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IMPORTANT BUSINESS  
CHANGE ANNOUNCED

The E. J. Post & Co. Will  
Hereafter be Known as  
McIntosh Hardware Co.

INTERESTING FACTS ON CHANGE

(Tuesday, February 20.)  
One of the most important and in its line, one of the most extensive business changes, involving an increase in capital and subsequent enlargement of affairs, has just been consummated in this city, wherein the E. J. Post & Co., wholesale and retail hardware merchants, announce the McIntosh Hardware company.  
The contemplated change has been in circulation the past couple of months, but the final arrangement of details, mutually satisfactory to all parties concerned, were not reached until yesterday, when the new company assumed entire control.  
Among the pioneer business concerns of this city, the Post & Co. has been known for many years, coming here in the inception of this city, from Trinidad, Colo., and establishing for business on Railroad avenue. The early history of this well known firm is probably irrelevant to the present, but, by way of facts, the Post & Co. was founded by Jean T. Barralough, about five years ago, disposed of his interests in the company to the well known sheep raiser, William McIntosh.  
For the past three years, the E. J. Post & Co., under the ownership of Charles E. Myers and William McIntosh, did a most thriving, flourishing business, but on the impression gaining some currency that Mr. Myers wished to retire, negotiations looking to that end were begun which finally culminated in the change announced above.  
As announced in the future, this well known hardware concern will be known as the McIntosh Hardware company, and at a meeting held yesterday the following substantial citizens were elected officers:  
President—William McIntosh.  
Vice President—Samuel L. Latta.  
Secretary—L. R. Hyslop.  
Treasurer and Manager—J. C. Nead.  
The new company has incorporated with a capital of \$100,000; said in the future, the company will be able to meet the requirements of more funds, and this, says the manager, will undoubtedly have to be made, considering the rapid advancement as to the future of Albuquerque.  
Mr. Nead, the treasurer and manager, is one of the best known business men in the country. He came to New Mexico in 1885, as the representative of the Simmons Hardware Company of St. Louis, Mo., one of the largest concerns of his kind in the country, and for twelve years traveled throughout both New Mexico and Arizona, which enabled him to gain the confidence of the patrons of the Simmons Hardware company, and at the same time acquaint himself with the wants and requirements of the people. Mr. Nead returned to St. Louis and engaged in business. When, on hearing about the above negotiations of a change in the local hardware circles, Mrs. Nead and two children—a son and daughter—were expected here Saturday, when all will be identified with the business and social life of the metropolis.  
Mr. Nead informs The Citizen that Mr. Hyslop will have entire charge of the office department of the company. George A. Campbell, retaining his old position, and the clerks and warehouse men will be S. H. Wells, Samuel Latta, Lawrence Walsh, Wm. Stamps, and others yet to be announced.  
In the list of those retained as employees, some are well known as George A. Campbell, and The Citizen is pleased that Manager Nead saw fit to keep him on the payroll. Mr. Campbell has been so long identified with the hardware business of Albuquerque that it would have been a difficult task to have found his equal, and these remarks, considering qualifications, hold good in the case of any person who has made a life study of the conditions of the people among whom he lives; therefore, knowing the gentleman's qualifications, his services will be appreciated by Manager Nead and his company.  
Under the new regime, The Citizen expects continued prosperity, with an increased trade, for the McIntosh Hardware company.  
In relating The Citizen wishes to say that C. F. Myers was one of Albuquerque's most energetic, progressive merchants. It is understood that Mr. Myers, accompanied by Mrs. Myers and children, and his brother, John Myers, will shortly leave the city for their old home in Louisiana, and the best wishes of The Citizen and a host of warm personal friends will accompany them for future success and health.  
FOOT BADLY INJURED  
AMPUTATION NECESSARY.  
While Marshall, the boy who had his misfortune to have his foot so badly injured last week, at Chavez, while attempting to jump a train, was brought to his home at Gallup, and later, the foot was amputated. He is now in the hospital at Gallup, where he is doing as well as could be expected under the circumstances.

SALMON-McHENDRIE  
TRAGEDY PARTICULARS

It Occurred at the Cosby Ranch  
in Southwestern Section  
of Colfax County.

STARTED OVER TRIFLE ARGUMENT

From Springer, Stockman.  
Last Tuesday morning, at the home of Robert Salmon, on the Matt Cosby ranch, in the southwestern part of the county, two men met, and the death of the hands of Salmon, the latter firing three bullets into his body. McHendrie dying almost instantly.  
The tragedy came to this city, arriving at noon Wednesday, surrendering himself to Deputy Brown of the district office, also delivering his gun which the killing was done with, to the officers.  
According to Salmon's story only he and his 12-year-old son were in the room where the killing took place. It seems that the two men had gotten into an argument over the question of a certain party in roving horses. The question was heated when McHendrie reached for his gun, but Salmon was too quick for him and fired two shots into his body, which fell lifeless to the floor.  
The prisoner was taken to Raton on Wednesday by Officer Brown for safe keeping until his preliminary examination could be held.  
The dead man leaves a wife and an infant child. They have been working for the Irish brothers for a year or so, the wife as housekeeper and the husband on the ranch. For a year or so when first coming to this country they lived in the city, McHendrie being in the employ of M. W. Mills. While here he was always a peaceable man, sober and industrious. His parents live in Kansas.  
Dr. Leffert was appointed by District Attorney Leahy to go to the scene of the killing and ascertain the cause of the wounds on the body of McHendrie. Also the justice of the peace swore in A. R. Hubbard as a special constable to go and notify the justice of the peace of the precinct in the nearest justice of the peace, so that an inquest would be held. The two went up Wednesday afternoon. This tragedy is deplored by the people of the neighborhood, all of whom supposed that the slayer and slain were the best of friends.  
The place where the killing took place is about twenty-three miles southwest of this city.  
Emil Ashe, justice of the peace of precinct 18, and coroner, conducted an inquest over the remains the following day, the jury rendering a verdict that the deceased came to his death by a gunshot wound inflicted by Salmon.  
Later reports conflict somewhat with the story he told down here. One report says that McHendrie was killed on the yard from the house and his body carried into the house, the shooting occurring at 9 o'clock in the morning.  
One reliable citizen says: "Sammon had the people of the Red Lake country 'buffeted' for a long time, and in this case probably the true facts would never be known."  
Another says: "This is not his first killing."  
Another informant says: "Very little if anything was brought out of the inquest to incriminate him and the evidence seemed to indicate that Salmon was justified in taking the life of the man who was a threat to his life. The Stockman publishes the facts in this case as it has gotten them, and expresses no opinion whatever, although it holds no opinion.  
The remains of the murdered man were taken to Oats for burial.

REVIVE CASE OF BARONESS IMPRISONED AS A BOSGIA

Berlin, Feb. 20.—Baroness Hilla von Haessler is again occupying public attention. Two and a half years ago the baroness was sentenced to six years' penal servitude on a charge of poisoning. Now she has been temporarily liberated for a new trial.  
Baroness Haessler presided as lady superior of a high class charitable institution, supervised by the Bavarian minister of the interior. The inmates are destitute aristocratic ladies. They are admitted only by royal decree.  
At the trial of 1933 it was shown that Baroness Haessler ruled with brutal severity. She had actually put the aged inmates' hair, pinched their faces, dealt them blows with her clenched fists, and flogged them with horse and dog whips, and imposed unusually difficult tasks.  
This is one victim's story:  
"I am 78 years of age. Baroness Haessler made life unbearable to me. She would enter my room at 4 o'clock in the morning and whip me until I got up and dressed. Still chastising me, she compelled me to scrub the floor of the room. She occupied me with mental work for three hours before allowing me to eat a scrap of dry bread. Afterwards she made me crawl along the stone floor of the corridor and remain on my knees in the little chapel for two hours. At the end of this time I fainted and had to be carried back to bed. As punishment for fainting the baroness put me on half rations for two weeks, during which I became ill through lack of proper nourishment. As often as she saw me the baroness called me a 'reptile pauper.'"  
Prayers for Cal.  
It was Baroness Haessler's habit every morning to ask whether one of the "old widows" had not died during the night, and expressed disappointment if nothing had happened to them.  
Baroness Haessler's love for her cat was in remarkable contrast to her harsh treatment of the human inmates of the home. A domestic servant and maid told of the special service of holding an umbrella over it to protect it from the sun or rain during its strolls in the garden. The lady inmates of the establishment were frequently compelled to eat scraps of meat which the cat had left. When the cat died Baroness Haessler composed all to work in a solemn funeral procession, and to say prayers for the cat in the chapel. A fortnight later the dead body of the cat was exhumed, stuffed and placed in a glass case in the principal sitting room of the establishment.  
Baroness Haessler extended her maltreatment to the domestic servants of the establishment, whom she ticked and thrashed on every possible occasion.  
Nearly a Murder.  
A Miss Minna Wagner, 26, was by far the youngest lady in the home. Baroness Haessler took a particular dislike to her, and one day accused her of stealing bread. A lively scene ensued in which Miss Wagner spoke her mind somewhat freely. On the afternoon of the same day Miss Wagner was about to drink a cup of coffee in her own room when Baroness Haessler suddenly caused her to be called away to another part of the house. Before her return, poison was administered to the coffee and Miss Wagner became seriously ill from drinking it. Only after many months did she recover.  
Suspicion fell promptly on Baroness Haessler and the police arrested her as she was kneeling in the chapel. She was found guilty and sentenced to six years' penal servitude. Influence is regarded as responsible for her new trial. Her brother is the Bavarian court chamberlain.  
If Ohio puts the lid on Sunday baseball, the Ohio and Pennsylvania leagues will probably pass out of existence.  
The following all-around stars of the National and American leagues have been signed by George Tebeau to help out the recently weak Kansas City Blues:  
Mr. Tebeau is also said to have lines out for several other players of equal prominence.



BARONESS HAESSLER

THE MINES OF  
GRANT COUNTY

In a Flourishing Condition.  
Silver City to Have a  
New Smelter.

BURRO MOUNTAIN DISTRICT BUSY

(Tuesday, February 20.)  
Fayette A. Jones, the mining expert, returned to this city today after an extended visit to the mining districts in Grant county and southwest New Mexico.  
"I am busier now," said Mr. Jones, "than I have been since my arrival in the territory. Letters and correspondence are awaiting my perusal that will take me and two pretty stenographers a week to read and answer."  
"During my trip I visited the Grant county mining camps. Mining matters are in a more flourishing condition there than ever before in the mining history of New Mexico. The 'Last Chance' mine, one of the original silver mines, that has been shut down for years, is again being worked, and about two car loads of silver ore are being shipped out weekly. At Silver City a new rich strike has been made in the old 'Buck' mine, the property of the National Gold and Silver Mining company. It is very rich silver ore and one that is bound to make its owners lots of money."  
"Silver City, which I visited, is enjoying great vitality; not a boom, but a steady healthy growth, as a result of the operations and improvements that are being completed. The tramway that is being built by the Comanche Mining and Milling company between Silver City and Pinos Altos is nearly completed, and when finished will afford an outlet for the large quantities of silver ore being mined at Pinos Altos mines, and which heretofore did not pay for the working, owing to the fact that to transport the ore to a smelter was worth more than the results justified."  
"The same company is erecting a \$500,000 copper stack at Silver City that will be completed in about thirty days, for the smelting of copper ore. The company is also building a branch tramway to the Burro Mountain district from Silver City. The Burro Mountain Copper company is mining and concentrating about 300 tons of copper per day, which is new ship ore to the Pinos Altos smelter, awaiting the time when the Silver City smelter will be completed."  
"The turquoise mines in this district are in full blast, and some beautiful stones are being mined. The Arizona Turquoise company is running at full capacity and the Portland company is also operating the Jim Turquoise & Copper company's mines. Working full blast, Mr. Portland, of this company, is the gentleman who has charge of New Mexico's minerals exhibit at the recent World's fair at St. Louis. This company recently sent Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, nee Alford Roosevelt, a beautiful turquoise stone as a wedding gift, which was highly appreciated by the recipient."  
"The copper deposits in the Burro Mountain mining district are simply great, and this district is the coming copper camp of New Mexico, and is destined to be greater than the Clinton and Morenci camps in Arizona. They have opened up a ledge of copper there, and several enormous bodies of the ore that are several hundred feet in width, and goodness knows, how long. It will be a hummer some day in the near future."  
"Mining operations all over the territory are in a better condition, and more flourishing than ever before in the history of the industry in New Mexico, and all mining people are feeling good as a result. The outlook was never brighter at any time, and with eastern capital getting interested in the game, New Mexico is bound to develop in the course of time into one of the greatest mineral producing territories, or rather, states, in the American West."

WERE IN CAHOOTS  
AS SWINDLERS

Thought Frank Johnson and  
E. J. Lawler Worked  
Together.

"HUNG OUT" IN SAME SALOON

(Tuesday, February 20.)  
It is now the prevailing opinion in both El Paso and this city that the Frank Johnson under arrest at Benson, Ariz., and the Frank Johnson, who, while posing as a newspaper man in El Paso, cashed a forged check here at the expense of Mayor Field of this city, are different persons, although working together. The El Paso Evening News has the following to say on the subject:  
From existing facts it appears that Johnson and his friend left for El Paso, but if they ever arrived here, nothing has been heard of them. It is considered probable that they left the El Paso branch of the Santa Fe at Rincon, enroute thence to Deming and later to Benson, where one of the two is evidently in jail, as told in the News of last Friday.  
From all descriptions given of the Albuquerque swindler, he could not have been Johnson, the man in jail at Benson, who is an illiterate man, with barroom brawler marks, and he could not have imposed on anybody as a man of education and ability enough to have held a position on the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. On the other hand, the swindler, Mr. E. J. Lawler, is a man of exceptional journalistic ability, well educated, and with a wide bona fide newspaper experience. He reported for the News for several months, and while he was erratic and disreputable, his work was of high class. The most possible theory of the tangled case is that Johnson and Lawler worked together as confederates, Lawler furnishing the brains and Johnson executing his schemes. It is quite possible that the two men left El Paso together, as both are known to have "hung out" at the same saloon here. The whole affair is rather queer, but there is no doubt as to the identity of Johnson, as his picture published in last Friday's News has been recognized by scores of people here. Lawler's portrait is unobtainable, but everybody who knows him well cannot fail to recognize him in the appearance and general penmanship described by the Albuquerque papers.  
NEW SANITARIUM TO BE ESTABLISHED AT ARTERIA.  
The fame of the Pecos valley as a health resort has long since gone abroad, and there are hundreds of people here today for the sole purpose of holding up their aching bodies, says the Arteria Advocate.  
More are coming all the while. Every boarding house in Arteria is filled with them, and tents are being put up on dozens of vacant lots by those who come to get just a few months or weeks of our dry air and sunshine. The need of a place where transients can get accommodations has been apparent a long while, and several parties have talked of putting up a sanitarium. After various propositions have been thrashed out, it is now an assumed fact that the same will be done.  
Dr. Stoker spent several weeks recently conferring with parties at a distance on the subject, and his efforts have been successful to the extent that all necessary tents, furniture, etc., were purchased and has arrived at Arteria. Dr. Stoker informs the Advocate that construction work on a splendid building will be started immediately. It is designed to use tents and other temporary structures until more substantial buildings can be erected. The present facilities will accommodate about twenty patients.  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT OF NORTH CAROLINA.  
Asheville, N. C., February 21.—The special term of the United States district court for the western district of North Carolina, which was called by Judge James E. Boyd opened yesterday with a large docket to be disposed of. This is the first term of the United States court held here since last May. The regular November term was continued owing to the trial of the revenue cases at Greensboro and a special term which was to have been held that month was continued because of the failure to secure a trial judge. There are a number of important cases, both civil and criminal, on the docket for trial and the session will be a very busy one. Among the criminal cases to be tried is that of the United States against Charles Pauline de Ricardo, charged with using the mails for fraudulent purposes and now in jail here awaiting trial. Ricardo was arrested in Asheville and Black Mountain, Ariz., and found many victims. He also claimed he could locate hidden treasures. Ricardo has just completed a four years term in the Florida penitentiary. A large number of witnesses have been subpoenaed to appear against the man seen and when those witnesses are called, his state will be represented.  
Since the recent court decision permitting boxing in local clubs, for bona fide club members, has made the "fighting" racket there are more fighters, good, bad or indifferent, to the square foot to that town than any place in the country. As long as the game is conducted on the square it will flourish, but as soon as the grasping managers begin rigging the game it will be squashed, just as it was in the days of the Florida law.

ALL WRONG TO COURT A  
GIRL LONG--Fr. Manley

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 20.—Rev. M. J. Manley of St. John's Catholic church, Pittsburg, Pa., has jumped into a tangle that he would jump out of again. For the jump was made without forethought on his part. The jump in question—or the questionable jump—was made by an announcement from his pulpit in regard to the few marriages which were being solemnized among his parishioners.  
This was as much to the contrary, to the newspapers, and the story went forth that Father Manley had advised all the young men and women of his parish to get married, that the man should "propose in hunches" as one writes facetiously put it, and not to let time stale on their hands, but to go and ask the momentous question that every night.



REV. M. J. MANLEY

GEORGE DID YOU  
HEAR WHAT  
FATHER MANLEY  
SAID?



go and ask the momentous question that every night.

"When I read these reports," said Father Manley, "I was mad, mad, mad over. It has been awful," he said, but his eyes twinkled. "I have had letters from college friends from all over the country, with incensed expressions that they had been misled."

GOLF TOURNAMENT FOR  
AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Palm Beach, Fla., Feb. 20.—The golf tournament for the amateur championship of South Florida began yesterday with a large number of entries and a most brilliant gallery. Many coach players are taking part in the tournament, including Walter J. Travis, who won the title two years ago and did not compete since then.  
Jack O'Brien says that with his "system of fighting" he is confident he will be able to defeat Justice, should the big fellow return to the ring. It is a subtle alliance to fighting as a sport.

SURPRISE PARTY  
LAST SATURDAY

AT KELLY, THE WELL KNOWN  
MINING CAMP, IN SOCOPO  
COUNTY.

Special Correspondence.  
Kelly, N. M., Feb. 20.—A very enjoyable surprise party was held Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brown, who were given as a farewell party for Mr. Joseph Brown, who has been a pleasant visitor at Kelly for the past two months, and who, we regret to learn, will leave this morning for his home in Greenville, Canada. The surprise was successfully planned by a number of the "As You Like It" club, and the crowd met at the home of Prof. and Mrs. A. L. Helster and went in a body to the Brown home. The surprise was a genuine one and the surprisees passed a jolly evening in music and singing, games and speech-making of various kinds. Delicious refreshments consisting of sandwiches, cake and pickles were served to the invited guests, who were Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Babcock, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Stapleton, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Townsend, Prof. and Mrs. A. L. Helster, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Terry, Mrs. Edna Corwell and Miss Della Schuchert, Messrs. James Stephenson, Ross Saylor, Simon Ester, Jr., Thomas Stephen and our correspondent. The affair was all in all, a most pleasant event and will long be remembered by our Canadian gentlemen friend.

CALIFORNIANS HOLD  
FOURTEENTH FAIR.

Clovis, Cal., Feb. 20.—The fourteenth annual citrus fair, under the auspices of the Clovis Citrus Fair association opened here today under the most favorable auspices. The exhibition arranged for this association is the largest and best, as well as the most interesting, in the history of Clovis, and San Joaquin county, and the attendance at the opening today was larger than on any previous opening day. The fair will last four days today, being the opening day, is called a 50-cent day. The other days will be known as Mendocino, Lake and San Francisco county days. It is expected that hundreds of visitors from these and other counties will come here to see the exhibition. There is an unusually large list of prizes this year and never has there been so great a rivalry between the exhibitors as this year.

CASE AGAINST BEN DANIELS  
DISMISSED ON DEMURRER.

Unfired States Marshal Daniels, who was arrested by Sheriff Fowler at Nogales, Ariz., on complaint of Hana M. Lamm, was straggled before a justice of the peace, and the case against him was dismissed on demurrer.

CONTRACT CARRYING MAILS  
IN TUCUMCARI SECTION.

T. O. Horton has been awarded the contract for carrying the mail from Tucumcari to Bell ranch for the ensuing four years, commencing July 1, 1936. R. W. Hodges has the contract between Tucumcari and Puerco, and J. W. Moody has the one from Tucumcari to Quay, via Moore and Jackson.

# YOUTHFUL WIZARD OF THE CUE WHO WON THE WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP

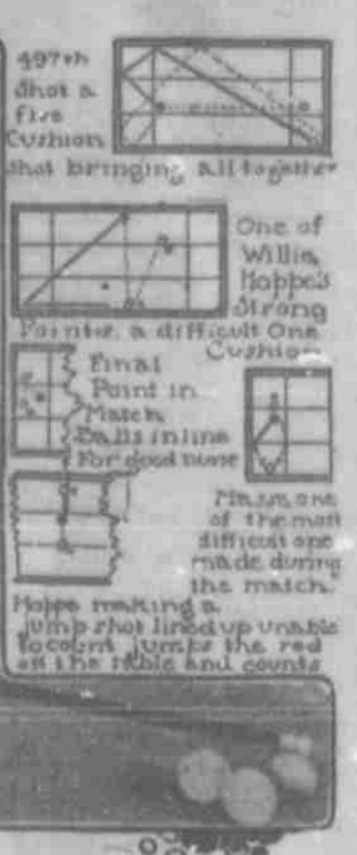
New York, Feb. 16.—Wm. Fredrick Hoppe, brilliant champion of the world, aged 18, is a man in thought, yet boyish and unassuming. When he arrived from Europe, after defeating Maurice Vignaux, the young American was greeted by a lively crowd of enthusiastic billiardists, who informed him that George Slosson and Jake Schaefer were but on his track to capture his well-earned honors.

"I shall meet both of them," he declared, "providing they put up a fore-fall and make the terms of the match agreeable. I feel that my experience with Vignaux has given me more confidence, and if either of my countrymen beats me he will know that he has been playing some before the final event has been decided."

The match between Hoppe and Slosson will be played early in March in New York.



Willie Hoppe



There was nothing about the lad's demeanor to impress the casual observer that the young fellow had won the highest honor a billiardist could achieve. The morning after his arrival in New York, accompanied by his brother, Frank, who was his manager during the European trip, and his father, the champion paid a visit to Cussetta's billiard rooms. This is the place where Hoppe did most of his preparatory work for the Parisian match, and, before the camera, he requested the game.

Hoppe was born in Cornwall-on-Hudson, October 11, 1887, and began playing with the ivory balls on a pool table in that village, when he was about 7 years old. From the very beginning he seemed to have unusual control of the balls, and many who saw his early exhibition in New York rooms predicted a brighter future for him than that which was dimmed by the death of "Napoleon" Frank Ives.

That Hoppe has fully borne out these promises goes without saying. His defeat of Vignaux, who held the world's championship for years, was clean cut and decisive. The match was of 500 points at 15-1 billiards, the most difficult test so far given to experts with the cue, and while the Frenchman held an advantage during the first half of the contest, the young New Yorker ran away with the game in the latter half, winning by a score of 30-24, with a high run of 85, the best on record at this style of billiards. Vignaux's average was 14.1-23 with a high run of 51.

The game was played at the Grand hotel, Paris, and during the first half

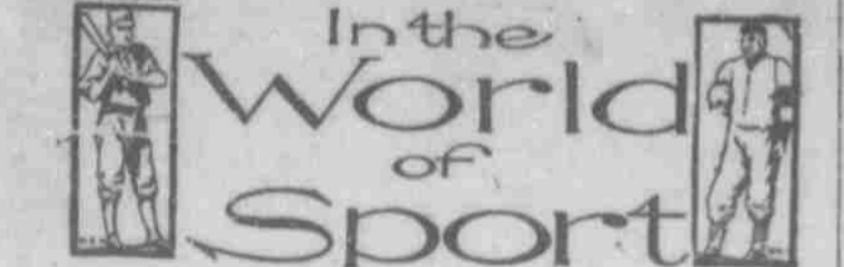
the scoring was rather slow. At the termination, the score stood 265 to 223 in favor of the French expert. Vignaux was a prior favorite, but the odds against Hoppe's chance of winning divided from 3 to 1 to even money during the second period, and this was brought mainly through the persistence of "Nat" Goodwin, "Billy" Donohue, Geo. Sutton and a host of prominent Americans who accepted every wager offered against the Hudson river lad.

Frequently Vignaux gave evident signs of impatience. Once when Hoppe had made a carom when the three balls were almost touching, the Frenchman claimed that Willie had not scored. Count de Dreu, the referee, who had not been watching the play closely, decided against Hoppe, who sat down with an air of resignation, only to watch his opponent flick off 51 caroms, Vignaux's highest run in the game.

After the intermission, Hoppe simply had everything his own way, as he modestly said, "the balls rolled a bit more kindly." His wonderful work in the 223 inning was a revelation to everyone who witnessed the contest. He made the high score of 85, without a "bunk." It was one of the grandest exhibitions of billiards ever given, and the youthful expert had to rest his cue until the outbreak of enthusiasm subsided.

Hoppe ran out the game with an unfinished run of 75, after setting out a cue ball in the pocket, and then, after a few minutes, he had made 51, bringing the balls together with wonderful skill.

At the conclusion of the match the demonstration given by the Americans was almost equalled by the generous plaudits of the Frenchmen, and Vignaux in a neat little speech congratulated Hoppe, saying that he had proved the victor by fair and square play.



Joe Gans, the lucky boy, lost his suit for absolute divorce. What does a colored fighter want a divorce for, anyway?

The base ball colony at Hot Springs is growing. The latest to appear in Arkansas town are Bert Gilbert and Mike Doan.

That Young Corbett is not all in is shown by the offer made to him at Denver to meet Dick Hyland, a pretty fair second rate.

McGraw and Ted Sloan have opened a rather pretentious cafe and billiard room at Forty-second street and Broadway, New York.

Brooding race horses is a costly business as less than one-half ever see the post and each youngster costs \$2,500 before he is a racer.

Fred Lunders, the western lightweight, who recently met defeat at the hands of Willie Fitzgerald, is going to try his luck in the east.

Coffroth, the California promoter, is working on a big outdoor flat attraction and hopes to sign O'Brien and Ryan for a 20-round bout as one of the attractions.

"Happy Jack" Chebro, whose arm gave him considerable trouble last season, is in good shape for this year, but will eliminate the spit ball from his repertoire of curves.

Frankie Nell, American bantam-weight champion, will fight Harry Tenney 20 rounds in San Francisco on the night of February 27th. They will weigh in at 120 pounds at the ringside.

Jack O'Brien has given his mother a \$25,000 house in Philadelphia, and Baiting Nelson has made his father a present of \$14,000. At least, stories to that effect are going the rounds of the press.

Jockey J. Daly has been ruled off the track at City Park, New Orleans, and Jockey W. H. H. has been indefinitely suspended. What a house cleaning those Crescent City judges are accomplishing—and it was needed!

President Merrill of Coalgate College, has decided views on foot ball. In a recent address he said: "Coalgate, gentlemen, will always be ready to play foot ball under any schedule of rules that may be provided."

Jack Root and Marvin Hart will probably meet in a 20-round bout in Salt Lake in the latter part of March. Root and Hart each holds a victory over the other. Root is to fight Fred Russell in Kalamazoo, Mich., on February 28th.

Pitcher Van And, who is said to have as many moving wheels as Rube Waddell, has been sold by the Cubs to O. L. H. to Grand Rapids. Van And was drafted last season by Cincinnati, but was afterwards returned to Canton.

Adrian C. Arson, the old time base ball player, will manage a semi-professional team in Chicago, this season. The Calhoun team seems to be gaining heavily in the Windy City, with the result that a strong league of semi-professionals may be built up.

Friends of Buddy Ryan, the western-weight fighter, will give him a benefit in Chicago to raise funds to pay for an operation in the hope of saving

his eyesight. Ryan was cut in his right eye by his manager several months ago, and is gradually growing blind.

"Rube" Fenne, the ex-welterweight champion, has signed articles to meet Dick Fitzpatrick, the Chicago fighter, before the Kalamazoo A. C. the latter part of this month. Time was when Fenne cut something of a swath in the welter class, but that was long ago.

Fielding H. Yost will be with Michigan next year, though the training staff has been abolished. The recommendations of the western college conference have been ignored by Michigan, which probably means that the other colleges will pay no attention to them.

President Harry C. Pulliam, who has had his ear glued to the ground for some time, says: "I have heard nothing that convinces me that the foot strike rule should be changed or abolished. I am confident that the rules as they now stand will not be changed for the National League."

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as it is possible to do so. Some good fighting ought to be the result of the fight.

Jimmy Britt says he will retire from the ring after he has another chance at Nelson. Britt has been offered \$5,000 to meet Eddie Hanlon, but he declines to do so, as he does not want to take any chances of being laid out before he faces Nelson again. Hanlon is a pretty dangerous proposition.

The story has been revived that Jeffries will come out of his retirement to meet the winner of the Hart-O'Brien fight. Coffroth, the California promoter, is said to have obtained a promise from Jeff to fight once more, only stipulating that the purse is of sufficient proportions to make it attractive.

Jimmie Callahan handed Sheppard a fine cutting from the conservatory when down there, but I do wish they would have a little more regard for the personal property of people whom they pass on the way. Twice in one summer an excursion train has stopped for some minutes, and some of them, without as much as "My love," have made a dash for the conservatory garden spot which we have inclosed, and where we have succeeded in raising some fine beds of sweet peas and roses, and picked the place almost bare. No great care was taken not to spoil the vines, besides.

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## A Bit of Arizona Scenery..

By A. W. A.

Mannett, N. M., Feb. 15.—About seven miles from here, just across the border line between New Mexico and Arizona, lies a little canyon among the mountains, whose beauty has caused it to be a favorite haunt for two summers past, for parties of excursionists, during the heat of summer. To my mind, Luna, as it is called, is one of the most beautiful spots along the railroad from Albuquerque to Winslow, and anyone who has ever seen it has agreed with me.

On the right hand the low range of hills rise in almost inaccessible, dome-like cliffs, surrounded by other cliffs as barren and as hard to scale. The real beauty of Luna, however, lies about a mile south of the railroad track, on the left hand side.

A stretch of sand, about a mile in distance, extends to the mountain's rocky base, which has numerous wind caves extending back into its depths. The sandstone cliffs themselves, their colors lit up and showing brilliantly in the morning sunlight, form a fitting background for the "Bottles" and the "Saddles" as they are familiarly known.

The Bottles, a perpendicular shaft of solid rock, extending many feet above the surrounding rocks and sloping hillsides, were given their name on account of one of them, in particular. Its rocky base affords a slippery foothold to the adventurous climber, to the base of the main cliff, but further it is impossible to go.

A little to the left of the Bottles, the Saddles, another rocky shaft, whose base projects from the main cliff, rears its summit, which forms an almost perfectly shaped middle.

Behind the riddle, the main cliff of the mountain rounds in, forming, with a low ridge of rock rising abruptly from the surrounding sand, a small canyon, almost entirely enclosed by the surrounding rocky walls. The floor of the canyon is nearly covered with a grove of oaks; some of them large trees, growing along the rocky base and extending half way to the top. At the head of the canyon a little spring sometimes forms, and this, I suppose, supplies water to the trailing Virginia Creeper and wild grape vines, which have twined themselves about the trunks of the trees until the top is reached, when they have leaned over to join tendrils with the vines of the next tree. In this way, an almost impenetrable miniature forest has been formed in some places, and form bunches of vivid green; the brighter green on the oaks blending with the darker green of the five leaved vine.

When standing above, the grandeur of the scene, with the intense stillness broken only by the sound of human voices or by the song of birds, as they fill from the rocky sides to their nests among the vines and trees, reminds one of the first lines of Longfellow's "Drumming" where the trees, "bearded with moss and in garments green, indistinct in the twilight, stand like Druids of old."

Following the base of the mountain east, for about a mile, a cave, containing a supply of coal, since the spring water may be found; surpassing the well water of any of the towns along the road—providing the drinker finds the spring before the sheep come to take their daily drink. The Indians, though too lazy to dig out any one of the springs and make out, good coal, make use of the spring for their sheep, though none of them live near the place.

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## MOST ANYTHING

By A. W. A.

A Paris dispatch says it is believed Count Boni will assume a gentlemanly attitude. Now you know what an optimist is. He's a man who can send a dispatch like that.

"Did you hear that new joke about life insurance?"

"No, and I don't want to. I can't see those jokes."

"You're not a life insurance agent, are you?"

"No, but I am a policy holder."

"Specially had had luck with his stenographer?"

"What's the row? Has she left him or demanded more money?"

"Neither. They were married last week."

"How was your auto trip the other day?"

"Great success. Didn't run over a thing except a bridge."

And Placed on File?

T. W. Messick has taken out the position in his store room—Stotts City (Mo.) Sunbeam.

A mean dig—Work on the Panama Canal.

Did your father show any emotion when Perry asked him for rent?

"Indeed he did. He broke down."

"Poor fellow! He must have felt dreadfully!"

"As I was going to say, he broke down a pillar on the front porch, trying to catch him."

The Paris newspapers haven't printed a line about Count Boni's trouble. A little thing like that isn't a novelty over there.

The manager of the ball team says Tossman, the pitcher, is in fine shape this winter. Ready to play the game of his life.

"I believe it. I saw him playing dominoes at the engine house last night."

The innocent bystander sometimes escapes, the general opinion to the contrary.

"I never knew or heard of such a thing."

"I have, frequently, too."

"Where?"

"At a wedding."

"Blither and his wife appear to be as far apart as ever."

"Yes, I guess that's so. He's in New York, and she's in North Dakota."

In the Hall of Manseena.

Placed in nomination—Count Boni.

"I don't see why your son-in-law teased him over. He's worth at least \$5,000,000, and the newspapers would have given him lots of advertising."

"Yes, that's so," said the manager of the musical comedy, "but he comes from Pittsburgh, and also says he prefers to try to land one from Peoria, Ill."

A Few Remarks on "East Lynne."

The inspiring and celebrated play of "East Lynne" is a general favorite. It can be truly said that the play will live forever, as it portrays life as it is actually lived. As we look through the vistas of the past, it still leads us to the enchantment which carries one to the edge of emotion. It is one in which can be seen the charm and pathos which holds and interests to the last. In this play will be seen the ever pleasing and beautiful emotional actress, Miss Adeline LaPorte, in the title role, with her superb rules of beauty and elegance, in her brilliant and charming style, is simply pleasing; her artistic acting enriches the play from curtain to curtain—Jasper (Mo.) News.

Alexander had finished his job of conquering the world, and sat down and wept.

"Curses the luck," he moaned. "Not one man in a million can contribute and the fools around me haven't had sense enough to establish a lecture platform."

The Ready Letter Writer.

A letter on face mail, from a college president to the public:

To the Friends of Dudley College:

The recent agitation on foot ball is welcomed by all college officials and students because it will enable us to place the game on a higher plane, really to restore it to the high plane it held until a few years ago, when the desire to win became predominant and overshadowed the true purposes and resulting in conditions that are detested by both faculty and student body.

Foot ball is a grand and noble game, developing true manhood and elevating all who participate in it and enabling the spectator, but I regret to acknowledge the introduction of certain ignominious elements. I would not say that I favor abolishing the game, but I do favor the introduction of restrictions that will lead to needed reforms. In this work I ask the co-operation of all friends of Dudley College, and if this is obtained I am certain that we will be successful in accomplishing these things on which our energies are now centered.

WORDEN WORDS.

A letter from the same man to the \$5,000-a-year coach:

Dear Bill:

Of course you have kept posted on the foot ball question, and know how a lot of so-called friends of the college have been knocking it. I am sorry for some of the heavy contributions to the endowment fund think the game should be abolished. We cannot offend them, for if they withdrew their support we would have to close the doors. And where would we be without foot ball?

I can't blame some of the people for knocking the game, for, honestly, Bill, we have a rotten team this year and the year before. When I think of it, I pray for the pen of a George Ade, that I might describe it as I see it. But if we had a good team there would be no knocking the game. You know that as well as I do. So the future of the old college is in your hands. If you can get together a team that will win our friends will be so busy yelling that they will have no time to knock. A friend of mine, by the way, one who has the price, has offered to stake the college on three first class men next season.

Yours for Victory.

WORDEN WORDS.

Another fighter has turned actor. Charlie Neary of Milwaukee, has joined a merry-making aggregation, and is making the rounds of the burlesque houses. He meets all comers and does a monologue.

## GEN. WOOD WHO WILL COMMAND IN CHINA



If the "yellow peril" should make it necessary to send troops into China, the invading army from the United States would be commanded by Gen. Leonard Wood, the daring commander of the army in the Philippines. Gen. Wood is not a West Point graduate. His military training was secured through fighting Indians on western plains and in the American invasion of Cuba. He was educated as a physician and entered the army in 1875 as a contract surgeon.

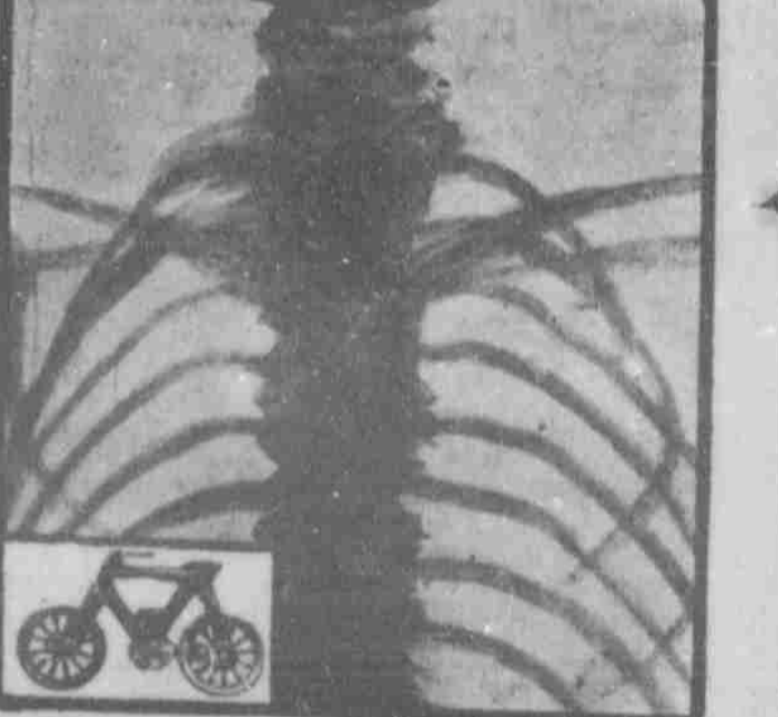
In the battles with the Apaches he performed distinguished services and was promoted to be captain and assistant surgeon.

During the German campaign he acquitted himself so favorably that he was commended and awarded a medal for bravery. After the Indian uprising he practiced medicine in Arizona and at the Presidio.

When war broke out with Spain, Gen. Wood, aided by Theodore Roosevelt, organized the famous rough riders and made it his colonel. His record was recognized by promotion to brigadier general of volunteers, commanding the second army corps in the Cuban campaign. Roosevelt succeeded him as colonel.

Gen. Wood commanded his brigade at the battle of Las Animas and San Juan. When Santiago surrendered he was appointed military governor of that city. Later he was assigned to the command of the department of Santiago and also civil governor of the provinces of Santiago. On Dec. 30, 1898, he was appointed military governor of Cuba and governed the island until he turned it over to President Palma.

## THE BICYCLE A BABY SWALLOWED



This photograph of the esophagus of a little child is probably one of the most remarkable ever published. The exact size of the toy swallowed by the child is given on the left.

The toy bicycle shown in the photograph was recently taken from the year-old girl in the Beatrice ward of the London hospital, after a difficult and dangerous operation. She is getting well, thanks to the X-ray photograph and skillful surgeons. The child had swallowed the toy while lying on her back, and was near death from strangulation, when the X-ray was called into use.

## TOWN OF BELEN GROWING RAPIDLY

AN ENTHUSIASTIC CORRESPONDENT WRITES HIS OBSERVATIONS IN SMALL PARAGRAPHS.

Special Correspondence.

Belen, N. M., Feb. 15.—There is no doubt but what the construction of the Belen depot, Harvey eating house, new fifty-two stall round house, machine and boiler scope, will begin in a short time, as there are now forty cars of cement waiting on the siding for that purpose. The company has already graded its extensive grounds for the commencement of the work.

Fifty men are now at work fixing switches. There will be fifteen side tracks built at once.

Owing to the vast amount of work on this new route, the company grant short of engines, and therefore, sent for an additional supply to help out the work.

Several rock crushers will arrive in Belen in a few days, to go out to the canyon. The rock crushed will be used to ballast the track.

Dr. W. Hestiffe will build a new hospital in a few weeks. It will be an immense building, which will occupy from five to seven acres.

The Belen meat market will build a new meat market (dory) miles south of Belen.

Belen stores are doing a good business of late. The Mercantile company is selling goods at 10 per cent below cost. It will also have a fire sale in the near future.

Carl Becker, who is attending school at Albuquerque, visited his parents here last Saturday and Sunday.

Pharmacia has encountered opposition in its attempt to establish a physical culture retreat near New York City. The residents of Dunellen, N. J., have taken up on massed and declare he cannot see himself up in their midst and disperse the peace and dignity of their quiet locality. The opposition is being led by a minister known as "the fighting parson."

Green Morris, the veteran trainer, has announced that he will discontinue his entire string of horses at New Orleans and quit the game. Green is said to have worried of the bulldozing tactics of Ed Corrigan.





# DAD AND 'NUNC' BURNED MONEY FOR THIS GIRL

SWEET CLARA WATERMAN GETS INTO SOCIETY AT TWO GRAND PARTIES, ONE COSTING \$50,000 AND THE OTHER \$25,000—WHAT FATHER AND UNCLE DID TO SPEND THE MONEY FOR A HOT TIME FOR THE GIRL THEY LOVE.



Miss Clara W. Knight.

Philadelphia, Feb. 21.—This simple old Quaker town has set "high society" of all the land apace with two functions, as they call them, which for the amount of money spent on each beats the record.

It was all for a girl, a girl of 18, Miss Clara Waterman Knight. She is a happy, winsome lass, even though she has a million in her own right and is the wealthiest of this season's debutantes in Philadelphia or elsewhere.

Her father, Edward Collins Knight, Jr., one of the seldom heard of multimillionaires, originally made his money in sugar and then multiplied it many times in stocks.

Then, also there is an uncle, Edward Waterman Knight, who is a steel manufacturer, in whose 2 1/2 in western ranch investments has rolled up a fortune which runs far into the millions.

It is around these two multimillionaire relatives, father and uncle, of the fortunate young debutante, that is built the story which society is now discussing.

Miss Clara Waterman Knight is of

a quiet disposition, and it was by her request that when she entered society this season no formal coming out tea was given and she merely joined her mother in receiving at their "at homes."

This did not meet with favor in the eyes of the multimillionaire uncle, Mr. Knight, who is very proud of his beautiful niece. At the Philadelphia club, where both were members, he met Mr. Knight and chaffed him unmercifully about the simplicity of his daughter's "coming out."

There was a friendly war of words between the multimillionaire and it is said that then and there it was agreed that two functions should be given which would not society by the club. There is also an intimation that the proud uncle spurred on the proud father by the declaration, and perhaps a wager, that no matter how lavish the affair which the letter gave, the former would outdo it.

Edward Collins Knight, Jr., the father, made the first effort. It was a reception given at the Bellevue-Stratford, was attended by



everybody of prominence in winter society, and, with jeweled favors, cost, at a conservative estimate, \$20,000.

Then came the uncle's business and Mr. Knight more than made good his debt or wager.

Mr. Knight, the father, decorated the Bellevue-Stratford ballroom so cleverly that it simulated a garden, and in this garden bloomed 10,000 cut flowers, 2,500 of them American Beauty roses, at \$1 or more apiece.

Mr. Knight, the uncle, announced that he would go in for simplicity, and he did all the pillars of the ballroom with elegant palms and ferns, ones that spread their leaves twenty feet from the stems, and with living vines that trailed their branches for hundreds of feet in every direction and made the room appear like a tropical garden.

In this garden bloomed thousands of daisies, at twenty cents per daisy; rhododendrons, white laurel and white lilacs, imported especially from the far south, regardless of cost, and white azaleas, Miss Knight and her mother, the former in a gown of palest green tulle silk, received the 750 guests in a green cave and amid a field of daisies.

None could tell where the arches were, so cunningly were they hidden in tropical borders, but the music seemed to be everywhere.

And all of this cost Uncle Dwight only the paltry sum of \$25,000.

Summing it all up at the bottom of the column, the present investment in the most interesting of the season's debutantes is as follows: To uncle's pink collard, \$20,000 To uncle's white ball, \$24,000

## MOST ANYTHING

"Two-cent fare!" roared the rail-road president. "It's impossible! It's a confession of our property! Nothing less than confiscation!"

"Don't you think your road could pay a dividend on two-cent fare?"

"Dividends? No, sir; no, sir. We couldn't begin to pay for our wrecks."

"What's the reward offered for the capture of that bank robber, sheriff?"

"We're offering \$100 for his capture or information that will lead to his capture."

"That's not big enough. You'll never catch him."

"Well, if we don't get him in a day or two I'm going to offer trading stamps."

"Bikers been after me all day, trying to borrow \$10 from me."

"Did you lend it to him?"

"Not on your life."

"Then you're \$10 ahead."

"I've been trying to figure that way, but I can't. You see, I didn't have \$10."

Things must be coming Tom Lawson's way. He's been as quiet as Pierpont Morgan for the last week.

The man who introduced the bill for a whipping post for wife beaters in this district of Columbia is a bachelor, but possibly you have already guessed as much.

"I don't think this is in the best of taste. This newspaper says Daniel Demott and Nellie Ledford were married quietly last night."

"What's wrong about that?"

"Why, they're both deaf and dumb."

"Perkins is all right, but he's an offshoot sort of a fellow."

"Perkins? Not on your life. He's as manly as you find 'em!"

"Maybe he is, but he always puts postage stamps upside down on his letters."

"You are charged with having been intoxicated, and I'm going to give you the limit of the law, said the judge."

"When I let you go last week you promised me you'd never come back."

"Yes, judge, I did promise, and I can prove that I didn't come back of my own accord."

Diogenes, having passed in his search for an honest man, threw away the magazine he had been reading.

"It's no use," he exclaimed in disgust, and blew out his light.

"Don't borrow money," says young Jack Rockefeller. If all of us had fathers as rich as Jack's, we wouldn't.

We'd be lending it at a Russell Sage per cent.

REMARKS AS TO NAMES.

The Daily Democrat and Standard, of Coahuila, is no more. It's now the Coahuila Daily Times, the first issue under the name appearing Monday.

This is a big step—or rather a hop-skip-and-a-jump—in the right direction. "Democrat and Standard" was too cumbersome for the name of any daily. It sounded more like a call for a political caucus than the snappy name of a daily paper.

In this age of the world no one cares to write through a long name like President Theodore Roosevelt when he can say Teddy for short.

When the Indicator becomes a great daily, we'll name it the Chronicle-Commercial-Telegraph or even the Times-Herald, but hunt up something that's quicker than that. West Lafayette (O.) Indicator.

There was quite a struggle to see who would kiss the bride first, but Filkins managed to win, although he was quite a distance away when the time came.

"That was where my street car (sitting) came in handy."

George Washington was the principal speaker at the Third ward ward in his first campaign, and for an hour he talked on free trade, railroad rates and expansion.

"That's all right," cried out one of the voters in the roar of the wigwam, "but what's the story about the hat-chet? Is it true, or not?"

George's face turned red and he spluttered and stammered and shifted his feet uneasily. But he suddenly recovered his composure and replied, "I decline to answer on the advice of counsel."

The gang that expected to fill the office cheered heartily at this effectual way of silencing an opponent.

"You love me no more!" hissed the French count.

"You are right," replied the American heiress who had been supporting him for four years. "And I am thinking seriously of suing for a divorce."

"Oh, you are, are you?" he shouted. "And just for that, take back your gold. You shall do nothing for me but my debts."

That was quite a slap on the wrist administered by the national commission to Columbus for selling Catcher Brown to Boston when he was already drafted by Cleveland. The Ohio city was fined all of \$25.

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If possible, come this week instead of waiting until next. The children are very anxious to see you, and can hardly wait until you come, Willie.

Yours fraternally,

A letter from the same minister to the board of trustees of his own church, after a call with a \$1000 increase of salary:

Gentlemen:

I have the honor to reply to your letter, offering me your church, and while appreciating it much, I must decline it.

I feel that my work in my present field is not finished, and I believe I should continue here until it is completed. I am not insensible of the high honor you have paid me in sending a call to me, and I thank you from the bottom of my heart. The salary you offer is somewhat in advance of the one I am receiving, and I must admit it is tempting, but under the circumstances I cannot consider it. Thanking you again, I remain,

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## FIERCE KING OF DAHOMEY LEAVES AMERICA FOR AFRICA

FORMER LEADER OF SAVAGE MEN AND WOMEN WARRIORS, NOW A PRISONER OF FRANCE, IS IN POOR HEALTH AND GOES BACK TO HIS NATIVE CLIME.



Port de France, Martinique, Feb. 19.—King Behanzin, former ruler of Dahomey, Africa, who has been a prisoner here since his surrender to the French government in 1912, is to be transferred to Algeria, where he believes the climate will improve his failing health.

Dahomey, now a part of French West Africa, was once under a complete control of fierce tribes of negroes. Under King Behanzin, it was an absolute monarchy, with a standing army of over 15,000 savage natives, consisting partly of female warriors or amazons who fought as desperately as the men.

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## THE SOLDIERS WHO WILL DO OUR FIGHTING IN CHINA

BRUNT OF THE INVASION TO BE BORNE BY FIRST AND SECOND INFANTRY—WESTON, BLISS AND LEE, THE FIGHTING COMMANDERS.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Ample preparations are being made for lending a strong military force in China as the first sign of a general attack on foreigners.

The brunt of the labor in this Chinese invasion will be borne by the First and Second regiments of infantry, which are now on their way to Manila. These regiments, with the Ninth and Thirteenth battalions of field artillery, will be mobilized with other troops in two brigade camps near Manila. The arrival of these troops will bring the number of available land forces up to 19,000 men.

The other forces now in the Philippines consist of A and B engineers, F, I and J signal corps, Third except



GENERAL J. M. LEE.

Kentucky and entered the army at the outbreak of the civil war as a lieutenant of volunteers. He distinguished himself for gallantry in many actions, and was voted a special medal by congress. During the Indian wars in the west he was with General Miles and he served in the Indian battle, and notably in the campaign against Geronimo. He lived through many hard fought and perilous campaigns and has probably had more experience with American frontier life than any other officer in the army.

General Weston is about 60 years of age, is thin, wiry and grizzled, with shrewd, humorous gray eyes, a hearty laugh and a vocabulary of purely ornamental profanity. He is adored by the younger officers of the army.

Taaher H. Bliss is one of the young brigadier generals. He will be remembered by the public as the first



GENERAL J. C. WESTON.

collector of customs in Cuba under the Wood regime. He was a captain in the commissary department during the Spanish-American war, and for his unusual ability displayed at that time, and while collector in Cuba, was marked by his superior officers as a man for promotion. His promotion, however, to the rank of brigadier general, being as it was a jump over the heads of a score or more of older officers, provoked considerable jealousy.

Brigadier General J. M. Lee, one of the most daring officers of the army. He served with credit during the civil war, was on General Miles' staff as adjutant general, though holding the rank of only lieutenant. He was designated to command the department of Texas about a year ago, but upon his own application was sent to the Philippine Islands in order that he might see more active service.

MANY SHEEP ON THE JEMEZ FOREST RESERVE.

Venezualao Jaramillo, secretary of the territorial board of equalization, and a well known citizen of El Paso, was among those who attended to business at the federal building in Santa Fe yesterday. He also called upon Governor Herbert J. Hagerman, then from El Paso, attending to similar business. Jaramillo and Daniel Trullio. Mr. Jaramillo said that he came to investigate the conditions for securing grazing permits for sheep on the Jemez forest reserve.

"I understand that there are at least 10,000 sheep on this reserve, and I presume that the most of them will be kept there providing the owners can secure permits for so doing. The reserve is one of the best grazing ranges in this part of the territory. In fact, there is no place near to it where sheep can be taken. There are a number of land grants and Indian reservations near it, so that the sheepmen will be forced to keep their sheep on the reserve. However, most of them are glad to do so, as they will be under government protection. Notices are now being sent out to sheep owners informing them of the creation of the reserve and forbidding them to trespass after March 1."

STOCK CONDITION IN RIO ARriba COUNTY.

J. M. C. Chavez, fruit raiser and stock grower at Abiquiu, and a well known citizen of Rio Arriba county, spent a couple of days in the Capital City, on business. Conditions in the Chavez river valley are of the best, and Mr. Chavez believes that beautiful crops of cereals and fruit in that valley will be the result this year.

THE BECK MINE.

Prof. F. A. Jones of Albuquerque made a trip out to Stearns last week, and while there visited the Beck mine, owned by the National Gold and Silver Mining company, says the Lardberg Liberal. He reports that on the 200 foot level a fine strike has been made. It consists of eight feet of high grade ore, which has every indication of permanence. While the professor did not take a complete sample of the ore in this strike, and assay it, he was able to see there was much silver ore in it, and was of the opinion that there is much of the ore that is a shipping proposition, and that the rest of it is milling ore, and will make good returns in the company's mill. The mill will probably be set to work on this ore as soon as a fair quantity of it is broken down.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

William C. Berkhout and Westa Albersen, both of Albuquerque. W. J. Whiffie and Edna M. Livingston, both of Albuquerque. Fred S. Jackson and J. J. Sanchez, former of Albuquerque and the latter of Las Lunas.

The races at Hot Springs have begun and the push of ball players to that resort has started in earnest.

## THE CAUSE BEHIND THE SCARE



Special Correspondence.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 16.—Following were some sales of Colorado and western cattle at Kansas City this week:

Lindsay Hutton Live Stock company (head) 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700, 1800, 1900, 2000, 2100, 2200, 2300, 2400, 2500, 2600, 2700, 2800, 2900, 3000, 3100, 3200, 3300, 3400, 3500, 3600, 3700, 3800, 3900, 4000, 4100, 4200, 4300, 4400, 4500, 4600, 4700, 4800, 4900, 5000, 5100, 5200, 5300, 5400, 5500, 5600, 5700, 5800, 5900, 6000, 6100, 6200, 6300, 6400, 6500, 6600, 6700, 6800, 6900, 7000, 7100, 7200, 7300, 7400, 7500, 7600, 7700, 7800, 7900, 8000, 8100, 8200, 8300, 8400, 8500, 8600, 8700, 8800, 8900, 9000, 9100, 9200, 9300, 9400, 9500, 9600, 9700, 9800, 9900, 10000.

Following were some sales of western sheep and lambs at Kansas City this week:

Monday, February 12.

George Gates, Monte Vista, Colo., 1000 lambs, 80 pounds, \$4.25.

M. L. Douglas, Leavenworth, Kan., 800 lambs, 68 pounds, \$4.50.

H. Mantano, Riverdale, Colo., 371 lambs, 72 pounds, \$6.75.

E. J. Huling & Son, Riverdale, Colo., 248 ewes, 85 pounds, \$4.20.

Colt & Abbott, Las Animas, Colo., 240 ewes, 84 pounds, \$4.50; 200 yearlings, 75 pounds, \$6.

Standard M. & L. S. Co., Kansas, 599 ewes, 118 pounds, \$5.75; 231 ewes, 105 pounds, \$5.25.

Tuesday, February 13.

Winchell & Bradburn, Monte Vista, Colo., 850 lambs, 72 pounds, \$6.80.

J. W. Scott, Montezuma, Colo., 717 lambs, 76 pounds, \$6.75.

F. A. Fair, Las Animas, Colo., 408 lambs, 81 pounds, \$4.75.

Wednesday, February 14.

Winchell & Bradburn, Monte Vista, Colo., 620 lambs, 74 pounds, \$6.75.

H. Mantano, Riverdale, Colo., 208 lambs, 75 pounds, \$6.65.

## THE NAVIES OF EUROPE ARE ITS TRADE GETTERS

1729-1738 Lawrence St., Denver, Col.

## LAS VEGAS NEXT MEETING PLACE

### So Decided Bankers' Convention at This Morning's Session.

#### PROGRAM OF TONIGHT'S BANQUET

(Friday, February 16.)

The session of the New Mexico Bankers' association passed off in perfect harmony, having one incident that referring to membership of bankers outside of the territory.

The constitution as read, permitted all bankers who are non-residents of the territory, "non de plume" membership, that is, the right to participate in all meetings of the association, but without the privilege of a vote.

Mr. Hoskins, of Las Vegas, moved as an amendment that the bankers of the towns of Trinidad, Colo., El Paso, and Amarillo, Texas, be allowed to become members, with the same privileges as members residing in New Mexico banks, for the reason that banks in these towns were in as close touch with the business interests of the territory as were the New Mexico institutions, and it seemed to be only fair for the name of the organization that prompted many to want non-residents to have only honorary membership.

The vote on the amendment showed 3 for and 13 against, hence it was lost, and the organization was made exclusively New Mexican.

**Organization Christened.**  
Until O. N. Marron, of this city, offered the motion naming the association the New Mexico Bankers' association, its name was the Bankers' Association of New Mexico. The vote was unanimous for the motion.

**Executive Committee Named.**  
The convention named the following gentlemen as members of the executive committee:

Three Year Term—Cashier E. A. Cahoon, of the First National bank of Roswell; W. D. Murray, of the Silver City National bank, and W. S. Strickler, vice president and cashier of the Bank of Commerce, of Albuquerque.

Two Year Term—D. T. Hoskins, of the San Antonio National bank, of Las Vegas; Nathan Jaffe, of the Citizens National bank, of Roswell, and Frank McKee, cashier of the First National bank, of Albuquerque.

One Year Term—L. H. Brown, of the Bank of Domingue; Joseph Price, of Price Bros., Roswell, and H. B. Jones, of the First National bank, of Santa Rosa.

**Governor Did Not Speak.**  
The program called for an address this morning by Governor Hagerman, New Mexico's chief executive was not present, however, and according to T. M. Wingo, of El Paso, who broke fast with the governor this morning, there were few chances of his putting in an appearance, for Governor Hagerman informed Mr. Wingo that he had not been invited to address the bankers, and did not know that he was expected to do so until that moment.

**This Morning's Session.**  
At 10:15 o'clock this morning President Blackwell called the convention to order, and called upon Rabbi I. H. Kaplan for prayer. After the divine blessings had been invoked, a discussion ensued on practical banking questions.

**Taxation of Banks.**  
O. N. Marron devoted about five minutes to a talk on the topic of "Taxation of Banks." He said that at present all banks were taxed for 60 per cent of their par value, which was out of all proportion to the taxation of any other property. In this country, Mr. Marron said, property other than banks, was taxed at about 33 per cent of its par value, while in most communities in the territory, it was only about 15 per cent. This, he thought, was unjust discrimination, and should be remedied. Mr. Marron suggested that the association make uniform returns as to the par value of its banks, say, at 25 per cent, and if the assessments enlarged upon these figures unquestionably would, to say 60 per cent, to resist the same, appeal to the county board of equalization, and then to the territorial board of equalization, in order to get the matter properly before the courts. R. J. Pallen thought there was a territorial law relative to this matter, and that the territorial board had no right to have a say as to how much banks should be taxed. Mr. Pallen did not approve of the plan to fix a uniform rate, for, as he explained, that although two banks in one place might be capitalized for the same amount, the shares of one might be many times higher in value than the other. A general discussion then ensued, the result being to permit matters to take their course until some future time when the association was a trifle older. Many were of the opinion that the purpose of the association might be injured by assuming an aggressive attitude while still an infant, and that much more could be accomplished by waiting a little while.

**The Next Meeting Place.**  
Three of them were proposed for next year's meeting place. O. N. Marron extended an invitation for the association to come to Albuquerque again next September, at which time the territorial fair will be in progress. D. T. Hoskins, of Las Vegas, spoke in favor of his home city. Mayor McKee united with the Las Vegas forces, and upon his motion, the clerk cast a unanimous ballot in favor of Las Vegas. Mr. Hoskins said that the fair would be held there in September, which would be an excellent time for holding the convention. As the executive committee is vested with the power to select the time, nothing in this respect was decided upon by the convention. In all probability, it will be some time during fair week, however.

**Communication Read.**  
The clerk read a letter from the Mexico City bank requesting membership, and a telegram from the American National bank at San Francisco, which in substance, wished the New Mexico Bankers' association a successful future. The same were ordered filed.

**Invitation to Luncheon.**  
President Blackwell read an invitation from T. M. Wingo and A. P. Colos, of El Paso, which asked the convention to join them at luncheon at the Alvarado. The invitation was accepted with thanks. Mr. Colos took the opportunity to make an address, which

In substance was that although Mr. Wingo and himself had hoped to secure full-fledged membership in the association, they were satisfied with the action of the convention. He was in favor of harmony between the bankers of the territory, an only by harmony could successful banking be carried on and failures averted. He believed in crippled banks being aided financially by those enjoying success, and of honest methods being employed between competitors. He thought that the secret of success in New Mexico banking, and those in El Paso, Mr. Colos explained with considerable emphasis that he would always consider El Paso a part of New Mexico's banking institutions, could be laid to the fact of the great conservatism displayed, and that the bankers are ex-farmers. "I must, in this connection, repeat what the secretary of the American Bankers' association in Washington remarked in speaking of those delegates from this section of the country, I. e., that if you are not farmers, you certainly look like them."

**Vote of Thanks Extended.**  
On motion of O. N. Marron and A. P. Colos, of Silver City, a vote of thanks was extended to Messrs. Wingo and Colos and to the bankers of Albuquerque, the people of the Duke City and the press, for generally, excellent manner of entertainment and courteous extended. The convention then adjourned.

**Drives About the City.**  
At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon the delegates met at the Commercial club parlors from where carriages were taken and drives to various points of interest in and adjacent to the city, enjoyed. Committees accompanied the visitors. Among these places visited were the Rio Grande Women's club, Albuquerque West, Roswell mill, American Lumber company's plant, Indian school, court house, Old Albuquerque, the free public library and the University of New Mexico. All were very favorably impressed with what they saw.

**The Banquet Tonight.**  
The banquet to be tendered at the Alvarado this evening will bring to a close the first meeting of the New Mexico Bankers' association. It is to be given by the local financiers, and will be most elaborate. The cover to the evening's program, in addition to stating the names of the event, and in whose honor it is given, bears the following significant words: "Welcome, My Friends, All."

The following menu will be served:

- Caviar Bellevue.
- Blue Point.
- Celery.
- Consomme en Tasse.
- Olives.
- Radishes.
- Bolled Beans, Hollandaise.
- Pommes, Parisienne, Chateaubien.
- Crispe Filet Sautee.
- Tenderloin of Beef, Larded.
- Champignons.
- Mashed Potatoes.
- Sweetbread Patties, Gastro-nome.
- Maraschino Punch.
- Meat Chandon's White Seal.
- Roast Squab, Sur Canape.
- Asparagus.
- Chicken Salad, Mayonnaise.
- Napoleon Ice Cream, Assorted.
- Cake.
- Requiem Cheese, Crackers.
- Cafe Noir.

O. N. Marron will act as toastmaster and the following responses will be rendered:

"The President of the United States—May be always merit the esteem and affection of a people, ever ready to bestow gratitude on those who deserve it." Hon. Herbert J. Hagerman.

"The Ladies"—We admire them for their beauty. Respect them for their intelligence. Adore them because we can't help it."—C. N. Blackwell.

"The Press"—The press, right or wrong; when right, to be kept right; when wrong, to be set right." Dr. Geo. T. Gould.

"The City of Albuquerque"—No mean city.—Paul of Tarsus, Henry D. Brownman.

The following committees are responsible for the smooth and successful manner in which every part of the convention took place:

Finance and Arrangement—W. S. Strickler, chairman; M. W. Flournoy and J. B. Herndon.

Banquet Committee—W. H. Gilman, chairman; Frank McKee, Roy McDonald and W. J. Johnson.

Entertainment Committee—R. M. Merrill, chairman; N. Rapier and R. A. Frost.

Commercial Club Executive Committee—W. B. Howarth, chairman; C. E. Newcomer, W. S. Strickler, M. W. Flournoy, O. N. Marron, N. D. Field, Wallace Heisenfeld, G. L. Brooks and J. C. Baldrige.

**SECRETARY OF EAGLE LODGE AN EMBELLER.**  
Charged with embellishing funds of the Tucson title of Eagles, and alleged to have cashed a worthless draft at a local bank for \$50, Joseph Severance, formerly city book-keeper for A. Steinfeld & company, is now in Cananea, a fugitive from justice, says the Tucson Citizen.

"He was chased by loose," is the charitable explanation which is offered for Severance's conduct. It is not known whether he will be brought back from Cananea or not.

The Eagles decline to state just what the shortage is. It is known to be about \$200 so far, but it is feared that the amount may be much larger. A committee is at present making an investigation.

Mr. Severance, who was cruelly deserted, is nearly prostrated with grief.

Severance was in El Paso three days last week. He claimed to be the representative of a big Cananea company. He was shabbily dressed, wearing khaki pants, an old coat and a frayed hat. He was thought by El Paso people to be a demagogue, owing to his peculiar actions. Severance was secretary of the Eagles.

It is rumored at Tucson that Frank Somers will be the new trainmaster on the Tucson division.

## MORE COMPANIES ARE INCORPORATED

### And Filed Proper Papers to Do Business in This Territory.

#### HENCE MORE MONEY IN TREASURY

(Friday, February 16.)

The following articles of incorporation have been filed in the office of Territorial Secretary J. W. Reynolds, in the capital building:

**The Taca Valley Telephone Company.**

The incorporators, together with their addresses and the number of shares subscribed by each, are: Peter M. Dolan, Taca, 40 shares; Jose Monaster, Taca, 40 shares; Juan A. Villalpando, 40 shares; Silvio Lucero, Arroyo Hondo, 40 shares. The capital stock is \$5,000, divided into 500 shares of the par value of \$10 each. The time of the existence of the company is fifty years. The principal office is located at Taca, Tama county, and the agent in charge is S. Locks. The objects for which this corporation is formed are: To build, construct, repair, purchase, lease, or otherwise acquire and own, maintain and operate a telephone system in the town of Taca, in the county of Tama, and in the territory of New Mexico, for the purpose of supplying the inhabitants thereof with a telephone system, and to erect and maintain necessary buildings, poles, lines, wires, fixtures and apparatus of every kind and sort necessary thereto, and to acquire and own real estate and personal property, rights, privileges and franchises, for the purpose of this corporation; and to issue in payment for any property, rights, privileges, franchises, labor or services, purchased, leased, acquired or otherwise acquired by the company, fully paid and non-assessable stock.

**The Ratan Supply Company.**  
The names of the incorporators, together with the number of shares subscribed by each, are: W. F. Ruffner, 7 shares; H. B. Butler, 5 shares; Charles Austin, 2 shares; F. J. Owen, 2 shares; John Jones, 1 share; P. H. Smith, 1 share; Charles De Foresta, 1 share; Thomas McBride, 1 share and Thomas Owen, 1 share. The amount of the capital stock of this corporation is \$10,000, divided into 100 of the par value of \$100 each. The time of existence of the corporation is fifty years. The principal office is located at the corner building of said company, in Ranch, Colfax county, and the agent in charge is L. H. Butler. The objects of this corporation are to buy, own, handle and deal in merchandise, and to sell the same, either on commission or otherwise; to buy, own, sell, lease or mortgage a real property, or any interest therein, as may be desirable for carrying on said business; and to do all other things that may be necessary or incidental to carrying on a general merchandise business in the said city of Ratan, or elsewhere in the territory of New Mexico, or the other states and territories of the United States.

**The Carlsbad Hardware Company.**  
The incorporators, together with their postoffice addresses and the number of shares subscribed by each, are: Arthur R. Quinn, Carlsbad, 5,000 shares; William Hannah, Carlsbad, 5,000 shares; James T. Cooper, Carlsbad, 5,000 shares. The amount of the capital stock of this corporation is \$250,000, of the par value of \$1 each. The time of the existence of this company is 50 years. The principal office is located at Carlsbad, Eddy county, and the agent in charge is Arthur R. Quinn. The objects for which this corporation are formed, are: To acquire, establish, operate, manage and maintain a hardware store for the handling of hardware, leather, rope, harness, saddles, queneaware and commodities pertaining to that line of business, wholesale and retail, generally supplying the public in their wants in these lines of trade, coming under such headings; to acquire, own, sell and mortgage a real property, as may be desirable for carrying on said business; and to do all other things for which this company is organized, which is the establishing and maintaining of a general hardware, leather, saddlery, queneaware and harness business, wholesale and retail.

**ALL BITING D-G'S.**  
SHOUL Y BE SHOT.

Edward Muller, a well known farmer at Tesuque, was severely bitten by a cur dog while trading in Santa Fe yesterday, says the New Mexican. He went at once to the office of Dr. J. M. Diaz, where he was given prompt medical attention. Officers shot the dog while Mr. Muller was at the doctor's office. When Dr. Diaz heard that the dog had been killed, he offered a piece of advice, which it would be well for all to remember: "It is all right to kill the dog," he said, "but you should be shot before being allowed to bite persons. If a dog bites a person that animal should be tied up, well fed and kindly treated for several days, until it can be determined if he is suffering from the rabies. Then the animal should be killed. Often a doctor is forced to treat a person suffering from rabies without knowing the condition of the animal. If the dog shows indications of rabies, then the person bitten should be given treatment accordingly."

**UNIVERSITY NEWS**

Ernest Van Cleave has been forced to give up school work for the remainder of the year on account of sickness.

Prof. Angell at the beginning of this week started the spring athletic work with a class of fourteen boys, all of whom will be candidates for the track team.

A Valentine party was given by the girls at the dormitory last Wednesday evening. These present numbered 25. It was one of the most enjoyable occasions of the year.

The sigma sigma girls are having their security room repainted and papered. The organization is in a most thriving condition and all members are leaders in university enterprises.

Kirk Bryne has resigned the business management of the Mirror, owing to his having too much school work. The students have appointed a committee to select some other student for the place.

The annual declamatory contest will take place at Columbia hall, February 27. Ten contestants are entered. For this contest there will be a small admission fee charged to cover expenses. The surplus, if any, will go to the athletic association.

President Tight will leave the sister hospital tomorrow. His only permanent injury may be a somewhat defective hearing in his right ear. It is hoped that even this may disappear. In other respects he will show very little traces of his accident.

The annual play to be given on May 1 will be for the benefit of athletics. The immediate action to be supplied from the proceeds is baseball suits. Only three positions on the team remain undetermined and there are several candidates for each. Games are in prospect with the Santa Fe Indian school, A. & M. college and the School of Mines. New suits and other equipment as much needed and must be supplied at once.

Washington's birthday will be celebrated by the students, alumni and faculty, next Thursday evening, by a banquet to be given in the science hall which will be only fifty cents. It is hoped that alumni living in Albuquerque will take advantage of this opportunity of renewing their acquaintance with their alma mater. The banquet will leave Tucson at 7:30 and 8 o'clock for those who wish to ride, fare five cents each way. The banquet will begin at 8 o'clock. The assembly room for the occasion will be the room for the governor was given with his alma mater yell. Other yells followed and it was several minutes before Dean Hodgins was able to make his introductory remarks heard. In his remarks, Governor Hagerman claimed the importance of a broad liberal education in the humanities to be followed by special preparation for some particular occupation. He urged the students to take part in athletics, especially baseball. It is not too much to say that Governor Hagerman could not have made a speech that could have pleased his hearers more. After a few remarks from Hon. E. S. Sawyer, the students were given the further pleasure of meeting and shaking hands with the young governor of the territory. Others present with Governor Hagerman were Messrs. O'Reilly, Hubbs, Hopewell, Sellers, Stroup and Clark.

**"PAPA" BUSCH LETS OUT THE SECRET**

OF THE MARRIAGE OF HIS DAUGHTER TO THE GERMAN ARMY OFFICER.

A special telegram from Ash Fork, Ariz., dated February 15, to the Denver News, says:

"Miss Wilhelmina Busch is to marry her German lieutenant after all. 'Papa' Adolphus Busch, who has amassed millions making extract of hops in St. Louis, passed through here today on his way to Pasadena, Cal., to complete details of a wedding. Rendered tractable, perhaps, by the beauties of the scenery of the Grand Canyon of the Colorado, he let it be known that the prime purpose of his trip to the coast was to arrange details for the marriage. 'I cannot give you the date of the wedding or any of the details,' he said. 'All that is to be settled after I reach Pasadena.'"

Busch let it be known that he no longer objected to Lieutenant Scherzer who ran away with Miss Busch some weeks ago and tried to marry her in East St. Louis. At the time the Busch family set up a great hue and cry. Adolphus Sr. and Adolphus Jr. declared that Miss Wilhelmina had been compromised. It was rumored that the lieutenant of the Busch family had been pulled out of reach of the lieutenant.

Physicians who have gained a national reputation as analysts of the cause of various diseases, claim that catching cold could be avoided a long list of dangerous ailments would not be bred of every one knows that pneumonia and consumption originate from a cold, and chronic catarrh, bronchitis, and all throat and lung troubles are aggravated and rendered more serious by each fresh attack. Do not risk your life or take chances when you have a cold, Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure it before these diseases develop. This remedy contains no opium, morphine or other harmful drug and has thirty years of reputation back of it, gained by its cures under every condition. For sale by all druggists.

Pitcher Jimmy Durham, who was with Kansas City last season, has jumped to Arthur Irwin's Athletics team in the Tri-State league. Durham is a big fellow, with remarkable speed, and if he were a little larger his right arm would be the leading pitcher of the country.

**Frightfully Burned.**  
Chas. W. Moore, a machinist, of Ford City, Pa., had his hand frightfully burned last night when he applied Chamberlain's Arthritis Balm with the usual result. "A quick and permanent cure." Greatest healer on earth for Burns, Wounds, Sores, Rheumatism and Piles. 50c, at all druggists.

## The THEATER

### PROF. HEWITT IN CHARGE OF EXPEDITION.

Prof. Edgar L. Hewitt, of Washington, formerly president of the Normal Institute of Las Vegas, has been selected by the Archaeological Institute of North America, whose duty it will be to make explorations among the ruins and ancient habitations in the states of Mexico and Central America. Prof. Hewitt, for the past year has been connected with the Smithsonian Institute in Washington.

**A Healing Gospel.**  
The Rev. J. C. Warren, pastor of Sharon Baptist Church, Blair, Ga., says of Elder C. Hewitt: "It's a God-send to mankind. It cured me of a lame back, stiff joints, and complete physical collapse. I was so weak I took half an hour to walk a mile. Two bottles of Electric Bitters have made me so strong I have just walked three miles in 30 minutes and feel like walking three more. It's made a new man of me." Greatest remedy for weakness and all stomach, liver and kidney complaints. Sold under guarantee at all druggists. Price 50c.

**KENTUCKIANS ORGANIZE CLUB AT ROSWELL.**  
Owing perhaps to the fact that Saturday was rather a bad night, only eleven former Kentuckians were present at the meeting held for the purpose of organizing such the Roswell Record. Captain John W. Poe had at a former meeting consented to act as temporary chairman but declined to accept a permanent election as president of the society. Dr. E. H. Shipwith, in whose office the meeting was held, was elected president, and Captain Poe was made vice president.

George A. Puckett was chosen secretary. The president appointed Dr. Z. F. Martin, George Gibbany and J. H. Jones as a committee on by-laws, to report at the next meeting which will be held on call of the president.

The "Home Coming" to be held at Louisville in June was universally discussed, and an effort will be made to send a party from the Peas valley to join in the festivities at that occasion.

**Never Gripes or Sickens.**  
They never gripes or sickens, but cleanse and strengthen the stomach, liver and bowels. This is the universal verdict of the many thousands who use Dr. Williams' Little Early Bitters. These famous little pills relieve head ache, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, torpid liver, yellow complexion, etc. Try Little Early Bitters.

**RACE TRACKS WILL BE OPENED IN TENNESSEE.**  
Nashville, Feb. 17.—The superior court today declared the race-track bill, which has been pending in the Tennessee legislature, unconstitutional. If there are no intervening steps taken by those favoring the bill, the decision means that horse racing will be resumed in Tennessee this spring.

**A Habit to Be Encouraged.**  
The mother who has acquired the habit of keeping on hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, saves herself a great amount of uneasiness and anxiety. Coughs, colds and croup, to which children are susceptible, are quickly cured by its use. It contains no harmful drugs, and it gives as soon as the first symptoms of croup appear. It will prevent the attack. This remedy contains nothing injurious and mothers give it to little ones with a feeling of perfect security, for sale by all druggists.

**Appointment Made.**  
Francisco Delgado, of Santa Fe, has been appointed on the board of directors of the territorial institute for the deaf and dumb. He takes the position vacated by Maxine Clark, who resigned on account of press of personal business.

**Rough Hands Made Smooth.**  
A man who once had rough, horny hands made them soft and smooth with Witch Hazel Salve, but he used the genuine that bearing the name "E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago." For sores, boils, cuts, burns, bruises, etc., it has no equal, and affords almost immediate relief from blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. Sold by all druggists.

**THIS DAY IN HISTORY.**  
Feb. 19, 1827.—Life insurance company president went to jail.  
Feb. 19, 1848.—Corporation lawyer introduced the phrase "commercial interests."  
Feb. 18, 1864.—Millionaire sent to jail for automobile searching.  
To identify a burglar who had stolen his silver watch.

**Ising Piles.**  
If you are acquainted with anyone who is troubled with this distressing ailment, you can do him no greater favor than to tell him to try Chamberlain's Salve. It gives instant relief. This salve also cures hemorrhoids, itching and protruding piles. Price 25 cents. For sale by all druggists.

**ASK DENVER MORTGAGE BE DECLARED VOID.**  
A Las Vegas dispatch, dated February 16, to the Denver Republican, says:

"Elias & Davis today filed in the district court a suit asking that a mortgage on the Anton Chico grant for \$75,000 in favor of the Continental Trust company of Denver, be declared null and void, and that the title in favor of the town of Anton Chico for the whole indebtedness be quieted. The New Mexico Land and Live Stock company mortgaged the land to the Denver company, claiming title through having purchased the rights of the heirs of Manuel Rivera, said the thirty-six others, to whom the grant was originally made in 1832. The land company had brought a suit to quiet the title in Bernillo county, but it is claimed that none of the grant is located there, and the suit was improper."

Chengra in 1860 confirmed the grant to the town of Anton Chico, and it is by virtue of this confirmation that the present suit is brought. The grant consists of 350,000 acres of land and in this county. The matter will undoubtedly be carried to the supreme court of the United States.

**Luckiest Man in Arkansas.**  
"I am the luckiest man in Arkansas," writes H. L. Stanley, of Bruno, "since the restoration of my wife's health after five years of continuous coughing and bleeding from the lungs; and I owe my good fortune to the world's greatest medicine, Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which I know from experience will cure consumption if taken in time. My wife improved with the first bottle and twelve bottles completed the cure." Cures the worst coughs and cures or money refunded. At all druggists. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

**MOVE TO SHUT OUT SOUTHERN PACIFIC.**  
GOULD PEOPLE READY TO BEGIN BUILDING THE DURANGO-SILVERTON-WAGON EXTENSION FOR ANOTHER OUTLET FOR BIG COAL FIELDS.

Announcement was made in Denver last Friday that the Rio Grande had completed its plans for the extension of the Durango-Silverton branch to Wagon, a distance of 125 miles, where it will connect with the Creede line and give the system a new outlet to Pueblo, via Del Norte, Alamosa and Walsenburg, says the Rocky Mountain News.

This is the first move on the part of the Gould line to open active hostilities against Hartman's Southern Pacific project of building from Clinton, Ariz., to Pueblo, through the New Mexican, also Durango and fields. The Southern Pacific is already pushing its Colorado line through western New Mexico, and heading for Durango. The Rio Grande's Durango branch has been extended to Farmington, N. M., and is in operation, tapping the immense coal fields in that section.

With the advantage of being first in the territory in question, and in order to secure a more direct and shorter route to Pueblo and Denver, the Gould people believe they will be able, by building the gap between Silverton and Wagon, to shut out the Southern Pacific. If not entirely, then partially, from building the proposed Colorado extension, according to reports. The territory that is being fought over contains inexhaustible deposits of coal.

Hartman, through agents, has already bought up large tracts of coal lands in the Durango and Farmington coal regions, with the intention of trading and developing that section. Gould has also bought up large tracts there for the same purpose, and incidentally, it is said, to keep the Southern Pacific out of Colorado.

Information is that the Rio Grande people have planned to begin active building from Silverton to Wagon within thirty days. It is understood that all arrangements have been made for the rails and timber and other things necessary for the construction. The gap has already been surveyed, Denver officials give out no information as to their plans, but they will talk about the extension now.

General Manager A. C. Ridgeway of years in the southern part of the Rio Grande has spent nearly two years in that section looking over the extension and closing up the gap for building. He is an expert on railway construction and is said to have solved many problems in connection with the new line that were at first knotty. However, he worked them out successfully, and is now ready to commence actual building of the extension. Mr. Ridgeway will not talk of the new line at this time.

**Kodol Digests What You Eat.**  
Just as Kodol after meals will relieve that false, belching, gas on stomach, and all other symptoms of indigestion. Kodol digests what you eat, and enables the stomach and digestive organs to perform their functions naturally. Kodol is a thorough digester, and will afford relief from indigestion, no matter how imperfect digestion or mal-assimilation. Sold by all druggists.

**SCOTT'S WILD RICE CN DEATH VALLEY SPECIAL.**  
TO BE REPRODUCED ON STAGE IN "SCOTT'S" NEW PLAY, "KING OF THE DESERT MINE."

The passenger department of the case lines of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad company is sending out the following "copy" covering the wild west play to be produced in the case line, with "Scotty," the Death Valley miner, in the leading role: "There is no d. it that the name of 'Scotty's' great ride over the Santa Fe from Los Angeles to Chicago is to be perpetuated on the stage, as a company has been organized and is now on the road to produce the 'King of the Desert Mine,' a melodrama in four acts and eleven scenes. 'Scotty' himself is to take the star part entitled by 'Slim,' the miner; and although his advances against the case line whether 'Slim' is to have a speaking part or not, it is presumed that his characterization will be true to life. The play is written by Charles Taylor of New York and the cast of characters follows: "Scotty." John Deming, a mine owner from Denver. Arthur Crowder, representative of the Santa Fe railroad.

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Don't deceive yourself. If you have indigestion, take Kodol. It is a cure. It will relieve you. Rev. W. B. Houtcutt, South Mills, N. C., says: "I was troubled with indigestion for several years; whatever I ate seemed to cause heartburn, sour stomach, fluttering of my heart, and general depression of mind and body. My druggist recommended Kodol, and it relieved me. I eat now as anything and sleep soundly at night." Kodol digests what you eat, makes the stomach sweet, palatable, strength giving and affords quick relief. Sold by all druggists.

**ROUGH RIDER DANIELS ARRESTED**

CHARGED WITH FRAUD, IN ELLING MINE TO MAN, WHICH DID NOT BELONG TO HIM.

A special dispatch from Nogales, Ariz., to the Denver News, says:

United States Marshal Ben Daniels was arrested by Sheriff Fowler of Santa Cruz county, on the charge of fraud. Elias Larrea, the owner of a mine in the Hualahuilla district about a year ago for \$300, and that when he went to do the assessment work, James Harrison, supervisor of Santa Cruz county, claimed the property as his. Larrea demanded the return of the money, which Daniels refused, and arrested on the fraud charge followed.

Daniels was a Rough Rider and a friend of President Roosevelt. He was appointed marshal last fall, but has not yet been confirmed by the senate. Daniels says the case looks to him like blackmail. Because his confirmation as marshal is still pending in the senate, he says, he thinks there is a chance his arrest supposed he could not afford to stand trial, and would readily give up the \$300 demanded.

A dispatch from Cheyenne, Wyo., on the same subject, says:

An ex-Wyoming convict is now serving as United States marshal of Arizona. He is Ben Daniels, who was appointed by President Roosevelt. Persons here who know Daniels are somewhat curious regarding his status, as when he left Wyoming he was not a citizen of the United States, and they have never heard of his citizenship being restored to him by pardon from the president.

His citizenship was lost as the result of his serving his full term in the penitentiary, and only the governor, or the legislature of Wyoming, or the president could restore it to him. Neither the governor nor the legislature acted.

Daniels' case is made more remarkable by the fact that he was sent to the penitentiary for robbing the government, which he now serves in the capacity of peace officer.

On August 1, 1874, ten miles, and at a high cost, were stolen from the United States government at Camp Carlin, a packing post, which at that time was located two miles northwest of Cheyenne. On November 19, 1879, Ben Daniels was indicted for the theft, and on November 23 of the same year, was sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary for the crime. On January 14, 1880, his sentence was vacated. On May 27, 1880, Daniels was again indicted for the theft of the mines, and on June 30, 1880, was sentenced to serve three years in the penitentiary. This sentence he served in full.

Daniels is a personal friend of President Roosevelt, having served under him in the Cuban campaign.

One Minute Cough Cure contains not an atom of any harmful drugs, and it has been curing coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough, for years. It has proven itself to be a tried and true friend to the many who use it. No need to fear of your child choking from croup with One Minute Cough Cure handy. Sold by all druggists.

Young Jack Rockefeller has been talking about Lincolnton. There are some good things about being dead, after all.

**The Best Physic.**  
When you want a physic that it mild in effect, take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price 35 cents. Every box warranted. Get a free sample and gentle, easy to take and pleasant at any drug store and try them.

Mike Doan, winner of the Pullman prize championship, has not got clear of the law over at Albany and the big New York baseball player is said to be so subdued that a dark cloud hangs over him with no fear of being telegraphed against the woodwork of the car.

**The Yellow Fever Germ.**  
has recently been discovered. It bears a close resemblance to the malaria germ. To free the system from disease germs, the most effective remedy is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed to cure all diseases due to malarial poison, and constipation. 25c at all druggists.

The Latonia Jockey club will fight the bill introduced by the Kentucky legislature limiting the racing in Kentucky to forty days. The bill is in a fair way to become a law, and horsemen realize that its passage means a great blow to racing interests in the Blue Grass state.

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**LEVI STRAUSS & CO'S overalls**

Black Pete, a prospector, Jerry O'Toole, a bridge tender of the Santa Fe, they Minstrel, a Wall street speculator.

Bat-Em-Up Jake, a Dutch emigrant, Diamond Jack, a bartender, Potter, a scowler, Long Shot, a newspaper reporter, also "Scotty's" guide and cook, "The Man of Hours," "Scotty's" pal, "Slim Jim," his mule, Laughing Water, the pet of the Gold Run, Long Eye, the mistress of the "Red Light."

Kitty Rhodum, Jake's frau, Alice Where-Art-Thou, struck on the stage and "Scotty," Miners, Teamsters, Indians, Trainmen, Newbays, Hackmen, Brokers, Bankers, Society Girls, Policemen, Soldiers, etc.

The first scene is in Colorado, second in California, third on the Santa Fe special and the fourth in New York.

The company will open in Seattle, March 11, working down the coast, San Francisco, March 25, Stockton, April 2, Fresno, Hanford, Visalia, Tulare and Bakersfield following, then Los Angeles, April 5; Santa Ana and San Diego, April 17 and 18; Riverside, San Bernardino, Redlands and thence east over the Santa Fe.

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