 feet in length.

The roofing of the mill buildings with the exception of the engine room, which is of iron, will be fire proof of Trinidad asphalt and surfaced roofing manufactured by the Warren Chemical and Manufacturing company of New York. This roofing is considered the very best.

A feature of the main building not to be overlooked and which will be appreciated by the general public and those who will care to visit and see the workings of the new mills, is a walk on the truss floor extending the entire length of the building and built exclusively for visitors. This is a clever forethought of the management of the mill and will afford the visitors an opportunity to see every department of the institution and in manner of handling logs until they become lumber without danger of being caught or harmed by the machinery. The walk is about eight feet wide and will be surrounded with a strong railing.

The mills will be equipped with a refuse burner thirty-two feet in diameter, 100 feet high. It will be lined with fire brick of the best quality, processible, of which, it will require some 150,000. The log train sideway, where the logs will be unloaded, will be 320 feet long, thus allowing the unloading of eight cars at one time.

Buildings for planer and box factory, and dry sheds and kilns, will be built on the mill grounds just as soon as the mill begins sawing its own lumber.

The capacity of the mills, when finished, will be in the neighborhood of 150,000 feet per ten hours.

On account of the uncertain arrival of machinery, Mr. Badstuebner declines to say when the new mill will be ready and running.

Canadian Trade.

American exports from the United States to Canada during the past year reach a total of \$125,000,000, an increase for the twelve months of \$12,000,000. Imports from Canada amount to \$55,000,000 for the year, leaving a net balance of trade for this country of \$70,000,000. Canada is a good customer and get its money's worth.

CUT OFF TOWNS.

Gross, Kelly & Co. Will Establish Store on New Road.

George Arnot, manager of the local house of Gross, Kelly & Co., returned to the city Saturday evening from a trip along the line of the Santa Fe cut off from Belen to Willards. He was accompanied by John Mackey, manager of the Belen branch of Gross, Kelly & Co. The purpose of the trip was to look over the ground with a view to establishing a store on the new road.

They visited Mountainair, Willard and a number of other prospective towns, but as it is yet some time before the new road will be in operation, nothing definite was decided on.

Mr. Arnot says the country in the vicinity of Abo Pass and the plains west of the Manzano mountains, is looking fine and the people are prosperous.

Gross, Kelly & Co. have a large tract of fine timber in the mountains.

Sofia, July 13.—Today Bulgaria celebrated the anniversary of her birth as a nation by the unveiling, near the battlefield of Plevena, of the splendid national mausoleum recently completed. The structure, the foundation stone of which was laid some time ago, stands upon the spot where Czar Alexander II. narrowly escaped capture by the Turks.

The siege of Plevena was one of the most memorable in history. Soon after the severe battles at Shipka Pass, following the outbreak of the Turkish-Russian war of 1877, Osman Pasha, the Turkish commander, with 56,000 men, was for the third time assaulted by the Russians at Plevena. On September 6, and for three days following the 250 guns of the Russian batteries poured a tremendous fire upon the beleaguered town. Then followed an assault which proved to be one of the bloodiest struggles of the century. Of the 60,000 Russians who charged the redoubts, 18,000 were either killed or wounded. The Turks also suffered dreadfully.

As it was found that the position held by the Turks was impregnable, General Gurko, the Russian commander, decided to siege. The work of investment was entrusted to General Tollenbein, who, by the beginning of December, had Plevena shut in by the Russian lines. Soon afterward Osman Pasha attempted to cut through the investing lines, but was driven back into the town. By degrees the Turks were reduced to almost starvation and obliged to capitulate.

What followed is matter of history. Just as the Russians had made clear the way to Constantinople the European powers intervened and forced a peace. By the terms of the treaty signed in Berlin on July 13, 1878, Bulgaria was constituted an autonomous principality, and it was in celebration of this event that the great mausoleum dedicated to Czar Alexander II.—the savior of Bulgaria, as the Bulgarians term him—was unveiled today in presence of Prince Ferdinand and the chief military and civic dignitaries of the principality.

With a view of exciting general interest in the monument, prizes were offered to the architect of the country. The design of M. Kotschew was adjudged the best, and he was also entrusted with its erection.

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Railroad Topics

Harry Jacks, general baggage agent for the Santa Fe, is in the city.

Mrs. Fox, mother of Superintendent F. C. Fox, is reported quite sick at Newton, Kansas.

Harry Pluke, who has had quite a severe time with an injured hand, is almost fully recovered.

Fireman McKee is laying off on account of two miles of new grade further away from the river bank.

L. A. Fairer, for some time Pullman conductor between Albuquerque and El Paso, has left the Pullman service out of sickness.

Dr. E. Baltes, surgeon in charge of the Santa Fe cut off, visited in the metropolis yesterday.

F. W. Filson has been appointed freight and passenger agent for the Santa Fe at Noble, Oklahoma.

The Santa Fe railroad at Needles was injured by the recent high water to an extent that it will be necessary to accept a position with Leo Loewenstein, general merchant at San Marcial.

W. V. Turner, formerly superintendent of air brake instruction for the Santa Fe, was in Topeka yesterday on his way to New Mexico, where he will visit with his family.—Topeka State Journal.

Bridge Foreman Cunningham is at the Santa Fe hospital at Las Vegas suffering from injuries received by falling from a bridge south of that place. His arms are bruised and a couple of ribs are broken.

Engineers Cook, Gray, Uhrig and J. Switzer, of the New Mexico division, who have been out of the service for some time past on account of their alleged violations of the company's rules, have been reinstated.

J. W. Scott, of the efficient force of car inspectors at Las Vegas, has been transferred to Santa Fe, where he will look after the interests of the Santa Fe Central and see to it that no cars are transferred that have not been inspected. He took charge of his new duties Friday.

About 4 o'clock on the morning of the 5th, says the Raton Range, Engineer James Campbell was dressing preparatory to going out on the road, when a bullet came crashing through the roof and ceiling of his house, and fell on his bed from which he had just arisen. The bullet appeared to be that of a .35 caliber.

The fight over control of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company is said to be behind the refusal of the Union Pacific to grant the Colorado & Southern the right over its tracks between Denver and Cheyenne. This action is said to be based on a technicality, and the Burlington is backing the Union Pacific. This dispute has been referred to President Burt for settlement.

Attempts to get up a speed of 100 miles an hour with a train of eight coaches by one of the Pennsylvania fast engines of the E2 type and fitted with high speed brake apparatus, on the New Jersey and seashore division, were not successful. Official reports show that the tests were conducted on a twenty-five mile stretch of track with a grade of very slight descent.

SUES SANTA FE.

To Recover Damages from Loss by Fire at Kansas City.

H. F. Tighe and James O. Gregg sued the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway company in the circuit court Saturday for \$1,999.99 for the loss of a building by fire, which they alleged was caused by the negligence of employees of the railroad company. The plaintiffs recite in their petition that they bought from the Santa Fe railroad company in December, 1902, for \$400, the building known as the old freight house, on Hickory street, in the west bottoms. They say that after an agreement with the railroad company they were given thirty days to remove two-thirds of the building and ninety days in which to remove the remainder. They allege that on February 24, 1903, before all the building had been removed, that the employees of the company while occupying a portion of the building used an oil stove for heating purposes. The stove exploded and the building caught fire and was completely destroyed. They declare that the explosion took place because the employees of the railroad company were negligent in using an inferior brand of oil as fuel for the stove.

Elks' Train.

The lodges of the Interstate and territorial association of Elks, Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory, attending the Baltimore reunion, have arranged for a special train, leaving Kansas City over the Wabash, departing at 10:50 p. m. the night of July 18. From St. Louis this train will leave via the "Henderson route" at 8:15 a. m., July 19. The route from Louisville will be via the Chesapeake and Ohio, and the train will reach Baltimore on the afternoon of July 20.

RAYMOND GOES UP.

His Successor Not Appointed—May Be La Junta Man.

A dispatch from La Junta dated July 10, says: Superintendent Whisenand arrived at La Junta, Colo., and is expected to appoint a successor today to Trainmaster Raymond, whose appointment as assistant superintendent of terminals at Kansas City has been announced. Before leaving for La Junta, Superintendent Whisenand recommended Chief Dispatcher Zellers for the place, but he turned it down. The trainmastership pays \$155 a month—only \$5 more than the salary of the chief dispatcher, and requires a great

deal of time away from home. For this reason, Mr. Zellers does not desire the appointment. The recommendation of the local division of this kind is accepted by the general manager, unless the general manager has some special friend he wishes to appoint. The chief dispatcher is always first in line for promotion to the trainmastership, and after him comes the conductors, yardmasters, roadmasters and engineers of the division, with neither having any advantage over the others in way of seniority. The train dispatchers are not in line until they get to be a chief. Mr. Zellers having declined the appointment, Mr. Whisenand is expected to recommend either the yardmaster, roadmaster, or some engineer or conductor for the place.

Time of Stopping a Train.

At a recent convention of airbrake men an interesting report was presented showing how the distance required for the stopping of trains had been reduced by the new high-speed

OFFICIAL MATTERS.

Mandamus Proceedings Against Territorial Treasurer Vaughn.

NEW POSTOFFICE IN THIS COUNTY.

Argument was heard yesterday by Associate Justice John R. McFie in his chambers in the capitol building in the mandamus proceedings brought by the College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, to compel the treasurer of the territory to transfer the sum of \$25,000 from the capitol building bond fund and the provisional indebtedness bond fund to the temporary provisional indebtedness fund, in order that this sum of money might be used for the benefit of the college, under and by virtue of a certain section in the appropriation law enacted by the thirty-fifth legislative assembly. The territory of New Mexico, represented by Solicitor General E. L. Bartlett, is opposing the granting of the writ of mandamus asked for upon the following grounds:

First, that there exists no capitol building fund and no provisional indebtedness bond fund in the territorial treasury and hence there are no funds available for the carrying out of the provisions in the appropriation law, and further even were such funds in existence and did they contain the amount of money directed to be turned over to the College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, the treasurer of the territory could not lawfully carry out such provision, as it would be a violation of the contract entered into between the territory of New Mexico and certain of its bondholders and is unconstitutional and void. H. B. Holt of Las Cruces and Judge A. B. Fall are appearing for the petitioners. Evidence was introduced on behalf of the petitioners to show the intent of the legislative assembly in enacting the proviso upon which the mandamus proceedings are based and to establish that the funds named in the proviso are identical with the capitol bond sinking fund and the provisional indebtedness sinking fund, now in existence and established by acts of previous legislative assemblies, that the moneys contained in these funds were subject to legislative enactment.

Mining Company Incorporated.

Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday with the territorial secretary, J. W. Reynolds, for the Gold Bullion company. The capital stock is \$1,000,000, divided into 100,000 shares of \$10 each. The principal place of business is given as New York city, and the incorporators are Reuben S. Baldwin, Samuel Jaros and Fred M. C. Choate all of New York city. The first board of directors is James A. Wood, Golden, N. M.; L. Bradford Prince, Santa Fe, N. M.; Charles F. Easley, Santa Fe, N. M.; Thomas M. Waller, Samuel Jaros, Reuben S. Baldwin, Fred M. C. Choate of New York; F. D. Lawrey, Larned, Kas.; Stanley M. Hanway, Havre de Grace, Md. The purposes are given to engage in the purchase, lease, sale or operation of mines, mining land, mining claims and rights of every description and real property in New Mexico and other states and territories and countries; to mine gold, silver and other minerals by any known methods or by any method or methods that may hereafter be discovered or invented; to erect, construct, operate and maintain all necessary and proper machinery therefor; for the purpose of moving and transporting only its own property; to erect, construct and operate tracks, tramways, etc.; to reduce, refine and mill ores, and to deal in the same; to acquire property; to take out patents; to deal in the shares of its capital stock; to engage in any one or more of the privileges above mentioned. No local agent is named and no territorial office is designated.

Irrigation Commission.

The territorial commission of irrigation met at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the office of the secretary, Colonel George W. Knaebel. The president, G. A. Richardson of Roswell is presiding, and Frank Springer of Las Vegas is in attendance. Business of importance will come before the commission at this meeting. As yet only the routine business incidental to the portion of the meeting has been reached.

Land Office Business.

Final homestead entry—Marcus Moya of Pecos, 160 acres of land in San Miguel county.

Coal declaratory statement—Warren Graham of Albuquerque, 160 acres of land in township 17 north, range 17 east.

McKibbin-Gable Contest.

This contest yet occupies the attention of the register and receiver of the United States land office. This case has been up all the week.

Postoffice Established.

A postoffice has been established at Palma, Bernalillo county. It will be served from Chilili, which is forty-two miles distant.

Lead Company Files Papers.

The Faywood Lead company has filed articles of incorporation at the office of Territorial Secretary J. W. Reynolds. The main office of the company will be located at Wilmington, Del., while an office will be maintained near the town of Hise, in Luna county. The incorporators are A. P. Nevill and C. M. Gilpin of New York, and Robert Bennington of Wilmington, Del. The resident agent named is W. M. Brook, and the place of business is near Hise. The company is capital-

ized at \$200,000, divided into shares of a par value of \$100 each. The purpose of the corporation is to acquire mining properties by purchase or otherwise in the territories of New Mexico and Arizona; to develop the same; to smelt and otherwise prepare for market; to construct railways, bridges, reservoirs, mills, factories and warehouses; to deal in gold, silver, copper and other ores; to deal in real estate; to manufacture and deal in goods, wares and merchandise.

Territorial Funds.

The following funds have been received by Territorial Treasurer J. H. Vaughn: From H. O. Bureau, superintendent of the penitentiary, convicts' earnings, \$9,500; Ramon Sanchez, collector and treasurer of Taos county, taxes for 1902, \$1,826.80; Leopoldo Sanchez, taxes for 1902 for Leonard Wood county, \$574.16; George J. Pace, taxes for 1902 for Colfax county, \$4,174.19; J. D. Walker taxes for 1902 for Eddy county, \$5,916.30; Perfecto Esquivel, taxes for 1902 for Rio Arriba county, \$2,764.16; John C. Spears, taxes for 1902 for McKinley county, \$319.39.

Survey Completed.

The United States survey making the southern boundary of Colorado has just been completed. It is now in the hands of a special agent for examination before being accepted or rejected.

Notary Qualified.

N. E. Stevens of Albuquerque has qualified as notary public for Bernalillo county.

AN ENGINEER'S COURAGE.

Saves Train From Destruction by Staying With His Engine.

The Santa Fe passenger train No. 6, running between Denver and Chicago, which left the union depot at 7:31 o'clock last night, thirty-one minutes late, was struck by a runaway string of a dozen freight cars which had broken away from a Belt line switch train and was bowling down grade at a moderate speed, says a dispatch from Kansas City. The collision occurred underneath the southwest boulevard and viaduct, over the Belt line tracks, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets. No one was injured and the damage was comparatively small.

H. G. Rust of Topeka, the engineer of the Santa Fe train, saw the runaway cars, applied the air brakes and brought his train to a standstill when the box cars plowed into his engine. Had he been going at full speed a disastrous wreck could not have been averted. Engineer Rust is an old time employee of the Santa Fe railroad. He has run trains over the road for thirty-seven years and has never been in a more serious accident than that of last night. Neither he nor his fireman, Edward Edwards of Topeka, was injured. It was said by witnesses of the accident that Edwards jumped from the train. Rust stayed by his engine and aided in getting it clear. None of the passengers on the train was injured beyond a heavy shaking up.

Rich Mine.

Heriff Lovin rode the treasure coach in from Gold Road Tuesday with two bars of gold bullion in custody. The value of these two bars is somewhere between \$10,000 and \$15,000. This makes three bars of yellow gold since the mill started fifteen days ago. The works are turning out as near as an outsider can approximate about \$1,200 in twenty-four hours. This means that the saving made from the Gold Road ore is about \$12 a ton. It can run considerably under that and still double their capital every year. The Gold Road mine and mill are a great success.—Kingman Mineral Wealth.

LUMBER GETTING SCARCE.

Source of Supply—Southwest to Furnish It—Its Wealth.

Referring to a recent statement on the lumber supply of the United States and the fact that an increasing demand is met by a decreasing supply, President Yoakum of the Frisco said: "The rapidly decreasing lumber supply of this country, which is now practically exhausted in the eastern states emphasizes the great wealth in the timber of the south and southwest, especially Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas. Few people appreciate how near the lumber supply of this country is to being consumed. The south and southwest will soon be called upon to furnish almost the entire demand, as the distance is so great from the Pacific coast that it is almost prohibitory; besides that section is now developing so rapidly that its own consumption is equal to the supply, in addition to increasing prices, will deprive the railroad companies of an important traffic, especially those that are now adopting means to protect themselves by control of lumber territory."

Arizona Customs Receipts.

Mr. Baker, collector of customs for the district of Arizona, told a reporter of the Bisbee Review a few days ago that the business done by the custom houses in Arizona was \$55,000 higher this year than it has ever been. There is an enormous amount of American products being exported through this district to Mexico. The bonded business is much larger than it has ever been before in the history of the district. The quarantine on cattle in the state of Sonora has been raised.

New National Bank.

The papers for the National Bank of Carlsbad have arrived from Washington, with the exception of the charter, which will be along in a few days, when the formal change of name will occur.

FIRST SANTA FE TRAIN.

How the First Excursion Ran From Las Cruces to Rincon.

SIXTEEN HUNDRED PEOPLE WENT.

J. G. Coleman, who is employed in Cofran's iron foundry in Topeka, is the possessor of a copy of Newman's Semi Weekly, which was published in Las Cruces in the early eighties. The paper, which is dated May 4, 1881, contains several stories of interest. One is a story of the escape of Billy the Kid from his prison cell in Lincoln, N. M., and of the offer of several thousand dollars reward for his recapture. The other, the most interesting one, is a story of an excursion that the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad ran from Las Cruces to Rincon on Sunday, May 1, 1881, shortly after that road had extended its line into the Mesilla valley.

At the time referred to in the story of the excursion, A. A. Robinson, president of the Mexican Central railway, and a resident of Topeka, was chief engineer for the Santa Fe. Many changes have taken place since the time the Santa Fe entered New Mexico. Many of the men who took an active part in the building of the road at that time are now dead and gone, and since then the road has reached out until it is now referred to as a transcontinental railroad. The road, which at that time only covered a small territory, now runs from Chicago to San Francisco.

The following is the story of the Santa Fe excursion printed in full: The excursion on Sunday drew out the largest gathering ever seen in the valley and the attendance would have been even larger had it occurred on any other day. Under the circumstances the selection of that particular day was unavoidable. The work on the railroad in being pushed ahead with such energy that on week days no interruption could be allowed. Three hundred men could not be kept idle and the work delayed for any reason except lack of material with which to proceed. Even at the grand celebration on the 26th, when the people turned out en masse to meet the locomotive and welcome it to our town, the work of track laying was not interrupted for a moment. The giant corporation which is reaching out across the continent and seizing the commerce of nations in its iron grasp cannot afford to cease its work until that work is accomplished. Hence it could only offer our people the road and rolling stock on a day when no retarding of the work would result, and the people must either take their ride on Sunday or not at all.

Now it must be remembered that a great part of the community had never before seen a railroad, and a ride over the rails at thirty miles an hour was a treat not to be lightly refused. Besides, a large majority of our people are Catholics and look upon the Sabbath day as a day of recreation as well as of devotion; and these needed no excuse as a compromise with their consciences for making a gala day of last Sunday.

With this preface, or apology, if you choose we will proceed with our account of the excursion. Nine o'clock was the hour announced for the departure of the train, but as early as 6 large crowds began to gather at the depot. Every available vehicle was called into requisition and coaches, cabs, carriages, buggies, and even wagons were seen hurrying around from street to street and house to house, collecting their freight of human beings. The distance to the depot grounds is less than half a mile from the plaza and much the greater part of the people went over on foot, the carriages being reserved for the families.

Chief Coleman had prepared cars for seven or eight hundred persons; but long before the hour for departure arrived it became apparent that there would not be room for the gathering crowd. Mesilla and the towns down the river furnished their quota to swell the multitude; and as additional cars after car was switched on to the main track and attached to the train it began to look as though part of the people would be left. All present were, however, finally accommodated, the shrill whistle of the locomotive sounded the signal "all aboard!" the bell began to ring, the brass band which had been provided for the occasion struck up a familiar air and the long train of box and flat cars swarming with human freight moved slowly out.

Owing to the immense crowd, every available piece of rolling stock at the depot was brought into requisition and 1,600 people were stored away in sixteen box, combination and flat cars. The ladies and children were provided with seats in the box and combination cars and the men had to take things as they found them on the flats. Every foot of space was occupied. The box cars, besides standing room for many more and perches on top for all who could pile on. Thus each carried from a hundred to a hundred and twenty and the estimate of 1,600 persons is not considered any too large for the number who moved out on this, to them, novel excursion.

On the return it was ascertained that several hundred persons had been left and that after the train moved out of the depot disappointed crowds, who came down too late, reluctantly returned to their homes. No blame can be attached to Mr. Coleman for this as every car that could pos-

sibly be used was brought into requisition and he was sure there would be room for all. He says that he did not think there were so many people in the town and is at a loss to know where they all came from. Nothing of special interest occurred on the way up to Rincon. A stop was made at Dona Ana to add another score to the number of excursionists, and at Leasburg a few more. The trip up through the green fields and beautiful vineyards gave all such a view of the valley as they had never before enjoyed. The road passes right through the prettiest portions of the improved lands and the scene as viewed from the top of a high box car was really beautiful and excited the admiration of even those who have lived here all their lives, but had never before enjoyed such a panorama.

At Fort Selden a halt was made long enough to allow the officers and a number of the men to get on and the merry crowd of cars moved on and up through the canyon stretching from the fort to Rincon. The scenery through this canyon is very pretty but hardly reaches the stage of sublimity so often found in mountain gorges. At places the cliffs rise up probably three hundred feet in bleak and barren grandeur but quickly taper off into low hills, widening out here and there and enclosing between their feet and the river banks little valleys of green, which form a pleasant contrast to the dark hills themselves and the muddy waters of the Rio Grande at their feet.

Rincon is the junction of the two branches of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, or rather of the Rio Grande, Mexico & Pacific, as the line is called from San Marcial south and west. Rincon is the Spanish for "corner" and here in a little corner formed by the river bend and the bluffs which skirt the western border of the Jornada del Muerto, stands the little town where the El Paso branch and the Guaymas branch diverge. The latter here crosses the river on an iron bridge, passes through the little town of Colorado on the opposite side, and thence on down to its junction with the Southern Pacific at Deming. The other is the line on which our excursionists were being borne along and which, following down the east bank of the Rio Grande, through Las Cruces and the entire length of the Mesilla valley, crosses the river at El Paso, merges into the Mexican Central, and passing through the city of Chihuahua proceeds on to the capital of the Mexican republic—composing the grandest railway line in the world—uniting the people of the Mississippi valley by the friendly bonds of commerce with the descendants of Cortez and Spanish conquistadores.

A few minutes' stop was made at Rincon, and, turning the train southward again, the locomotive bore us down the river to a shady grove on the bank just above Fort Selden, where all disembarked and scattered out in the woods to enjoy themselves. Baskets were opened, tablecloths spread out upon the grass and loaded with "goodies," and old and young, rich and poor, partook of their repasts with a gusto only brought by exercise, pure air and light hearts.

After the tables were cleared the band "discours'd sweet music"; a little speech of thanks to the railroad company was made by Col. Ryerson on behalf of those who had enjoyed the hospitality of the company; Mr. R. R. Coleman, chief of construction, was voted to be also "chief of good fellows"; the children scattered through the bottoms, sporting in childish glee; the lovers who were present separated from the vulgar throng in pairs and rambled through the shady groves and along the river bank, pouring into each others ears the sweet nonsense which only lovers speak and none but lovers can appreciate; and until the whistle gave the signal for returning "all went merry as a marriage bell." Everything mundane must have an end, and so did our excursion. The return trip presented no features differing from those enjoyed in the morning. Rattling along the banks of the Rio Grande at the base of the mountain cliffs or through the beautiful fields and gardens, every car loaded to its utmost capacity, and even the engineer's cab, the tender and the locomotive clear out to the point of the pilot bearing along at lightning speed its light-hearted crew, we reached the depot again at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, tired and dusty, but in good spirits and with only pleasant remembrances for the future years when we shall look back to the day which witnessed the first railroad excursion in the Mesilla valley.

Looking Up His Record. It is understood that Mayor Myers is looking up the record of Councilman Grunfeld as school clerk, city clerk and alderman, and will give the facts publicly at an early date.

A GOOD BIG CLIP. A. Eichwald, of Cuba, Disposes of 45,000 Pounds Here Today.

On First street this morning was a scene common in New Mexico, and closely identified with the territory's real wealth and leading industry—wool growing.

A caravan of twenty-five wagons piled high with sacks of wool, in all some 45,000 pounds, and valued in the neighborhood of 19 cents a pound, is quite an interesting spectacle and represents quite a little money. This is what A. Eichwald, of Cuba, ushered into Albuquerque this morning. Cuba is ninety miles across the desert to the northwest and the trip is quite tedious.

The wool is the spring clip from about 15,000 head of sheep owned by Mr. Eichwald and grazed in western Bernalillo and Sandoval counties.

BIGGER THAN EVER.

This Year's Territorial Fair to Be the Best Ever Held.

LUNA COUNTY URGED TO EXHIBIT.

From Deming Graphic.

The territorial fair association is making preparation for a fair in Albuquerque this year which will excel all former efforts and surpass any event of the kind ever held in the southwest. The annual October fair has come to be recognized as a territorial event in which the people of every section have a personal interest, and this year this personal interest will be emphasized as never before.

New Mexico has come to be recognized not only as a land of great herds of sheep and cattle and of health giving hills, but as a manufacturing country, and as rich in minerals of almost every kind. It is these latter things that the association will put forward prominently in the fair to be held in Albuquerque from October 12 to 17, inclusive. Manufacturers of New Mexico will be given a prominent place in the exhibition hall. Every manufacturer, whether it be that he makes stoneware or brick, or anything else is cordially invited to show it at the fair. The space is yours for the asking, though he had better ask early for the space is limited and it will be a case of first come first served. But manufacturers are asked to present their wares at the fair this year. It promises at this early date to make a showing that will astonish the average New Mexican who stays at home and is not very familiar with the progress in his neighboring towns.

The mineral exhibit which will be seen at the fair is the same which will be sent to St. Louis to represent New Mexico at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. It will be a complete showing of the mineral of New Mexico. The useful and precious metals, building stone, building sand slays and even mineral waters will be included, and here too, the showing will be astonishing to the man who has not taken the time of late to figure up the advancement of the past two or three years.

F. A. Jones, world's fair commissioner, has personal charge of this exhibit and he has just sent to the mining men of the territory a circular letter in which he calls attention to the importance of New Mexico's making a great showing at the world's fair, and at Albuquerque. The selection and display of this exhibit in Albuquerque will greatly simplify its cataloguing and classifying for the St. Louis fair.

The county with its mineral resources should not be without representation in this great exhibit. Other counties, notably those of northern New Mexico, have appointed committees who are to look after the collection of exhibits and their forwarding to Dr. Jones in Albuquerque. This county should not be far behind in this matter. Thousands of people will see the display at Albuquerque, hundreds of thousands will see it at the world's fair, and some of them will be attracted by the showing which can and should be made by this section.

NEW MEXICAN MINING NOTES.

Torpedo Mine is Working Again—Modoc Shut Down.

The Modoc mine, one of the best properties in the Organ district, has been shut down and with no word of explanation. It is said the property will remain idle for some time, but those in charge refuse to confirm or deny anything.

The Torpedo mine, one of the great producers in the Organ district, is working about fifty men and is keeping the hoisting works running at full capacity. The water is being handled, and H. N. Bowen, superintendent of the American Copper company of Lordsburg, resigned. C. L. Shirley was appointed by the president of the company to fill the vacancy.

Frank M. Pearson of Milton, Pa., a heavy stockholder in the North American Mining company, was at Lordsburg making an examination of the company's property.

Estacita mining camp located in the Organ mountains, may take on new life, as the properties and milling machinery have been purchased by J. M. Bryson for the Dividend Mining and Smelting company. The former owners made a failure, it is claimed, by putting in the wrong treatment. The ore is sulphide and the new owners evidently think there is a large quantity of it, as they state intention of putting in a 500 ton concentrator.

Gold Camp, in the Organ mountains, is coming to the front. It is flourishing as never before.

Bounty for Wild Animals.

The board of county commissioners of Grant county in session at Silver City the other day allowed bills for various bounties amounting to a total of \$152.00. The bills presented showed that during the last year there have been killed in Grant county 141 coyotes, 23 wild cats, 15 wolves and 6 mountain lions. The animals mentioned would make a good sized menagerie—certainly the varmints must be getting cleaned out of the county of Grant.

TESTIMONY IN PARTITION SUITS.

Evidence Taken by Referee in the Canon de San Diego and Ojo de San Jose Land Grants Yesterday.

A. B. McMillen, Esq., and H. P. Owen, Esq., Albuquerque attorneys, were in the city yesterday and took testimony in the partition suit of the Canon de San Diego land grant in Sandoval county. Mr. Owen being the referee in the case, M. S. Otero of Albuquerque, who claims a large interest in

the grant amounting to over 100,000 acres, is seeking to establish by the testimony of witnesses had here yesterday that certain deeds given to him for specifically described tracts of land in the grant also carried with them interests in the grant at large. The testimony of Colonel J. Frank Chavez and of Capt. Aniceto Abeytia in this matter was secured. Mr. Owen also took testimony in the partition suit of the Ojo de San Jose land grant in Sandoval county and confirmed for 4,300 acres by the United States court of private land claims.

Judge N. B. Laughlin, who was the attorney who secured the confirmation of the land grant, claims one-fifth interest therein as attorney's fees and filed evidence of such claims with the referee.—New Mexican.

Apportionment of Public School Money.

Eslavio Vigil, school superintendent of Bernalillo county, today apportioned the sum of \$6,364 school moneys among the twenty-six school districts which remain in this county after the creation of Sandoval county. The apportionment is at the rate of \$1 for every child of school age in the county.

A NOTABLE CASE.

Las Vegas Man Who Was Unable to Eat or Drink in the Natural Way.

G. W. Patterson, for the past year Western Union telegraph operator at Las Vegas, is dead.

The case is one of the most notable in all medical science. Last year a malignant growth appeared in Mr. Patterson's esophagus. For weeks not a mouthful of food or water entered his stomach. Finally the doctors made an incision and inserted a tube with a funnel. The man fasted his food in the ordinary way, then washed it through the funnel into the stomach with liquid. He gained forty pounds in weight and seemed perfectly well. He exhibited his method of eating before the New Mexico medical society and his case was watched by physicians everywhere. Death was caused by the impingement of the growth upon the windpipe, suffocation ensuing. The doctors say that this case will be recorded for a precedent, as it has never been exactly paralleled.

Deming Needs Canning Factory.

San Juan county, 100 miles from a railroad, is coming to the front as a fruit and farming region and has canning factories, fruit evaporators, etc., for marketing its crops. With our superior advantages in the way of transportation and markets the same amount of enterprise would make the Mimbres valley the garden spot of the southwest, and the richest region of New Mexico. Now is the time to begin work for a canning factory.—Graphic.

A DARK HORSE.

Springer From Winslow But Hails from Montana—A Winner.

Joe Rogers of Billings, Montana, of the Bar K outfit, now at Winslow, Arizona, writes The Citizen in regard to the coming territorial fair. "Montana Joe," as he is better known on the Staked Plains, writes that he is coming to the fair this fall and take in the steer roping and bronco busting prizes, or know true reason why. Joe has never appeared in his leading role in Albuquerque, but from the tenor of his letter he is a terror to outlaw horses.

Joe is now on a small ranch near Winslow and will be in that country some time. He will bring some good, tried and found not wanting specimens on the genus equus, and promises to make it interesting for Clay McGonigle, "Buster" Carroll or any others of the broncho busting profession.

Arizona Baptists.

The recently published annual of the Arizona Baptist convention shows that the Baptists of that territory have made noteworthy progress during the past year.

Last year there were eight Baptist churches in Arizona, this year there are fourteen; the number of members has increased from 55 to 628; number of Sunday schools from seven to eleven; number of scholars from 553 to 783; amount raised for expenses and benevolence from \$5,593 to \$7,556.

NEEDED NO REPLY.

The Long and Lame Scream of Councilman Grunfeld.

Councilman Sig. Grunfeld made a feeble reply to the statement of Mayor Myers, regarding the expenses on the Alameda and Fourth street dykes. There was no need of a reply to the article of Mr. Grunfeld. It merely showed that he differed with a majority of the finance committee on the expense bill, and that he opposed a necessary expense without any just reason.

Deming Opera House.

Mr. J. J. Johnson has leased the Deming opera house for the coming season and intends putting it in as good condition as possible and giving as good a season of entertainments as can be given in such a building. Mr. Johnson has had years of experience in the theater business and was for five years manager of a large amusement hall in St. Louis, so the fact of his being connected with the Deming hall will be a guarantee of the high class of entertainment which will be given.—Deming Graphic.

Wool Sale.

The Frazier wool, 40,000 pounds, grown in the Chilli country, was sold today to Boston parties at a price not given out, but understood to be something near 14 cents a pound. It is this year's clip and has been stored in the city the past thirty days. It will be secured before shipping.

Yardmaster Ten Eyke has returned from a visit with his brother in law, Avery Turner, general manager of the Santa Fe Pecos Valley railway.

THE POPE.

Brief Resume of His Power and His Place in the World.

HEAD OF CATHOLIC CHURCH.

The head of the Roman Catholic church of the world is called "Pope"—the name signifying Father, Bishop—Head of the church.

For many centuries the name "pope" was confined to the bishop of Rome, but now it means the head of the church universal.

The supreme ecclesiastical primacy was conceded by the Catholic church to the Roman bishop or pope from remote antiquity.

Beginning with Peter, whose accession took place A. D. 41, and coming down to Pope Leo XIII., whose accession took place in 1878, there has been an unbroken chain extending over a period of eighteen hundred and sixty-two years.

During that period—from Peter to Leo XIII.—eighty-eight popes have reigned, averaging twenty-one years to each reign.

Leo has reigned twenty-five years—but Pope Pius IX. reigned from 1846 to 1878—a period of thirty-two years. Pope Pius VII., however, ascended the throne in 1800—and there have been five popes since, making six in all in 103 years.

The pope holds sway and jurisdiction over the entire church body, individually and collectively.

He is the supreme teacher or doctor, and in this capacity is infallible when speaking as such.

In other words, the pope in defining a doctrine of faith to be held by the whole church is supposed to be incapable of error.

Moreover, the pope is the supreme legislator in the church and can interpret, modify and dispense in all matters of ecclesiastical law.

The pope is the supreme judge of the faithful—whether members of the hierarchy or laymen, and can hear and decide all major causes and appeals from lower tribunals.

The pope is the supreme administrator, and therefore has the power to watch over the divine services, and to appoint, remove or transfer bishops.

The pope is the supreme supervisor and receives regularly reports and relations from bishops and other chief ecclesiastical authorities within the limits of their jurisdiction.

The universal ecclesiastical jurisdiction of the pope includes the right to send agents to represent his person and authority before the churches, or even before the temporal authorities.

This authority is vested in the pope by Divine right, because he is the legitimate successor of St. Peter, and as such the chief bishop of the Catholic world, the visible and ministerial head of the whole church, whose invisible and eternal head is Jesus Christ.

The origin of the temporal power of the pope occurred in the sixth century, under Gregory the Great.

National and religious feelings contributed to its growth in the first half of the eighth century, and in the latter half of that century the papacy entered the list of European states by the formal donations of Pepin and Charlemagne.

Under various forms and with varying boundaries the papal states existed through the middle ages as a legitimate growth, and their pacific possession through twelve centuries was not seriously disputed in the propagation of Christian faith and culture.

The violent usurpation of Napoleon I. was undone by the congress of Vienna in 1815.

In 1860 the Piedmontese government encroached on the states of the church, and in 1870 they were incorporated into the kingdom of Italy.

Nevertheless, no pope has ever recognized that fact, nor accepted the guarantees by which the Italian kingdom undertook to regulate its internal relations with the papacy.

The ordinary administration of the papal authority is carried on through the body of officials and agents whom the pope employs in his government.

When the pope passes away his successor must be immediately chosen.

The cardinals meet on the eleventh day after the pope's decease in a series of double cells, one for each cardinal, his secretary and chamberlain, and on the twelfth day the election begins.

The cardinals are not bound to elect one of their number—only heretics and simoniacal persons are excluded, and the cloning act of the election takes place in a chapel especially reserved for that purpose.

When the pope-elect accepts the result of the conclave, he rejects his baptismal name as a rule and chooses another.

If he is not a bishop he is always consecrated by the cardinal bishop of Ostia.

The reception of the pallium, the solemn coronation and the "possession" of the Lateran church take place after this—but the entire papal jurisdiction passes into his hands when he accepts the election.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. *E. W. Johnson* on every box 25c. Cures Croup in Two Days. Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months. This signature.

OFFICIAL MATTERS.

Sheriff Stewart's Accounts Straightened by Traveling Auditor.

MANDAMUS CASE AGAINST VAUGHN.

In accordance with notice given him by Governor Otero to appear at the executive office to explain the report by Traveling Auditor Charles V. Safford in regard to Sheriff M. C. Stewart of Eddy county, to the effect that discrepancies existed in the sheriff's accounts for the collection of game and liquor licenses for Eddy county during the past fiscal year, Sheriff Stewart appeared before Governor Otero and a thorough investigation of the charges was had at the executive office. The sheriff had no attorney and conducted his own case and presented his books and papers for inspection. It was shown by the books and receipts presented by Mr. Stewart that he had fully accounted for all public funds for game and liquor licenses collected by him and had turned the proceeds from such collections over to the proper officials of Eddy county. A new and better method of book keeping will be adopted by the sheriff in the conduct of his office in accordance with advice from Traveling Auditor Safford.

Mandamus Case Against Territorial Treasurer.

Associate Justice John R. McFie was engaged yesterday in hearing arguments by counsel in the matter of the petition of the board of regents of the New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts at Mesilla Park for a mandamus directed to the territorial treasurer commanding him to transfer \$25,000 from territorial bond sinking funds to the fund for the maintenance of the college under provisions of the appropriation law passed by the thirty-fifth legislative assembly. On Wednesday the attorneys for the board introduced testimony in the case and yesterday the arguments were heard. Solicitor General Edward L. Bartlett making the opening and closing argument for the territory and Judge A. B. Fall arguing for the petitioners. The court has taken the matter under advisement.

Pension Examiners.

The following were examined at Santa Fe by the board of pension examiners: Edward Mangan of Albuquerque, for an increase; Jose de L. Narvaño of Chamita, for an increase; Jose J. z of El Rito, for an increase; Jose Gabino Martinez of Taos, for an increase; Jose M. Moya of Taos, for an increase. All these are at present upon Uncle Sam's pension rolls.

Contest Cases.

The case of August Reichter vs. Edward Pillars is before the register and receiver of the United States land office. The land under controversy is 40 acres of coal land situated in McKinley county, near the town of Gallup.

The contest case of McKibben vs. Gable was finished Wednesday, so far as the taking of testimony goes. The hearing of arguments in this case will be taken up on July 28 when the case will be submitted.

Deming in Growing.

We were given an opportunity to examine a sheet showing the advance in prices of Deming lots during the past twelve months and we find that during the first seven months the increase was from \$20 to \$50, while during the past five months they have gone up to \$100, this showing a very pleasing advance in values and the price is yet low and will doubtless advance much more rapidly during the next year than the past—Deming Graphic.

LABOR DAY.

How It Will Be Observed in Albuquerque.

The first Monday in September is a legal holiday set aside by act of congress for the laboring man. On this day in all cities, where the laborers are organized, there is generally a demonstration of some kind. Heretofore on Labor Day this city had not enough organized bodies to make a showing. This year, however, the day will be observed in a most appropriate manner. At the last regular meeting of the Central Labor Union a committee of five on ways and means was appointed, with instructions to report at the next regular meeting. The committee consists of Jack Robinson, B. H. Hopkins, Wm. Magee, Henry Faber and Harman H. Wynkoop. They met Wednesday evening and decided to recommend that there should be a parade in which all unions of the city were to participate. The parade will be made up of two divisions, and both bands will be secured. Each union will be headed by its president with some sort of a banner showing who they are and the trade they represent. The carpenters was the first union to act and have decided to turn out with aprons and hats alike. They have a good sized organization and will make an excellent showing. Other unions will possibly act along the same lines. All are requested to let the committee know what they intend to do.

Roping at Albuquerque.

Carlsbad is not the only town in the territory that is to have a roping contest this year. At the twenty-third annual fair to be held at Albuquerque on October 12 to 17, \$2,000 will be hung up in prizes and it is confidently expected that the big money will draw all the talent that will appear here today and tomorrow and then

some. Inquiries concerning the tourney at the Duke city should be addressed to P. F. McCanna, secretary, Albuquerque New Mexico.—Carlsbad Argus.

Stricken With Paralysis.
T. W. Miller, a wealthy Arizona stock man, was stricken with paralysis at Bernardino last week while sitting in a public park and was taken to the county hospital. His condition is reported quite critical, as he had completely lost his power of speech and of writing. Mr. Miller owns large cattle interests in this county, and resides in Phoenix.—Phoenix Journal-Miner.

HAD GOOD TIME.

Indians Back from Washington, D. C., Where They Laid Grievances Before Commissioner Jones of Indian Affairs.

Pablo Abelta, secretary to Juan Domingo Abelta, governor of the Pueblo of Isleta, was a pleasant caller at the Citizen office this afternoon. He has just recently returned from Washington, D. C., where he accompanied Governor Abelta and Governor Vigil Antonio, of the Pueblo of Sandia, and acted as interpreter for the Indians in putting their grievances before W. A. Jones, United States commissioner of Indian affairs.

The Isletas have a real grievance. The original Isleta grant reads that the east boundary shall be along the summits of the Manzano mountains. Uncle Sam sent a laxy engineer out to New Mexico to survey the grant and establish its boundaries. This hiring of the government was surely a tenderfoot, for had he not been of that sort he would have done his duty and what was right by the Pueblo of Isleta. Instead, being a little tired and probably in a hurry, he ran a survey along the foot hills of the mountains, and when he turned in his report the Indians were minus several thousand acres of land—some of it good timber land.

This, with a minor matter in regard to laws governing the Pueblos, was the grievance the Indians had to bring before the Great White Father.

The grant matter will be brought up before the next session of congress, when the Indians will again visit Washington.

Secretary Abelta says that they visited most every place of interest while at the Capital city and had a good time.

They saw Attorney Ira M. Bond, who was an old settler of Albuquerque and at one time published a weekly paper in the old town.

Advertising for Construction Work.

A Salt Lake construction company is advertising for bids for the construction of ninety-five miles of railroad for the Salt Lake line between Daguerre, Cal., and Calientes, Nevada, the terminus of the Short Line recently purchased by the Salt Lake road.

Price of Wool.

The western wool market continues strong, with a brisk movement from Montana to Texas. Prices, on the average are about 1 cent higher per pound than last year.

TOWN OF MOUNTAINAIR.

Good Drinking Water Struck at Depth of Two Hundred Feet.

CUT-OFF ROAD WORK NOTES.

Mountainair, N. M., July 15.—The best news in Mountainair is the discovery of fine water at a depth of less than 200 feet. The first water was struck at 180 feet but the main stream, in sand and gravel, about twenty feet lower. The well is in the claim of W. V. Talley, adjoining the townsite and he has made three trips to Albuquerque after a pump. The well cannot be tested until the pump is secured, but there is every evidence of an abundance of water. The drill is now at work on Col. E. C. Manning's claim.

The grading by horse power on the cut off will soon be done. The road bed from here to Willard will soon be ready for the rails and ties are being rushed in as rapidly as possible. The steam shovel is expected from that direction in a month or six weeks. It will cross the summit and begin work on the west side in order to dispose of the dirt in the valley below.

Several checks issued by the several contractors have recently been raised and there is considerable feeling manifested. The work is all done by the same party and his system is to increase the amount ten fold by adding the figure naught. Some of the checks were cashed here and some went to Albuquerque. It is believed the guilty party is known, but so far not enough evidence has been secured to warrant his arrest. Unless the business is stopped in some manner soon the suspected party will probably receive a notice to "move on."

Sheriff Baca was here last week on private and official business. John W. Corbett went with him to his ranch near Pinos Weles to locate a fine lake of water which Mr. Baca will scrip.

Frank Dalby has returned from Ohio where he was called by the illness of his mother. He left her improving. Colonel E. Cumming, who has been quite sick with asthma, occasioned by getting wet in a rain storm some time since, is improving.

A man came up from the river with a load of vegetables the other day and his advent created as much excitement

as a circus. He got his own prices and could not begin to supply the demand. He said he would come right back with another load but has not come yet. If there is any surplus garden truck on the ruin it would find a ready sale here.

It is a matter of considerable interest here whether or not Roderick Stover and Arthur Beal told any of the particulars of a bear hunt they enjoyed during their recent visit to Mountainair. Did they?

During the warm weather Sunday school will meet at 7 p. m. instead of 3 o'clock. The school is well attended and there is good interest taken in the work by both the residents and people in the various camps near by.

Mrs. George W. Hanlon has been quite sick for a few days, but is reported better.

Although another rain would now do good the grass is growing nicely and what little garden truck there is planted looks fine.

Shamrock Company Leases Hearst Mine.

The Shamrock company has procured a lease on the Pacific claim of the Hearst estate in Grant county, N. M. It is claimed this is for the purpose of securing sulphides for the smelter. A sixty-ton furnace has recently been added to the plant of the company.

Christ's Family Church.

Rev. Samuel A. Templeton, the street evangelist and Christian home worker of the Family Church of Christ, who is here from Lawrence, Kansas, will hold a series of street and home meetings, beginning tonight at Gold avenue and Second street at 8 p. m. Subject tonight, "The Church of God in the Family; the Infant's Relation to the Church; What the Church is."

Mr. Templeton has been engaged in this family work for twelve years. He has recently come from Texas, where he spent two years visiting almost all the cities in that state. He has an unique speaker's stand, brilliantly lighted with an 800 candle power lamp. He speaks of the sanctity of the home and the virtue of holy living in the family. He is a man of large proportions as well as a large heart. He takes no collections and only receives of the Lord's people for his support.

Harvest Hands Wanted.

Kansas wants just now over 7,000 men to harvest her wheat crop. She promises \$2.50 a day for 100 days, with board and lodging included. The large cities are crowded with the idle poor, and what a godsend it would be to the unfortunates if they could be transported to the Sunflower state.

WORSE THAN A THIEF.

Mutilates Bicycle Tires for Amusement—His Second Offense.

Several weeks ago some dastardly person maliciously carved the rubber tires of several bicycles. On this occasion he did his work at the Commercial club, on Coal avenue and in several other places in the city. A quiet investigation was made, but no trace of the perpetrator could be found.

Last night this person, or some one else of the same stripe, appeared on Railroad avenue and deliberately cut several gashes in the tires of a bicycle owned by C. L. Colson, of the Golden Rule dry goods store.

A quiet search should be set on foot for the scamp, and when caught a term in the penitentiary would be too good for him.

June Earnings.

The gross earnings of forty-eight roads for the fourth week of June were \$13,479,127, against \$10,822,818 for the fourth week of June, 1902, an increase of \$2,656,309. Forty-one roads show increases and seven decreases. Since July 1 the roads referred to above earned \$492,778,959, an increase of \$51,695,179 over the \$441,083,780 reported for the corresponding period last year. For the longer period forty-two roads show increases and six decreases.

For the month of June fifty-four roads earned \$50,449,992, an increase of \$7,454,938 over the \$42,995,054 reported for the month of June, 1902.

DEATH OF OLD CONDUCTOR.

Julian Vest Died at Tucson of Heart Failure This Morning.

Shortly before leaving this city this morning for Tucson, says the Phoenix Republican, Division superintendent C. C. Sroufe of the Southern Pacific, received a telegram announcing the sudden death of Julian Vest, one of the oldest and most popular passenger conductors on the Tucson division. Conductor Vest came to the Southern Pacific service about eight years ago, shortly after Superintendent Randolph assumed control. He was a Kentuckian from the blue grass region and had made his home in Paris, Ky. for some time. He was a passenger conductor on the old Kentucky Central railroad at that time.

Old Jules Vest was probably the best liked conductor on the Southern Pacific service. He was always jolly and a great entertainer, with his negro dialect stories. A widow and two children survive him. His family reside at Tucson, where Conductor Vest died. Heart disease is the cause assigned for his demise. The body will probably be shipped to Kentucky for interment.

Santa Fe Fraternal Union.

The Fraternal union had a very large and enthusiastic meeting last night. Fourteen were initiated in the lodge and much enthusiasm was manifested. The lodge will have another meeting on Saturday night, at which time several ladies will be initiated. A social will follow and refreshments will be served.—Bulletin.

THE BIG FAIR.

Colorado Horsemen Will Attend the Territorial Exhibition.

BIGGEST EVENT IN THE WEST.

Trinidad Chronicle-News.

Followers of the turf in southern Colorado are considerably interested just now in the purses being offered by the meeting during the annual New Mexico fair to be held at Albuquerque on October 12 to 17 inclusive. A number of Colorado horsemen have always attended the annual fair in New Mexico's metropolis, and have generally managed to bring away part of the fat purses offered, but this year a larger number than ever before are going to Albuquerque with longer strings, drawn by a notable increase in the stakes offered for the meeting. There are two stake races which alone are worth several times the expense of the trip to the winner, since each of these events will net the winner \$1,000.

The first of these races is arranged by the Bull Durham Tobacco company and is on the 2:17 pace, set for the second day of the meeting. The second has been arranged by the Edgewood Distilling company and is on the 2:13 pace, being set for the closing day of the fair. Besides these stakes there are offered \$3,000 in the regular purses of the association, made up in a program to cover five days of racing. A number of well known Colorado horsemen have already sent in their entries and many more who are now following the local and eastern circuits will be on hand to take in the New Mexico celebration.

The Albuquerque fair has come to be an event of considerable importance in the southwest and is recognized as an annual celebration that cannot be ignored by any one who cares for a good time. This year it is going to be bigger and better than ever, with its \$2,000 cowboy tournament, big racing stakes, mammoth carnival company and base ball tournament. The arrangements for the entire week are already practically complete.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Sturges and son left last night for the Pacific coast for a month's outing. Mr. Sturges will likely return in a couple of weeks.

WEEKLY CROP BULLETIN.

United States Department of Agriculture, Climate and Crop Bulletin of the Weather Bureau, New Mexico Section.

Santa Fe, N. M., July 14.—The past week has been warm and generally dry excepting a few scattered showers in northern portions. Fine growing weather, especially for corn, but the absence of rain is beginning to be severely felt in some parts, especially in southern counties. As a rule irrigation water is still sufficient but on the prairies the grass is drying up, and unless rain comes soon to replenish the water holes there is likely to be some suffering for water. Fortunately stock at present is, with but few exceptions, in very good condition. In northern counties shearing is being pushed rapidly forward; the work was begun late, owing to the rains of June, and at present many camps are not much more than half finished. As a rule the first cutting of alfalfa has been secured in northern counties in very good condition, and with more than an average yield. Cutting the second crop is well under way in southern portions. Wheat is ready to harvest in parts of the San Juan valley. Corn has made rapid growth in the last two or three weeks and is well up to the normal stage. Grasshoppers have appeared in great numbers in the Espanola and Taos valleys, but as yet they have not done any particular damage.

The following remarks are extracted from the reports of correspondents: Albert—H. M. Hanson: A hot and dry week. At present grass is good all over the county, but unless rain comes soon it will not make much progress, at least not sufficient to afford a hay crop. The dry weather is causing the second alfalfa to mature rather prematurely. Shearing is somewhat late this year, and shearers are rather scarce. At this date, July 9, shearing probably is not more than half done. Highest temperature, 96; lowest, 50; no rain.

Andrews—A. S. Warren: Dry with hot winds, but irrigation water is plentiful. Second growth of alfalfa was never better. Stock is fine, and with two or three good rains we are safe.

Arabela—A. M. Richardson: Grass and vegetation beginning to suffer from the drought. Surface water will soon be gone unless rain comes. Highest temperature, 95; lowest, 51; rain, trace.

Bell Ranch—C. M. O'Donel: A hot week varied by scattered thunder showers. Fange condition is excellent and cattle putting on flesh rapidly. A good yield of second alfalfa is being secured. Rain, 0.28.

Dorsey—Will C. Barnes: Two good rains this week show that the summer rains have begun and that we will have a fine season. Grass making wonderful growth. The first crop of alfalfa was generally a good one, and is generally well secured. Grain crops growing well; stock fat.

Folsom—Jackson Tabor: A very favorable week for the growth of all

crops, but it has been dry and a rain is needed. The first cutting of alfalfa has been about all cut and stacked in good condition. The light rains have not been sufficient. Highest temperature, 87; lowest, 36; rain, 0.16.

Fort Stanton—Ernest W. Halstead: Warm and dry; hay making has made rapid progress. Irrigation water is very short, and ranges and crops need rain badly. Highest temperature, 89; lowest, 51; no rain.

Gallinas Springs—Jas. E. Whitmore: Very dry but increasing cloudiness promises rain before long. Highest temperature, 97; lowest, 48; no rain.

Hood—R. A. Hood: First cutting of hay is in the stack in good condition, and good prospects for the second crop. Early wheat is ready to harvest, and looks good. Rain, trace.

La Luz—Ernest S. Swift: Good showers on the 8th, benefiting the fruit and alfalfa greatly. Good indications for more rain. Highest temperature, 100.

Las Vegas—Dr. Wm. C. Bailey: Warm, with a few showers; crops growing well. Highest temperature, 91; lowest, 52; rain, 0.30.

Ojo Caliente—A. Joseph: Copious showers during the past week have caused all vegetation to make rapid growth. Grasshoppers have appeared in this section but as yet are not doing much damage. Highest temperature, 90; lowest, 60.

Redrock—Louis Chample: The Gila river is low and water scarce in some ditches. Grass on the range is dry and scarce. Early corn beginning to silk. A light rain on the 8th, and thunderheads every day threatening rain.

Santa Fe—United States Weather Bureau: A light shower on the 11th greatly refreshed vegetation. Showers in vicinity every day toward close of week. First alfalfa a good crop; cutting has begun. The warm weather is making the corn grow rapidly. Oats well headed out, but has not begun to turn. Sweet cherries almost over. Plenty of irrigation water. Highest temperature, 85; lowest, 57; rain, 0.16.

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ICING CARS BY ELECTRICITY.

Big Improvement on the Old Hand Hoisting Power.

Icing cars by means of electricity is what was begun at the Santa Fe ice houses in San Bernardino, and it will only be a matter of ten days until every car of fruit that is sent out of the local yards will be iced by means of that power. The day of the horse and tackle has passed, and where a dozen men were employed in looking after the company's plant, but half that number will be needed in the future. And not only does the new apparatus do away with the expense of several laborers, but it is capable of doing ten times the amount of work formerly done by the horse and pulley method.

Heretofore the large blocks of ice which are placed in the refrigerating cars were handled by a single tackle. The hooks were placed about the chunk and it was swung from the platform to the open top of the car, a distance of fifty feet. A rope was then pulled which released the hooks and the ice slid into the "freezer." This process required the hands of several men in the "hooking on" and releasing of the ice, besides a horse and driver, which supplied the power.

The present plan provides what is termed a "continuous link belt," so constructed as to form a tramway. One end of this is over the platform where the ice is piled, and the other extends above the icing track. The cars are run to a point where the opening in their tops is directly under the tramway. The belt is so made as to contain a number of ice hooks and these are fastened into the cakes of ice as fast as the revolutions bring them over the ice pile. The turning of the tramway conducts the ice cakes to a point overhanging the cars, when they are released automatically and dropped into the receptacle below.

At present there is but one tram at work, it being put into operation last evening by W. M. Parker, who is the designer. Another is being installed, and as fast as Mr. Parker can construct the apparatus others will be put in, until eight have been placed. A two-horse power dynamo is the power used in running the machinery.

This is the only apparatus of the kind in use anywhere, and if it proves as successful as first appearances show it to be, similar ones will be installed by the Santa Fe at other points in the west.

Last night 25 cars were loaded by the new machine, in a much shorter time than the work could have possibly been done by hand.

As soon as the additional trams are put in the ice will be unloaded in the same manner as the cars are iced.

HEART FAILURE.

Death of Chief Arthur of Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Winnipeg, Man., July 17.—Heart failure, due to over emotion, was the cause assigned by the physician for the death of Chief P. M. Arther, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, late last night.

"Out of the fullness of the heart the mouth speaketh," were the opening words of the last speech that Chief Arthur will ever deliver.

As the venerable leader began the sentence "I want to say a few things as it may be my parting words to many of you," his voice lowered slightly, but without losing its clearness, he continued: "We are here tonight, no one can tell when—" At this point, five minutes after midnight, the speaker fell. In an instant many hands were raised to give assistance.

Dr. MacArthur hurriedly ascended the stairs and Arthur was carried off the platform. A physician examined the patient and pronounced him dead.

The funeral will take place at 1 o'clock this afternoon from undertaking rooms. The body will be taken to Cleveland for interment.

Insanity in the Army.

One of the facts added to the record of the army is the startling increase in insanity among officers and men. The cause ascribed for nearly the entire increase is service in the Philippines.

The climate of the islands and the unusual hardships which army conditions impose there produce a deleterious effect upon the constitutions of even the most robust. These effects are in most cases only physical and temporary, but the medical records show that insanity has ceased to be startling among officers and men incapable of withstanding Philippine pressure.

One of the phenomena of insanity due to military service in the Philippines is violation of the marriage laws.

Wanted to See Everything.

H. H. Betts is doing the eastern cities. It is his first time to salt water in eighteen years. The other day he went to a show in Chicago. It was a continuous performance, and there were numerous attractions for Betts. He went early in the morning and staid straight through till midnight. At that hour Betts was the last man to leave the show, and he offered to hire the whole concern to keep right on till morning. Here's hoping that Betts will have a good time every day on his vacation.

Disturbed a Mine.

Warrants were yesterday sworn out for the arrest of two men who are charged with having, about midnight Monday last, made a threatening demonstrations with firearms upon two watchmen at the Lynx creek end of the Poland tunnel. The guard, it was stated, was not caught napping by any means, and the invading party was made to retreat.—Prescott Courier.

Civic Pride.

"I don't know what we're going to do about them two leadin' citizens," said Brother Bob. "They're lookin' fur one another with six-shooters from mornin' till night."

"Has an insult passed?"
"No; it wasn't any insult; but some doubt ariz as to which was the oldest inhabitant, an' they're both determined to settle the question fur good an' all."—Washington Post.

Riots Cost Big Money.

Adjutant General Leavell, of Phoenix, Ariz., says that the expense of quelling the Morenci riot was in the neighborhood of \$8,000. He will soon file his bill of expense with the territory—just as soon as the muster rolls are all in.

Frank McKee, territorial deputy for the Eagles, will go to Silver City tonight for the purpose of organizing a lodge of Eagles at that place.

ARIZONA BILL.

Vanquished Santa Fe Depot Master in Lively Manner.

LEFT FOR PARTS UNKNOWN.

Miss Blanche Dunbar, better known as "Arizona Bill," the cowgirl, who for several weeks proved a source of amusement for hangers on at the local station and did stunts in bronco busting on First street and at the fair grounds, has left for parts unknown and without paying her room rent.

Miss Dunbar's city life ran along smoothly until about a week ago, when it is thought her money ran out. Feeling a shortness Miss Dunbar approached the manager of the Alvarado for a job. She didn't care what kind of a job, so it was a job and a piece of money in it. But Miss Dunbar didn't know how to wait on table, and then her appearance was against her, so she was turned down.

She loafed around the depot platform entertaining loafers with out-west stories until the depot master decided that she must leave.

Wednesday afternoon the depot master endeavored to put his authority into effect by using force.

"Bill" was sitting on an express truck meditatively munching a chunk of gum. The depot master was rather shy at first, but after a turn or two up and down the platform finally managed to muster courage enough to tackle "Bill."

"I thought I told you to stay away from here," said the irate depot master.

"Well what if you did; do you think you are my foreman?" was the cowgirl's reply.

Business immediately picked up. Words flew back and forth like a ping pong ball. The girl had the best of the argument it seemed. A crowd assembled and the show was worth seeing. Finally the depot master could parry "Bill's" words no longer, so he tried force. But "Bill" was equal to the occasion and she gave the infuriated depot master a turn or two. It was a lion and the lamb sort of affair. "Bill" had the best of the bout and not caring to do bodily injury to the Santa Fe officer departed, saying as she did so, "I'll leave the cowboys shoot you full of holes."

"Bill" left town the same night.

IRRIGATION COMMISSION.

No More Pasture Privileges Will Be Recommended at Present.

MANY APPLICATIONS FOR LEASES.

The territorial commission of irrigation was called to order at Santa Fe by President G. A. Richardson at the office of the secretary, Col. George W. Knaebel.

There were present: President G. A. Richardson, Secretary George W. Knaebel and Frank Springer. Commissioner Carl A. Dales is absent in Wisconsin and Commissioner C. E. Miller was detained from attending the session by conditions resultant from the recent high waters in his section, he being upon a board which has this question to deal with.

The following parties appeared before the commission at this session: Jaritos Ditch and Reservoir company of Springer, asking to enter into a contract involving the reclamation of 3,000 acres of arid lands, the construction of large reservoirs in Colfax county, a minute description of the properties involved to be submitted later. This application was approved.

J. M. Sandoval of Sandoval, Sandoval county, asks to enter into a contract involving the construction of a reservoir in Sandoval county and the reclamation of about 1,200 acres of arid lands. This application was also approved.

T. C. Hunt of Texico appeared, by attorney, asking for pasture privilege on 25,000 acres of land situated in Roosevelt county. This was passed over until next meeting.

A. C. Voorhees of Raton made application to purchase 2,000 acres in Colfax county. This application was passed. M. W. Mills and H. C. Abbott of Springer, by attorney, made application for location of land for reservoir and for pasture privileges, involving about 5,000 acres in Colfax county. The board has not as yet finally disposed of this.

M. W. Mills applied for pasture privileges on 1,000 acres of land in Mora county, for a term of five years, at 5 cents per acre. Approved.

It was the sense of the commission that pending settlement of these irrigation propositions, no more land will be located for other than irrigation purposes. It proposes that no more pasturage privileges will be recommended till all irrigation propositions are settled.

The commission decided to offer for sale of the 100,000 acres at its disposal for the improvement of the Rio Grande one fourth, or 25,000 acres, and the following resolution was adopted upon this subject:

"Whereas, At our April meeting this commission recommended to the territorial board of public lands the sale of 25,000 acres of land granted by congress for the improvement of the Rio Grande to the highest bidder after advertisement, at prices not less than \$2 per acre, plus the cost of selection and entry—the bidder to have the right of selection of the lands; and the territorial board of public lands has decided that it has no power to advertise such sale until after the lands have been selected; therefore,

"Resolved, That this commission will receive bids for the purchase of lands to the aggregate amount of not exceeding 25,000 acres, in tracts not exceeding 160 acres or less than 40 acres to any one purchaser, to be designated by legal subdivision in the bid, at price of not less than \$2 per acre plus the cost of location; and that this commission will recommend to the board of public lands to cause to be selected for the territory, such lands so bid for as it deems proper, and upon the selection of the same, and approval by the secretary of the interior, to advertise the lands for sale and sell them to the highest bidder for cash—the original application to stand as a bid and to have preference over other bids of the same price. Each bid to be accompanied by a certified check payable to the secretary of this commission amounting to 25 cents per acre upon the land applied for, which will be returned to him in case the land is not recommended for selection, but in case the land is recommended for selection said money will be held until the land is finally offered for sale or sold; and if the applicant then becomes the purchaser the sum so deposited will be credited upon the purchase; if the land is sold to another purchaser at a higher price, it will be returned to the depositor; if not so sold and the depositor fails to make good his bid, it is to be forfeited to the territory. All bids will be received by the secretary of this commission up to 4 o'clock p. m., September 8, 1903, and the same will be

ELECTION OF A POPE.

Curious Ceremonies Following the Death of a Pope.

SECRET BALLAT BY CARDINALS.

The death of the pope and the election of a new one will revive at the Vatican many curious ceremonies which have not been witnessed for a quarter of a century, or since the death of Pius IX in 1878.

When the physicians certify that his holiness has ceased to live the cardinal camerlengo (chamberlain) performs the first official act. The cardinal camerlengo now is Cardinal Gregorio di Santa Stefano, dean of the sacred college.

Calling the Dead.

Dressed in violet robes of mourning and accompanied by the clerks of the chamber, robed in black, he will approach the corpse, tapping three times on the forehead with a silver mallet, they will invoke the dead pope by the name by which his mother called him in his boyhood:

"Giacchino! Giacchino! Giacchino!"

Breaking the Seals.

If no sign of life be given after his strange summons, the apostolic protonotaries draw up the act of death. From the lifeless finger the chamberlain draws the fisherman's ring of massive gold, worth a hundred gold crowns, and having broken it up, divides the fragments among the six masters of ceremonies.

The apostolic datary and his secretaries carry all the other seals to the cardinal camerlengo, who breaks them also in the presence of the auditor, the treasurer, and the apostolic clerk. No other cardinals may assist in this function.

The pontifical nephews and the cardinal patron must quit the palace now. The cardinal camerlengo takes possession in the name of the apostolic chamber, making an inventory of what furniture has survived the spoliation.

Guarding the Gates.

Twelve penitentiaries of St. Peter's church with chaplains see the body shaved and embalmed with the perfumes. They wear it in the pontifical habits, crown it with a mitre and place a chalice in its hands.

The cardinal camerlengo sends incontinently for guards to seize the gates. "Corporali!" patrol day and night to suppress seditions or cabals.

The great bell of the capitol, which only sounds when the pope is dead, knells unceasingly.

After four and twenty hours the penitentiaries and the chaplains bear the corpse upon an open bier to St. Peter's church. Canons meet them, the ordinary prayers for the dead are chanted.

Lying in State.

The dead pope lies in state on a lofty catafalque, where many tapers burn in the chapel of the holy trinity. Through the grille the faithful kiss the feet.

After three days the corpse is lapped in lead. Two and fifty cardinals of the dead pope's creation will put in gold and silver medals, having the effigy of their benefactor on one side and some notable act of his upon the other.

The leaden coffin is placed inside a casket covered with cypress wood and walled up in some part of the Basilica.

If the holy father shall have chosen his place of sepulchre, either when living or by his will, the translation of his remains must not take place until at least one year shall have elapsed, except a vast sum of money be paid to the chapter of St. Peter's church. Sometimes the cost is more than a million, especially in the case of a pope who, having departed this life in the odor of sanctity, may one day be canonized.

The expenses of the obsequies will be borne by the apostolic chamber.

The Interregnum.

During the vacancy of the holy see affairs are administered by Cardinal Gregorio di Santa Stefano, first cardinal bishop, dean of the sacred college and bishop of Ostia and Velletri; by the Lord Michelas Ledochowski, first cardinal priest; and by the Lord Theophilus Mertel, first cardinal deacon. The ceremonies attendant upon the election of a new pope by the sacred college of cardinals is even more impressive and elaborate. The conclave must assemble ten days after the death of the pope.

Conclave of Cardinals.

First the mass of the Holy Ghost is chanted in the chapel of St. Gregory. Then the cardinals go in procession, two and two, according to their rank, surrounded by the Swiss guard and singing "Veni Creator Spiritus," to take possession of the cells assigned.

Having viewed their quarters, the cardinals go to the Pauline chapel, where bills concerning the election of a pope are read. To these the cardinal dean exhorts the conclave to conform.

Cardinals Made Prisoners.

Then all may go and dine at home in comfort for the last time until a new pope begins to reign, but their eminences are bound to return to the Vatican before 9 p. m., on pain of entrance being barred.

One door is not walled up, in case some cardinal or conclave must needs retire because of illness. Such may not return. There is a lock on each side of this door. The outside key is with the Prince Savelli, hereditary marshal of the church. The cardinal camerlengo holds the inside key. To every cardinal are allowed two conclave assistants, a chaplain, a squire, and a cardinal priest may add a third.

The Fifty-Seven Thrones.

The Sistine chapel has been furnished for the conclave. On both sides thrones are set, having canopies which can be let down by pulling a cord. The reason for this will be presently made plain.

Five thrones are covered with green cloth for the cardinals. Fifty-two are covered with violet cloth for cardinals of the sacred college. The cardinal dean sits at the gospel side of the screen. The throne of the first cardinal deacon is on the epistle side.

On a long table before the altar are silver basins full of voting papers. These are blank.

On the altar are two great chalices of gold and patens. Here is also the oath which every cardinal must swear before he records his vote.

The Process of Voting.

Their eminences take great care that none shall overlook them while they write and seal their vote.

Each cardinal in turn takes his folded voting paper between the thumb and index finger of his right hand, holding it aloft in view of all. So, and alone, he goes to the altar, makes his genuflection on the lowest step; on the highest step he swears his oath aloud that his vote is free.

When every vote has been recorded thus the Augustinian sacristan sings the mass of the Holy Ghost. The two great golden chalices, one empty and one full of voting papers, stand upon the altar. Three prelates, called the scrutineers, watch these.

The New Pope.

When at last a pope has been elected, three apostolic protonotaries record the act of it. The cardinal dean demands the new pope's consent to his own election and the new name by which he wishes to be known.

Each cardinal receives the cord of the canopy of his throne, which folds down. No one may remain covered in the presence of the pope. A new ring—the ring of the fisherman—is given to the sovereign pontiff.

The first and second cardinal deacons consecrate his holiness to the rear of the altar with the master of ceremonies, the Augustinian sacristan. They take away his cardinalial scarlet vest him in a cassock of white taffeta, with cincture, a fair white linen rochet, and the papal stole, a crimson almuce, and shoes of crimson cloth, embroidered in gold.

The servants of the conclave proceed to pillage the cell lately occupied by his holiness.

A few pope sits upon a chair before the altar of the Sistine chapel and the cardinal dean, the Lord Louis-regio di Santa Stefano, who is Ostia's and Velletri's bishop, followed by other eminences in their order, kneels to adore his holiness, kissing the cross upon his shoe, the ring upon his hand, whereas the sovereign pontiff makes the kneeler rise and accords the kiss of peace on both cheeks.

Proclaiming the Choice.

Then the master mason breaks open the walled up door. The first cardinal deacon goes to the balcony of St. Peter's and to the city and the world proclaims, "I announce to you great joy. We have a pope."

This adoration must not be misconstrued. It is rendered to God, whose earthly vicar, according to the Roman faith, is the pope, the successor of St. Peter and of the Roman emperor, to whom formerly divine honor was paid.

In St. Peter's church "Te Deum Laudamus" is chanted now. The papal benediction is imparted, and the pope is borne away by the twelve porters, clad in scarlet, to his private chamber.

As the election of a pope draws near crowds gather without the Vatican and watch a tall chimney on its southwestern tower. The issue of a cloud of smoke signals the election of a supreme pontiff. The chimney is never used at any other time.

Very Remarkable Cure of Diarrhoea.

"About six years ago for the first time in my life I had a sudden and severe attack of diarrhoea," says Mrs. Alice Miller of Montreal, Tex. "I got temporary relief, but it came back again and again, and for six long years I have suffered more misery and agony than I can tell. It was worse than death. My husband spent hundreds of dollars for physician's prescriptions and treatment without avail. Finally we moved to Bosque county, our present home, and one day I happened to see an advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with a testimonial of a man who had been cured by it. The words were similar to my own that I concluded to try the remedy. The result was wonderful. I could hardly realize that I was well again, or believe it could be so after having suffered so long, but that one bottle of medicine, costing but a few cents, cured me." For sale by all druggists.

Death's Doings.

Mrs. Betsy Erickson died yesterday at her home on St. John's street, from the effects of a hemorrhage. She was 40 years old and has lived in Albuquerque about seven months. The remains will be shipped to the deceased's former home at Story City, Iowa, for burial. Undertaker J. W. Edwards is in charge.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Springer, residing on Baca avenue, died Saturday night about 8 o'clock. Funeral services were held at the parlors of J. W. Edwards yesterday afternoon. Rev. H. J. Powell preached the sermon. Interment was made at Fairview cemetery.

Valuable Time Saved.

Slight injuries often disable a man and cause several days' loss of time and when blood poison develops, some times result in the loss of a hand or limb. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is an antiseptic liniment. When applied to cuts, bruises and burns it causes them to heal quickly and without inflammation, and prevents any danger of blood poisoning. For sale by all druggists.

An Experiment Run.

Attempts to travel one hundred miles an hour with a train of eight coaches hauled by one of the Pennsylvania's fastest engines of the E-2 type fitted with high speed brake apparatus on the New Jersey & Seashore division, were not successful. An official report shows the tests were conducted on a twenty-five mile stretch of perfect track, with a grade of very slight descent. At the foot of the twentieth mile there is a mile of level track, which was equipped with electric circuit breakers connected with the recording apparatus and spaced by steel tape measurements. The chronograph

used was of the most absolute accuracy. It was hoped that on this mile of track a rate of 100 miles, and perhaps 110, would be attained, but ninety miles was the highest recorded. One coach after another was dropped, and finally, with the engine alone, the rate of 95.1 miles an hour was the best that could be done on several runs.

Dodge City Man Transferred.

W. C. Eddington, who has been foreman of the roundhouse for several years, has been transferred to La Junta and placed in charge of the roundhouse there. The change is in the nature of a promotion for Mr. Eddington, who is considered one of the best mechanical men in the service. He is succeeded at Dodge City by a Mr. Phillips.

A Surgical Operation.

Is always dangerous—do not submit to the surgeon's knife until you have tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It will cure when everything else fails—it has done this in thousands of cases. Here is one of them: I suffered from bleeding and protruding piles for twenty years. Was treated by different specialists and used many remedies, but obtained no relief until I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Two boxes of this salve cured me eighteen months ago and I have not had a touch of the piles since.—H. A. Tisdale, Summerton, S. C. For blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles no remedy equals DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by H. B. Briggs & Co., S. Vann & Son.

The Orient in Kansas.

Clyde M. Reed, chief clerk of the railway mail service, has received notice from General Manager Dickinson of the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient railway stating that the company would have its line completed to its first division point west of Wichita and would be prepared to handle passengers and mail to Fairview by the 20th of this month.

The Foundation of Health.

Nourishment is the foundation of health—life—strength. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the one great medicine that enables the stomach and digestive organs to digest, assimilate and transform all foods into the kind of blood that nourishes the nerves and feeds the tissues. Kodol lays the foundation for health. Nature does the rest. Indigestion, dyspepsia and all disorders of the stomach and digestive organs are cured by the use of Kodol. Sold by H. B. Briggs & Co., S. Vann & Son.

Directors of Miners' Hospital.

On Friday last the board of directors of the Territorial Miners' hospital, located at Raton, organized in that town. The following members of the board were present: F. A. Manzanares of Las Vegas, A. G. Dawson of Raton, Dr. A. R. Streicher and J. Leahy of Raton, James G. Fitch of Socorro declined the appointment as a member of the board. F. A. Manzanares of Las Vegas was elected president and A. G. Dawson of Raton secretary. The sum of \$12,000 is already available for the construction of a building. It is understood that plans will be called for and as soon as approved, construction work will commence.

All Druggists Will Buy It Back.

You assume no risk when you buy Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. All druggists will refund your money if you are not satisfied after using it. It is everywhere admitted to be the most successful remedy in use for bowel complaints and the only one that never fails. It is pleasant, safe and reliable.

POLICE COURT.

Three Defers of the Law Appear Before City Magistrate.

Police Judge Crawford opened court this morning with an attendance of about the usual Monday morning number—one drunk, one prostitute and a laborer named Priest. The latter was charged by a fellow workman with having rolled his blanket for fifteen pesos. They were working on a work train near Cerrillos. The native claimed that Priest took \$15 from his bed, while he was away for a few moments.

Priest denied all knowledge of the money and as it was out of his honor's district of judicial capacity, the prisoner was discharged. To avoid further trouble Priest gave the native \$15 and the matter was settled. Priest is one time served a term in Bernalillo county jail for horse stealing.

The man who bowed up in good condition. He bowled ten points, and \$10 was dropped into the city coffers. The woman was given a fine of \$10 or ten days.

Just About Bedtime.

take a Little Early Riser—it will cure constipation, biliousness and liver troubles. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are different from other pills. They do not gripe and break down the mucous membranes of the stomach, liver and bowels, but cure by gently arousing the secretions and giving strength to these organs. Sold by H. B. Briggs & Co., S. Vann & Son.

OFFICIAL MATTERS.

Organization of the Board of Directors of the Miners' Hospital.

Governor Otero has appointed the following notaries public: John W. Penfield of Lincoln postoffice, for Lincoln county; Marcelino Garcia of Santa Fe postoffice, for Santa Fe county.

Application for Survey.

An application has been made at the office of the surveyor general for the survey of township 18 south, range 12 east, in Otero county.

Contest for Coal Lands.

The contest case of S. S. McGibbin vs. Thomas P. Gable for 160 acres of coal lands in township 13 north, 6 east, in Sandoval county, and upon which the contestant and the contestee have filed coal declaratory statements, is in progress before the register and receiver at Santa Fe. W. B. Childers of Albuquerque and C. F. Easley of



Many a man would better go without lunch at all than eat the hurried lunch which forms the noon-day meal of many a business man. Hasty eating, foods hard to digest, and no time allowed for digestion are the cause of many a case of stomach "trouble."

Disease of the stomach seriously threatens the health of the whole body and should be promptly cured. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It enables the perfect assimilation of food and the proper nutrition of the body on which physical strength depends.

"Nine or ten years ago my health became very poor, and in 1903 was so far gone that good doctors pronounced my case the worst they had ever treated," writes Mr. Harvey Phipps of Florence, Ala. "I had acute stomach trouble, liver complaint, catarrh and was nervous to such an extent I could not sleep. I finally got three bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and some 'Pellets.' Took them according to directions on the bottles, and in a few days noticed a decided improvement. I commenced to get more rest and sleep, and in a few days, where formerly food was like chips to me, when I had used three bottles of the 'Discovery' I was a new man; could eat mince pie for supper, go to bed at seven P. M. and sleep until seven A. M. I am now working at my trade (carpentry) every day in all kinds of weather, and think if I had not taken your medicines I would now be under the sod."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cleanse the clogged system from accumulated impurities.

Santa Fe are the attorneys for McGibbin, and Judge W. H. Pope for Gable. The contestant claims that Gable has not improved the land described in the declaratory statement according to law, but that the contestant has done so.

Land Office Business.

The following homestead entries were made in the Santa Fe land office: Sostenes Romero of Santa Rosa postoffice, 160 acres in Leonard Wood county; Josefa S. de Rivera of Wagon Mound postoffice, 160 acres in Mora county; Richard Rivera of Guadalupe postoffice, 160 acres in Mora county.

No Pity Shown.

"For years fate was after me continuously," writes F. A. Gullede, Convent, Ala. "I had a terrible case of piles causing 24 tumors. When all failed Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. Equally good for burns and all aches and pains. Only 25c at all druggists."

INDIAN SCHOOL NOTES.

Miss Violet Seldridge was the charming little hostess at a delightful children's party given at her home last Saturday afternoon. Quite a number of her young friends were present and enjoyed themselves as only happy children can.

Various games were played and delicious refreshments served on the lawn, after which photographs of the group were taken. Those present were Misses Maurine Maynard, Anna Meyers, Elsie Berger, Margaret Cosgrove, Marie Allen, Louise Haygood, Anna Allen and Helen Oliver, Masters Wilbur and Atticus Haygood, Jay Allen, Joe Cosgrove, George Meyers and Birch Foraker.

Superintendent Allen, Dr. Ward and Mr. Haygood spent Saturday visiting Isleta.

Mrs. Cook, one of the efficient teachers, left last night for Iowa, where she will spend her vacation.

Miss Ethel Gregg, in charge of the day schools at Santa Ana, spent yesterday visiting friends at the school. A number of improvements have been made recently, among them being an addition to the superintendent's cottage and one to Mr. Eldridge's cottage.

Dr. Wood went to Laguna last night. The farmer at that place is very sick with a fever.

Cholera Infantum.

This has long been regarded as one of the most dangerous and fatal diseases to which infants are subject. It can be cured, however, when properly treated. All that is necessary is to give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and castor oil, as directed with each bottle, and a cure is certain. For sale by all druggists.

Elks Have Good Time.

About forty-five people were present at the social session given by Santa Fe lodge No. 460, B. P. O. E., at their hall Saturday night. An abundance of choicest refreshments were served and all who were present had a most enjoyable time. Singing, giving toasts and other pleasant diversions aided the evening to fit merrily and swiftly by. The meeting was called to order by Exalted Ruler J. B. Davis who introduced Mayor Sparks as toast master. Mayor Sparks presided over the session.—New Mexican.

No man or woman in the state will hesitate to speak well of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets after once trying them. They always produce a pleasant movement of the bowels, improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. For sale by all druggists.

Two cars of watermelons passed through the city this morning en route north. They came from some place in the south.

Water Company Appeals.

M. A. Ortiz, assessor of Santa Fe county, states that he will serve notice at once with the probate clerk and ex-officio recorder of this county of his appeal from the action of the board of

county commissioners, which body, sitting as a board of equalization reduced the assessed valuation of the property of the Santa Fe Water and Light company. He says that he assessed the company's property at \$140,000 and that it was reduced to \$48,000 by the commissioners. The appeal will be made to the territorial board of equalization.—New Mexican.

Catarrh of the Stomach.

When the stomach is overloaded; when food is taken into it that fails to digest, it decays and inflames the mucous membrane, exposing the nerves and causes the glands to secrete mucus. This is called catarrh of the stomach. For years I suffered with catarrh of the stomach, caused by indigestion. Doctors and medicines failed to benefit me until I used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure.—J. R. Rhea, Coppell, Tex. Sold by H. B. Briggs & Co., S. Vann & Son.

A Monster Tree.

A World's Fair item says that a tree was recently felled in Oregon that is to be sent as a curiosity to the World's Fair. It was three hundred feet high, the first limbs were 118 feet from the ground. It is claimed that this tree is 440 years old, which would make it a youth of 29 summers when Columbus discovered America. As Columbus is dead there is of course no way of corroborating this statement.

For a lazy liver try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They invigorate the liver, aid the digestion, regulate the bowels and prevent bilious attacks. For sale by all druggists.

The Roping Contest.

The recent roping contest at Carlsbad was exciting and there was good work done. Following is the time made:

Clay McGonigill, 34 1/2 seconds.
Joe Gardner, 34 1/2 seconds.
Abe Wilson, 56 2/5 seconds.
Jim Brown, 44 seconds.
Tom Vest, 36 3/5 seconds.
Tom Ogle, 55 seconds.
Spence Jewell, 114 1/5 seconds.

George E. Brewer, the insurance adjuster, returned from Silver City this morning, where he was called to adjust the insurance on the Silver City reduction works, destroyed by fire a few days ago. The loss was complete, aggregating about \$60,000. The plant was insured for \$15,000, which will be paid in full.

General Storekeeper N. M. Rice and General Purchasing Agent W. E. Hodges, officers of the Santa Fe, passed through the city last night en route south, supposedly to Belen. They were traveling in Mr. Hodges' private car. No. 99.

Brutally Tortured.

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equaled. Joe Gold, sick of Colusa, Cal., writes: "For 15 years I endured insufferable pain from rheumatism and nothing relieved me though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." Just as good for liver and kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by all druggists.

A Proposed Railroad.

This week articles of incorporation of the Arizona, New Mexico & Colorado Railroad company were filed with Recorder Mitt Sims at the request of W. E. Jones. The articles bear the date of March 28, 1903, and it is proposed to construct a railroad from some convenient point on the Southern Pacific in Cochise county to Durango, Colo. The incorporators are Frank W. Kinne, James S. Antrey, George Fruth, all of the state of Colorado, and Charles Thomas and Charles Martin of Arizona. The capital stock of the company is \$5,000,000, the proposed cost of the railroad. The entire length of the line is placed at 350 miles. The board of directors consists of nine members as follows: F. W. Kinne, James S. Antrey, George Fruth, G. M. Tomblin; Thomas D. Baird, Cecil L. Hanna, Walter N. Hauser, all of Colorado, and Charles Thomas and Charles B. Martin of Arizona. The principal place of business is Solomonville.—Arizona Bulletin.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Broom Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature

KINGMAN MINES.

From the Miner.
The Ora Plata has installed Burleigh drills and the drifts on the 180 and 280 levels are being driven ahead at the rate of six feet daily.

A nice body of gold ore carrying a high percentage of lead has been opened in the Pan Yan mine at Layne Springs by the Bowers brothers.

Peter Cacerly is running a tunnel on the Fountains' mining claim, in the Layne Springs country, and has a nice streak of gold lead ore in sight.

The Cedar mill is now running on ore from the old Arnold property and is said to be doing a good class of work. Results from the ores are said to be satisfactory.

Crowley & Cumpston are opening up a splendid body of ore in their mining claims near the summit, above the C. O. D. mine. The ore carries copper, gold and silver.

The Lucky Boy is crosscutting for the back ledge at the 500 level and is in nearly forty feet. It is expected that the vein will be cut inside of fifty feet, but the rock is very hard and little headway is made.

This week Sheriff Lovin and Deputy Templeman came in from Gold Road with two bars of bullion, valued at \$10,000. The big mill is now turning

Nasal Catarrh quickly yields to treatment by Ely's Cream Balm, which is agreeably aromatic. It is received through the nostrils, cleanses and heals the whole surface over which it diffuses itself. Druggists sell the 50c. size; Trial size by mail, 10 cents. Test it and you are sure to continue the treatment.

Announcement.

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Cream Balm in liquid form, which will be known as Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggists or by mail. The liquid form embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation.

out bullion at the rate of nearly \$100,000 per month.

The Treasure Hill shaft has reached a depth of nearly 110 feet and considerable water is being encountered. It is proposed to sink this shaft to a depth of 200 feet before crosscutting to the vein on each side.

The Hoffmans are preparing to pack ore from the Samoan mines to the depot at Chloride, instead of making a wagon haul from Lucky Boy landing. They have a big train of burros and can readily make the trip from the mines to the railroad.

Work is progressing on the Mohave & Milltown railroad grade and it is expected that the road will be in running order by the first of September. As soon as this road is completed the forty stamp mill will start up on rich ores from the Leland mine.

You Know What You Are Taking
When you take Grove's Tasteless Chilli 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.

Charged With Horse Stealing.

P. Martin is held at Alamogordo under \$1,000 bond to await action by the grand jury on the charge of horse stealing. He is unable to furnish the required bond and so is in jail. He hired a horse at the Clouderoff stables saying that he wished to ride to a logging camp, but instead of so doing he rode the animal to within twelve miles of Roswell and there sold it for \$25. He spent a good portion of the money received for the horse for whiskey.

Administrator's Notice.

In the matter of the estate of Carrie C. Wright, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Arthur E. Walker, administrator of the estate of Carrie C. Wright, deceased, has filed in the Probate Court of Bernalillo County, a final report of all his acts and doings as such administrator, and said Probate Court has fixed Monday the 3rd day of August 1903, as the day upon which all objections to said report and final account may be heard and the application of undersigned to be discharged as such administrator may be disposed of. All parties in interest are required to take notice accordingly.

ARTHUR E. WALKER.

Attorney for Administrator.
First publication July 11th, 1903.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that I, the undersigned, sheriff of the county of Bernalillo, New Mexico, will, on Wednesday, the 1st day of July, A. D. 1903, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day, at the front door of the Bernalillo County Court House, in the County of Bernalillo, New Mexico, expose for sale at public auction and sell to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of Z. H. Bliss, in and to the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the County of Bernalillo, and Territory of New Mexico, to-wit:

The east half of the southwest quarter and lots three and four in section nineteen, township ten north, range four east, containing 159 46-100 acres.

The above described real estate having been levied upon by me under and by virtue of and to satisfy an execution issued out of and under the seal of the District Court for Bernalillo County, New Mexico, directed to the undersigned, as sheriff of said county, and bearing date the 15th day of May, A. D. 1903, for the sum of \$811.45 damages, and costs of suit amounting to \$10.20, in favor of John A. Lee, as plaintiff, and against the firm of Bliss & Weil, and Z. H. Bliss and Joseph Weil, individually, together with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from the 19th day of November, 1902, being the date of the rendition of the judgment in said cause, with costs incurred in the making of this sale and the enforcing of said judgment.

T. S. HUBBELL.

Sheriff, Bernalillo County, N. M.
May 30th, 1903.

NOTICE OF SALE.

MAYOR'S STATEMENT.

Falsehoods of the Morning Sheet Fully Answered.

DYKE EXPENSES WERE AUDITED.

To the Editor of the Journal-Democrat, Albuquerque, N. M.:

Dear Sir: I have read the editorials in the issues of your paper of yesterday and today relating to the expenditure incurred by the city for labor in the recent flood trouble and, believing that if you fully understood the facts you would take a different view of the matter, I take the liberty of writing you.

When the dyke near Alameda broke and the waters were rushing down I could see that it was necessary that action be taken at once. There was not time to call a meeting of the council or do anything other than get to work and stop the break immediately. To do this money was necessary and I pledged myself personally for \$750, providing the city or citizens did not see fit to pay it. Mr. Frank Hubbard pledged for an equal amount, providing the county would not pay it; and we began work immediately. There were between one hundred and one hundred and seventy-five men at work at different times, each of whom was given a slip at the end of each day or night showing that he had so worked. These men so employed worked as hard as any laborer I have had anything to do with, a great deal of the time in water to their waists, and by their work the water was stopped.

A meeting of the council was called on the evening of the 17th of June and the following resolution adopted:

"Resolved, That the mayor be authorized to incur such expenditures and to take such steps as he may deem necessary to prevent flood water from overflowing the city of Albuquerque."

This was a special meeting and all members voted in favor of the adoption of this resolution, viz: Aldermen Grunfeld, Harsch, Rogers, Hubbs, Harrison and McKee.

The employed laborers on the dyke immediately above the city were given slips in the same way or a book record kept of their work.

When the work was finished and the men employed were clamoring for their pay under the authority given me in the resolution adopted by the council on the 17th of June, I consulted with the county commissioners, and we agreed to borrow the money in their name, and pay the men for their labor, the county and city to bear half each. The money was borrowed and the city was to act with the county commissioners in paying the men. The chairman of the finance committee was requested to be present, but failed to attend. Alderman Harsch, a member of the council, who had been present practically all the time during the work, and myself did attend and acted with the county commissioners in paying the men, together with some other citizens who were present. Each man was carefully checked off, his time slips taken in, the money paid him, and he signed the pay roll receipting for the same.

A mass meeting of the citizens of Albuquerque was called for the night of June 22, and on the 23d I received the following letter:

Albuquerque, N. M., June 23, 1903.—Hon. C. F. Myers Mayor City of Albuquerque:

Dear Sir: At a meeting of the citizens of Albuquerque held last evening to discuss the condition arising on account of the high water in the Rio Grande, it was unanimously resolved by the citizens there present that they express their confidence in the mayor of Albuquerque and the chairman of the board of county commissioners of Bernalillo county, their advisers, assistants, agents and co-workers relative to the manner in which they have handled this matter.

It was further resolved that the mayor and chairman of the board of county commissioners be requested to take such further action as may be necessary toward bringing about normal and safe conditions against flood and to do so at city and county expense. Very truly yours,

G. A. KACEMAN, Secretary.

At the meeting of the city council of July 6th when Aldermen Grunfeld and Beaven voted not to pay one-half of this labor bill, there were some ten or fifteen of the heaviest tax payers of the city present, who, upon being given the opportunity of the council, did so, urging the immediate payment of the same. Alderman McKee having been present at the special meeting of the 17th ult., was sent for, and to give Alderman McKee an opportunity to vote, Alderman Beaven moved to reconsider the vote taken, and I quote from the clerk's record of the minutes as follows:

"Moved, by Alderman Beaven, seconded by Alderman Harsch, to reconsider motion of Alderman Harrison in which council refused to pay one-half of expense of labor rendered in preventing flood waters from overflowing the city."

Motion was carried by the following vote: Aldermen Harsch, Rogers, Hubbs, Harrison and McKee voting "Yes." Aldermen Grunfeld and Beaven voting "No."

Alderman Harrison, with the consent of his second, withdrew his original motion.

Moved by Alderman Harsch, seconded by Alderman Harrison, that the bill for labor in regard to the flood waters be referred to the finance committee. Carried unanimously.

Finance committee makes a written majority report as follows: "We, the undersigned members of the finance committee report favorably on the city half of the above bill amounting to \$1,024 on the O. K. of the mayor that the bill is correct."

J. A. HUBBS, FRANK M'KEE.

The other member of the finance committee makes a minority report as follows:

I, chairman of the finance committee,

too, report unfavorably on the payment of the above.

S. GRUNSFELD. Moved by Alderman Harrison, seconded by Alderman Harsch, that the majority report of the finance committee be adopted and that a warrant be ordered drawn in favor of the county commissioners of Bernalillo county for the sum of \$1,024 in payment of one-half of said bill.

Carried by the following vote: Aldermen Harsch, Rogers, Hubbs, Harrison and McKee voting "Yes." Aldermen Grunfeld and Beaven voting "No."

As to this labor bill, there was no politics in it; it was present and helped engage the men; the labor was performed, and I saw the men get their money, and firmly believe that the work was as cheap as we could get it under the circumstances. We got as many men, I mean paid laborers, from Albuquerque as we could get to go, and had the marshal out repeatedly to induce others.

The above is a statement of the facts and I am quite willing to assume the responsibility for all action I have taken during the recent flood excitement and would be obliged to you if you would see fit to publish this, making such comment as you believe you are justified in doing.

Very respectfully,

C. F. MYERS, Mayor.

July 11, 1903.

"I owe my whole life to Burdock Blood Bitters. Scrofulous sores covered my body. I seemed beyond cure. B. B. B. has made me a perfectly well woman." Mrs. Charles Hutton, Ber-ville, Mich.

Aged Confederate Veteran. General James Longstreet, now in his eighty-first year, will submit to an operation for the removal of his left eye, destroyed by cancer. Gen. Longstreet has been in ill health for several months. He resides at Gainesville, Ga.

The Boss Worm Medicine.

H. P. Kumpke, druggist, Leighton, Ala., writes: "One of my customers had a child, which was sick, and threw up all food, could retain nothing on its stomach. He bought one bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge, and it brought up 110 worms from the child. It's the boss worm medicine in the world." White's Cream Vermifuge is also the children's tonic. It improves their digestion and assimilation of the food, strengthens their nervous system and restores them to the health, vigor and elasticity of spirits natural to childhood. 25c at J. H. O'Reilly & Co.

Killed Monster Bear.

Joe and John Rich of the upper Ponil spent several days of this week in the city says the Raton Range. They brought in five bear hides which they secured since April. One of the hides measures ten feet across from tip to tip of front paws and is probably that of one of the largest bears killed in this section in many years. This monster bear Joe Rich has been after for three years and when a few weeks ago he discovered his tracks for the first time this year he vowed that he would capture him this time. Accordingly, Joe took his rifle, his dog, his camp, and his blanket and started in pursuit. He camped on the trail of Mr. Bruin night and day for eight days, traveling about eighty miles, when his fatiguing hunt was crowned with success. The hide is a magnificent specimen and is estimated to be worth one thousand dollars.

For forty years Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has been curing summer complaint, dysentery, diarrhoea, bloody flux, pain in the stomach, and it has never yet failed to do everything claimed for it.

Deserved Recognition.

Premier Balfour has placed Justin McCarthy, the novelist and historian, upon the civil pension list at a rate of \$1,000 for meritorious services to history and literature. Mr. McCarthy was elected to parliament in 1890 as Parnell's successor.

A household necessity. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Heals burns, cuts, cuts, wounds of any sort; cures sore throat, croup, catarrh, asthma; never fails.

Arizona Cadet.

H. T. Kays of Arizona passed the examination at Annapolis. This brings the number of members of the "plebe" class up to 297, with about fifteen more to be heard from. New Mexico's candidate failed to pass, and the territory will not be represented in the 1903 class.

Years of suffering relieved in a night. Itching piles yield at once to the curative properties of Doan's Ointment. Never fails. At any drug store, 50 cents.

Endeavor Delegates.

At the Denver Convention of Christian Endeavor, New Mexico is represented by a delegation of seven. They wear light blue badges stamped with the name of their territory. The Rev. E. S. Harlow, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Las Vegas, heads the party.

The Perfect Liver Medicine.

Mrs. M. A. Jolley, Noble, O. T., writes: "I have used Herbine for a number of years, and can cheerfully recommend it as the most perfect liver medicine, and the greatest blood purifier. It is a medicine of positive merit, and fully accomplishes all that is claimed for it." "Malaria cannot find a lodgment in the system while the liver is in perfect order, for one of its functions is to prevent the absorption of fever-producing poisons. Herbine is a most efficient liver regulator. 50c at J. H. O'Reilly & Co.

Millions Spent for Diamonds.

More than thirty million dollars' worth of diamonds and other precious stones were brought into the United States in the fiscal year just ended. The department of commerce and labor through its bureau of statistics statements shows that the total imports of diamonds and other precious stones, in the eleven months ending May, amounted to over twenty million dollars in value and as the figures for the month of May alone were about three million



is very much like the blossoming of a flower. Its beauty and perfection depends entirely upon the care bestowed upon its parent. Expectant mothers should have the tenderest care. They should be spared all worry and anxiety. They should eat plenty of good nourishing food and take gentle exercises. This will go a long way toward preserving their health and their beauty as well as that of the little one to come. But to be absolutely sure of a short and painless labor they should use

Mother's Friend

regularly during the months of gestation. This is a simple liniment, which is to be applied externally. It gives strength and vigor to the muscles and prevents all of the discomforts of pregnancy, which women used to think were absolutely necessary. When features of Mother's Friend is used there is no danger whatever.

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dollars, it is evident that the June

figures will bring the grand total of diamonds and other precious stones up to a full thirty million dollars for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1903.

Repulsive Features.

Blackheads, pimples, greasy faces and muddy complexions, which are so common among women, especially girls at a certain age, destroying beauty, disfiguring and making repulsive features, which would otherwise appear attractive and refined, indicate that the liver is out of order. An occasional dose of Herbine will cleanse the bowels, regulate the liver and so establish a clear, healthy complexion. 50c. at J. H. O'Reilly & Co.

Nebraska Forest Reserve.

A large tract of land in the extreme western part of Nebraska has been withdrawn from homestead entry. It comprises nearly all of Scott's Bluffs, half of Banner and a large slice of Cheyenne counties. Thirty-six townships and 1,224 square miles of land are included in this tract.

Cures Sciatica.

Rev. W. L. Riley, L.L. D., Cuba, N. Y., writes: "After fifteen days of excruciating pain from sciatic rheumatism, under various treatments, I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment, the first application giving my first relief, and the second, entire relief. I can give it unqualified recommendation. 25c, 50c and \$1 at J. H. O'Reilly & Co.

Repairing the Bridge.

The Santa Fe bridge gang repaired the city Monday morning to repair the damage to the bridge across the gulch near the smelter sustained during the fire which destroyed the latter structure last week.—Silver City Independent.

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, always 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.

Imperial Potentate.

George H. Greene of Dallas, Tex., was elected Imperial potentate of the order of the Mystic Shrine at Saratoga, N. Y., last week.

SURPRISED THE KNIGHTS.

Woman's Relief Corps Entertained Knights of Pythias Last Night.

The Knights of Pythias met in their hall on Gold avenue last night. The ladies of the Woman's Relief Corps were also there, but not in the usual order of procedure. In fact they were not expected and their presence there proved to be a very agreeable surprise to the Knights.

The ladies were doing as they usually do—performing a mission of charity—doing good and helping make life worth living.

They brought to the hall well filled baskets containing things good to eat, and a purse containing \$50. The \$50 were presented to the Knights, with a request that it go toward buying a new carpet for the hall. Of course the contents of the baskets were disposed of in the proper manner.

The Woman's Relief Corps has been using the Knights of Pythias hall without charge, and this present of \$50 is in the shape of a liquidation of their obligation on that score. The ladies did not take the money out of their charity fund, but made up the purse from their pockets.

Shooting Affray at Kingman.

This morning at about the hour of 10 o'clock J. W. Morgan shot and severely wounded Joseph Rowe. The two men were standing in front of the Nighthawk saloon when the shooting took place, Morgan firing four shots at close range, one of the bullets taking effect in the left cheek, ranging downward and lodging in the upper lip. It is a miracle that the man escaped, as the shots were all fired at a range of less than twenty feet. J. N.

Cohenour disarmed Morgan. The pistol was a 32 calibre gun and had one unexploded shell in it. Rowe ran up the street and took refuge in the rear of Russell's saloon and was later taken to the hospital. He is not badly injured. Morgan was arrested and is now in the county jail. The shooting is said to have been over some family affair.—Kingman Miner.

Discovered Coal.

A resident of Manzano, in the mountains east of Albuquerque, while digging a well a few days ago encountered a large vein of coal at a depth of twenty feet. Samples brought in show it to be first-class coking coal.

IRRIGATION PLANNED.

Major Llewellyn Promoting a Most Excellent Undertaking.

Major Llewellyn of Las Cruces and D. E. Smith, a Denver banker interested in the irrigation enterprise for the redemption of 15,000 acres of land in the Rinconado area, came down from that locality today. The drainage basin there is the largest of the Sacramento mountains and the project is a commendable one. The region is well adapted to fruit growing and farming.

Major Llewellyn went to Casas Grandes, Mexico, on mining business this morning.—El Paso News.

THE SMOKER.

The Typographical Union Entertained the Barbers.

According to the date and hour set aside by the Typographical union for the smoker, the barbers joined by invitation to participate in the jubilee of the typos success in the famous burro race. It is a well known fact that Nell, the barber's burro, was abducted or made away with through some mysterious manner. The barbers had tried in vain to find some clue as to where Nell had gone. At the close of the festival, Mr. Hopkins, of the Barbers' union, made a short but appropriate speech in behalf of their union, stating that they were more than pleased with the typos hospitality, but regretted that they had not found their Nell, and that it was rumored that she was last seen at Isleta.

During this period of the speech Mr. Hopkins was interrupted by a colored lad by the name of Edgar Williams, who produced a contract showing that he was hired to throw the race, or in other words to convey or make away with the barbers' burro so that they would be unable to compete in the race. He also stated that he had performed the duties required but had not as yet received his \$500. This contract was signed by E. N. Sutliff, and he is responsible for the conduct of the typos in beating the Barbers' union out of a fair contest.

The barbers declare that they stand ready to back any proposition to compete in any burro race, providing Nell is unharned.

The barbers also state that when Nell is scheduled to run again they will secure the company of regular stationed at Fort Wingate to guard their precious animal from any intrusion whatever.

During the entertainment several feats of strength were demonstrated, in which Mr. Dorsey showed his strength of his jaws by juggling a chair, and Mr. Hopkins also demonstrated the fact that he was the strongest man in the crowd by juggling an empty half barrel.

Five colored boys were present and furnished the music and dancing, which was up to their usual standard. Everybody went home feeling very much pleased with the festivities of the evening.

Working Night and Day.

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. These pills change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain fog into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c per box. Sold by all druggists.

Santa Fe County Tax Collections.

The following collections made by Colonel George W. Knaebel, collector and ex-officio treasurer of Santa Fe county, for the month of June, 1903, have been made and paid over to the territorial treasurer, or placed to the credit of the proper funds: County, \$4,976.63; county school, \$1,111.70; county license, \$21.60; school license, \$46.92; retail liquor license, \$46.92; city of Santa Fe, \$1,026.72; town of Cerrillos, \$21.58; territorial treasurer, \$1,272.44; total, \$11,524.53.

GREATEST OF POPES.

Leo the Greatest Pope Since St. Peter Occupied the Chair.

History will justify what Leo the Thirteenth was one of the greatest of the popes. Measured by that standard of greatness which requires brilliant and moving acts, the immense results of which can be seen of all men, the term might be withheld. But the world has learned that greatness does not consist alone of the achievements of the battlefield or of the forum, wherein masses of men are quickly moved to do this or that at the behest of a single will. The political enemies of Gladstone were wont to ask sneeringly, what he had done to deserve the homage of the English people. It was pointed out that he had conducted no large war, had led the nation to no radical change of policy, and that his name was identified with few laws on the statute books. The answer, of course, was that Gladstone ranked with the leading statesmen of history because of the extraordinary influence which he had wielded at home and abroad for the good of his people. And it was a corollary that he could not have exerted this influence had he not been an extraordinary man. So with Leo the Thirteenth.

NOW FOR LABOR DAY.

Central Labor Union Met Last Night and Elected Officers.

The Central Labor union met in regular session last night. Besides the transaction of the usual routine of business, officers for the ensuing year were elected and a program to be carried out by the labor

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unions of the city on the coming labor day was discussed.

There are in Albuquerque more than twenty unions, with a membership of nearly a thousand workers. There will be a labor day parade in which every union will take part. Some of the stronger organizations, such as the typographical union, the machinists, or the blacksmiths, will probably be represented in the parade by floats.

The first Monday in September is Labor day, so there is plenty of time to get up a first class parade. The committee has begun work already on the matter.

Robert Massey was unanimously re-elected president of the Central Labor union last night. The other officers are as follows:

Vice President—Jack Robinson. Financial Secretary—Henry Faber. Recording Secretary—B. B. Hopkins. Treasurer—Mrs. F. B. Reynolds. Trustee—A. V. Skinner. Sergeant at Arms—Frank Quier.

Lightning Struck a Hack.

J. E. Cooley of Glen, N. M., manager of the Casa Land & Cattle company, had a narrow escape from death Thursday. He was driving a team of horses in the Pecos valley, about forty-five miles from Roswell, when he was overtaken by a thunderstorm. Lightning struck his hack and one of the posts was torn to splinters. It was otherwise damaged, and one of the horses was killed. Beyond a severe shock, Mr. Cooley was not injured.—Alamogordo News.

Night Has Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but when all other medicines failed, three \$1 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure coughs, colds, la grippe, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free at all druggists.

Bought a Ranch.

One of the largest stock deals consummated in Sierra county for some time occurred this week, when H. A. Ringer disposed of his entire herd of cattle and ranches to Thomas J. Ross of Hermosa. It is understood that Mr. Ross will take immediate possession of his new possessions.—Hillbilly Advocate.

LAS CRUCES.

From the Citizen.

Miss Apollonia Archibald left for Morenci, Arizona, Thursday. Las Cruces was visited by a wind and rain storm Thursday.

Judge A. B. Fall returned from a business trip to Mexico this week. Mrs. H. J. and Miss Mary Cunliffe returned from a prolonged visit to Mexico on Thursday.

Mrs. W. H. Barrett, who has been ill for some time, left for El Paso on Tuesday to be treated. Dr. L. Hines of Springer, N. M., came to town this week for the purpose of locating here, and practice his profession.

Hon. Pat Garrett, after a few days visit to his family who are spending the summer on the ranch near Organ, returned to El Paso on Thursday. Last Thursday night Concepcion Garcia's little girl accidentally tipped a lamp over, which caused it to explode. Had it not been for the presence of mind of Mrs. Garcia, who threw the bedding on the blaze, much damage and perhaps loss of life would have resulted.

Consolidation of Los Angeles Roads.

At Los Angeles tomorrow H. E. Huntington, the railway magnate, will become the owner of all the electric railways of and tributary to Los Angeles. It is one of the largest deals of the kind ever made in the United States.

OFFICIAL MATTERS.

For Copying Letters.

Territorial Secretary J. W. Reynolds received an Edison Copying Machine graph for the copying of letters at his office. It is a modern invention and a great convenience where there is so much of this kind of work to be done.

Notaries Appointed.

Governor Otero appointed the following notaries public: Raymonds Howell of Anton Chico postoffice, for Leonard Wood county; Colin Beblitt of Silver City postoffice, for Grant county.

Territorial Funds.

The following funds were received by J. H. Vaughn, territorial treasurer: From Eugenio Romero, collector and ex-officio treasurer of San Miguel county \$4,140.88, taxes for 1902; Mark Howell, collector and ex-officio treasurer of Chaves county, \$2,795.41, taxes for 1902; W. O. Black, collector and ex-officio treasurer of San Juan county, \$782.45, taxes for 1902.

Surveys Approved.

The following mineral surveys have been approved at the office of the surveyor general: Survey No. 1158, Juniper lode, situated in the Bromide district of Rio Arriba county; Survey No. 1159, the Jefferson lode, situated in the Bromide mining district in Rio Arriba county; survey No. 1160, the Green Stone lode, situated in the Bromide mining district in Rio Arriba county. Dalay B. Ashton is the claimant, and the surveys were made by Duane Wheeler of Truchas, Deputy United States mineral surveyor.

Appeal in Union County Tax Cases.

Leandro Vilji, assessor of Union county, has officially reported to Solicitor General E. L. Bartlett that he has made an appeal from the decision of the board of county commissioners

of his county in the cases of the following tax payers: Lee and Foster Cattle company, Charles Schieler Christian Otto, Leandro Gallegos and the Clayton Electric Light and Water Supply company. It appears that Assessor Vilji made increases in the assessment returns of the above named property owners, and that these raises were disapproved by the board of county commissioners of Union county at their recent session. The assessor is of the opinion that his action in the premises was just and correct and hence this appeal. Solicitor appeal in behalf of Union county and the territory before the territorial board of equalization at its September General Session will prosecute one in the toff, entered the bank and her session.

Sad Death of Hamilton Andrews.

About 3:30 o'clock on the evening of July 4, at Williams, Arizona, Hamilton Andrews was accidentally shot dead while handling a pistol. The bullet entered the temple finding exit on the opposite side of the head. He was engineer of the Williams electric light plant.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

Dr. G. W. Harrison has gone to California on an extended stay.

W. L. Brotherton, manager of the Clarkville coal mines at Gallup, is in the city.

Miss Lou Hughes is visiting with friends at Manchester, Iowa, and will return home in a few days.

Mrs. Jesus Garcia, who has been visiting at Las Cruces, is expected to arrive here tomorrow morning.

Architect C. F. Whitley has returned from Alamogordo, where he submitted plans for the proposed Alamogordo sanitarium.

Hon. E. A. Miera of Sandoval county is in the city, and being an Elk in good standing he subscribed \$250 to the opera house fund.

Mrs. Galbraith, Mrs. Hyde and Mr. Schweiger, pleasant people of Cerrillos, who have been visiting in the city, returned home last night.

Mrs. A. N. Kern has sold all her household furniture and departs tomorrow night for Los Angeles, where she will reside in the future.

Sam Locke, live stock inspector for the seventh district, arrived this morning from Engle, N. M. He will go to Gallup tonight, returning here tomorrow night.

C. K. Durbin of Denver, vice president and secretary of the Albuquerque Electric Light and Power company, is in the city, having arrived yesterday from Tucson, Arizona.

Elders John C. Buist of Salt Lake and Joseph O. Prince of Pangulitch, Utah, are in the city and will hold public meetings in the interest of the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints.

The Brotherhood of Boiler-makers attended in a body the funeral of Mrs. Mary Boyce last Sunday. The boiler-makers of this city have a strong lodge, and never fail to do duty in the hour of sorrow.

MANDAMUS SUIT.

To Recover \$25,000—Of Interest to the People of Albuquerque.

Judge A. B. Fall, Attorney H. B. Holt and Hon. B. O. Bursum passed through the city this morning en route to Santa Fe.

The former gentlemen are to appear for the plaintiff in the case of New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts vs.

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SHERIFF SHORT.

Shortage Discovered by Traveling Auditor Chas. V. Safford.

During the recent inspection of the cash accounts of officials in Eddy county, charged with the collection of taxes and gaming and liquor licenses, Traveling Auditor Charles V. Safford, upon examination of the books of the sheriff, found that a discrepancy existed in the sheriff's accounts between the amounts of funds collected by such official for gaming and liquor licenses and the amount turned over to the county treasurer. The discrepancy being about \$4,000. The attention of Sheriff M. C. Stewart was called to the matter, and Mr. Safford also made official report thereof to the governor of the territory as required by law.

Governor Otero has cited Sheriff M. C. Stewart, of Eddy county, to appear for full explanation of the charge. This hearing will take place today at Santa Fe.

It is understood that the entire amount of money reported by Auditor Safford to be short has been paid to the county treasurer for the benefit of the funds to which, under the law it ought to go and that the sheriff does not owe the territory anything at this time.

A petition signed by the bondsmen of Sheriff Stewart and by many of the leading citizens of Eddy county favoring the retention of Mr. Stewart in office on account of being a very fearless and competent peace officer and no losses having occurred to the territory or to the county, has also been presented to Governor Otero and is now on file in the executive office.

Mason and May Go Free.

Mason and May, who were arrested here last week by Chief of Police McMillin on advice from Las Vegas that they were wanted there for robbery, and were taken back to the Meadow city Sunday morning, were released there on a promise of being good. The jewelry they were found in possession of was taken from the Hand ranch, to which place they returned and will do good work to atone for their misconduct.

TOBACCO CULTURE.

Expert Reports Favorably on the Growing of the Weed in the Rio Grande Valley.

S. E. Edmunds the Kentucky tobacco expert who is managing things for the Rio Grande Valley Tobacco company, which company is now experimenting with tobacco growing in the Rio Grande valley by cultivating a small patch of the weed north of this city, has filed his report on tobacco growing in New Mexico with Governor Otero. The report is quite lengthy and speaks most favorably of the cultivation of tobacco in New Mexico, and its probable future as a product of the territory. The small experiment plot north of town is growing nicely and promises all that could be asked for. The plants average about three feet in height and have excellent color. Mr. Edmunds prophesies that the plants will attain a height of five feet.

Returned From Fort Apache.

E. Murray, plumber for Whitney & Co., returned this morning from Fort Apache, Ariz., where he completed a plumbing contract for his employers. Mr. Murray has been away from the city some time, and it is needless to say that he is glad to get back to civilization again. He says the Fort Apache and White Mountain country has been blessed this last spring with an abundance of rain, and is looking fine; cattle and sheep men are happy.

Coleman, the cattle man shot near Apache some time ago, while engaged in a pitched battle with another cowboy and thought wounded fatally, is slowly recovering.

OFFICIAL MATTERS.

Meeting of the Territorial Irrigation Commission.

A special meeting of the Irrigation commission of New Mexico, was held at the office of Colonel George W. Knaebel, secretary of the commission, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Maps Filed.

The profile maps for part of the right of way of the Rio Grande & Southwestern railway were filed in the United States land office at Santa Fe. The new road is located in Rio Arriba county, connects with the Denver & Rio Grande at Monero, and will be a feeder to that road from the lumber regions of the county. The maps so far filed cover about five and a half miles of the road.

Contest Cases.

The register and receiver of the United States land office, who are hearing the case of McKibbin vs. Gable, will take evidence at the land office in an effort to finish this case. It is the intention of these officials to take up the case of August Richter vs. Edward Pilars in the morning. In the latter case the contest is for the right to purchase 250 acres of coal land situated in McKinley county, near the town of Gallup.

TERRITORIAL FAIR.

Fine Collection of New Mexico Minerals to Be Sent to St. Louis.

F. A. Jones of Albuquerque, member of the New Mexico world's fair commission and in charge of the mineral exhibit to be made by this territory, has just sent out to the mining men of New Mexico a circular letter in which he calls attention to the necessity for immediate action in getting together the great collection which New Mexico should place in St. Louis. The object of immediate action on the part of mining men he points

out, is two fold. All specimens are to be forwarded to Albuquerque, which has been designated as the receiving point and it is desired that the greater part of the collection be in the hands of the commission by the first of September so that it can be arranged for full display at the twenty-third annual territorial fair, which is to be held in Albuquerque, October 12 to 17 inclusive. The world's fair commission pays all expenses of shipping and the exhibitor is thus spared all expense besides being eligible to any one of the prizes offered for mineral display by the fair association.

While in Las Vegas a few days ago, Mr. Jones told the Optic representative that after a trip over the northern part of New Mexico he was satisfied that all that part of the territory would come forward with complete mineral exhibits. San Miguel county with her great mineral resources should be represented. It is a matter to which the business men of Las Vegas who look to the development of the territory around them for their own development and prosperity should look with promptness and care. A big mineral exhibit at the territorial fair in Albuquerque next October and later in St. Louis will do much for the greatness of San Miguel.

The fair association has also this year opened its exhibiting space to manufacturing interests of all kinds giving the preference always to New Mexico products. There will be exhibits of all kinds of manufactures from brooms to automobiles, and space for the exhibits is absolutely free. It is well, however, for the exhibitor to get in an application early, since the space is limited.—Las Vegas Optic.

LAWN FETE.

Young People Assemble at the Home of G. A. Gilman.

The social given last night by the City Union of Young People's societies on the lawn at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gilman, 214 South Walter street, was well attended. The program, which had been carefully prepared, was carried out according to plans, and was exceedingly interesting. The social was a success. After the installation of the newly elected officers refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

The new officers are as follows: President—G. A. Gilman. Vice President—Frank Bowyer. Secretary—Miss Fern Ridley.

Treasurer—Ralph Ascher. Chairman of committees—Social committee, Mrs. J. P. Palmer; devotion, Al. Newton; cuisine, good lecture, Miss Clara Felkert; flower, J. L. Boyce; music, Miss Ellen McGuire.

Hot Springs Incubator.

T. C. McDermott, manager of the famous, famous Hot Springs resort, has a peculiar place, says the Silver City Independent. The water of the springs is exceptionally hot and furnishes bath rooms of the hotel through a network of pipes. These concentrate under the back porch of the hotel. Mr. McDermott conceived the idea of fixing an incubator in the bed of pipes and did so. Settings of eggs were placed in the place and now the hotel man is the proud owner of fifty motherless chicks, raised in his incubator. The chicks were all doing well at last accounts.

TO REBUILD SMELTER.

Silver City May Have Better Smelter Than Before.

It is reported that some of the principal officers of the Comanche Mining and Milling company that owns some extensive mining properties in that locality, will arrive in Silver City the middle of this month to look over the proposition of erecting a smelter.

The company had made a payment of \$7,000 on the Silver City reduction works, which were burned recently. It is now said by mining men that this company will undoubtedly erect a new smelter at that point to handle the ores of Grant county on a more profitable and cheaper scale than could have been done with the old smelter that was burned.

The plans, as well as numerous other expensive masonry work were not damaged by fire and the old site would make an ideal location for the erection of a new smelter, which could be built for less than the company would have had to pay for the former one to the same people.

Growing Town.

At Estancia, about twenty-five families have already located on land nearby and many improvements are being made in the town and country. At Moriarty a large business building is being erected by M. T. Moriarty.

ACCUSED OF GRAVE CRIME.

Man Charged With Assaulting a Little Ten Year Old Girl.

N. Phelps was arrested the other day on a very serious charge. He is accused of assaulting a little girl about ten years of age. It is alleged that he decoyed the child into his room. The warrant was sworn out before Judge Mitchell and served by Officer Bryant. The defendant was locked up in the county jail without bail to await his preliminary hearing. The trial will probably take place today.

Phelps is an optician by profession, and has hitherto borne an excellent reputation. He has not been in El Paso very long. It is reported that the child has been quite ill as the result of the treatment she received. The defendant says there is nothing whatever in the case and he can establish his entire innocence. It is averred that he made the acquaintance of the little girl while she was running around the streets playing with other children. It is claimed that the defendant was seen in her company and it is further alleged that a strong case can be made out against him. The circumstances surrounding the charge have not yet been made public, and so the extent and character of the testimony is not known. The case was first reported to Officer Wollerton and an investigation followed that resulted in Phelps' arrest. He is a gentlemanly appearing man and about 25 years of age and from his appearance does not look or act like a person who would be guilty of the grave crime of which he is accused.—El Paso Times.

GALLUP CLEANINGS.

Pleasing Paragraphs About a Live Western Town.

CONDENSED ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Gallup, July 14.—Though Gallup is a paradise of coolness as compared with eastern cities, some of its residents are complaining of the heat.

The Fourth of July was duly celebrated in the Carboja city and not a few casualties are reported. Charley Day's fine pony, saddle and bridle were stolen, but the horse was recovered, minus the trappings. The saddle was a fine one.

A certain drayman of Gallup is liable to have a fine to pay if he does not stop mistreating his horses.

Miss Jennie Corelli of the Caledonian force is sick and Miss W. Stokes is filling the vacancy temporarily.

Miss Josie Hawes' friends regret to learn that she has concluded not to return to Gallup the coming school year. Miss Hawes was an excellent teacher and gave good satisfaction.

Miss Dicer and Miss McCoy have been chosen to fill the two vacancies in the corps of teachers.

Mrs. Pinney and daughters are spending a portion of the summer at Santa Monica, Cal.

Miss Jessie O'Brien is tending the soda fountain counter with the J. M. Carman firm.

Andrew Wyper is assisting J. M. Jacobson behind the counters of the New York store. Andy is pleasant and obliging, and will make many friends in Gallup.

During the storms of the first of the month several of the telephones were rendered useless by the lightning.

The proprietor of the Gem Grocery stole a march upon his friends, but "it is never too late to mend," nor is it too late for the tin pan brigade.

Mrs. Aldrich is going to California for a short outing soon, and will join the Pinney family at Santa Monica.

The banner drug store has "cleaned house" and the new clerk, Mr. Delgado, has greatly improved the appearance of the interior, and the windows were beautifully decorated on the day we celebrated.

The Wyper Bros. have furnished the music for a series of dances at Fort Wingate. Almost any combination of instruments is possible with them, as each of the four is master of several.

Miss L. L. McIntire is attending the teachers' institute in Eldorado, Kas., where her parents reside, and reports a fine time and very warm weather. Once get accustomed to the delightful climate of New Mexico and the heat of the east is almost unbearable in summer, to say nothing of the cold in winter.

Miss Marcela Risdon received a check for \$5 from the publishers of the "Brown Book of Boston" as a prize for solving puzzles contained in the magazine.

Miss Barbara Cotton is greatly enjoying her summer's vacation, as also is Miss Fieda Smith and Miss Kate Cunningham.

The band stand is finished and the band gave their first open air concert on the evening of the 10th of July.

Messrs. Robert and M. Wyper have been added to the force of the R. I. P. track.

W. Wyper and J. Cranmore have gone to Gibson to work.

Hugh Flynn and family are now occupying the cottage recently vacated by Ellis Windres.

Rev. George Patterson rendered several solos on the French horn at the Sunday evening services at the Congregational church.

The band boys are in possession of a choice lot of new music, which they are practicing for occasion.

Mr. W. W. Risdon spent the 4th and 5th with his family in Gallup, returning to Albuquerque on the morning train Monday.

The Original Huck Finn.

John Sheridan Finn, originally from Orange county, York state, came in yesterday from Pecos and will stop a day or two to meet his old veteran friends. Captain John is on his way to attend the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, which takes place in August at San Francisco. He has resided in the Pecos river country for the past twenty years.—Santa Fe Bulletin.

CUB JMS CASE.

Alleged Frauds in the El Paso Custom House.

The collector of customs was instructed by wire today not to accept the resignation of Storekeeper John Fulkerson.

This leaves Mr. Fulkerson still a federal employee and subject to investigation under the charges of insubordination filed against him by the special treasury agents.

The penalty in such cases is dismissal.

Fulkerson holds secrets concerning the alleged undervaluation of ores in the smelter trust irregularities which he has decided to divulge. He refuses to furnish the agents with the names of important witnesses to whom he pledged his word, and without the aid of Mr. Fulkerson the smelter investigation may fall flat.

No other person can obtain the necessary information in the ore cases, say Fulkerson's friends, and they assert that he will divulge nothing further.—El Paso News.

Failed to Arrive.

Grand Chancellor B. F. Adams of Albuquerque, who was expected to pay an official visit to Silver City Lodge

No. 12, Knights of Pythias, next Friday evening, has written that it will be impossible for him to be present on that date and will have to postpone his trip until later.—Independent.

Charged with Horse Stealing.

Special Officer James R. Brent returned to Silver City Sunday, having in custody King Fisher and Jonas Harris, who were recently arrested in Lincoln county, charged with the theft of horses from Leonard Miller, on the Gila river, some few months since. They will be given a preliminary hearing before Justice of the Peace News, during the present week.—Silver City Independent.

CLERK'S MEET.

Install Officers at Knights of Pythias Hall—Fifteen New Members Admitted.

The Retail Clerks' union met in the Knights of Pythias hall last night and installed officers elected three weeks ago.

The Retail Clerks' union is the largest union in the city and is still growing. Fifteen new members were taken in last night.

The new officers were installed by the retiring president, Henry Meyers. An account of Miss Mabel Fox's absence from the city the name of Mr. Richter, of S. Vann & Sons, was substituted instead of Miss Fox for treasurer.

Henry Meyers, the retiring president, made a short talk before the clerks adjourned. He reviewed the life of the union, the good it has done and commended the members on the progress so far made. He also thanked the subordinate officers and members of the union for their support and help during his term as president.

One Convert.

The Deming Headlight is opposed to staidhood for New Mexico. Ring up Indiana and let Beveridge know he has one convert in the territory.—El Paso Times.

CONTRACT AWARDED.

Fellows Will Build the Santa Fe Depot and Warehouses at Oklahoma City.

Charles A. Fellows of Topeka was awarded the contract by the Santa Fe railway for the erection of a passenger depot, freight office and freight warehouse at Oklahoma City, Okla. The total amount of the contract is \$70,000.

The passenger depot will be of New York style, with Spanish tile roof, it will be 165 feet long and 45 feet wide.

The freight offices and warehouse, which with a large roofed transfer platform, is all comprised in one building, will be 30 feet wide and 750 feet long. It will be built of pressed brick.

The work of construction will begin at once, and Mr. Fellows expects to have the job completed by January 1. Mr. Fellows is now working on two big Santa Fe contracts in Colorado. In addition to the one at Oklahoma City.

Mr. Fellows said this morning: "Oklahoma City is one of the best towns I ever saw. They do a tremendous business there and it is growing fast. They have asphalt paved streets, fine buildings and everything up to date. The new depot which the Santa Fe will give them will be one of the best in the west."

To El Paso.

It will pay you to make a fine industrial exhibit at the approaching New Mexico fair.

Looper Pardoned.

Joan W. Allen of Oak Grove, who has been active in getting together the necessary papers for an application for pardon for Joseph Looper yesterday received a letter from Governor Otero acknowledging receipt of the papers and stating that it has been decided to grant Looper a full and complete pardon to take effect at once. Looper was convicted in 1893 of the murder of a man named Jackson and sentenced to a term of forty years in the penitentiary. There were many extenuating circumstances in connection with the affair. The application for pardon was signed by Judge Hall, who sentenced Looper, several of the jurymen who convicted him and many influential citizens. It is understood that Looper will go to his brother in Oklahoma when released.—Silver City Independent.

Drilling Contest.

Valentine Gutierrez and Alfredo Barrio, the team that won the second prize in the double handed drilling contest at Santa Rita on the Fourth of July, have challenged George O'Neill and George Husband, of Santa Rita, winners of first prize in the same contest to a match for \$100 a side. O'Neill and Husband have accepted the challenge, and the contest will take place at Pine Altos on Sunday, July 19. As the two teams drilled twenty and five, eighteen and nineteen and seven-eighths inches, respectively, at the Santa Rita contest, the result of the coming match is looked forward to with great interest.—Silver City Independent.

Needles Stamp Mill.

The new forty stamp mill of the Mo-have Gold Mining company made its trial run Thursday, that is, steam was raised, the engine turned and the stamps dropped; the crushers would have crushed but there was no ore from the mine or water from the pump-jack plant for the mortars and the tables. It was a run to test the mechanical perfection of the construction of the mill. The mill was constructed under contract by the Colorado Iron works, of Denver, Colo., with W. H. Hill, the mechanical engineer, in charge.—Needles Eye.

Rhoda Stanfield, aged 22 years, died at the St. Joseph's sanitarium this morning at 6 o'clock. He had been in the city about six months, coming here from Roswell, where he resided two years. He has a brother Elmer Stanfield, working at the local shops. The body will be shipped to Kiowa, Kas., the home of the parents, for interment. Undertaker A. Borders is in charge.

Three drunks appeared before Judge Crawford this morning and were fined \$5 or five days each. Only one could muster the \$5.

STREET RAILWAY.

O. E. Cromwell Silent on the Matter—His Attorney Says No.

SIXTY DAYS UP SATURDAY.

Next Saturday, July 18, the sixty days given as the period of time in which O. E. Cromwell was either to accept or forfeit the street railway franchise tendered by the city council in ordinance No. 233, passed May 19, will expire and nothing has as yet been done.

Section 6 of the ordinance says that unless O. E. Cromwell or his agents deposit \$2,000 as a guarantee of the commencement, completion and operation of the road on or before the expiration of the sixty days, the franchise tendered on May 19 shall be null and void.

Attorney H. B. Ferguson, western counsel and agent for Mr. Cromwell, was seen today and stated that it was more than likely that the franchise would not be accepted, although he had received no definite information from Mr. Cromwell regarding it. Mr. Ferguson says that parts of the franchise are unreasonable and not fair to a proposition of the kind in a city as small as Albuquerque. It seems that the matter hinges on the railway being, by terms of the franchise, excluded from using the viaduct and also the option of the city to terminate said franchise and purchase. City Attorney Stingle said this afternoon that the city had received no news from Mr. Cromwell, but he understood that the franchise would not be accepted.

IMPROVING THE POSTAL.

Relay Stations to Be Placed at Raton and Winslow.

T. W. Carroll, electrician of the western division of the Postal Telegraph company, with headquarters in Chicago, is in El Paso. To a Herald reporter Mr. Carroll said:

"My trip here was for the purpose of looking over the local plant of the Postal and recommending such changes as I saw fit. I found that everything was in very good shape, although there was considerable wiring that had been put in wrong, and this I have ordered changed.

"From here I go to Albuquerque, and thence to Winslow, where I will visit an old friend. I will then return to Raton, where I will arrange for putting in a relay station for our transcontinental business. Another relay will also be put in at Winslow. We are arranging to make a number of repairs and changes in the service in this section, which will result in the company being able to handle business to and from El Paso with the greatest possible dispatch."

RAILROAD NOTES.

J. W. Keys, engineer for the Santa Fe at Belen, was in the city last night.

Frank Hall, special officer for the Santa Fe, on the Albuquerque-Winslow division, is in the city.

George Rolley, in the water treating service department of the Santa Fe Pacific, was in the city yesterday from Grants.

J. E. Saint, with the Albuquerque Eastern and Santa Fe Central, was a passenger north last night.

The Wells-Fargo express has just opened agencies in Tucumcari and Roy, two growing New Mexico towns.

Engineer Marion Stewart, who has been sick at Las Vegas for some time past, is able to be out and around again.

As a result of the policy recently adopted by the Rock Island-Prisco combination all Rock Island and Prisco offices will be consolidated wherever practicable.

The Southern Pacific railroad track over the desert portion between Los Angeles and Tucson is to be sprinkled with crude oil. This piece of road is the dirtiest of any on the system, and when sprinkled will be one of the cleanest.

Great Salt Lake has managed to arouse all that is ugly in Harriman and he is determined to run Southern Pacific trains across. He will do it, too—but at a price. The fourteen miles of trestles will cost not far from \$12,000,000.

Conductor E. B. Miller, who has been in the hospital at Las Vegas several days past undergoing an operation, was out on the streets yesterday looking as chip as a lark and feeling like a man who owned a good-sized portion of the world.

It is stated that oil burning engines to the number of 500 are in operation on the Southern Pacific lines between New Orleans and San Francisco, these being 40 per cent of the engines in use. This indicates that the substitution of oil for coal in locomotives is a permanent success.

The scarcity of valuable timbers is felt by no class of consumers more keenly than by the railroads, which use every year 110,000,000 ties merely to renew those worn out and decayed. The price of timbers has risen in some instances to a figure which makes their use prohibitive; in other cases

GET IN THE GAME.

Silver City Urged to Send Base Ball Club to Tournament.

CHANCE FOR TERRITORIAL CLUBS.

Is Silver City to have a team in the base ball tournament in Albuquerque during the twenty-third annual territorial fair to be held in October from the 12th to the 17th, inclusive? That is the question that is just now agitating a number of local fans, says the Silver City Independent, who have caught sight of the first prizes offered by the fair association for the tournament of local base ball teams.

Professional base ball has been abandoned this year in favor of local teams, the association believing that the money offered for victory in this sport should stay at home. Santa Fe, Las Vegas, Deming, Gallup and Winslow, Ariz., have signified their intention of entering teams and the Silver City fans feel that this city should be represented and that if represented it will stand a good chance of bringing home the \$500 which is offered as the first prize for the tournament. There is a second prize of \$200 and a third of \$100, making a total of \$800. The rules of the tournament are briefly:

No town can be represented by more than one club.

There will be no entrance fee. Club playing in this series will be limited to towns in New Mexico and Arizona.

All players must have lived continuously in the city they represent for a period of at least sixty days prior to the time of playing, and the mayor of each town must certify to this fact, except that each team may have three imported players.

No club will be allowed to enter after October 12.

The management will arrange the time and order of playing; also for the umpire.

M. E. Hickey of Albuquerque is manager of the base ball tournament and he is just now receiving a number of inquiries from towns in both territories who are considering the tournament.

The fair this year will surpass all previous efforts and is already attracting wide attention throughout the west.

Purses for horse racing alone aggregate \$4,500, with two great stake races good for \$1,000 each.

One thousand dollars is offered for exhibits and \$2,000 for the cowboy tournament.

Good County.

Judge T. C. Hunt of Roosevelt county is at Santa Fe, and said to the New Mexican:

"Roosevelt county is going to be one of the richest counties in New Mexico. It is especially adapted to cattle raising and the class of people that has come in to the county has taken hold in such a manner that it will be rapidly and fully developed. Portales and Texico are growing and prospering just as fast as new towns can do and the outlook for the towns is just as bright."

Fair Talk.

C. C. Hall, who will manage the Bronco busting contest at the coming territorial fair, is in receipt of letters from Clay McGonagill, of Monument, Ariz., and J. E. Carroll, of Roswell, two of the best riders ever astride a horse. Both men have appeared in their favorite role (bronco busting) in Albuquerque before and are favorites. They are coming to the fair this fall and he is on all that is doing. They are cowmen, the best that ever hit the steer roping contest. The purses are quite attractive.

During the six months ending June 30 only five short steam railroads of an aggregate length of seventy-nine miles, a combined bonded debt of \$5,010,000, and a combined capital of \$335,000, have passed into the hands of receivers, and only three aggregating a total length of 145 miles, \$553,000 bonded indebtedness and \$293,000 capital, have been foreclosed.

A NEW GRAFT.

Insurance Scheme Which Resembles the Louisiana Lottery.

Last night a number of railroad employees were approached by a representative of the Railroad Association of America, who wanted to interest them in a monthly magazine only a dollar a year, and entitling the subscriber to \$100 death policy, says the San Bernardino Times-Index.

"For every paid up subscriber you get the benefit of an additional hundred dollars on your policy. Good for one year. No cheaper or safer insurance on earth. All you have to do every year is to turn in as many new subscribers as the amount of your policy in order to keep it paid, and if you gave in ten subscribers tonight and died tomorrow the certificate I will give you would insure your widow \$1,000."

So far as known no one here has taken this means of insurance. It is a new form of graft, and is said to be popular among certain classes in the east.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic
has stood the test 25 years. Average Annual Sales over One and a Half Million bottles. Does this record of merit appeal to you? No Cure, No Pay. 50c.
Enclosed with every bottle is a Ten Cent package of Grove's Black Root Liver Pill.