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## PARIS LETTER GIVING NEWS OF THAT CITY

Count Boni Is Unaffected  
by the Demands of  
Countess Anna.

## CAMBODIA KING AND SUIT

Socialism Growing Rapidly in  
Republic of France Among  
Working Class.

Paris, May 25.—In the American colony here the Castellanos still occupy the center of the stage. During the last week rumors of a reconciliation have been persistent, but I am reliably informed that the American countess has finally made up her mind, and that there is to be no compromise.

This is a very satisfactory state of affairs to those Americans who are not great personal friends of the couple, as the court proceedings promise some sensational developments. The former Miss Gould has been ably supported by her women friends here. Her appearance in court a week ago was something in the nature of a triumph. When her attorney made it known to the court that the American woman would not consider any other course but the trial of the suit for absolute divorce, there were murmurs of applause from the spectators. Count Boni was in court, smiling and dapper as usual.

I am informed that the proceedings are of very little interest to him and that the trial of the suit has not caused him to change his mode of living in the least.

Fashionable folk, including the American tourists, have been on the move for a week, wending their way to Swiss and Italian lake regions, or to such places as Baden Baden, Wiesbaden, and even Dresden. The Swiss resorts are claiming attention, with the weather as the attraction. The exodus does not include all those who have motor cars, however. Owing to the strike many would-be purchasers are being forced to wait in this trade, which is famous for promises and long waits.

Paris is looking forward with great eagerness to the reception to be given, the King of Cambodia on his arrival here. Notification of the sailing of his highness, from Saigon, was received by the ministry from the governor of French Indo-China.

In the king's suite are Prince Suthout and five of his royal brothers; five princes and five grand mandarins. Accompanying the king, in order that he may be entertained on route and while in Paris, are fifty-seven dandies, while his comfort is ministered to by forty servants.

It has been many years since a royal personage visited Paris with such a retinue.

The death of Bishop Fallieres, cousin of the president of the republic, has thrown both official and church circles into mourning. The bishop was appointed to the bishopric of X. Briens in 1899, having previously been vicar general of Bordeaux. He was born in Mezin, France, in 1834, and was a favorite cousin of the president.

Scientists generally approve the action of the council of the faculty of sciences in confirming the initiative of the minister of public instruction, who appointed Mme. Curie to the chair of the University of Paris, occupied by her late husband, with whom she was associated in the discovery of radium.

M. Curie is still mourned by his colleagues. I had the honor of being present at the funeral of the illustrious scholar and was impressed with the fact that his features portrayed much more in death than in life itself, the pensive, gentle expression, so rare in scientists, which his friends knew so well.

In connection with M. Curie's death it is recalled that the United States was among the first of the nations to recognize the importance of his discovery. When the discovery was first written up it was noticeable that the scientists of Great Britain were skeptical, whereas offers from the United States to both M. and Mme. Curie, asking them to be impressed with the fact that the United States of America on the other side of the Atlantic were received almost daily.

Much fun is being poked at the picture of the emperor of Germany which adorns the wall at the Societe Nationale Salon. The portrait is by Herr Felix Borchardt and it is not the work of art that is creating comment, for that is above reproach and adds to his already great reputation.

He has dealt with his subject in a free way, however, depicting him as if he were the most ordinary sort of an individual. This is so at variance with the popular conception of Germany's ruler, that the picture has become one of the "shows" of the exhibition.

William II is shown standing on what appears to be a footstool of the Bavarian Alps, wearing a green uniform and a Tyrolean hat with a green feather. Green reflections are thrown on his face by the uniform, and this glow rejuvenates his majesty, taking at least ten years off his age.

Socialism threatens to become a very live issue here and national characteristics may be depended on to bring about a greater general demonstration than would develop in the United States in the same length of time. It is safe to say that the ranks of the conservative socialists have been greatly swelled within the last two weeks, the increase being solely due to the popular discussion brought about by the publication of a remarkable article in the "Vie Illustrée," and the fuss raised by the authorities over it.

While the article in question was intended as a sarcastic slap at M. Jean Jaures, the editor of L'Humanite, and at socialists generally, the failure of the officials to take it in the spirit in which it was meant, brought the story into undue prominence and virtually the only effect of the publication was to create discussion of socialistic questions. As the talk was based on trade unionism carried to extremes, there was a wide range for argument and what was intended to be humor may have quite a serious effect in the long run, for there is sure to be a marked increase in trade unions now and socialistic discussion in this country at least, is likely to bear fruit.

## COWS PRODUCED QUAKE MILK SHAKES.

There was a man who had located in the California earthquake district and gone into the dairy business, feeding his cows mostly on sugar candy, and the milk they gave was nearly as sweet as sugar. Well, when that earthquake came along it shook down his sheds and he supposed for a little while that he was ruined, but he wasn't. No, sir, it turned out to be a bonanza for him. It was in the March 5, 1906, that the cows had been eating sugar candy and when that earthquake got hold of them cows certainly did make them up tremendously. Well, sir, when that fellow came to milk, he found out that his cows were full of the sweetest milk shake you ever saw, just sweetened to the taste. Yes, sir, people would come for miles and miles and beg for one of them ready-made earthquake milk shakes. The man sold 'em just as fast as he could milk 'em into glasses. Truthful, James, in Kansas Mall and Fresno.

## PROMOTIONS IN THE NATIONAL GUARD

AS ANNOUNCED BY ADJUTANT TARKINGTON—MAJOR NEWSL PUBLISHED ON RETIRED LIST.

The following promotions were announced by Adjutant General A. P. Tarkington:

First Sergeant, William D. Newcomb, of Company F, First Infantry, to be second lieutenant, ranking from March 5, 1906.

Second Lieutenant W. Ashray Smith, to be first lieutenant, ranking from March 28, 1906.

Eugene A. Lohman, of Roswell, to be second lieutenant, ranking from March 25.

Sergeant Phillip Desauter, of Company A, to be second lieutenant, ranking from March 30, 1906.

Lieutenant Newcomb has been assigned to Company F, Lieutenant Smith to Company B, Second Lieutenant Lohman to Company B, and Second Lieutenant Desauter to Company B, First Infantry.

Placed on Retired List.

The following order has been issued from the office of the adjutant general of New Mexico:

Santa Fe, N. M., May 22, 1906. General order No. 12.

Whereas, the following officers have been found physically disabled by a board of officers, and it having been recommended that he be placed upon the retired list of officers, as per section 28, chapter 101, laws of New Mexico, 1905, but with the increase in rank of one grade, Captain L. J. Newell, First Infantry, is relieved from duty with Company D, First Infantry, and is placed upon the retired list of officers with the rank of major of infantry, to date April 30, 1906.

Major Newell will turn over all ordnance, ordnance stores and quarters master's supplies for which he is responsible, to First Lieutenant Colin Nesbitt, First Infantry, receipts being made in triplicate. By command of the adjutant general.

A. P. TARKINGTON, Adjutant General.

## EASTERN MINING MEN VISIT EL PASO

EN ROUTE TO PROPERTIES IN LAKE VALLEY, NEW MEXICO.

A party of Wisconsin capitalists, who are interested in the Monarch Development and Reduction company, spent Saturday and Sunday in El Paso and went to Lake Valley, N. M., Sunday night, says the Herald.

The company owns the Grand Central group, of lead and zinc properties, located at the head of the Grand Central Canyon in the Carpenters' tract, about twenty-five miles northwest of Lake Valley. The company has abundant capital, and will take steps at once to install a 100-ton concentrator and develop the properties more fully. The large amount of lead and zinc already exposed is believed to justify the expenditure.

The company now has a force at work building twenty miles of road, and six miles of tramway will be installed as soon as possible.

A. McIntosh, of Edgerton, Wis., president of the company. J. H. Scherhorn, engineer and manager, and Messrs. Sanford Rorvick, T. E. Sayre, W. B. Wentworth, M. I. Carver, W. A. Shelby, N. Nelson, H. Sweeney and Andrew Erickson of Edgerton and Janesville, Wis., made up the party. Before they left they spent considerable time selecting machinery.

## THEY SEEK TO UNDO WINSTON CHURCHILL



WINSTON CHURCHILL. JOS. CHAMBERLAIN.

Special Correspondence: London, May 25.—The extraordinary success of young Winston Churchill, the under secretary for colonial affairs, has roused against him a vein of animus remarkably strong even for political life. His chief antagonist is, of course, that old parliamentary leader, Jos. Chamberlain, the protectionist. Whenever there is a colonial debate, it resolves itself into a verbal duel between these two men. The parliamentary session is just getting hot. The difficulty with Natal showed that all the forces of protectionist capitalists aided by the newspapers of South African mine owners, will be used to stir up feelings against the liberal government. It is thus that young Winston Churchill will have to sustain one of the most important roles in this cabinet. Some say he is the rock upon which the government ship will split. What is more probable is that he himself will kick over the traces and break away. But it is odd for one who is, perhaps, the hardest hitter in British politics, that he is himself singularly sensitive to caustic criticism. On this depends whether his career will be short and meteoric, or whether, by development of steeper qualities, he will rise superior to the stings and arrows of his adversaries. If he does the latter, not all the whigery still remaining in British liberalism will be able to prevent this brilliant son of an American mother from becoming the idolized leader of British democracy.

## COMMISSIONERS PAY MANY BILLS

Paying Out Money Feature of Long and Tedious Session.

Proceedings Given in Detail.

Adjourned Regular Session.

Albuquerque, N. M., April 21, 1906. Present: H. A. Grunfeld, chairman; H. A. Springer, commissioner; A. E. Walker, clerk.

Minutes of previous session read and approved.

Moved by Mr. Springer, seconded by Mr. Grunfeld, that the following resolution be adopted: "Whereas, Frank A. Hubbell, late treasurer of the county, has delivered to the present treasurer, the sum of \$15,998.08 as shown by the receipt of the treasurer, which receipt has been exhibited to the board, and is as follows, to-wit:

"Received, of Frank A. Hubbell, the sum of fifteen thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight dollars and eight cents (\$15,998.08), funds belonging to the different county funds, including school funds, according to the statement on the treasurer's books, prepared by or for said Hubbell, as follows, to-wit:

General County Fund ..... \$ 5,225.42  
Court ..... 1,428.28  
Wild Animal bounty ..... 272.64  
Court House and Jail ..... 5,395.33  
Flood ..... 239.19  
Special river ..... 80.64  
Bridge ..... 12.13  
"Camilo Real" ..... .60  
Boarding prisoners ..... 15.14  
Judgment ..... 72.48  
District Schools ..... 3,860.23  
Assessor's commissions ..... 4,672.04  
Less overdrafts ..... 4,480.24  
Total ..... \$15,998.08

Said sum being paid as follows: Check on Bank of Commerce, \$14,899.08.  
Credit with N. W. Harris & Co., New York, \$600.  
Coupons Nos. 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

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## MORE COMPANIES FILE THEIR PAPERS As Organized Corporations With the Territorial Sec- retary at Santa Fe.

### ESTANCIA VALLEY TOWNSITE CO.

(Friday, May 18.)  
The following articles of incorporation have been filed in the office of Territorial Secretary J. W. Reynolds: The Macho River Mining Company. Incorporators are Laurence D. Bon-  
edict and Harry O. Chamberlain of Chicago, and Charles H. Hays of Lake Valley, New Mexico. The capital stock of the company is \$200,000, which is divided into 200,000 shares of the par value of \$1 each; the sum of \$2,000 has been paid into the treasury. The principal office is fixed at Lake Valley and Charles H. Hays of that city is named as agent. The term of existence is fifty years and the company is incorporated for the purpose of carrying on a general mining business.  
The Estancia Valley Townsite and Development Company.  
Incorporators are Thomas Elliott of Santa Fe, Alfred H. Brown of Chicago, George H. Harris, of Detroit, Robert A. Thompson, of McIntosh, and Eugene A. Kelly, of Rowell. The capital stock of the company is \$250,000, divided into 250 shares of the par value of \$100 each; the sum of \$25,000 has been paid into the treasury. The principal office is fixed at McIntosh and Alfred H. Brown is named as agent. The term of existence is 20 years, and the company is incorporated for the purpose of locating persons or families on lands and in homes either in colonias, or otherwise, and to carry on a real estate business.

The North American Copper Company.  
Incorporators are Thomas A. Lister of Lordsburg, New Mexico, and O. W. Weaver and J. W. Villinger of Williamsport, Pennsylvania. The capital stock of the company is \$750,000 divided into 750,000 shares of the par value of \$1 each; the sum of \$75,000 has been paid into the treasury. The principal office is fixed at Lordsburg, and Daniel W. Brill is named as agent. The term of existence is 25 years and the company is incorporated for the purpose of buying, developing and operating copper and other mineral lands, and carrying on a general mining business such as is specified in the articles.  
The Trust Company of America.  
This company is a merger of the Trust Company of America and the Trust Company of New York into the North American Trust Company, the latter taking the name of the Trust Company of America. The capital stock of the company is \$2,000,000 divided into 20,000 shares of the par value of \$100 each and the full amount has been paid into the treasury. The New Mexico business office is fixed at Albuquerque and R. W. D. Bryan, of that city, is named as agent. The company is incorporated for the purpose of acquiring and disposing of property, real and personal, in the territory and carrying on a general trust business.

The Aurora Mines Company.  
Incorporators are D. D. Culver, Albert Johnson and Thomas W. Greer. The capital stock of the company is \$500,000, divided into 500,000 shares of the par value of \$1 each; the sum of \$50,000 has been paid into the treasury. The principal office is fixed at Lordsburg and D. H. Kodzie is named as agent. The term of existence is 25 years and the company is incorporated for the purpose of purchasing and developing mining properties of all kinds disposing of the products and carrying on a general mining business.

## MORE COMPANIES FILE THEIR PAPERS WITH TERRITORIAL SECRETARY REYNOLDS, TO DO BUSINESS IN NEW MEXICO.

(Saturday, May 19.)  
The following articles of incorporation have been filed in the office of Territorial Secretary J. W. Reynolds: The Deanna Dora Mining Company.  
The incorporators are Charles W. Paret and Edwin L. Scott of New York, and Roy Dorothy, of Pierre, N. D. The capital stock of the company is \$1,000,000, divided into 1,000,000 shares of the par value of \$1 each. The sum of \$75,000 has been paid into the treasury. The principal office is fixed at Kent, and Edward W. Kent, of that city, is named as agent. The term of existence is twenty years and the company is incorporated for the purpose of carrying on a general mining business.

The Roswell Gas Company.  
The incorporators are Arvids Fruit, H. S. Farnsworth, William B. Prager, Lucius K. McGaffey, Kirby S. Woodruff, George M. Slaughter, Robert H. Kemp, Nathan Jaffa, W. T. Wells, R. E. Baughman, Joan P. Matheson, H. R. Marrow, Wendell M. Reed, Edward A. Cahoon and Andrew M. Robertson, all of Roswell. The capital stock of the company is \$100,000, divided into 1,000 shares of the par value of \$100 each. The sum of \$2,400 has been paid into the treasury. The principal office is fixed at Roswell, and H. S. Farnsworth is named as agent. The term of existence is fifty years and the company is incorporated for the purpose of constructing, operating and maintaining gas, water and electric plants and carrying a business such as is specified in their franchise.

The Elida Savings Bank Company.  
The incorporators are James P. Stone, of Portland, Charles H. Sims, of Elida, Lewis T. Lester, of Canyon City, Texas, and C. C. Marshall, of Texas. The capital stock of the company is \$15,000, divided into 150 shares of the par value of \$100 each. The sum of \$15,000 has been paid into the treasury. The principal office is fixed at Elida and Charles H. Sims is named as agent. The term of existence is fifty years and the company is incorporated for the purpose of doing a general banking business.

The Wyoming Commercial Company.  
The incorporators are H. E. Picard, R. P. Alder and Frank McKee. The capital stock of the company is \$200,000, divided into 200 shares of the par value of \$100 each. The sum of \$20,000 has been paid into the treasury. The principal office is fixed at Albuquerque and H. E. Picard is

## TURKEY'S ROW AND TEN COMMANDMENTS

DISPUTE OVER SINAI PENINSULA, WHERE THE FAMOUS DECA-  
LOGUE WAS GIVEN TO MOSES.

Unless the Sultan of Turkey needs the ultimatum of Great Britain by next Tuesday, and calls back from Tahah, in the Sinai peninsula, the 5,000 Turkish troops that crossed the boundary, cannon roars may be heard where the thunders of God once rolled down to the children of Israel.  
Abdul Hamid is despatched in this crisis by his German friend, William, and with France and Russia supporting England, it is more than probable that he will yield. Yielding has become a habit with the sultan.  
The little flurry has, however, served to bring into the public eye again a locality which in historic interest is second to no other little patch of land on the earth's surface.  
Tahah, the dried up little town which the Turkish troops have occupied against the will of the Englishman, is overlooked by Sinai, the famous mountain upon the summit of which God gave to Moses the Ten Commandments.  
"And Mount Sinai was altogether on a smoke, because the Lord descended upon it in a fire; and the smoke thereof ascended as the smoke of a furnace, and the whole mount quaked greatly."  
"And the Lord came down upon Mount Sinai, on the top of the mount; and the Lord called Moses up to the top of the mount; and Moses went up."  
Mount Sinai is near the southern



SCENE OF THE DISPUTE.

extremity of the peninsula. The mountain, which is 1,933 feet high, is now called Jebel.  
The Sinai peninsula is today as worthless a desert as the Israelites found it thousands of years ago. They had crossed the Red Sea dryshod, but it is altogether too close to the Suez canal for England to allow the semi-civilized Turks to squat upon it, even though the sultan may have a shadowy suzerainty of the territory.

## MINORITY LEADER IN THE HOUSE DUG UP THE M'WADE SCANDAL

Special Correspondence:  
Washington, D. C., May 19.—What reads like a melodrama is to be found in a report on our American consuls, recently dug out of the secret archives of the State Department. The leader of the democratic minority in congress insisted on having it. Now John Sharp Williams is insisting on prosecution.

The plot is laid in Canton, China. The villain is one Robert M. McWade, former consul general. The persecuted hero is Charles E. Richardson, American merchant at Canton, ruined, it is alleged, by McWade. The rescuing hero is Russell Colegrove, formerly vice consul at Canton, but who resigned because the consulate was in such bad odor.

"During the case are Chinese soldiers, guards, a prison, chains, jailors, a Spaniard, Da Silva, who assists McWade, and afterwards embosoms a large sum of money and then confesses.

This extract from a sworn statement by Russell Colegrove, like the plot of a story that fills 265 closely printed pages.  
"On one occasion, the consul general, Robert McWade, called me into his private office in the consulate building at Canton, while I was acting as marshal of the consulate, and, turning into the consul general's office, I found seated there a Chinaman by the name of Yan Sic Chang, who is the Chinese official in charge of the Shumoen guards. Mr. Da Silva acted as interpreter on this occasion, and my instructions given me at that time by the consul general, Robert McWade, were that if Charles E. Richardson came within the jurisdiction of the Canton United States consulate I should immediately send for this Chinaman Yan Sic Chang, who thereupon was instructed to bring twenty soldiers, who were to seize Mr. Richardson, and were to take him to my company immediately to the Chinese jail, and I was further instructed by the consul general, Robert

McWade, to have Richardson's hands chained and the chains to be riveted, and not locked; also his feet were to be chained and chains similarly riveted, and a chain passed around his waist and fastened to a ring in the wall of the cell which is used to confine Chinese prisoners condemned to be beheaded, and the consul general, Robert McWade, gave me most explicit instructions that Richardson while in jail, was to have a diet consisting of cold water and partially cooked rice, similar to the diet furnished a condemned prisoner. This canal water Richardson was to have while in jail in water flowing between the city of Canton and Shumoen, and the canal carries the refuse of the city of Canton. The consul general, Robert McWade, remarked on this occasion, when giving these instructions regarding the diet to be furnished Richardson while he would be in jail, that he was to have damned little to eat.

This occurred immediately after Mr. Richardson made an affidavit in Hong Kong before the collector of customs for Manila, regarding money paid the consul general, Robert McWade, for furnishing Chinese coolies certificates allowing them to land in the Philippine Islands.

"There was a warrant issued by the consul general, Robert McWade, from the United States consulate at Canton, for the arrest of Charles E. Richardson, charging him with slander, committed or perpetrated in the British colony of Hong Kong."

Richardson, however, managed to keep out of McWade's clutches.

At one time, it is charged, McWade became disgracefully drunk in the presence of hundreds of distinguished persons of both sexes.

McWade was summarily dismissed from the consular service some time ago. He has turned up at Washington where he has made it unpleasant for H. R. D. Pierce, third assistant secretary of state, by charging that he solicited the gift of a tiger rug from him at Canton.

### NEW MEXICO NEWSPAPER MEN ARE BANKERS.

Editor J. H. Hamill, of the Globe Silver Belt, has become a full-fledged banker. The fact that a newspaper man should break into the banking fraternity is startling, but it's true nevertheless—Solomonville Bulletin.

This may be a surprising thing in Arizona, but it would not be if it was told of a New Mexico editor. For a long time, the Hon. W. B. Walton, editor of the Silver City Independent, has been in the banking business, being connected with the American National bank at Silver City, and he and the other stockholders advertise that their combined wealth is more than \$1,000,000.

### THIEF ESCAPED FROM JAIL AND IS STILL AT LARGE.

J. C. Hampton, the man who is charged with stealing several hundred dollars of Wells-Fargo money at Dome station several months ago, escaped from jail last Thursday afternoon and is still at large, says the Yuma Sentinel. Hampton was confined in the same section and he simply removed his from one of the windows and "saw." The officers have not yet been able to locate him. Hampton's trial at the April term resulted in a disagreement of the jury. The case was set for rehearing, but was finally continued for the term.

### Deaths from Appendicitis decrease in the same ratio that the use of Dr. King's New Life Pills increases. They save you from danger and bring quick and painless release from constipation and the ill growing out of it. Strength and vigor always follow their use. Guaranteed by all druggists. 50c. Try them.

### ELEVEN-YEAR-OLD BOY BREAKS NECK.

Ray Turley, the 11-year-old brother of Jay Turley, United States deputy surveyor of Santa Fe, was instantly killed in Boise, Idaho, on Wednesday evening of last week, while at play. With several companions the little fellow was playing around the house, and had climbed into the top branches of a high walnut tree in the yard. Some way he lost his balance, and fell to the ground, breaking his neck. The sorrowful intelligence was received by Mr. Turley, at Santa Fe, last Saturday afternoon.

## GOOD WOMAN DIES AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS

Mrs. Mary Kistler, of Las Vegas, Succumbs to Attack of Gastritis.

OBITUARY BY SON, R. A. KISTLER

(Friday, May 18.)  
Mrs. Mary Ferguson Kistler died at her home, 713 Eighth street, at 7:45 o'clock Wednesday evening, of gastritis and a complication of heart trouble, at the advanced age of 78 years, after an illness of nearly three weeks. The funeral occurred from the First Methodist church Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, and was quite well attended, considering the short notice given. The touching discourse was delivered by the Rev. Thomas Harwood, D. D., of Albuquerque, at the special request of the deceased, and Rev. R. A. Morley, D. D., assisted in the services.

Deceased was the wife of the late Rev. W. R. Kistler, and mother of the late W. D. Kistler and R. A. Kistler, and was born August 13, 1828, in Columbia county, Ohio, where she continued to reside until about 18 years of age, when with her father's family she removed to Hancock county, that state. It was here, in the twenty-third year of her age, that she was united in marriage to Rev. W. R. Kistler, who preceded her to the grave seventeen years ago, and by whose side she rests in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

She was reared religiously, and early in life became a member of the Wesleyan Methodist church. Her education was such as could be obtained in the common district schools, supplemented subsequently by a course of reading. In her fourteenth year of her age she embraced religion, and on moving west joined the United Brethren church, of which denomination she remained a member until her marriage, when she united with the Methodist Episcopal church.

All her life she had been at home and occupied in domestic and domestic life, until she became the wife of an itinerant Methodist minister, and she found herself more in public life. She had resided with her husband and family in Webster, Melmore and Clyde, in the north Ohio conference; Warsaw, Wadsworth, Knoxville, New Castle, Winchester, Hanington and Angola in the north Indiana conference; Seneca and Waterville in the Kansas conference, and Albuquerque in the New Mexico Methodist Episcopal mission.

Scenes of childhood came before the writer as he pens these lines, which are moistened with tear drops. Mother's hand again smoothed the pillow for his young head. He feels her warm fingers resting softly upon his brow. Many years ago she bailed bravely and nobly with bodily all might. Upon her cheek the burning fever flushed, and then gave place to paleness for the tomb. Her bowing form, with withering hands, class before me. I hear her hollow cough, her half-mothered sigh, her groan, which patience justified. Tollowed and weary she sought rest, and angels came and whispered: "It is enough, come home."

With tearful eye and cheerful countenance, with firm and steady step, a love pilgrim ascends Jordan's distant shore. A flowing robe of righteousness flows about her shoulders and rustles in the breezes of Paradise.

"Hark!" she shouts. "My labors are done; my warfare is ended; my sufferings are passed; my tears are shed. Heaven is gained!"

Loved ones who have passed on before, and whose voices have been turned to the music of heaven, respond: "Mother has come! Mother has come!" And there they stand—mother, father, brother and sister, of the old family group, in one circle of light to brighten to mingle with the shadows of earth, and amidst glories that come down to the misty fields of time to watch the coming of these still lingering below. It is sorrow on earth; it is joy in heaven.

Loved ones, we miss you! No more here will you share our joys or sorrows—never again to us will you return. But on your own blessed shores, in your own sainted heaven, where friends and relatives never part and tears never flow, we hope yet to greet you.

Mother, rest now, and take thine ease. No mortal shall again disturb thy slumbers.

Editor's Note.—The foregoing obituary was penned by R. A. Kistler, the bereaved son, who was at one time editor of the Optic, and is one of the best known journalists in New Mexico. His mother had made her home for a number of years in this city, and was held in the highest esteem by all with whom she came in contact. Here was a noble character, and she lays down the burdens of this mortal life to join the silent majority in the hereafter beyond.

### NARROW ESCAPE AT SILVER CITY DEPOT.

What might have proven an awful accident was narrowly averted at the Santa Fe depot in this city Saturday afternoon, a few minutes after the arrival of the incoming passenger train, says the Silver City Independent. The bus of the Old Man corral, driven by Robert H. Boudreau, had started up town crowded with passengers. As the vehicle was driven across the freight track on the west side of the depot, a freight train was backed up at a rapid speed, and came within a few inches of striking the bus. When Boudreau saw the train approaching, he whipped up the team, which was a wild animal, and just got out of the way, and no more. The freight train was so close that the steps on the back of the bus were struck by the car as it passed. There were three men standing on the steps when they saw the train approaching, but all jumped and got out of the way. Had the bus been struck by the train several persons would undoubtedly have been killed, as every seat was occupied.

### ARIZONA GOAL PROSPECTS ARE ALL RIGHT.

Prof. William P. Blake has returned to Tuscon from an examination of some coal measures in the Deer creek field. The examination was made for Col. George H. Chittenden of the Chittenden Copper camp in the Saddle mountains.

Prof. Blake says there is a good

## DASHING ARMY OFFICER IS SILENT IN PRISON CELL

LIEUT. BURBANK, WHO MARRIED  
PHILIPPINE BELLE, AND THEN  
CAST HER ARISE AS A PLAY-  
THING, WANTS TO BE FORGOT-  
TEN IN JAIL — IN RIFLE SHOT  
OF HIS OLD HOME.

Special Correspondence:

Fort Leavenworth, Kan., May 19.—Of the hundreds of convicts in Uncle Sam's big prison for offenders against his particular laws and statutes, perhaps none feels his position more keenly than Convict 5165. He is Sidney S. Burbank, the former dashing first lieutenant of Company A, Sixth Infantry, U. S. A., who became known the nation over as the husband of a Philippine belle whom, with her child, he denied.

Within rifle shot of his prison at the big army post, are hundreds of former comrades who knew him well. The huge calls for the soldiers at the fort drift to him above the walls. The cannon salutes to Old Glory daily reach his ears, and serve to remind him that but two years ago he walked the reservation, proud of a distinguished ancestry in the United States army, admired of the men in his company, and happy in the love of a fine Kansas girl.

Burbank had come home from the Philippines with his regiment and was stationed at Fort Leavenworth. He fell in love with Miss Stone, daughter of a former Senator Stone from Kansas. Their engagement was announced. The news drifted half way around the world, and from far off Negro came the wail of a deserted wife, pleading for herself and child. Mrs. Concepcion Vazquez, a brown-toned beauty of Spanish extraction, asserted that Burbank had been legally married to her in Valladolid, January 25, 1912. Burbank was called "upon the carpet." He denied he was married to Mrs. Vazquez, and said he was the victim of a blackmail plot. A suit was filed in the district court here to set aside the alleged marriage. Attorneys appointed for the woman failed to produce evidence that she had been married to Burbank. Besides the charge of embezzlement of \$485, he was accused of conduct unbecoming an officer, in that he twice falsely swore to the War Department that he was single. The sentence of the court martial was approved by the president.

Burbank wears a gray prison suit. He eats plain prison fare. He sleeps behind bars in a cell. His work is around the engine room of the prison but he will not receive visitors from the outer world. He wants to serve his sentence in grim silence. He wants to be forgotten.



LIEUT. BURBANK.

accumulation of testimony proving Mrs. Vazquez's claims.

The case dragged along in the local courts and Burbank was again ordered to the Philippines. Mrs. Vazquez brought suit in Manila for a legal separation. Burbank did not appear at the trial and she was awarded the decree and alimony of \$50 a month. Then the War Department ordered Burbank court-martialed. Besides the charge of embezzlement of \$485, he was accused of conduct unbecoming an officer, in that he twice falsely swore to the War Department that he was single. The sentence of the court martial was approved by the president.

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## UNCLE SAM SELLS TOWN LOTS.



THE NEW METROPOLIS OF THE MINDORO PROJECT.

### Special Correspondence:

Washington, D. C., May 12.—Ho ye! Ho ye! Ho ye! Your Uncle Sam has bath three towns to sell! The same will be put up at auction at a date soon to be announced.

Irrigation! Ours town lots! All ready to "blow out the row." Go! Go! Go!

It is something entirely new. It was approved April 16, 1906. Towns laid out in the new irrigation projects may now be sold at auction. And in the same act the government is given the right to furnish, under lease, unlimited power to private individuals for manufacturing purposes. The first auction will occur in a few weeks.

Three towns are to be put up for sale, and they are out in Idaho, on the Snake river. They have come into existence within the past twelve months. A year ago there was nothing there but sand, sage brush, coyotes and rattlesnakes. There was not a habitation within thirty miles. Now there are banks, stores, school houses and churches. All is due to the magic of government irrigation.

The towns are Heyburn, Scherren and Rupert.

On the map look for the southern boundary of Idaho. Horseshoe bend line and just about the middle of it is Lincoln county. In the southeast corner of the county is the Mindoko irrigation project, which consists in reclaiming 130,000 acres of desert by damming the Snake river and diverting the water to the lands. The three towns have sprung up along the newly laid out canals.

The latest census shows that no quality of coal, which makes most excellent fuel for boilers and gas, and it cokes well. There is a good sized three-foot vein, which is being taken out for the Chittenden reduction plant, located about ten miles distant, and to which a good road is being constructed. The Gila river railway will pass within eight miles of this coal camp, which makes it of easy access for fuel purposes.

The Chittenden, or Saddle Mountain company is employing 300 men. There is being made a fine grade of malle, which is being sent to the Hummel mill. The mines of the company and the district generally are full of promise. Prof. Blake says that the region is going to be in fact now, a most important mining center.

### RAISING EGGS AND POULTRY AT FAYWOOD.

Mrs. T. C. McDermott, wife of the manager of the Faywood hotel, Faywood, has not sprung, is becoming an enthusiastic poultry raiser. She raised over 200 chickens last year, and an equally large number this year. The lot was from the springs is utilized to furnish heat for the incubators, and is ideal in this respect, in that it maintains exactly the same temperature, which is such a necessary essential in incubating eggs. Her eggs, turkey eggs, duck, geese and guinea eggs all yield to the hatching influence of the spring's water and the incubators are kept filled

### with this motley assortment of fowl's eggs. An average of 1,000 eggs a week are gathered from this ideal chicken farm, and what is left after supplying the hotel tables is shipped to Fort Bayard, Silver City and Deming.

The place is an ideal one for raising poultry, there being plenty of shade, grass, and eggs, and the fowls thrive accordingly.

Plans are now being made for the auction, when for spot cash Uncle Sam will sell these towns. It is open to anybody to get in.

However, there is nothing left in the way of free irrigation farms in

the Mindoko project. Every acre that is to have water has been "flooded upon." This means that on every 80 acres there is an actual bona fide settler who has built a house, and all this before there is a drop of water.

But the works are now finished and the water is about to be turned on, and the first crop to be grown on government irrigated lands will be taken off these Mindoko farms.

Persons desiring particulars in regard to the auction, etc., should address the United States Reclamation Service, Washington, D. C. There are fake enterprises which try to trade on the government irrigation work.



CONCRETE DAM WITH GATES, ON SNAKE RIVER.

### BIG RANCH DEAL IS MADE IN DEMING

A deal has been consummated by which E. E. Burdick of Deming has purchased the ranch and cattle from Joseph Taylor, situated sixteen miles south of Deming. The consideration is private, although it is known to amount to several thousand dollars. Mr. Burdick has been a successful cattleman for many years, owning several large ranches. Mr. Taylor has been engaged in the cattle business in the Deming vicinity for many years. He will remain about a month settling up his business, after which he will go to Mexico to locate and engage in the business of raising hogs.

### Stomach Troubles.

Mrs. Rose Martin, an old and highly respected resident of Paloma, N.M., was sick with stomach trouble for more than six months. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cured her. She says: "I can now eat anything I want and am the proudest woman in the world to find such a good medicine." For sale by all druggists. Samples free.

### ABOUT FINISHED LAMBING IN CHAVES COUNTY.

A number of the Chaves county sheepmen have about finished lambing, and report a good crop. Elia White has 4,000 lambs—a crop of 95 per cent. He expects to begin shearing his 12,000 head of sheep about June 1.



## OUT OF A BRIGHT IN ALGODONES

No Regret Felt For Passing Away of Late Grand and Petit Juries.

SAYS JURIES UP-UP THE POWER

Special Correspondence.

Algodones, N. M., May 21.—This morning to be the banner year for crops in this part of the country. Alfalfa in now ready for the first cutting and several will commence this week. The first cutting will be a very heavy crop, much over the average. The wheat crop is in excellent condition. So far, other crops are also looking well. Apples, peaches, plums, cherries and other fruits are in prime condition, and on the whole the outlook is the best for many years. There are no grass hoppers or other insects as yet to injure the crops. No great regret is felt by the majority of the people of this place for the passing away of the late lamented grand and petit juries of Sahavol county. Yet the blame should not be laid on the men who composed the juries. It should be placed where it rightfully belongs. It is a good thing for the second judicial district that we have a district attorney who has the courage and honesty to publicly condemn such an outrage on public justice. There is a remedy which might be applied in such cases as this, and that would be to have the legislature pass a law disfranchising any precinct or county where the law cannot be enforced on account of some clique or faction not being willing to allow juries to punish the guilty who belong to their faction. In cases that are connected with political schemes, and not infrequently in those in which political men are parties to the suits, it is often found that the general prejudices or partialities of the outdoor factions enter the jury box. This is a most serious evil, too, for even when the feeling does not produce a direct and flagrant wrong, it is very apt so far to temper the right as to deprive it of much of its virtue.

What I most complain of is the fact that the jurors are fast becoming judges. They are even getting to be legislators, making the law, as well as interpreting it. How often does it happen that the court tells the jury that such is the law, and the jury comes in with a verdict which tells the court that such is not the law.

We are in some hopes that the feelings of the law and order portion of our county will be so aroused that when the election comes on this fall we will be able to elect a fairer and more impartial set of men to carry on the affairs of the county. Some of the present officers are very good, but we want them all good, if possible.

## UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO CONDITIONS

COURSE IN MECHANICAL, ELECTRICAL, CIVIL AND MINING ENGINEERING TO BE INSTALLED.

Prof. Rupert F. Asplund, instructor of Latin and Greek in the University of New Mexico, at Albuquerque, and who has been appointed by the board of regents to visit the high schools of the territory, affiliated with the institution, for the purpose of talking with this year's graduates with a view to encouraging them to become students of the University, arrived in Santa Fe on Wednesday, says the New Mexican. Santa Fe is the first city which he visited, and while here he spent his time interviewing the pupils of the local high school. During the forenoon, he talked to the seventh and eighth grades, and told them in a conversational manner, that the University of New Mexico has to offer in the way of a preparatory course. In the afternoon he spoke to the senior class, and outlined the college course in detail. He told them of the various departments and the facilities which the institution has for teaching them. Concerning the University, Prof. Asplund is very enthusiastic, and had the following to say to a New Mexican representative:

"The institution is now in its fifteenth year, and better than it ever was before. We have more students and the courses are better in every department. This year we had 92 students and there were eleven graduates from the college, normal and preparatory courses. The faculty consists of twelve instructors, including President W. G. Tipton, and they are competent in their departments. The board of regents has decided that beginning next term courses in electrical, mechanical, civil and mining engineering will be taught, and Prof. Asplund of the University of Wisconsin has been secured to take charge of this department. This will be a splendid addition to our institution, and we expect at least six students to take up some one of these courses at the beginning of next term. We have sufficient equipment for them to last two years and it is thought by that time the classes will have increased enough to warrant the board of regents to install additional apparatus."

Prof. Asplund left for Las Vegas, and will visit the following schools, which are affiliated with the University, and from which 80 pupils will graduate this season: Albuquerque, Las Vegas, Clayton, Raton, Roswell, Carlsbad, Deming, Gallup, Alamogordo, Santa Rosa and Farmington.

## OFFICIAL MATTERS

Deputy Game Warden Appointed. Game warden Philip W. R. Griffin has appointed all the game rangers on the Lincoln Reserve, including seven men as deputy game and fish wardens.

Examination of Candidates for Forest Rangers. For several days the past week an examination of candidates for appointments as rangers on the United States Forest reserve in this territory has been in progress before the civil service examination committee at the postoffice at Albuquerque. The examination closed Friday afternoon. Among the candidates were: Philip Phillips, Indian painter, who is a resident of the county seat of Taos county. Mr. Phillips was in Santa Fe Sunday

and left yesterday morning for his home.

Meeting of Trustees of the Reform School. The trustees of the reform school of New Mexico held a meeting Saturday afternoon last at the office of Dr. J. H. Sloan in the Capitol building, Santa Fe. There were present Dr. J. H. Sloan, chairman; Veneciano Jaramilla, secretary and treasurer, and Antonio de Vargas, member. Outstanding accounts against the board were presented, audited and ordered paid as far as the funds in the treasury of the board would permit. The board then adjourned subject to the call of the chair.

Meeting of Medical Board. The annual meeting of the New Mexico board of health, was called to order at the Capitol building, Santa Fe, yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. Dr. G. W. Harrison of Albuquerque, president of the board; R. D. Black of Las Vegas, secretary; J. H. Sloan of Raton, W. W. Radcliffe of Belen, and J. A. Massey of Santa Fe, were in attendance. There were fifty-five applicants for permits to practice medicine in the territory; a greater number than at any previous meeting. The board was busy all day examining applications preparatory to granting licenses to those entitled to receive them. It will probably require two days before the board completes its labors.

## SULTAN PICKS HIS SON FOR NEXT SULTAN

Special Correspondence.

Constantinople, May 21.—Late in the afternoon the sultan of Turkey is dying of an incurable disease. The sultan recently has given much thought to the succession to the throne and his approaching death has hastened the plans he has worked out for the alteration of the Turkish law, in order that his favorite son, Prince Mehmed Burhan-Eddine Efendi, may succeed him.

According to the imperial law, the sultanate does not descend to the eldest son of the ruler, but always goes to the oldest member of the Osman family. The present heir is Prince Rezaat, brother of the sultan, and after him comes the sultan's nephew, Prince Vassanif.

Both these princes are degenerate and Abdul is anxious that neither shall follow him as the ruler of Turkey.

Rezaat lives solely for the consolation of his harem, and has no friends who would object to the sultan's plan to cut him off as an heir to the throne, but Vassanif, while dissolute, is a man of courage and he is feared. At present Abdul has placed him in exile in a little village in Asia Minor, where he is guarded from plotters and plotting by a company of soldiers.

Abdul's son, Prince Mehmed, is 21 years old, and is the brightest member of the royal family. He has had a sea training and is an intellectual giant compared with the harem-bred Ottomans. However, he is by the present law but fourteenth in the line of succession and for that reason Abdul is trying his best to fix things so that some day he may be the commander of the faithful.

## BRICK PLANT FOR GALLUP

EASTERN CAPITAL INTERESTED IN MAKING BRICK FROM GALLUP FIRE CLAY.

The brick plant which was mentioned in last week's issue of the Gallup Republican, is to be built at the same mine, near Gallup, and operations are to begin within the next few days. The local section interested in the plant are Edward Bevard and William Patching.

St. Louis capital has been interested in the venture, and enough stock has been subscribed and paid for to purchase all the necessary machinery, erect buildings and put the plant on a productive basis. The machinery has been ordered, and by this time is on the road to Gallup. The plant will be automatic as far as possible and very little hand work will be necessary in the manufacture of the bricks. The plant will turn out building bricks and ornamental bricks. The capacity is estimated to be 30,000 a day, and arrangements are being made to increase the capacity to 50,000 per day.

Besides operating the brick plant, the company will mine coal from the same mine, and will also have the use of the plant in the boilers and brick kilns. The necessary formalities have been gone through to take up the same coal lands.

Mr. Bevard, who is the original promoter of the brick making company, has been in Santa Fe for four years, and will leave the employ of the company within the month to assume the management of the erection of the plant and its operation. The people of the city of Gallup will certainly be pleased to know that the building and operation of a manufacturing plant so near the city is actually a fact. It is common knowledge here that the great deposits of fire clay in this vicinity were of value as a raw material for a high grade of brick, but up to the present time no effort had been made to produce the finished product.

As to a market for the Gallup brick, that has already been found in this territory, and in Arizona where there is an increasing demand for this class of building material. The plant will employ a large number of men and will be the means of bringing another pay roll to Gallup.

Deputy Coal Oil Inspector.

Coal Oil Inspector Eugenio Romero has appointed J. G. Riggs of Capitan, to be deputy coal oil inspector for Lincoln county, and W. E. Garren of Alamogordo, to be deputy coal oil inspector for Otero county.

## NO BIDDERS FOR RIO PUERCO END

Of the Belen Cut-Off, as Not Enough Time Allowed For the Work.

IMPORTANT QUESTION OF WATER

(Tuesday, May 22.)

It is understood that the Santa Fe has not been successful in placing the contracts for the Rio Puerco end of the cut-off, bids for which were called for some weeks ago. The reason for this, it is said, is that the railroad company is in too much of a hurry to get the work done, when the high class of construction demanded is taken into consideration, and that the subcontractors could not get used to the idea of doing it in the time required. The understanding is that the contractors' time is to be lengthened somewhat and that the bids will be called for again in the near future. The cut-off is being built on U. S. plan of the old established railroads of the east. Every trestle is stone or concrete, the track is as solid as if it had been subject to the treatment of years and it naturally takes more time to build such a railroad, than for the hasty construction of the average western line.

Construction of Rio Puerco end is estimated to require between seven and eight months after actual construction begins.

The telegraph line has been connected up with Mountainair and will be completed by the end of the month. This is the permanent line and like the rest of the cut-off it is being built to stay forever.

Track laying will commence from Sunnyside west as soon as the false work on the great Pecos bridge is completed so that the great cut-off can be brought in from the Texas end. The track cut east of Epsilon will not be completed for a long time, but the temporary track will go around it so that the line will be practically complete, and its completion will aid materially in hastening construction work.

The false work on the big bridge at Sunnyside is nearly complete. Three of the great piers have been completed and three more are above the water line. There are all in all twenty-two of these piers, each one of which is a small mountain of concrete. The work alone on this bridge is an engineering feat of no small proportions.

The shallow well at Escho in which a good flow of water has been found has proved a disappointment, for although there is plenty of water it is so strong in alkali that it will not do for the engine boilers and so a deep well is to be put down at once. It is hoped that artesian water will be encountered in this well.

Some further prospecting for water will go on at Epsilon, but there is not much hope of finding it without great depth. Finally to it, it is understood that the company proposes to put in a pipe line from Willard, where good water is plentiful. The pipe line will be a rather expensive proposition, but it merely goes to show the permanency of the work the Santa Fe is doing on the cut-off. As this work nears completion it is more and more plain that the cut-off line will be one of the finest examples of new railroad construction in the history of railroad building in America.

## BONUS SYSTEM IS TO BE EXTENDED.

In the Car Department of Santa Fe Shops at San Bernardino.

It is expected that by next week the work of extending the bonus, or premium system to the car department of the Santa Fe shops will be under taken by those officials in charge of installing the system. At this point, says the San Bernardino Sun, the system was first installed here about March 1, and since then efforts have been directed toward getting the plan working in all of the metal-working departments of the shops, one department at a time being taken.

The system is now in force in all of the iron working departments, and is quite satisfactory, say the officials, and attention will next be directed to the car department, the "rip" track being the first to be placed under the plan. The other departments of the shops will probably follow until car painting mill, coach building, department, paint shop, etc., are all included.

It is understood that the Topeka shops are now entirely under the new system, the change being made first in the iron working departments there, the same as here.

There seems to be a great difference of opinion among the workmen as to the merits of the bonus system. Many of them do not like the plan, and the result has been that many have quit, their places being taken by others. While some do not like it, others do, and are pleased with it. These are generally men who are rapid workmen and who are thus enabled to make extra money.

How the new plan will be received by the workmen in the car department remains to be seen, but the officials state they anticipate no trouble, as the workmen thoroughly understand the plan.

## RAILROAD TOPICS FROM THE NORTHWEST.

A representative from the Northern (Colo.) Prospector, just from the scene of railroad war south of Durango, where the question of a right of way up the Animas river was in dispute between the Arizona and Colorado railroad company, the supreme court having decided in favor of the Arizona & Colorado company, says that upon interrogating a man in charge who acts under authority from Hartman, as to what their next move would be, said:

pass at the head of the south fork of the Rio Grande, both are seemed. Future developments will be awaited. One thing is very positive, and that is that the line would very materially shorten the distance from Denver to Durango, and would pass through a country with a very great business, both present and prospective.

## SANTA FE ORDERS NEW STEEL TANK AT ISLETA.

Improvements indicate that Junction Will Not Lose Its Identity, With Building of the Cut-Off.

That Isleta Junction will be of greater importance in the future, instead of being its identity, with the building of the Belen-Puerto cut-off, as has been prophesied, is quite evident, from the fact that the Santa Fe has just ordered the construction there of a new steel tank identical with other steel tanks the company is locating at various places along the line. The new tank will be set along the side of the tank doing service there now, but instead of having one very inadequate spot like the old one, the new one will be equipped with two two-inch cranes, to be located at opposite sides of the tank. This will enable the watering of engines both going and coming, and the unusual size of the water cranes will decrease the time in watering engines to only a few minutes, whereas with the four and six inch cranes, as much as ten minutes time is often consumed in filling an engine tank. The work of constructing the new tank will be going under the supervision of General Foreman Rickman, and is expected to be commenced at once.

## SANTA FE FOLDER FOR ELKS CONVENTION.

The square Santa Fe trade mark, the dial of a clock with an elk's head protruding from it, and "Elks" Exposition to Denver, in royal purple, and a summer girl in green, half reclining on a steamer trunk, with golf sticks and a tennis racket around her, forms the artistically designed front cover of a folder the passenger department of the Santa Fe has given the public on the annual convention of the B. P. O. E. to be held at Denver, July 16-21. W. C. Cook, traveling freight and passenger agent for the Santa Fe, is in charge of the folder, and the folder is the Santa Fe. The folder is a folder of eight pages, containing all the useful information about the way to Denver and what will be there at the convention that any one could possibly want to know and doubtless more, too. In fact, it is quite complete, even to the extent of telling the time and schedule of all the special trains that will be run from the various parts of the country to the convention city.

## ASSESSMENTS RAISED ON OKLAHOMA RAILROADS.

The territorial board of railroad assessors of Oklahoma, has announced its assessments on railroads, telegraph companies and electric lines for the current year. All of the larger roads with the exception of the Rock Island, are raised on some of their lines. The "Katy" is hit the hardest, the assessment on its main line being raised from \$3,000 to \$2,700. The Santa Fe's eastern Oklahoma line is raised from \$3,000 to \$2,600.

## UNCLE SAM WILL SELL SUPPLY SHIP, CULGOA.

Washington, D. C., May 22.—The supply ship, Culgoa, will be sold at auction at the navy yard at Brooklyn. It was proposed that the vessel be repaired and overhauled generally and refitted for service. This would mean additional work at the Brooklyn yard. It is believed, however, that the best disposition of the Culgoa will be to sell her as a useless vessel, as the survey which was made recommended too costly repairs.

## As I Peeped Through the Friendly

Knob Hole. It seems to me that base ball's growing tamer. It doesn't seem so great as long ago. And though I would not be the game's defamer. When I was young it thrilled me more, I know. Oh, yes, the good old game is still alive. But still, I cannot thrill as once I did; And while I daily watch the players fighting I saw more fun in base ball when I was a kid.

As I peeped through a friendly knob hole. Every play would be joy to my soul; On, so close would I press To the hole that I guess With splinters I punctured my fowl. How mighty the cheers that would roll.

And the curses at umpires who stole From the sacred home team And in page I would scream As I peeped through the friendly knob hole.

When on a glued sand cushion I am sitting And cheering wildly, too, the skillful plays, There come, like shadows on my memory fitting, The players and the games of other days.

The modern game is better, I'll admit Of science, yes, the old-time game was shy; I am not tired, I don't intend to quit I am not tired, I don't intend to quit.

But base ball stirred me more in days gone by. A specific for pain—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, strongest, cheapest, liniment ever devised. A household remedy in America for twenty-five years.

## LAWYER USES KNIFE ON MAN WHO ATTACKS HIM.

"We will settle that contest now," said J. P. Van Winkle, of Artesia, as he met Charles Gilbert, an attorney of Roswell, on the main street of Artesia. Gilbert was knocked down and was bleeding from the head, and as he arose, he attacked Van Winkle with a knife, cutting a terrible gash in his arm and stomach.

Van Winkle, came near bleeding to death and is in a serious condition. Gilbert was taken overland to Carlsbad and placed in jail. Later, he waived a preliminary hearing and his bond was fixed at \$500. He immediately gave a bond for \$27,000.

E. W. Gilbert, a brother of the man attacked by Van Winkle, had filed a contest on a claim valued at \$4,000, and this started the difficulty. There have been numerous contests filed here and many killings are freely predicted.

## Frick's "Red" Enemy Still Hates Capital

[The following article by Alexander Berkman, was prepared by the anarchist two days before he was released from the Allegheny county, Pennsylvania work house. He had served his term in the penitentiary for shooting millionaire Frick, and was just completing a sentence for a murder committed in connection with the attempted assassination. He became a free man May 18—Editor.]

By Alexander Berkman. On my last birthday I was 34 years old. I have spent fourteen of those thirty-four years in prison. Not a day has gone by without my having no complaint to make, I have all but paid the penalty for what I did, and no man can take away my freedom again for that. I owe no man anything now, and I ask no man for anything.

While I have been in prison I have studied and have read a good many books. I am more mature in mind than when I was 20. The lesson of obedience was one I had learned when a child, and my guards in prison will not say that I ever will

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## HIS ATTEMPT TO KILL FRICK.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 22.—Alexander Berkman's attempt to assassinate Mr. Frick took place in 1892, during the Homestead steel strike.

Berkman, a young Russian book-binder, had just come to this country, and inspired by the teachings of Henry More, Berkman and others conceived the idea of killing Frick, to right the wrongs of the Homestead steel strikers.

Saturday following the entrance of troops into Homestead, Berkman had set for the killing. He had made several fruitless visits to the office of Mr. Frick on Fifth Avenue. Finally, he forced his way past the clerk, burst into Mr. Frick's room and fired at him with a revolver.

While in the other hand he brandished a knife, John G. A. Lohr, a man, now United States minister to Turkey, was with Mr. Frick. He, with Mr. Frick, who sprang from his chair, battled all over the office, Berkman striking with his knife, and trying again to use the revolver. Both Mr. Frick and Mr. Lohr were slightly injured before Berkman arrived from the outer office and Berkman was overpowered.

He was taken to the institution. You want to know what I feel toward Mr. Frick? I never did hate Mr. Frick because he was Mr. Frick, but because he embodied, yes, practiced, the tyranny of the select few against the many.

It was the principle I struck at in fully broke a revolution of the institution. You want to know what I feel toward Mr. Frick? I never did hate Mr. Frick because he was Mr. Frick, but because he embodied, yes, practiced, the tyranny of the select few against the many.

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# ASKS CITY COUNCIL FOR A STREET RAILWAY FRANCHISE

Col. Sellers Addresses Council on Behalf of Promoters of Proposed Electric Car Line Into Highlands Residence District.

## SOCIAL EVIL WILL REMAIN ON THIRD STREET

(Tuesday, May 22.) At the regular meeting of the city council held last night, all councilmen, with the exception of Alderman Harrison were present.

Acting in response to a request of the city council for a statement of the probable receipts for the ensuing fiscal year, City Treasurer Rogers submitted the following report:

**ESTIMATES OF INCOME.**  
MADE BY TREASURER.  
Albuquerque, N. M., May 21, 1906.  
To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

Gentlemen:—According to your request for an estimate as to the probable receipts for the current year, I beg to advise that taking the receipts from all sources are as follows:

From county treasurer	\$35,666.63
From city marshal	1,412.50
From city clerk	17,224.75
From all other sources	724.50
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$54,828.38</b>

From all information obtainable at this time I do not believe it is likely that the receipts for the current year will equal those of the past year. In fact, there is danger of a falling off in the receipts on account of legislation now pending. I estimate that the receipts from taxation will be approximately the same as last year, possibly some more. While I am informed by the county treasurer that there has been an increase in receipts from the county, yet there is a possibility that this may be offset by the reasons of reductions claimed by the banks.

As to requirements for interest, city hall, library and park funds reference is made to the annual statement made last month.

All of which is very respectfully submitted.

H. E. ROGERS,  
Treasurer.

The city clerk then submitted to the council an estimate of what he thought could be counted upon from his department, placing the amount at \$1,250, which was somewhat lower than the estimate made by the city treasurer, and a slight reduction over the amount received last year from the same source.

**ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES.**  
SUBMITTED BY DEPARTMENTS.

An estimate from each department of the expenses likely to be incurred during the fiscal year, was then presented to the council.

The street department estimated their expenses for the coming year at \$10,000.

The sewer department placed its expenses at approximately \$2,500.

The fire department submitted their probable expense at \$6,000, which includes the paying for 1,000 feet of hose, recently ordered.

The police department approximated their expense at \$7,350.

**SOCIAL EVIL REPORT.**  
A SOP TO CEREBUS.

Just about eight months ago the social evil question was brought up in Albuquerque, and placed before the people. Mass meetings were held and plans discussed to prevent the evil, or at least control it, and remove it from the heart of the city.

Last night the committee empowered to select a site suitable for the location of all bawdy houses, disorderly houses and houses of ill fame, and to report on any other phases of the case that might appear to them, submitted the following report:

**CHAIRMAN NEUBADT'S REPORT IN FULL.**  
Albuquerque, N. M., May 21, 1906.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of Albuquerque, N. M.

Your committee to whom was referred the petition of several property owners and residents on North Third street, regarding the location and maintenance of bawdy houses, disorderly houses and houses of ill fame, with leave to report as follows:

The committee, after a careful investigation of every available location about the city and in the outskirts of the city, would recommend that for the present all such places be confined to Third street, commencing on the corner of Copper avenue, and extending north one block, and 127 feet on the other block on both sides of the street, and running to the alley east and west. We would further recommend that such houses now in existence on other streets in this city be notified of this change, if such is made by the council, that all of them now so occupied to move, and that six months time be given them to make the change, which in the opinion of the committee is sufficient time. All of which we hope will meet with your approval. We respectfully submit.

**SAMUEL NEUBADT,**  
Chairman.

A motion was made that the report be adopted, which was carried. Alderman Wilkinson, however, voting against it.

**FINANCE COMMITTEE ASKS \$400 FOR THE FAIR.**

The finance committee, acting upon the request of the local lodge of Elks for a band to accompany them to Denver in July, to help advertise the city, returned an adverse report, which was adopted.

Alderman Leonard then arose, and on behalf of the finance committee moved that the fair appropriation this year be \$400, an increase of \$150 over the appropriation of last year. The motion was carried. Alderman Wilkinson voting no.

**OTHER MATTERS TRANSACTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL.**

Ordinance No. 250, requiring electricians to take out a license, was read again, and referred to the finance committee to fix the amount of the license required.

Chairman Neubadt, of the police committee, arose and stated to the council that it was his opinion that if the officials of the police department attempted to use the official bugle many more times, a serious riot would

result, as the bugle which was a second, and one when first purchased by the city, was in danger of falling to pieces.

On motion from him it was unanimously decided by the council that a new bugle should be purchased for the use of the police department.

Chairman Bowen, of the building committee, when called upon for a report relative to the city building, stated that he had no report to make, but that architects were at work on the plans, and that he expected to be able to report within a week.

Mayor McKee informed him that a special meeting of the council would be called at any time he so desired, to listen to his report, and to discuss the new city building plans.

**COLONEL SELLERS ASKS FOR A FRANCHISE.**

At the close of the regular business of the council, Colonel S. K. B. Sellers arose and submitted the following request for a franchise for a street railway into the Highlands, which was read by the clerk:

An ordinance granting a street railway franchise in the city of Albuquerque, N. M.

Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Albuquerque, N. M.:

Section 1.—That there is hereby given, granted and conveyed unto S. K. B. Sellers, his heirs, successors or assigns, the right and privilege to build, construct, maintain, own, equip, operate and conduct a street railway system by motor power or electricity and any improvement thereon, in and upon all the following streets and thoroughfares of the city of Albuquerque, N. M., for a period of fifty years, from the date of the passage hereof, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on North Twelfth street, at the north boundary of the city limits, and running thence south on North Twelfth street to New York avenue, thence east on New York avenue to Second street, thence south on Second street to Railroad avenue, thence east on Railroad avenue to Hill street, thence south on Hill street to Gold avenue, to the east boundary line of the city limits. Also on First street from Railroad avenue to Copper avenue, thence west on Copper avenue to Second street.

Sec. 2.—This grant is made upon the following conditions:

First.—The owner or owners of said franchise shall commence in good faith the construction of the street railway system within ninety days from the passage of this ordinance, and complete that portion on East Railroad avenue between the east line of the tracks of the A. T. & S. F. Railway company and the eastern limits of said city within one year.

Second.—The cars must be of improved construction for the comfort and convenience of passengers, and provided with brakes and fenders.

Third.—The tracks must be constructed in the middle of the street and laid to grade to be furnished by the said city, and the streets between the rails and for one foot on either side thereof be paved or macadamized, or built by said grantee of the same material as that portion of the streets through which the track runs, and shall be kept constantly in repair and flush with the street, so that the same may be readily crossed with vehicles at all points in the streets.

Fourth.—The owner or owners of said franchise shall assume all liabilities or risks for damages to persons or property which may arise in the construction, maintenance or operation of any or all parts of the railway system that may be erected, constructed, maintained or operated, pursuant to this franchise, and shall indemnify and save the city of Albuquerque harmless from any and all liability or damage that may arise or be incurred therefor, and in the case of any suit against said city on account thereof, said owner or owners of said franchise on being notified shall make all necessary defenses, and any judgment against said city therefor shall be binding upon the owner or owners of said franchise in any suit of the said city against them for reimbursement.

Fifth.—The validity of this franchise shall depend upon the strict conformity of the owners of said franchise to the conditions herein, and upon the continuous operation of such line or lines as may be constructed under the terms of this grant, with exception made for strikes, accidents, floods, or other unfavorable forces.

Sixth.—The street railroads built under this franchise shall not interfere with the drainage or water system of said city, for which all rights of intersection of such line at all points where the needs of the present and future sewerage system and all general purposes may require it, are hereby reserved, but it is understood that any intersections or excavations that may be necessary shall be without expense to the owner or owners of said franchise, and without unnecessarily interfering with, delaying or obstructing the passage of cars, and such openings shall be put in as good order and repair as before the excavations were made.

Seventh.—The rates of fare for each passenger, with free transfer on an intersecting line or lines of said system for each continuous trip from point to point within the limits of said city, shall be five cents, and no more.

Eighth.—This franchise shall be considered and construed to include the right of carrying freight, express and mail, as well as passengers.

Sec. 3.—Any interference with the rights embodied in this franchise the obstruction of the tracks to delay the passage of cars, destruction, damage or injury to any part of the equipment or property of this street railway system or stopping runs on the cars or refusal to pay fare, or disorderly, offensive or drunken conduct, or spitting on the floor or platforms of the cars shall constitute a misdemeanor, and be punishable by a fine

of not less than \$5 nor more than \$100, or by imprisonment of not less than three days nor more than sixty days, or both, at the discretion of the court.

Sec. 4.—This franchise shall be null and void unless the said grantee or his successors or assigns shall within ninety days from the date of the passage hereof, commence construction work in good faith, and complete that portion on East Railroad avenue between the tracks of the Santa Fe Railway company and the eastern limits of said city within one year.

Duly passed this.....day.

**COL. SELLERS EXPLAINS POINTS IN ORDINANCE.**

After the reading of the ordinance by the city clerk, Colonel Sellers arose and explained to the councilmen several of the points in the ordinance. He stated that the council take action on it as soon as possible as the promoters had reached an agreement with the Santa Fe Railway company, whereby that company was to grade Gold avenue from Hill street to the University, and that they had their mules, scrapers, etc., now in the city, and that any delay in granting the franchise would hold them back in completing the work. He stated that the franchise asked for on Twelfth street, New York avenue, etc., was not for present construction, as the idea was to take in first the districts of the city that do not now service, but that later they would want to operate on these streets to make the line a paying, or at least self-sustaining, proposition. After a few further remarks concerning the ordinance, and what the company proposed to do, by Colonel Sellers, Alderman Hainley arose and moved that the matter be referred to the finance committee. On this vote, the motion was carried unanimously. Alderman Wilkinson begging to be excused from voting.

**MAYOR MCKEE INSTRUCTS NEWSPAPERS ANENT CATS.**

Just before adjourning Mayor McKee stated that he wished to say, for the benefit of the newspapers, and any others interested, that in the future, if notified, the city scavenger would remove all deceased felines that might be discovered in the streets with their toes turned toward the atmosphere.

The remarks were called forth by the recent exploitation by one of the city's papers, of the fact that a dead cat had lain for some time, until the surrounding atmosphere was permeated with unpleasant odors, on North Walter street, only to be subsequently discovered in the front yard of a home on North Twelfth street.

There being no further business before the council, a motion was made and carried, to adjourn.

**DRUG TRUST BUSTER A HEAVYWEIGHT PLUGGER**

Special Correspondence:  
Indianapolis, Ind., May 22.—President Roosevelt, through Attorney General Moody, chose one of the big drug trust busters in the United States to bring suit against the drug trust.

Joe B. Keating, United States attorney for the district of Indiana, who filed the suit against the drug trust in this city, is six feet two inches and weighs 250 pounds. There is not a spare ounce of flesh on his body. He is 46 years old and is now serving his second term as district attorney.

Keating is noted for his tenacity. He is a crafty politician, and is known throughout Indiana as "Big Chief" Keating. The "Big Chief" has his hand on the throttle of what is known as the Fairbanks machine in this state night and day. When anything political is done in Indianapolis, Fairbanks' name, Mr. Keating knows it a long time before the public. Mr. Keating has been eminently successful in all prosecutions in the federal courts. Five bankers—convicted in the past two years—are now serving terms at Leavenworth prison. Mr. Keating prosecuted each of them. One of them, Walter Brown of Elkhart, was a member of the republican state committee, and a political friend of Mr. Keating.

**PLENTY OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.**

Dr. L. Hines, an long a resident of Springer, but who for several years has been in the fruit and vegetable raising business in the Mesilla valley, near Las Cruces, writes us this week that he expects a big crop this season and is kept very busy. He also says that H. B. Stewart, for years a citizen of Springer, but now living in Albuquerque, visited with him several days recently.—Springer Stockman.

**A THIN LOT OF CATTLE SHIPPED.**

The first of this week the Red River Cattle company brought up from the ranges of H. M. Porter, in Socorro county, fourteen cars of cattle, which were placed on the company's range here, says the Springer Stockman. These cattle were poor and weak, and when unloaded at the stock yards fourteen head were found dead. The remainder were placed on the range here and in a few weeks will be running fat.

**ARIZONA BARLEY CROP REPORTED VERY LARGE.**

The first barley this season was threshed on the ranch of Frank Murphy, east of Phoenix, says the Graphic. The quality is excellent, and considering the acreage planted, the yield has been especially good all over the valley. The entire crop this season, it is estimated, will amount to about 15,000,000 pounds. The wheat crop run between 7,000,000 and 8,000,000 pounds. The weather of the past three weeks has been ideal for both crops, the cool nights and the warm days being the best weather that could have possible prevailed.

## TERRITORIAL TOPICS

**LARGE SALE MADE OF TEXAS STEERS.**

The largest stock sale of the season occurred Saturday at Roswell, when Leo Bivins, of Amarillo, Texas, bought 2,000 steers from D. F. White. The price paid was \$50,000 cash. The steers are three and four year olds, and were loaded Saturday and shipped to the Texas Panhandle, where they will be pastured for market.

**THE ALSDORF FAMILY LEAVES GALLUP.**

Charles Alsdorf and family have left on an overland trip to Kansas, says the Gallup Republican. Mr. Alsdorf sold his place recently, and is making this change to benefit his health, which has been poor for some time. They may eventually return to Gallup.

**BOYS RUN AWAY FROM TUCUMCARI TO BOSTON.**

Last Sunday Melvin Buchanan, Dock Phillips and Fred McGee, declared that the way of life in Tucumcari is too burdensome, and turned their backs on the town, friends and relatives, and hiked over the Dawson in clouds of pastures greener, says the News. There are none of them over 15 years of age, and they may soon tire of earning their own pittance.

**LAYS CORNER STONE OF NEW I. O. O. F. HALL.**

The ceremonies of laying the corner stone for the new hall of I. O. O. F. No. 8, I. O. O. F. No. 8, occurred at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. W. W. Ogilvie, of Roswell, grand master of the order of New Mexico, officiated. A large number were in attendance from abroad and the occasion will long be remembered. A copy of each of the local papers, together with an extended history of the lodge, and other interesting data, were placed in the receptacle. The building when completed, will be 50x120 feet, two stories, and of modern design throughout.

**SANDOVAL COUNTY PRISONERS TO THE PEN.**

Sheriff Emiliano Sandoval of Sandoval county arrived in Santa Fe with two prisoners for the territorial penitentiary, Felipe Bustos, sentenced to one year for larceny, aged 14, number 304, and Juanita, sentenced to one year for unlawfully killing a mule, Matz is 22 years of age, and is number 2065. It was proven that he had a mania for wantonly killing and torturing live stock, many complaints having been made against him.

**THE FRATERNAL SANATORIUM AT LAS VEGAS.**

Charles E. Michaels, of St. Louis, a general contractor in that city, is a visitor in Las Vegas, having arrived there Sunday. He may decide to locate in that city as he has several proposals in view that would make it advantageous for him to reside there.

Mr. Michaels brings the cheering news that the Fraternal Sanatorium near Las Vegas will be opened on or about July 1. While en route he chartered one of the physicians who is a member of the association, and was informed that matters regarding the institution were now shaping themselves satisfactorily.

Those who assumed charge in christening the gigantic project met with considerable opposition and were defeated in the carrying out of their plans but they have surmounted all obstacles now and the sanatorium is an assured fact.

Mr. Michaels is of the opinion that Las Vegas will boom within the next few years. He is interested in the outcome of the dry farming experiment in this vicinity, and if they prove successful together with the opening of the sanatorium he expects to see the community grow by leaps and bounds.

**FOUL PLAY IS NOW SUSPECTED**

News from El Paso is to the effect that a cowman who came in from the vicinity of Graham's ranch, not far from Las Cruces, New Mexico, last Saturday, reported to Police Captain W. D. Greet that the body of a dead man had been found in the back waters of the Rio Grande near the ranch. The water was lying upon the ground with the head hanging over in a pool. The cowman, whose name the police did not learn, stated to Captain Greet that there were evidences that the deceased had been dead for some time from the color of the hands, but he did not raise the man's face from the water and does not know whether he was an American or Mexican.

The body was very well dressed, wearing a dark suit of clothes and a light hat, and it is believed he is an American. Foul play is suspected, and Captain Greet believes from the meager reports that have reached him that the man was probably killed, injured or killed, perhaps by choking and then laid on the soft ground of the backwaters with his head in the pool to give the appearance of death by drowning.

As the matter was outside the jurisdiction of El Paso police, Captain Greet immediately wired the Las Cruces authorities and an investigation will be made at once.

**GOAL OIL INDICATIONS EAST OF ROSWELL.**

The register and recorder of the United States land office at Roswell Friday last received the following telegraphic instructions from the commissioner of the general land office at Washington:

"Withdraw from agricultural entry pending investigation as to mineral character all public lands in township 9 south, range 25 east; township 10 south, range 25 and 26 east, sections 1, 12 and 13; township 11, range 25, east; all of township 11, range 26; township 12, range 25 and 27; township 13, range 27."

This action was taken by the general land office on account of reports of the existence of strong indications of minerals and oils on the tracts named. Land containing coal oil or producing such can only be located under the mineral laws of the United States. Hence no homestead, square lands or scrip entries will be allowed upon the tracts described until further notice, and until it is demonstrated that the lands are more valuable for agricultural purposes than for minerals.

**FINE PROGRAM FOR RACING MEET AT CARLSBAD.**

The Carlsbad Racing association has prepared a fine program for the 24, 25 and 26 days of July, and expect to make this meet the most successful one in the history of the association. The first day of the meet will be on Sunday, July 24, and the second will be on Monday, July 25, and the last day will be on Tuesday, July 26, the racing association of which place has agreed to come to Carlsbad in full force.

Several horses have already been brought in from Missouri and Texas, and are now training at the track, and others are entered. The entries are for both thoroughbreds and cold blooded horses. In addition to the racing events, there have been attractions arranged for in the way of match games of ball between track teams, military drills, etc., day, and a sham battle on the Fourth, with a big barbecue in that day, for which fifty carcasses have been bought. The association is not running the races as a money making proposition, but merely as a means of bringing the people of the Pecos valley together and giving them a good time.

The association puts up \$1,000 fund to put the affair through in good shape. Reduced rates have been secured from the railroads. The farmers, both "dry" and "wet," are also to take advantage of the occasion to meet in Carlsbad in a body, and organize, in view of the fact that it is confidently expected the "Avalon" dam will have been completed this fall and water turned in the canal.

Dyspepsia is our national ailment. Burdock Blood Purifiers is the national cure for it. It strengthens stomach membranes, promotes flow of digestive juices, purifies the blood, builds you up.

**MARKET LETTER**

Special Correspondence.  
Kansas City, Mo., May 21.—The offerings from far off territory were very light last week, but included among those that did come were several loads of choice, fat Colorado steers and heifers on the Monday, which sold at \$10 to \$11.50. The steers sold at \$10 to \$11.50 and the heifers brought \$7.75. Other western hulks brought \$7.50 and some western spayed heifers sold at \$4.70, which was 10c higher than the previous week. Some Panhandle steers brought \$4.25 and some western steers sold to the killers at \$4.75.

Twenty-three thousand cattle came in the first two days of last week, after which but very few came in as the total for the week only totaled up 33,000 head, a decrease of 4,000 from the previous week. The heavy run Tuesday, upwards of 14,000 cattle, caused a decline of 10c, which was recovered by the close of the week. Had the run been evenly distributed the market would have been steady all week. Nothing from the east came in after Monday, the sales made after that day being the commodity steers held over. The run today is 9,000 head, but the market is handicapped by a heavy run at Chicago, 31,000. Light and handy-weight steers are steady with last week's close; good, heavy steers are slow and weak; plain ones, the lower top, was \$5.60 for four cars of L. S. steers, weighing 1025 pounds. One lot of Colorado steers sold to the killers at \$4.20 today; stock grades ranged from \$3.75 to \$4; Texas grassers at \$3.70.

Sheep receipts today are liberal, at 5,000 head, but the market is firm and active, spring lambs bringing \$9. Shorn westerns weighing 74 pounds, brought \$6.65, and woolled westerns, weighing 70 pounds, brought \$7.65, which was within 5c of last week's top. The market advanced from 20c to 30c last week. Arizona grassers, the first of the season, brought \$6 to \$6.10 last week. Prices on them last week were \$5 to \$5.25; Texas grassers brought \$5.37 1/2, against \$5 a year ago. With an evenly distributed supply the market is expected to hold steady all this week.

**STOCK SALES**

Kansas City, Mo., May 18.—Following were some sales in the quarantine division:

Monday, May 14.  
C. F. King, Loveland, Colo., 250 lambs, 75 pounds, \$7.50.  
Colt & Son, Las Animas, Colo., 916 lambs, 80 pounds, \$7.50.  
L. H. Kophart, Holly, Colo., 432 lambs, 70 pounds, \$7.40.  
A. Gardner, Las Animas, Colo., 644 lambs, 85 pounds, \$7.25.  
F. C. Clark, Center, Colo., 669 clip ped lambs, 68 pounds, \$6.45.  
L. H. Cheney, Monte Vista, Colo., 399 clipped lambs, 77 pounds, \$6.20.  
Continental R. Co., Comstock, Tex., 724 wethers, 90 pounds, \$5.57 1/2.  
Mr. Seares, Uvalde, Tex., 239 goats, 84 pounds, \$4.  
L. D. Newell, Del Rio, Tex., 484 goats, 95 pounds, \$3.85.  
Tuesday, May 15.  
Markham & Co., Lamar, Colo., 449 lambs, 75 pounds, \$7.50.  
J. Klinkerman, Hutchinson, Colo., 227 lambs, 70 pounds, \$7.50.  
A. Klinkerman, Las Animas, Colo., 486 lambs, 77 pounds, \$7.50.  
W. W. Randall, Rocky Ford, Colo., 1007 lambs, 73 pounds, \$7.50.  
Laguna Cattle Co., Rocky Ford, Colo., 484 lambs, 67 pounds, \$7.50.  
Colt & Son, Las Animas, Colo., 682 lambs, 75 pounds, \$7.45.  
L. D. Newell, Del Rio, Tex., 489 goats, 95 pounds, \$3.90.  
Wednesday, May 16.  
Markham & Co., Lamar, Colo., 745 lambs, 75 pounds, \$7.50.  
J. L. Bennett, La Junta, Colo., 1209 lambs, 71 pounds, \$7.60.  
Conner & A. Manzanola, Colo., 495 lambs, 63 pounds, \$7.45.  
L. D. Newell, Del Rio, Tex., 485 goats, 95 pounds, \$3.90.  
Thursday, May 17.  
L. H. Cheney, Monte Vista, Colo., 600 clipped lambs, 77 pounds, \$6.20.  
137 feeding lambs, 65 pounds, \$6.25.  
W. N. Clark, Loveland, Colo., 135 lambs, 64 pounds, \$7.50; 141 clipped lambs, 73 pounds, \$6.50.  
Markham & Co., Lamar, Colo., 475 lambs, 75 pounds, \$7.70.  
J. and F. Scott, Mesa, Ariz., 541 clipped yearlings, 81 pounds, \$4.25; 1280 clipped wethers, 85 pounds, \$4; 32 clipped ewes, 88 pounds, \$5.25.  
Friday, May 18.  
J. M. Walker, Las Animas, Colo., 484 clipped lambs, 72 pounds, \$6.65.  
A. C. Harper, Flagstaff, Ariz., 1715 clipped sheep, 87 pounds, \$6.  
J. and F. Scott, Mesa, Ariz., 1742 clipped sheep, 82 pounds, \$6.19.

The M. & K. T. has taken the initiative in applying the sealers to double-jointed, complex and compound names by reducing Scott McAlister, North McAlister, or what is known as "Old Town," will remain as it is for the present, as the reform will be inaugurated by easy stages.

## MAHARAJA OF INDIA IS A WISE FELLOW



The maharajah and maharani, photographed in New York. The spot on her forehead indicates that she is married and that her husband is living.

Special Correspondence:  
New York, May 22.—If Sir Sayaj Rao III, the maharajah of Baroda, who is now paying a visit to this country, with her highness, the maharani, and will be seen in several of the larger cities, is a fair sample of the kind of political bosses they have in "heathen" India, the local product might with profit study his habits and manners—the profit falling to the bosses.

His highness is first in rank of the Hindu princes and second of all the princes of India. He is the absolute ruler of 2,000,000 of his people. Their very lives are in his hands. He might make their parade on their hands before his wondrous self, and tax the very hairs of their camels if he wanted to.

Sitting in the midst of a group of reporters at his hotel in this city the prince looked very unassuming, considering that he is the second wealthiest man in all India, with a collection of jewels that is famous the world over, and that he was supposed to be a type of his "uncle Sam" people. In stature he is under 5 feet, and he is dark. He speaks fluent English. He has been a ruler since boyhood.

"I have come to look at you," he said. "I am especially interested in your public school system. Baroda is advancing in civilization, but not as rapidly as I wish for. We have established a school system, but it is far from complete. That is nearest to my heart, for I feel that no one can advance without education."

Our industrial development is slow, and while I am here I want to see your great steel industry."

The prince said that our missionaries in India had done great good and that he was ever thankful to them for their efforts.

"It is true that our people marry when too young," he said, when the great question of Indian child marriages was broached. "Our religious beliefs are very deeply rooted. I have made a law in my province that no one under the age of 15 shall marry. I believe that marriages should not be permitted before the principals have reached the age of 18. That is early enough."

**AN AWFUL SPELLER IS JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER**

RICHEST MAN IN THE WORLD SPELLS "GENTLEMAN" WITH A "J" AND PUTS A DOUBLE "O" IN "WHOM"—FAC SIMILE OF A LETTER HE WROTE.

Charles J. Gurney  
Dear Sir

The bearer of this is my friend W. B. Rowley, a gentleman in whom I have the greatest confidence both for his integrity and good judgment. I have invited several hundred thousand dollars in fact two or three years and I always confer with him and have not made a mistake under his advice. I take great pleasure in recommending him.

Yours truly,  
John D. Rockefeller

In 1875 John D. Rockefeller wrote a letter to Charles Gurney, chief engineer for the Lake Shore railroad, who afterwards quitted because of the Astorville wreck, recommending W. B. Rowley of Cleveland. In it the simplest words are misapplied. In a school boy of 14 should make as many as 100 mistakes, his grade card would be marked in red ink, and he would be sent to the foot of the class.

He begins "gentleman" with a "J." He spells "whom" with a double "o." Judgment is spelled "judgement." He calls the importance of real estate by beginning the words with capital letters. "Advice" is spelt, advice. All these mistakes are made on a note of thirteen lines on one side of the sheet. Here is the letter in full:

Cleveland, O. June 9-75.  
Charles Collins, Esq.  
Dear Sir:

The note is written on the simplest of paper, in purple ink. A simple "R" is at the top. The handwriting is cramped and characteristic.

While this evidence of Rockefeller's inability to spell might be taken to show that his school days were wasted on "frills and feathers" there is nothing in his business career to indicate that his arithmetic was neglected. John, as a boy, may have been a poor speller, but when it came to compounding interest, he always stood at the head of the class.

**SILVER CITY NATIONAL WILL ASK EXTENSION.**

The charter of the Silver City National bank expires on June 25 of this year, and the bank has applied to the treasury department for an extension of charter for another twenty years.

T. T. J. just plain McAlister, North McAlister, or what is known as "Old Town," will remain as it is for the present, as the reform will be inaugurated by easy stages.

**BARTENDER FACES A CHARGE OF ARSON.**

James C. Blackwell is facing a jury in the district court at Roswell on the charge of firing the Sheridan hotel, May 28, of last year. The explosion blew away twenty years' work, shortly after midnight, a serious fire broke out in the residence portion of the city. At the time, Blackwell was a bartender in the block destroyed.

## Local Happenings

(Friday, May 18.)

Mrs. John Stewart went to Springer last night on a visit to her parents. The school at District 10, Old Albuquerque and Duran, closed yesterday.

Attorney Thos. Phelan was a passenger for Santa Fe this morning on train No. 2.

Mrs. Nellie B. Field has repaired to the Field cottage on the Pecos river for the summer.

P. N. Hartwell, who has been the guest of Harvey Bittner the past three weeks, has returned to Los Angeles.

District Attorney E. C. Abbott of Santa Fe county arrived in the city last evening on business of a legal nature.

C. A. Strickland, representing the Beacon Paper company, St. Louis, is in the city on business with the local printing houses.

Rev. J. J. Jones, of the Catholic parish of Bernalillo was in the city on business. He returned to Bernalillo this afternoon.

W. C. Leonard left this morning for his home at Los Angeles after a short visit in the city looking after his Albuquerque property interests.

Clark M. Carr of the Zuni Lumber company, who was at Santa Fe on matters of business before the land commissioner, has returned to the city.

Mrs. F. H. Cross returned to her home at Santa Fe this morning after a pleasant visit in the city with her daughters, Mrs. John Fletcher and Miss Katherine Cross. The latter is recently of San Francisco.

Mrs. G. F. Powers and sister, Miss Katie Horn, will go to San Marcial on Saturday evening for a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horn. They expect to be absent from the city a week or ten days.

Attorney Ellsworth Ingalls, special attorney for the department of justice of the Indian department claims department, has returned to the city from a business trip to Washington, D. C., and a visit to his home at Alchico, Kansas.

C. A. Hawk, manager of the First Street auditorium, announced today that the swimming pool would be opened for business tomorrow, Ed. Fluke, who successfully managed the pool last season, will be in charge again this year.

Jesse Wheelock, the Deaver life insurance agent, left for the north this morning after a pleasant visit in the city with old friends. Mr. Wheelock was one of the pioneers of Albuquerque, having come to the place at the beginning and remaining fifteen years.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Purney and children left yesterday on the flyer for southern California. They will visit all the resorts adjacent to Los Angeles, and before returning to Albuquerque will take the night train to San Francisco. They will be absent a couple of months or more.

The pupils of the Old Albuquerque and Duran public schools, in answer to an appeal sent out by Territorial Superintendent of Public Instruction Hiram Hadley, for donations to a fund to assist in building a school in devastated San Francisco, sent yesterday to Prof. Hadley \$4.10 to be applied to this fund.

Half a dozen little tots, ranging in age from 6 to 10 years, are having a fine time bathing in the acacia just back of the Highland Pharmacy on East Railroad avenue.

Complaints have reached this office on the practice of the naked children playing in the water right in town, and parents should supply their little fellows with bath tubs at home.

Albert J. Cook, who is in the city visiting his brother, C. E. Cook, traveling freight and passenger agent for the Santa Fe, received yesterday a telegram saying that he had been successful in passing the examination to enter the United States naval academy at Annapolis. Mr. Cook received his appointment to Annapolis through Congressman Mann of Illinois.

D. J. Matthews and daughter, Miss Doris, arrived last night from Lethbridge, Canada, and will remain two weeks, visiting his brothers, J. E. and A. E. Matthews. The visitor resided in Albuquerque about five years ago at which time he was a druggist. He now conducts a drug store of his own back in Canada, and reports himself in good health and prosperous.

Judge A. L. Kendall of Cerrillos came in from Belen this morning, and will continue on to Cerrillos tonight. The judge made a trip over the Belen cut-off, and he pronounces it the finest piece of railroad work he ever traveled over. There are no rough places and the train moved over the new rails much easier than they do over many places on the main line.

Word reached the city last night that a native boy by the name of Alberto Sanchez was so badly beaten over the head in the old town of San Marcial on Wednesday night that he was not expected to live. His assailant was a man named Carmody and the weapon was a revolver used as a club. The cause of the trouble is thought to have been too much native wine.

The waters of the Rio Grande still continue to rush along under the Barajas bridge at a very rapid rate and although the bridge has been somewhat repaired danger signs still hang out. The water is still as high as at any time the past few days, and warm days and nights will have a tendency to bring down more water from the surrounding mountains. However, there is no danger at present of an overflow as the water is no where near the dykes yet.

Captain Schell of the Schlusser company, an equestrian of great fame, gave an exhibition of fancy riding on the corner of Second street and Railroad avenue this morning at 10:30 o'clock. The captain was astride the pacing horse, Boone, but the animal, who shows symptoms of cowardice when an automobile is in sight, had his way. The captain, in order to sustain his reputation, jockeyed a short time around the corner, after which Boone proudly strutted off in opposite direction to that from the automobiles.

(Saturday, May 19.)

N. E. Stevens left on the flyer to-day for the west.

Attorney E. V. Chavez is in Santa Fe on legal business.

Frank Hansen, a gardener of this city, has come to Santa Fe on business.

Raymond Blum, who has been a student at Cornell, arrived home to-day for his vacation.

John Mueller and Ernest Zweiger of the John Becker company, are spending the day in the city.

J. P. Hill, of Fort Madison, Iowa, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. G. W. Smith, at 521 East Railroad avenue.

W. P. Johnson, president of the American Lumber company, returned to the city last night from a business trip east.

J. G. Sutherland, agent for the Armour Packing company, returned last night from a two weeks' meat selling trip through Arizona.

E. M. Johnson, representing the Whitson Music company, has returned to the city from a prolonged business trip to Silver City.

A. J. Frank and his friend, Captain E. Myerburg, returned to Albuquerque this morning, after a short sight-seeing trip to the city.

W. J. Garfield returned to the city last night from the Upper Rio Pecos where he spent a few days angling for the festive trout.

Dr. P. A. Jones, the mining engineer, left last night on a professional trip to Lincoln county. Dr. Jones will leave the railroad at White Oaks.

W. J. B. Maupin left this morning for Los Angeles, where she will join Mr. Maupin, who is traveling over the state of California for a soda water company.

Dr. J. E. Kraft, the well known dentist, who was called to San Marcial this morning, is expected to return to the city tomorrow morning.

Max B. Fitch, general manager for the Southwestern Lead and Coal company, operating in the Cabello mountains, central New Mexico, is registered at the Alvarado.

Gravener Clarkson, the special agent of the general land office, who has been operating in the Roswell neighborhood under various circumstances, is resting up in the territorial capital.

E. Dana Johnson, of the Morning Journal staff, left yesterday for a six weeks' vacation and the agent of his children in the vine-clad hills of West Virginia.

Miss Sarah Vall of Arkansas, who is in the city the guest of Mrs. W. Y. Whitson, will be the guest of honor at a picnic in Bear canyon to be given tomorrow by a young society crowd.

Ramon Silva, who has been absent from the city for some time past, on a visit to his parents at Belen, and relatives in El Paso, returned this morning, much improved in appearance by his outing.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Kent, Mrs. E. L. Medler and Miss Mary Spaulding leave this evening for California for the summer. The Kents expect to take a cottage at Ocean Park, near Los Angeles.

Wat King, who has held forth at the White Elephant for some time, and who has many friends in the riding circles, left today on the limited train for Williams, Ariz., where he will remain indefinitely.

Rev. A. J. Mortimer, the superintendent of English missions of the Methodist Episcopal church, is in the city today from El Paso, and will hold services tomorrow at the Lead Avenue Methodist church.

United States Marshal C. M. Parker left this morning for Blackburn, Okla., where Mrs. Parker and children are visiting relatives. Mr. Parker expects to return home in ten days, accompanied by his family.

F. F. Trotter, the South Second street grocer, who accompanied Mrs. Trotter and daughter to Los Angeles, has returned, and reports having had a fine time. Mrs. Trotter and daughter will remain in southern California during the summer.

Jay Stone, representing the music house of Leonard & Lindemann, returned this morning from an extended business trip to Gallup and other McKinley county towns. During the trip Mr. Stone mastered the strenuous ordeal of moving a new Czeilian piano from Gallup overland to Black Rock, where the instrument had been purchased by Trifilio Duran, a wealthy sheep man.

After a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Walton, Mrs. Ralph Hunt continued north yesterday morning. Mr. Hunt went on the flyer with a train load of cattle. They will remain during the summer months at Fountain, Colo.

The New Mexican says: Mrs. R. K. Mound, of Albuquerque, and Miss Edna Poole, of Monte Vista, Colo., arrived from the former city and registered at the Palace. They left over the Denver & Rio Grande railroad for Monte Vista, where they will visit Miss Poole's home in Monte Vista.

T. E. Purdy, local agent for the Santa Fe, expects to leave on Tuesday for Oklahoma City, Okla., for the purpose of bringing his family to Albuquerque to reside. Mrs. Purdy and children have spent the winter at Oklahoma City, to avoid breathing into the schools of the children.

Colonel Rogers, of the Elks' transportation committee, to secure rates to the Denver convention, has received notice of the following rates: From Albuquerque and return, \$18.50; from Belen and return, \$20.00; from Socorro and return, \$21.50; from Magdalena and San Marcial, \$23.50.

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The Barcelona Grays defeated the retail clerks in a hot game of base ball on the Barajas grounds yesterday by a score of 8 to 3.

William M. Berger, the Helen real estate agent, spent Sunday in the city talking of the general land office, who has been operating in the Roswell neighborhood under various circumstances, is resting up in the territorial capital.

E. Dana Johnson, of the Morning Journal staff, left yesterday for a six weeks' vacation and the agent of his children in the vine-clad hills of West Virginia.

Miss Sarah Vall of Arkansas, who is in the city the guest of Mrs. W. Y. Whitson, will be the guest of honor at a picnic in Bear canyon to be given tomorrow by a young society crowd.

Ramon Silva, who has been absent from the city for some time past, on a visit to his parents at Belen, and relatives in El Paso, returned this morning, much improved in appearance by his outing.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Kent, Mrs. E. L. Medler and Miss Mary Spaulding leave this evening for California for the summer. The Kents expect to take a cottage at Ocean Park, near Los Angeles.

Wat King, who has held forth at the White Elephant for some time, and who has many friends in the riding circles, left today on the limited train for Williams, Ariz., where he will remain indefinitely.

Rev. A. J. Mortimer, the superintendent of English missions of the Methodist Episcopal church, is in the city today from El Paso, and will hold services tomorrow at the Lead Avenue Methodist church.

United States Marshal C. M. Parker left this morning for Blackburn, Okla., where Mrs. Parker and children are visiting relatives. Mr. Parker expects to return home in ten days, accompanied by his family.

F. F. Trotter, the South Second street grocer, who accompanied Mrs. Trotter and daughter to Los Angeles, has returned, and reports having had a fine time. Mrs. Trotter and daughter will remain in southern California during the summer.

Jay Stone, representing the music house of Leonard & Lindemann, returned this morning from an extended business trip to Gallup and other McKinley county towns. During the trip Mr. Stone mastered the strenuous ordeal of moving a new Czeilian piano from Gallup overland to Black Rock, where the instrument had been purchased by Trifilio Duran, a wealthy sheep man.

After a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Walton, Mrs. Ralph Hunt continued north yesterday morning. Mr. Hunt went on the flyer with a train load of cattle. They will remain during the summer months at Fountain, Colo.

The New Mexican says: Mrs. R. K. Mound, of Albuquerque, and Miss Edna Poole, of Monte Vista, Colo., arrived from the former city and registered at the Palace. They left over the Denver & Rio Grande railroad for Monte Vista, where they will visit Miss Poole's home in Monte Vista.

T. E. Purdy, local agent for the Santa Fe, expects to leave on Tuesday for Oklahoma City, Okla., for the purpose of bringing his family to Albuquerque to reside. Mrs. Purdy and children have spent the winter at Oklahoma City, to avoid breathing into the schools of the children.

Colonel Rogers, of the Elks' transportation committee, to secure rates to the Denver convention, has received notice of the following rates: From Albuquerque and return, \$18.50; from Belen and return, \$20.00; from Socorro and return, \$21.50; from Magdalena and San Marcial, \$23.50.

August Barthels of St. Louis, vice president of the Last Great street railway company, is in the city, accompanied by Joseph Jordan, the Philadelphia cigar manufacturer. When approached by the reporter, both gentlemen were profuse in announcing that they were visiting Albuquerque on pleasure and nothing more.

As a memento of his residence at the Alvarado, Manager Cheatham will carry away with him a silver match box, which is a present to him from the "bell boys" of the big hotel. The present was tendered last night. The bell boys refused to be out done by the other employees of the hotel, who gave Mr. Cheatham a gold headed cane on Wednesday evening.

Outing Agent Charles E. Deaconette, of the Indian employment service, left last night for the Colorado beet fields, taking with him some forty-eight Indians from this vicinity, who will be put to work in the fields. The Indians were all attired in khaki trousers furnished by the government, and coats of dark material, and attracted quite a bit of attention at the depot.

Mrs. Philip Hartman, while out riding yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Carl Hoffman, suffered an accident that resulted in a number of bruises

and a broken arm. The ladies were returning from a drive in the northern part of the city and were crossing an avenue on the North Fourth street road, when the horse shied, overturning the buggy and throwing Mrs. Hartman to the ground with the above results. Mrs. Hoffman was not injured.

# Railroad Topics

It is understood that Harvey paid \$25,000 for the furniture and fixtures in the dining room at the Union depot in El Paso.

Conductor and Mrs. Jack Murray passed up the road for Las Vegas the other day. Mr. Murray is now a conductor on the Mexican Central. He was formerly on a run on the Santa Fe.

James Callahan, age 40 years, employed by the Southwestern as a switchman in the Douglas yards, was fatally injured at the water tank at that place the other night. He was taken to the Calumet & Arizona hospital where an examination of his injuries showed that he could not live.

Another party of capitalists and prospective investors in the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient railway will arrive in El Paso May 22. President E. A. Stilwell of the Orient will be in charge of the party. The usual trip to Mexico City will be made and the party will be entertained in true Stilwell fashion.

The Santa Fe, the Erie, and other roads have adopted steel cars for the mail service. Santa Fe is also having fifty steel underframe smoking cars built. One of the main factors in converting the railroads to the use of steel in the passenger service is the material saving in the loss of life. The greatest railway fatalities occur in the smoking cars, and with steel frames the fatalities are greatly reduced and frequently prevented.

**RATES ANNOUNCED FOR CLOUDCROFT**  
Summer rates to Cloudcroft over points on the El Paso & Southwestern have been announced by the passenger department of the road. Low rate round trip tickets will be sold beginning June 1st, every day of the summer to and including September 25th.

Daily tickets good for return any time during the season will be sold for \$5, while a \$2 rate will go on every Saturday, good to return no later than the Monday following date of sale. This latter ticket applies only to El Paso, Newman and Jarilla Junction. Low rates are also given for other points on the Southwestern as far north as Santa Rosa.

**PULLMAN PEOPLE MAKE CONTRACT WITH MEXICO COMPANY**  
Through the terms of a contract which has been entered into by the Mexican Car and Foundry company and the Pullman company the latter has secured a place in which its Mexican equipment can be repaired and overhauled. The Pullman company took up the proposition some time ago and for a time it was believed that the company would build a small repair shop in Mexico City. The contract with the car and foundry company will make this unnecessary.

The Pullman company now operates cars on almost every railroad line in the republic both narrow and standard gauge. The company's many cars in the republic are from time to time in accidents, wrecks and other necessary repairs. With the new arrangement it will be possible to get the cars back into the service in much less time than before. The Mexican Car and Foundry company will do the repair and overhauling work for the company and will inspect all of the Pullman equipment that comes to Mexico. The car works, the first to be damaged since the contract became effective, is now in the shops at Hatchville.

**TRAIN ROBBERS MUST REMAIN IN JAIL**  
Assistant United States Attorney E. L. Medler yesterday afternoon moved a motion to continue the case of the United States vs. Jack Black, Jim Black and John Murphy, charged with holding up a United States mail train at Logan, N. M., three years ago, on trial at Las Vegas. The ground was that Doc Butler, an important witness, had been seriously injured and could not be present this term.

Butler was in the Chickasha jail accused of horse stealing and will testify that the Black boys confessed to him that they robbed the train. The indictment against Butler was returned and he has testified at both of the former trials against the lads. He confessed at the last trial to having been a horse thief. The motion for continuance will be bitterly fought.

The three accused men have been in jail at Las Vegas for two years. At the last trial the jury stood eleven to one for acquittal and at the first trial seven to five.

At the last trial four witnesses, including J. J. Thomas, manager of the Sunnyside mine, Denver, swore positively that the men were on the train the morning of the day on which the train was held up. There is so strong a belief at Las Vegas that the boys are innocent, that Las Vegas people have contributed a considerable amount of money toward their defense. There is a large reward offered to amount to \$15,000, and every effort is being made by the Rock Island and other to secure conviction. It seems likely that a motion for continuance will be granted despite the hardship it will inflict upon the prisoners, who are without means and cannot give bond.

**TRAINS OF STEEL ARE EN ROUTE TO REBUILD FRISCO.**  
Cars filled with materials for the rebuilding of San Francisco are passing through El Paso with a rush, says the Herald. The Southwestern and Rock Island roads handled thirty cars loaded with steel, lumber and iron, from eastern foundries and lumber mills, which are billed to San Francisco, with instructions to hurry the shipments with all possible speed.

Notice has been received at the general freight office of the Southwestern that many train loads of these materials are coming, and for several months, at least, all supplies of this kind will be handled by this route, owing to a blockade of the Union Pacific at Ogden. Relief supplies are being handled over the northern route into the stricken city, and so great has been the traffic of this class that Ogden is in a state of congestion which cannot be cleared for some time, as the shipment of provisions to Ogden is dependent upon the city must continue for some time.

Shipments coming in over the Southwestern are turned over to the

# CONTEMPTIBLE IS A STANDARD OIL PARASITE

## War Between Telephone Companies Does New York City Good.

## Mark Twain's Illness Makes Great Stir in New York City.

Special Correspondence.

New York, May 19.—James R. Day, D. D., chancellor of the Syracuse University, occupied the apex of sensationism last week, and there are still rumblings that, like San Francisco's big earthquake, start other neighborhoods. Mr. Day is quite a sensational man, and there's no telling what a day will bring forth. In taking hold of the standard oil question, he just naturally stepped on a mine, and in a night, a terrible war was declared. He called the president of the United States an anarchist, and later hinted that impeachment proceedings would just about fill the bill, for assailing private rights and naming persons in his message.

Mr. Day is a great lover of Standard Oil and its officials. He plainly states that he will take all the "tabbies" he can get. Mr. Archibald, of the Standard Oil company, has the Syracuse University under his wing, being its largest benefactor, and many are the little and big donations that he has dropped into its treasury, and more, much more, is expected. Mr. Day just couldn't help but get into the way he did, for the president has hurt his friends. Dr. Day was a candidate for bishop, six years ago, and stayed in the hospital three days, and the bishop-elect of the Methodist church, refrained from electing him. If it had elevated him to the bishopric, and he had belched out as he has done, in such an unseemly fashion, there would have been a howl in the denomination that might have almost killed him. A great many Methodist divines smiled when they read his philippic against the president, and said, "Oh, that's just Day." But it is not probable that any member of congress will take up the case of Dr. Day's idea, and start the ball rolling for Roosevelt's impeachment. Meanwhile, however, matters go on apace. The Standard Oil company, unlike its previous acts, has opened a publicity department, and is answering all the questions asked in the most liberal manner possible. It proposes now to argue with and convince the public.

**Improved Telephone Service.**  
These are curious times. Here's the great New York Telephone company using pages of the newspapers in reaching the public. It is trying to convince the public and the business men of New York City that it is better to have but one system of telephones in the great city. It argues that the telephone business is different from any other business, and that the telephone would be a better system than the present one. It argues that the telephone business is different from any other business, and that the telephone would be a better system than the present one.

**GOES TO SLEEP ON RAILS AND INJURED**  
While asleep beside the railroad track last Wednesday afternoon, Willie Whitely, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Whitney of Cedar Hill was almost killed by the train, says the Farmington Times. All except the last coach had passed the boy when he awoke, threw up one hand on the rail and the wheels cut off two fingers and mangled the hand. The little fellow was taken to Durango on the train and reports from there say the hand saved with the exception of two fingers.

**DRURY GOES TO RATON.**  
The Santa Fe has seen fit to transfer M. J. Drury, master mechanic at Winslow, to Raton, the change to take place at the earliest time. Convenient to Mr. Drury, H. S. Wall of Harlow, Cal., succeeds Mr. Drury at Winslow. Master Mechanic Drury first entered the service of the Santa Fe at Topeka, Kan., as a machinist in 1889; was promoted to general foreman at La Junta, Colo., in 1933; was transferred to Arkansas City, Kan., in 1935; was promoted to division foreman and later master mechanic at Winslow, which position he assumed on August 26, 1935.

A good complexion is impossible with the stomach out of order. It is, in fact, the most important part of the body, and if it is not kept in good health, the whole system will suffer. The stomach is the foundation of the body, and if it is not kept in good health, the whole system will suffer. The stomach is the foundation of the body, and if it is not kept in good health, the whole system will suffer.

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**Discoverer of the Hudson.**  
It is at 1-2-3 authoritatively settled what was the name of the great navigator who first sailed up the noble Hudson river, and after whom it was named. The name chosen for the river was named in honor of the great discoverer of the Hudson.

**WATER AT SOCORRO**  
Max Kirchman returned to Socorro from a trip to Chicago in the interest of his Bohemian colony project. Mr. Kirchman will go over to Roswell in a day or two to make final arrangements with a well drilling outfit to begin drilling for water on the mesa west of Socorro. He is pushing his colonization project with all possible vigor.

**A VICIOUS HORSE STRIKES JAMES PHILLIPS**  
James Phillips, who has a prosperous cattle ranch out near Florida station, came to Denning with several large cubs, caused by a vicious horse rearing and striking him. The cubbit was a small horse, but it was still rather wild. Jim says he is getting along all right, and thinks he is still able to combat the fates that seem to hang over him.

# COLONEL HOPEWELL GIVES INTERVIEW

## Concerning Purchase of Territorial Timber, Lands and Denies Fraud Intent.

SAYS HE SHOULD BE BLAMED

(Friday, May 18.)  
W. S. Hopewell, general manager of the Pennsylvania Development company, who was at Santa Fe yesterday on business with the territorial land commission, returned to the city last night, and this morning, on being met by a Citizen representative, and on a question as to any further developments in the alleged charge of fraudulent purchase of territorial lands by his company, he said: "The Evening Citizen has covered the matter pretty thoroughly in the issue of Wednesday, and also yesterday, and now it is up to the government to act." "However," continued Mr. Hopewell, "while in Santa Fe yesterday I was seen by a representative from the New Mexican, and interviewed. There is no necessity for your writing for the interview, but I am out of the New Mexican, which came down on the same train with me last night, and I would be pleased to see the article in The Citizen."

**Land Purchased.**  
"Seven thousand, eight hundred acres of timber land in the Manzano mountains were purchased by myself and others at the rate of \$2 per acre, and in accordance with the rules and regulations governing the sale of the same from the territorial land commission, under the laws of congress and under laws passed by the legislative assembly of the territory of New Mexico. The purchase of these lands complies in every detail with the law, and the rules and regulations as far as they became known to them or were demanded by the territorial land commission. As far as I know, Delegate Andrews does not own a foot of timber land in New Mexico. I was not agent of Delegate Andrews in the purchase of 7,800 acres, but acted as agent for those associated with me in the matter of the purchase of said lands. The Pennsylvania Development company was then engaged in building the Santa Fe Central railway, certainly a very proper and laudable enterprise. The price paid to the territory for the lands was \$2 per acre, which was at that time the ruling figure, and was deemed very fair by all who purchased timber lands and by the representatives of the territory. Part of the purchase price, \$100,000, was paid in cash, and the remainder of the purchase price, \$100,000, was secured by a note bearing 6 per cent interest, upon which the interest has been paid regularly up to this date, and which note is amply secured by the lands which are placed in security in the land commissioner's office. The transaction was made openly and above board; there was no juggling and no secrecy; it was reported in the newspapers at the time it was made; there was no secrecy; there was no necessity for secrecy, and there is no room for it. The transaction was one of many similar ones made by the land commission of the territory. Delegate Andrews had no connection with it except as a director of the Pennsylvania Development company. The transaction was not a personal one, which has been the case in many other cases, but was a business transaction, and he has been absolutely no interest in the transaction."

**Accused With.**  
"The records of the territorial land commission will show that territorial lands have been sold in the same manner and at the same price, and that about 65,000 acres have been sold to persons, associations and corporations. The amount of land purchased in this instance is comparatively small, and why this company should be singled out for an attack in the public prints is a mystery to me and is unquestionably a gross outrage on a private corporation that is completely innocent in every particular with the law of the territory under which it operates. It is a corporation which has brought much money into New Mexico, and which from its organization has been engaged in the development of the resources of the territory. The main object of the purchase of these lands was to secure a valuable amount of timber for use and for bridges, in its proposed construction of a railroad line from Torrance to Santa Fe and Albuquerque to Santa Fe county. 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## Albuquerque Outlook

The Citizen could take up a number of other enterprises and industries in which the territory is making great progress and of all of which it is true that the territory's chief city must derive a greater or less benefit, in proportion to the nearness or remoteness of the locality of the developing industry. But these already mentioned must suffice. There is another element in the amount of benefit which Albuquerque will derive from the development of New Mexico's prosperity—an element the presence of which will counteract distance, and the absence of which will nullify nearness. This element is the earnest, persistent and wise effort on the part of Albuquerque to secure the benefits which are rightfully hers, because all of her advantages, location and community of interests with the whole territory.

This city cannot expect to sit at ease, with folded hands and bandaged eyes, and have the wealth of the territory poured into her lap. She must be up and doing—wise to see, active to search for, and ready to seize the birthright which is hers by all the possibilities of nature. Only she need be mentioned today.

Albuquerque should be the wholesale distributing point for New Mexico. Man-made traumas have bound her hands and her feet in her race for commercial supremacy, but the day of deliverance is at hand. The senate has passed the railway rate bill. The house will not doubt concur. Thus the way is opened for Albuquerque's escape from the discriminations which have so long kept her from the goal of her legitimate ambition.

But these shackles of restriction will not fall away of their own accord. The rate bill will not apply its remedy unless Albuquerque invoke its aid. It seems to The Citizen that the merchants of this city should organize either in connection with the Commercial club or in a separate and distinct Merchants Exchange, for the purpose of securing reasonable and proportional rates into and out of Albuquerque. The organized action cannot be taken too soon. All preliminary arrangements can be made so that the city may demand her rights as soon as the rate bill becomes a law.

## Matters Financial

According to Henry Clews, in his Weekly Financial Review, May 19, the foreign loans to this country are estimated by some as high as \$400,000,000, which will have to be met in the next few months.

He finds, however, cause of congratulation in the fact that our foreign trade is growing at almost a record breaking pace. The imports of domestic products in April were \$107,000,000, or \$12,000,000 larger than a year ago. In fact, they have been exceeded only three times. Our exports in April were \$145,000,000, or \$16,000,000 in excess of last year. This leaves the trade balance for the month \$37,000,000 in our favor, compared with \$35,000,000 a year ago. For the ten months of the fiscal year the excess of exports over imports has been \$467,500,000, or \$128,900,000 more than a year ago. Our gold imports in April were \$15,000,000, compared with \$2,500,000 a year ago; and for the ten months of the fiscal year ending April total gold imports have been \$59,000,000, or \$10,000,000 in excess of the same time last year. These returns demonstrate that the international movements are entirely in our favor—a factor of supreme importance at a time when our domestic money market not only has before it all the demands which it can possibly meet, but would be obliged to seek assistance from abroad in case of further expansion.

Railroad earnings also continue very encouraging. Fifty-six roads in the month of April reported gross earnings of \$52,400,000, an increase of nearly 12 per cent over last year. These are surprising figures in view of the disturbance caused by the coal strike, which, however, may be more seriously reflected in later returns. Industrial activity continues unabated. Enormous orders have been placed for steel rails, some of them for delivery as far ahead as 1907. There are 730,000 tons already on the order books of American rail mills, and other important contracts are pending, which will soon bring the total up to 1,000,000 tons.

## New Mexican's Growth

The Citizen heartily congratulates the New Mexican on its enlargement of form and its improvement in appearance. It now divides with The Citizen the honor of being the largest daily paper published in the territory, nor should it be forgotten that the New Mexican management was driven to the change by compulsion. It made the change of its own free will and accord—first, because it was able to do so; and, second, that it might give its patrons the benefit of an enlarged service. Santa Fe should show that it appreciates the improvement in its paper by an enlargement of its patronage. Speaking of the enlargement, Colonel Frost says:

The progress made since the Civil war in the publishing of newspapers, in the gathering of news, to printing it on power presses, is exemplified in the history of the Daily New Mexican. From a small four column quarto with less than 10,000 ems of reading matter to the seven column eight page paper containing 70,000 ems of telegraphic, territorial and local news; from the printing of foreign tidings over two months old to printing the news of events that occurred at the Antipodes only a few hours ago is but a span of forty-three years, but years of tremendous achievements, of marvelous occurrences, all faithfully chronicled day after day in the columns of the Daily New Mexican. It is only a generation from the day that the Daily New Mexican was set by hand by the proprietor and one assistant, and the present when the New Mexican Printing company pays \$10,000 a year in wages alone, an amount that expended among local merchants, man mean the difference between a losing and a profitable business. But one instance of the direct bearing of a large newspaper plant upon the life of a community; for many years the postage bill of the New Mexican Printing company has kept the Santa Fe postoffice in the second class, giving it free delivery of mail.

## Dry Farming Success

Jan. B. Whitmore, who came to New Mexico in 1869 and settled at Gallinas Springs, south of Las Vegas and about half way to Santa Rosa, was in Las Vegas the other day, where he is probably one of the best known men who visit that city. Mr. Whitmore is at present a temporary resident of Tucuman, though he still owns his ranch property at Gallinas Springs. Yesterday he said to a representative of the Las Vegas Optic:

The country is filling up in Quay county. At a low estimate 600 families have moved into that county this spring, and many settlers came in last year and before that time.

There is no doubt at all about the success of dry farming. It is no longer an experiment. Nature in all countries provides the means best adapted to the country. We have never had any good farming until recent years, on any large scale. The temporal farming, as it is called, carried on here is no fair test, because the temporal farmers do not properly cultivate the soil. They scratch it over with little one horse plows, and pay but little attention after planting. Given a stout team, a big plow and a man of good common sense and industry behind it, and the dry farming will be a success. Jim Johnson, near Tucuman, has for years been following the Campbell methods and raising good crops. Of course some years the crops will be better than others. It is so in all countries. Some farmers will succeed better than others. That is so everywhere, but with good seed selection, persistent and intelligent effort there is no doubt of success.

This country should and can raise a large amount of forage and feed stuff for the fattening of live stock. In Quay county the settlers are doing well. Within ten years, with proper effort, this country will make a wonderful change for the better.

## Equal Rate Demanded

Albuquerque is by no means the only place against which there was railway discrimination under the old regime. Even so great a city as St. Louis finds itself in the same predicament. Speaking along the same lines as those covered by The Citizen's editorial last evening—and, by the way, The Citizen is much pleased to see its positions so ably endorsed by the Journal this morning—the Globe Democrat said the other day:

"The communication sent by the Business Men's league to the freight committee of the eastern lines at St. Louis contains a series of unanswerable arguments for the equitable treatment of this city. The special charges this city is required to pay, and which are a distinct handicap upon it, are so great in amount that their totals are withheld from the public. Publicity in this respect has long been denied, for the simple reason that full knowledge of the extra millions gathered here by railroads entering from the east would intensify the conviction that St. Louis is not getting fair treatment in comparison with other large cities. The Business Men's league, in common with citizens generally, asks that St. Louis, like other cities, be made a basing point, and be freed from the exactions now resting upon it exclusively. \* \* \* St. Louis is exceptionally loaded down and told to compete as best it can with other cities that bear no such burden, and whose terminals within their own limits are under constant improvement. Give St. Louis a fair deal."

As the business men of St. Louis formed a league and took up this matter of unequal rates, so should the business men of Albuquerque, organize to carry this question up to the railway officials, and if necessary up to the Interstate Commerce commission itself.

## State Bill Results

One of the most conservative presentations of the outcome of the rate bill legislation in the senate, which The Citizen has thus far seen, is the following from the Courier Journal: As might have been foreseen, the president, brought face to face with the issue of his own preference and a breach in his party, obtains the best terms he can for himself, and holds to his party. \* \* \* That Mr. Aldrich has played his hand skillfully, even mercifully, the Tillman lead, in the outset a master-stroke, whilst holding the good but still pliant Allison in reserve, and his best cards close to his bosom for the final coup, is merely to say that the Rhode Island senator is an amateur, because, from the professional point of view and from the first, he had all the advantages which, in gambling, are known to belong to "the house."

The president stood for the occasion in the attitude of a rank outsider. To the regular republicans of the senate, as far as the rate bill went, he was "the entire stranger," to be wheedled, or drugged, as the case might require, but in any and every event, to be deceived. \* \* \* Nevertheless, though we get nothing to speak of in the rate bill, and though the various trust institutions come to nothing, the country will owe a great debt to Theodore Roosevelt. He has done in a day, as it were, what no other man could have done in a decade; brought the people to a realization of the existence and operations of that insidious power, which has been ever since the war of sections, stealthily intruding itself at Washington, and reaching thence into the manufacturing districts and the money centers, and slowly, but surely, preparing to replace the oligarchy of African slavery with the oligarchy of organized money.

## Russian Situation

The Outlook has this to say concerning the political condition in Russia, and says it truly and well:

"In spite of the peaceful, and, in a way, promising opening of the dooms, all the elements of a tragedy are in the situation at St. Petersburg; an aroused people determined to have their rights; a stolid and ignorant peasantry who may be swept by gusts of destructive passion; a small, resolute group of revolutionists eager to take any opportunity to overthrow the existing order; a large group of highly organized officials determined to preserve order and a well-meaning and vacillating ruler who changes his mind from day to day."

New Mexican: The friends of Granville A. Richardson of Roswell are at work to secure his nomination as the democratic candidate for delegate to the sixteenth congress, should such an official be voted for in this fall's campaign. They are at work with a will and vim and propose to land the nomination for their candidate. Letters from Mr. Richardson himself, and from his friends, have been received lately by prominent democratic politicians and the political Richardson pot is already at a boiling heat. It is evident that he and his friends are of the belief that the untimely democracy stands a good show in this fall's campaign in the Sunshine Territory. This need not alarm the republicans. Should a delegate be voted for, the history of the last four campaigns will repeat itself, no matter what the name of the democratic candidate shall or will be. In the meantime, the situation will soon become interesting and that is what the newspapers want.

Improvement of the roads is always in order. The New Mexican has been making a specialty of that theme for months, and will have full need of continuing its exhortations for months to come. For twenty-two years this writer knows that the public roads of New Mexico have been execrable. In the very edge of this city, the road down the valley is impassable, and travelers must go through the hog ranch of the city scavenger either to come to town or go down the valley by the valley road. The business men will do well to take this matter in hand, for there should be no restrictions on local trade by bad roads, any more than upon wholesale trade by discriminating railroad exactions.

New Mexican: The New Mexican potato is an aristocrat. It loves to dwell on mountain peaks and the best tubers are raised on the peaks of the Pecos, Sacramento and Black ranges. Fortunately, the territory has enough of its acreage at an elevation of 10,000 feet and more to give ground sufficient for raising all the potatoes that are consumed in the southwest. Potato farming is profitable and easy and it is a wonder that instead of 50,000 bushels a year the farmers of New Mexico do not raise annually half a million dollars worth of the tubers.

Gallup Republican: It is reported that Hon. B. S. Roddy is the recipient of an appointment to the highest office in the judiciary of Porto Rico. Mr. Roddy has not confirmed the report, but it is from such a good source that it is believed by his friends. Certainly the ex-delegate from this territory is deserving of political recognition from the people of New Mexico and should he decide not to accept the island appointment he will be placed in an honorable office by the people of Arizona the Great at a time not far in the future.

Otero Advertiser: A great many of our farmers and ranchmen are preparing to put in their crops in the near future. They are not inclined to depend on "dry farming" alone to raise them to maturity, but rather to let the flood waters do the irrigating and cultivating also. It seems that industrious cultivation with the proper tools would be all the better. A crop was never killed by over cultivation if it was done rightly.

Tucuman News: Major Llewellyn is in Washington talking staidhood. He believes that New Mexico is entitled to admission, whether Arizona is to come in or not. That is exactly what we think about this matter. We believe the family row with Arizona should be discontinued.

The Philadelphia Public Ledger raises a significant question when it declares: "The \$100,000 it will cost to get the dry dock Dorey through the Rues canal would have been saved if the dry dock had been built on the Pacific coast." Why, therefore was it necessary to waste this \$100,000 just to have it built on the Atlantic coast? Why, except that when the public funds are considered economy is not one of the first rules as it is in the management of a private business.

## Local Happenings

(Tuesday, May 22.)

Attorney J. Beach was a northbound passenger this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. McGuire, of Hefen, are spending the day in the city.

R. L. Woodson has returned from a real estate business trip to El Paso.

C. E. Newcomer, deputy United States marshal, was in Roswell last Saturday on official business.

Mrs. Ben Lind, of Hilo, N. M., left for her home in that place last night, after a pleasant visit in this city.

Mrs. F. N. Hagen, of South Second street, left this morning on a pleasure trip to Colorado Springs and Denver.

Mrs. M. J. Rankin, of Portland, Ore., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. G. B. Anderson, at 402 West Silver avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. de Tullio, and daughter, are visiting Santa Fe relatives and friends, have returned to the city.

William Vaughan, proprietor of the Palace hotel, Santa Fe, was here yesterday on some land matters. He returned north this morning.

Effie Back, district attorney of Socorro county, was in the city yesterday returning home last evening on the midnight train.

Tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock in Judge Abbott's chambers civil cases will come up for assignment and attorneys interested will govern themselves accordingly.

Contraband A. Langhlin is in the city from Trinidad, Colo., where he is just completing a river wall for that city. The wall is 500 feet long and is built of concrete.

Dr. G. W. Harrison, president of the territorial board of health, is in Santa Fe attending the second annual meeting of the board, which will be in session several days.

Hon. J. W. Reynolds, secretary of the territory, has departed for Chicago to attend the annual meeting of the association of secretaries of the several states and territories.

Harry Brown, of O. W. Brown's Sons, leaves this evening with his family, for Long Beach, Cal. Mr. Brown seeks the coast in anticipation of recuperating from a bad case of a gripe.

Charles Boettger, proprietor of the Sunnyside hotel, is a great sufferer these days from rheumatism, kidney and liver troubles, and he will in a few days visit the Jemez Hot Springs.

There will be a meeting of Triple Link Rebekah Lodge No. 10, I. O. O. F., at 8 o'clock, at the city hall, Friday afternoon at 8 o'clock sharp. All members and all visiting members requested to be present.

N. H. Amicus, watch inspector for the Santa Fe, on the Rio Grande division, returned this morning from an official trip over the road. Mr. Amicus is in the city on business.

Mrs. H. B. Yewell and son, Paul, will leave tonight for Long Beach, Cal., where they will spend the summer. In the fall, Paul will enter a military school at Los Angeles, and city will be the future home of himself and his brother.

J. J. Johnson, the stage owner and driver, will leave tomorrow morning, bright and early, for the famous Jemez Hot Springs. W. F. Switzer and family will go along with him, and will remain at the springs for a couple of weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. Edmund Clayton are happy over the arrival at their home Sunday evening of a baby girl. The little lady is reported doing nicely, and Mrs. Clayton, together with her husband, is receiving the congratulations of many friends.

Dr. Nathan Abbott, head of the law department of the Stanford university, was in the city last evening for a short time, the guest of H. F. Blinn, en route to Chicago, where he will give two courses of lectures at the Chicago university during the summer.

For the past week George K. Neher has been suffering intensely from rheumatism in his left leg and foot, and has arranged to leave in a few days for the Jemez Hot Springs. He will be accompanied by Fred Baxter, and they will be absent from the city for a month.

James Craig and Leo Holtz created no small sensation today, by walking into the White Elephant saloon with an immense sea bass. Mr. Craig sells ice in the city, and Mr. Holtz is a fisherman in the Rio Grande. According to the fishermen, the fish was brought to gaff with great difficulty, as there was a wire fence near where they had been angling.

Colonel A. W. Harris, the mine operator of the Hillsboro district, is in the city today on business and pleasure.

P. N. Yunker, the Socorro hotel man, is the city employing mechanics to work on a new hotel building he is putting up at the Gem City. Mr. Yunker says that things look prosperous around Socorro, and he believes that the place will support a first-class hotel.

One of the first full-blooded Indians to be received into membership in the Congregational church in this city, was Walter Analla, a member of a prosperous family in the Laguna district, and a graduate of the local Indian school who was received into the church at the morning services Sunday.

People do not generally know that it is against an ordinance of the city to expostulate on the sidewalks, but nevertheless, it is so. The ordinance provides that anything indecent and against public health is a misdemeanor. Anyway, the practice of spitting on the sidewalks should be stopped. It is a filthy and disgusting habit.

E. W. Shutt, of the Shutt Improvement company, returned to the city last night from St. Louis, accompanied by C. H. Maunsmann, of Denver; E. M. Salvers, of Springfield, Ill.; and E. T. Settle, a party of capitalists who are in New Mexico seeking investments. Mr. Shutt and party left this morning in an ambulance for a drive up the valley.

R. H. Tallmadge, of Roswell, one of the Tallmadges, that have figured prominently in the land fraud cases tried at Roswell, was a visitor in the city yesterday, but refused to discuss any phases of the case, nor make any statement of the local interest in the case. He is a visitor of the local interest in the case. He is a visitor of the local interest in the case.

The executive committee of the Territorial fair association, will hold

an important meeting at the office of the manager, P. F. McGowan, tomorrow (Wednesday) night. The officials desire to clean up all outstanding accounts held against the association, and all such accounts should be mailed to either the manager or secretary as soon as possible.

J. A. Hazer, the chicken raiser near the government Indian school, has a faithful black buggy horse—an animal which has always been considered non-frightable. This afternoon, however, in front of the office of the Surety Investment company on south Second street, the horse took fright and shied from its hitching post, breaking the harness and bridle. The buggy was tossed around but received no damage.

B. K. Adams, who has taken a five years lease on the W. W. Strong building on West Railroad avenue, for the purpose of conducting an undertaking business in Albuquerque, arrived in the city last night, accompanied by his family. Mr. Adams brings all his undertaking equipment with him, and hopes to be ready for business in about ten days. His partner will be R. C. Dilgard, also from Auburn.

The other day, Mrs. H. H. Tilton, a well-known resident of the city, was out on her horse, riding on North Fourth street, falling to the floor. A physician was summoned, and after an examination he pronounced the left ankle badly sprained and two small bones in the ankle broken. The lady has many friends in the city, and the accident which will compel Mrs. Tilton to remain indoors for several weeks.

D. A. Porterfield, president of the Porterfield Real Estate company, leaves tonight for his old home in Iowa, to spend a month or two looking after his business interests. His family go with him with the exception of his son, who, with the other partner, A. L. Martin, will continue the business in Albuquerque. The Porterfield company has filed articles of incorporation at Santa Fe, with a paid up capital of \$100,000, and intend to do business on a larger scale than ever.

Mrs. J. A. Knox came in on train No. 2 from Los Angeles this morning, where she was an inmate of the Clara Barton hospital, and submitted to an operation from Dr. Helen Anderson, of St. Joseph, Mo. Mrs. Knox, speaking in the highest praise of her attending physician, and of the treatment she received while a patient at the above hospital. The lady says she is glad to get back to sunny New Mexico. She will remain in this city indefinitely, visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lou Hamlin, at No. 218 West Tijera avenue.

(Wednesday, May 23.)

G. M. Smith of the Harvey system arrived from El Paso this morning.

Dr. Antonio M. de la Cruz, mining district, Socorro county, is registered at the Alvarado.

C. P. Hoston, agent for the American Fuel company at Gallup, is registered at the Alvarado.

W. P. Thompson is in the city from St. Joseph, Mo., transacting business with local merchants.

Mrs. Frank Moore, wife of Attorney Moore, has returned from an extended visit to friends in Kansas.

Joseph Yott left last night for San Francisco, after a short visit in the city with his uncle J. D. Yott.

Mr. J. H. Harris, a carpenter of this city, has gone to Santa Fe and will remain indefinitely in the Capital City.

Mrs. A. C. Culver, 216 Haseldine avenue, left last night for a month's visit at her old home in Mt. Vernon, Iowa.

Lieutenant Cipriano Baca, of the New Mexico mounted police, was a messenger for Santa Fe this morning.

Deputy United States Marshal C. E. Newcomer has returned from attending United States court at Roswell.

William Horshin, of the Horshin-McGaffey company, is expected in from Thoreau tonight to take initiation into the Elks.

Mrs. R. S. Platt will leave tomorrow evening for Cananea, Mexico, where Mr. Platt holds a responsible position with a big copper mining company of that city.

Manager Herman Switzer, of the Alvarado curio department, was a passenger for El Paso last night. The Harvey people are placing a stock of curios in the new El Paso Union depot.

John Garmann, of New York, and John Cornetto, proprietor of the Vendome hotel, are visiting the Grand Canyon of Arizona. They are expected to return to the city Thursday evening.

Mrs. T. B. Catron and son, John W. Catron, accompanied by Mrs. L. T. Catron, returned from a trip to Mexico's principal cities.

The fire shortly after noon today, about which the whistles at the shops made so much noise, consumed all that was left of the four box cars in the lower end of the yards. The fire was prevented from spreading by the heroic work of the shops fire department.

Mark Boettler, night hostler at the local round house, was released from the hospital this morning minus the use of his right foot. Boettler lost his toe on May 4 by having it cut off by the knuckle of an engine dropping on his foot.

Mrs. H. E. Campbell, who was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. P. G. Cornish a couple of days, left on the flyer this morning for her home at Flagstaff.

Mrs. Campbell stopped in Albuquerque while returning from a visit to friends at Kansas City.

Charles Quier, the old base ball player, has been quite ill the past week. He will be up and around in a few days and will attend the coming season of the base ball players when a manager will be selected to succeed George Arnot, resigned.

The police department now boasts of a brand new vehicle. This morning, Chief McMillin took the vehicle, which is a heavy Concord, out of the carriage repository of Jacob Korker & Co., and, behind the faithful black horse, "Joe," gave it a thorough test. A citizen representative was the guest of the chief and the drive was much enjoyed.

Tomorrow morning Jan. T. Johnston leaves for the Jemez Hot Springs taking the following passengers: Fred Baxter and wife, George K. Neher, W. P. Switzer and Will Chadwick. On Friday morning Mr. Johnston's stage will make the trip to the Sulphurs.

## Another Report

### OF MADAME GROSS

#### Son Writing From Florence, Colo., Says Mother Was Killed in San Francisco.

#### HUSBAND HERE DENIES REPORT

Florence, Colo., May 18, 1906.  
Probate Judge, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Dear Sir—I write to you to see if you would please see if there has been any person securing a marriage license by the name of Mary R. Gross and J. W. Masters, during the month of February or March, 1906. The lady is my mother and was killed in San Francisco and I am trying all the dates I can. I will enclose stamp for an early reply.

Yours respectfully,  
Wm. Gross.  
121 1/2 West Main street, Florence, Colorado.

The above letter confirms the report published some time ago in the columns of The Evening Citizen, shortly after the San Francisco earthquake, of a fire, telling of the killing of Madame Gross, or Mrs. J. W. Masters, wife of the Gold avenue furniture dealer, who, after the publication of the story in these columns, wired to Los Angeles, where his wife was supposed to have gone, after deserting her husband of a few weeks, and received a reply which stated the statement that Madame Gross, or Mrs. Masters, was in Los Angeles, but in the light of the above letter, the telegram was evidently a hoax.

The son is evidently trying to trace his mother's movements from the time she left Florence, Colo., until he learned of her death. The story of her advent into Albuquerque and her subsequent marriage and flight to Los Angeles is quickly told.

During the winter a fashionably groomed and stylish looking woman, presumably about 40 years of age, arrived in the city from Los Angeles, and opened a dress making establishment, over the Phoenix Dry Goods store. Shortly after this her marriage to J. W. Masters, at that time the employ of the McElrain Furniture company, was announced, after which he went to Los Angeles, and she remained at 118 West Gold avenue.

Following close upon their marriage came the startling announcement that Mrs. Masters had deserted her husband, taking with her, he stated, some \$100, which he had given her to pay bills, which she owed.

The son, the last heard of her until the time of the Frisco earthquake, when a dispatch was received at this office telling of the finding of the remains of Madame Gross in the ruins at San Francisco, and the subsequent message received by the husband, reporting her death. The story of her advent into Albuquerque and her subsequent marriage and flight to Los Angeles is quickly told.

The letter of the son to the probate clerk said at rest the doubts as to whether or not the unfortunate lady had really met her death in the catastrophe that devastated San Francisco.

On West Gold avenue this afternoon a representative of The Evening Citizen Mr. Masters was informed of the letter received by the probate clerk.

"In spite of that," said Mr. Masters, "I feel sure that Mrs. Masters was not killed, or committed suicide in San Francisco. The chief of police here wrote the chief of police in San Francisco who said the Gross woman had been killed, giving a description of her, and telling her husband, a J. M. Gross, who committed suicide, that Gross I don't believe it was my wife. I suppose the son has heard the rumor of the Gross woman suiciding and took it to mean his mother. My wife wrote to her son in Florence several times but the letters were not returned. No I feel sure that my wife did not commit suicide in San Francisco."

BOY CHARGED WITH ASSAULT  
WITH INTENT TO RAPE  
Hipolito Lopez, thirteen years of age, appeared before Judge Mills in the United States court at Las Vegas, and changed his plea of not guilty to guilty. He was charged with assault with intent to rape upon a woman who was so old that she did not know her exact age, who thought she was between seventy and eighty years of age. Judge Mills stated to the prisoner that on account of the circumstances and because of the disparity of the ages of the prisoner and prosecuting witness, he could not believe him guilty and suspended the sentence until the next day, when the prisoner was to be tried on the charge of assault with intent to rape, and the boy was released from custody on his own recognizance.

TARR-VAN NARTER  
WEDDING AT KINGMAN.  
Last Tuesday evening at the Methodist Episcopal church, Jesse A. Tarr and Elsie Van Narter were united in marriage. Rev. H. L. Parr, officiating. The little church, which was profusely decorated with flowers and vines, was filled to the doors and invited guests from Kingman and surrounding country, who had come to extend their congratulations to this popular young couple. The young couple have lived in Kingman for a number of years and have endeavored themselves to all by their courteous manner and amiable disposition. Mr. Tarr is manager of the Postal Telegraph company, and Mrs. Tarr is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Van Narter of this place. The young folks will reside in Kingman. May their path through life be bordered with flowers.

OIL DRILLERS STRUCK  
TRENTON LIMESTONE.  
The drillers striking a test well at the supposed oil fields twelve miles east of Roswell, struck Trenton limestone at a depth of 85 feet, some days ago, and have now drilled over 100 feet at that formation. The news created some excitement among holders of oil claims. Isaac Canfield, the oil expert, who is superintending the drilling, says no one can tell how much thicker the limestone will prove to be, but that the thicker it is the thicker will be the oil sand, which is always found under the Trenton limestone. He says that this is the finest Trenton limestone that has ever been found west of the Missouri river, and wherever it has been found in other regions, oil has been found under it. Mr. Canfield says that he is sure that Trenton limestone is the oil sand, which is always found under the Trenton limestone. He says that this is the finest Trenton limestone that has ever been found west of the Missouri river, and wherever it has been found in other regions, oil has been found under it. Mr. Canfield says that he is sure that Trenton limestone is the oil sand, which is always found under the Trenton limestone.

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