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THIRTY-FIFTH
LEGISLATIVE
ASSEMBLY

TWENTIETH DAY, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1903.

THE COUNCIL.
(Morning Session.)

The Council was called to order by President Chaves at 10:20 o'clock. Prayer was offered by Rev. W. R. Dye. The journal was read and approved.

A recess of ten minutes was taken so that committees might meet. When the recess was over, Council Bill No. 72 was introduced by Mr. Spies. An act to amend the law relating to peddlers. Referred to the committee on territorial affairs.

Mr. Martinez presented Council Joint Resolution No. 10, providing for payment of employees. Referred to the committee on finance.

Another recess was taken that committees might meet.

By unanimous consent the chairmanship of the committee on irrigation was transferred from Mr. Hawkins to Mr. Jaramillo.

After the recess, Mr. Jaramillo, from a committee on irrigation, favorably reported House Bill No. 56, An act relating to the distribution of water. It is assigned to its regular course.

Mr. Spies, from the judiciary committee, favorably reported Council Bill No. 22, An act relating to the time of election and terms of justices of the peace, as amended. The rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

The Council then at 12:40 took a recess until 2:30.

THE HOUSE.

(Morning Session.)
The House was called to order about 10:15 and after roll call, prayer was offered by the chaplain. The journal was read and approved. The committee on enrolled and engrossed bills reported House Bill No. 30, properly engrossed.

The committee on education unfavorably reported House Bill No. 59, An act to require county school superintendents to give official bonds. The same committee unfavorably reported House Bill No. 37 as its provisions are included in House Bill No. 87.

House Bill No. 7, An act abolishing the office of county school superintendent, was unfavorably reported. House Bill No. 60, An act to provide for the compensation of the enumerators of persons of school age, was reported with a recommendation that it pass as amended.

The committee on stock and stock raising favorably reported House Bill No. 2, relating to drift fences. The finance committee favorably reported Council Joint Resolution No. 3, relating to the Taos county bonds. House Bill No. 91 was favorably reported by the same committee.

The judiciary committee reported on the following bills: House Bill No. 20, that it do not pass; House Bill No. 24, that it do not pass; House Bill No. 36, that it pass.

The committee on municipal and private corporations unfavorably reported House Bill No. 71.

Under introduction of new bills, House Bill No. 106 was offered by Mr. Pendleton, An act to amend Section 1504 of the Compiled Laws of 1897, relative to abandoned children. Referred to judiciary committee.

House Bill No. 107 is by Mr. Bowle, An act to amend the law relating to the reissue of lost certificates of stock. Referred to committee on municipal and private corporations.

House Bill No. 108 is by Mr. McIlvaine, An act to prohibit the storing of explosives in specific places. Referred to committee on mining.

House Bill No. 109 is by Mr. Llewellyn, An act to define assault. Referred to the judiciary committee.

House Bill No. 110 is by Mr. Llewellyn, An act to amend Section 1067 of the Compiled Laws of 1897, relating to the manner of inflicting the death penalty.

House Bill No. 111 is by Mr. Pedro Sanchez, by request, to amend Sections 3694, 3695, 3700 and 3701 of the Compiled Laws of 1897, relating to the board of medical examiners. Referred to the judiciary committee.

House Bill No. 64 was unfavorably reported by the committee on agriculture and manufacturing. A minority report was presented against it on the ground that its provisions are covered by existing laws. It is the exemption bill. It was recommended to the committee on motion of Mr. Gutierrez.

The committee on military affairs unfavorably reported House Bill No. 35, relating to the burial of indigent soldiers, as its provisions are covered by a bill which has already passed the Council and is now pending in the House. Mr. Bowle, the author of the bill, moved that the bill be tabled indefinitely and this was done.

The committee on territorial affairs reported House Bill No. 1 with the recommendation that it do not pass. It is the coal oil inspection bill and was tabled indefinitely.

The committee on military affairs then favorably reported Council Bill No. 6, providing for the burial of indigent soldiers. The report was adopted on motion of Mr. Bowle, and under suspension of the rules, the bill was unanimously passed.

Mr. Cristoval Sanchez moved to take

up House Bill No. 91, relating to the relief of A. B. Baca for the capture and return to Santa Fe of Jose Telles who escaped from the jail, under suspension of the rules. This was agreed to and then Mr. Ortega wanted to amend so that the name of Jaramillo who assisted Baca, should appear in the bill. The amendment was tabled on motion of Mr. Sanchez. The bill was then passed.

A message from the Council announced the passage of Council substitute for Council Joint Resolution No. 4. Mr. Cristoval Sanchez tried to have it referred to a special committee, but failed.

House Resolution No. 4 was favorably reported by the committee on private corporations. It requests information from the territorial secretary regarding corporations doing business in New Mexico. It was adopted.

Council Bill No. 60, the district attorney bill relating to Colfax and Union counties was referred to the committee on judiciary. Amended Council Bill No. 31, An act to grade and improve streets and assess the cost against abutting property, was referred to the committee on municipal corporations. Amended Council Bill No. 32, An act relating to condemnation proceedings for cities, was referred to the same committee. Council Bill No. 67, relating to the repeal of the section of the present laws on the crime of assault by words, was referred to the judiciary committee. Amended Council Bill No. 4, An act to create Roosevelt county, was referred to the committee on county and county lines.

Mr. Martin Sanchez then introduced House Bill No. 114, An act to establish a territorial institution of learning at Punta del Agua, Valencia county. Referred to the committee on public institutions.

House Bill No. 115 was introduced by Mr. Turner. It is an act to provide for the election of members of city councils. Referred to committee on municipal corporations.

The House adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

THE COUNCIL.
(Afternoon Session.)

When the Council was called to order this afternoon, Mr. Jaramillo asked unanimous consent to take up House Bill No. 56, An act relating to the distribution of water. It was read in full and the Council then went into committee of the whole. The bill was read by sections and minor amendments were made.

While the amendments were many they were merely of a grammatical nature. The bill was amended so as to go into effect immediately after becoming law. The committee reported the bill favorably and it was passed unanimously.

The committee went into committee of the whole to consider Council substitute for Council Bill No. 2 and was considering this when the New Mexican went to press. The bill provides for the expenses of the territorial board of education.

CONGRESS.

The River and Harbor Bill is Safe, a Texas Member to the Contrary Notwithstanding.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 8.—When the house met today, the speaker announced that the committee on rules had considered the question raised yesterday by Mr. Cooper, of Texas, concerning a bill passed on Monday which he thought technically repealed the river and harbor bill, and had found that the assumption was incorrect. Mr. Hull, Iowa, then called up the conference report on the army appropriation bill.

STATEHOOD BILL DISPLACED.

Washington, Feb. 18.—The Republican senatorial caucus yesterday afternoon, after a heated debate, decided unanimously to displace the statehood bill by the Panama canal treaty. However, the majority of the executive sessions, in which the treaty will be considered, the statehood bill will still have precedence.

SPOONER OPPOSES STATEHOOD.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—The resolution of Senator Quay, declaring that it is the sense of the senate that there should be a vote on the statehood bill, occupied a portion of the morning hour in the senate today. Mr. Spooner opposed it, saying it was in a sense a closure to which he was opposed, or a closure which was right. Under the present rules, he maintained, the interests of the country are better served than if there was a closure. The resolution, he insisted, calls on the senate practically to put a vote of closure upon those who happen to be conscientiously opposed to the omnibus statehood bill.

No action was taken on the Quay resolution or a substitute by Mr. McComas, and the senate at 1:45 went into executive session to consider the Colombian treaty.

Death of County Commissioner Cotton.
County Commissioner William Cotton died at the Ladies' hospital at Deming on Monday of this week of an abscess of the brain. He was interested in mining projects in the Cook's Peak district and was elected county commissioner on the Democratic ticket last fall. Governor Owen will fill the vacancy by appointment in the near future.



H. O. BURSUM
Re-appointed and Confirmed Superintendent of the New Mexico Penitentiary.

Holm O. Bursum was born at Fort Dodge, Iowa, in 1867. He is therefore still a young man, but his career has been an eventful one. His boyhood was spent on the farm and he was thrown upon his own resources to obtain an education. At an early age he was compelled to earn his own living. As a mere youth he went to Colorado and there clerked in a store. In 1882 he went to San Antonio, Socorro county, where he continued in mercantile pursuits. He engaged in freighting for the United States government for several months and was interested in the construction work of the Atlantic and Pacific railroad. Thereafter he went into the sheep business and also agriculture. When only 27 years of age, he was elected sheriff of Socorro county and filled the office so successfully that he was re-elected by the largest majority any candidate ever received for that office in that county. It was under his regime as sheriff that Socorro

was freed from desperadoism and became the peaceful, law-abiding county that it now is. In November, 1898, Mr. Bursum was elected by a large majority a member of the Legislative Council, and there proved as useful as he had been in other spheres of life, he being responsible for some of the best legislation on the New Mexico statute books. He has served four years as superintendent of the New Mexico Penitentiary at Santa Fe, has placed that institution on a firm and successful business basis, has enforced a stricter discipline and made it a model penal institution of which New Mexico has every reason to be proud. His appointment to that position by Governor Otero and its prompt confirmation by the Council is therefore a deserved compliment to his ability and success. Mr. Bursum has a charming wife and an interesting little daughter who give a touch of sweet home life to the grim interior of New Mexico's penal institution.

DECISION AGAINST
THE BEEF TRUST

Judge Grosscup in the United States Circuit Court at Chicago dismisses the Demurrer of the Packers.

THE PACKERS' AGREEMENT
IS IN RESTRAINT OF TRADE

Chicago, Feb. 18.—The demurrer of the packers in the so-called "beef trust" case was overruled by Judge Grosscup in the United States circuit court today and a motion granted for temporary injunction. There can be no doubt, said Judge Grosscup, that the agreement of defendants to refrain from bidding against each other in the purchase of cattle is a combination in restraint of trade, so also their agreement to bid up prices to stimulate shipments, intending to cease from bidding when the shipments have arrived. The same result follows when we turn to the combination of defendants to fix prices upon and restrict the quantities of meat shipped to their agents or their customers. Such agreements can be nothing less than restriction upon competition, and therefore, combination in restraint of trade and this viewed, the petition as an onerous, makes out a case under the Sherman act. The demurrer is overruled and the motion for preliminary injunction granted. The packers did not announce what their next step would be, they have twenty days within which to make up their minds. If they dispute the facts upon which Judge Grosscup based his decision, the matter will be argued a master in chancery and be argued again before Judge Grosscup. The packers, however, may decide to take an appeal in order to hasten the final adjudication of the case. It is not thought likely that they will let the matter go by default and thus make the injunction permanent.

EIGHT HOUR LEGISLATION.

There will be a Determined Fight in the Colorado Legislature to Defeat it.

Denver, Colo., Feb. 18.—The eight hour bill was reported to the house by the mines and mining committee today. There were three reports. The majority favored the Stevens bill in amended form. The minority signed by two members, favored the Moore bill, which already has passed the senate, while the second minority bill, also signed by two members, favored a modified form of both bills. The fight will probably be on the Moore bill.

BROUGHT FROM DENVER.

New York Counts, Black Bass, Mountain Trout, Spanish Mackerel, Bullheads, Frogs Legs, Pompano, and Salmon. Call at the Bon-Ton Restaurant.

NEW MEXICO
HISTORICAL
SOCIETY

A Most Interesting Public Meeting Was Held at the Capitol Last Evening.

THREE VALUABLE ADDRESSES

"Reminiscences" by Colonel J. Francisco Chaves—"The Moses of the Mesa—"The Stone Lions of Cochiti."

The public meeting of the New Mexico Historical Society held in the hall of representatives at the capitol last evening, was well attended, considering other attractions in the city. There were visitors present from Albuquerque, Silver City, Socorro and other points. It was a characteristic New Mexico meeting, one of such interest, as could probably be held nowhere else in the United States. The hall of representatives looked beautiful with its 120 incandescent electric lights and the audience was one that thoroughly appreciated and enjoyed the literary and historical treat. Ex-Governor L. B. Prince, the president of the society, called the meeting to order and presided. He read a letter from Chief Justice Mills, an enthusiastic member of the society, who regretted his inability to be present, and a letter from General W. H. Davis of Doylestown, Pa., the author of "The Spanish Conquest of New Mexico," who intimated that certain valuable historical documents in his possession may ultimately come into the possession of the Historical Society. Five names were proposed for membership and other routine business was transacted.

Colonel J. Francisco Chaves was the first speaker, his special topic being "Personal Reminiscences of the Establishment of the Government of Arizona." Ex-Governor Prince paid him a graceful compliment in introducing him as the perpetual president of the Council.

The colonel was in his best vein and with rapid touches he passed over the events of the early Spanish conquest and presented a vivid picture of conditions in New Mexico 50 years ago. He brought to mind the striking changes that have taken place since he made his first long journey at the age of five years, from his New Mexico home, to Chihuahua, there to receive his first schooling. He told in touching words of his father's prophecy of the coming of the "heretics" to take possession of New Mexico and of his advice to go east and there learn the methods of the "heretics" so that he could return with them to invade his own country. The hardships of travel in those days, the dangers that beset the pioneers on every side, the graphic changes that have taken place even in the east since the days that the telegraph began to span long distances and the iron steam horse commenced its westward invasion, were eloquently portrayed by the colonel. He told of his coming to Santa Fe a few days after General Kearny had taken possession of the city. His reminiscences of the rebellion during which Governor Perez was killed and the prowess of Governor Armijo, were especially interesting. Colonel Chaves then told how in command of four companies of soldiers in the winter of 1863, he took the civil officers of the newly established territory of Arizona, with him from Santa Fe to Navajo Springs, on the other side of the New Mexico boundary to establish the civil government of Arizona.

The long trip overland in the depth of winter, the hardships and dangers met on the road, the camp at the foot of Inscription Rock in the Zuni country, and finally the establishment of the government on the 31st of December, 1863, at Navajo Springs, amidst the celebration of the soldiers and speechmaking by the civil officers, were eloquently recalled. Several tubs of whiskey punch lent cheer to the occasion and several cords of wood were burned up in bon-fires. The little cavalcade proceeded across the wilderness to Prescott, then a little gold mining camp, and there established the capital of the territory. There were grand word pictures of the progress Arizona has made since then and of incidents of that memorable journey. During his talk, Colonel Chaves also told of his journeys across the desert to California in 1853, and the discovery of a new route to the Eldorado in company with the traveler Aubrey who met his death in this city. It is no wonder that the audience was moved to hearty applause, for there stood a man who told of these stirring events not from hearsay, but from having been an actual participant, one of the makers of history in those early pioneer days. It is no wonder that they voted unanimously "aye" when Judge A. L. Morrison moved earnestly to reduce to writing these reminiscences, so valuable because they are from an eye witness and a participant in the events which are at the beginnings of American history in the Southwest. Judge Morrison offered to bear part of the necessary expense to

BURIED IN THE SNOW.

Four Passenger Trains Blocked on the El Paso and Northwestern Railway.

Special to the New Mexican.
Santa Rosa, February 18.—Four passenger trains of the Rock Island Railway are buried in the snow on the El Paso and Northwestern Railway twenty miles north of Torrance. A force of men has gone out from Torrance with shovels to aid in clearing the tracks. All the telegraph wires in that section are down.

IN THE TRACK
OF THE BLIZZARD

In Addition to Zero Weather, the Middle West, the East and the South Are Experiencing Gales That Are Causing Much Damage and Loss of Life.

FROM ATLANTA TO SUPERIOR
THE STORM KING STILL REIGNS

Kansas City, Feb. 18.—It was seven degrees below zero in Kansas City this morning, a rise of two degrees in the past 24 hours with indications of moderating weather.

INTENSE COLD AND HIGH WIND.
St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 18.—The lowest official temperature in this city last night was 18 below zero. Intense cold weather is reported from all weather stations in the northwest. A biting wind intensifies the cold.

SCARCITY OF COAL.
LaCrosse, Wis., Feb. 18.—The thermometer has dropped to 20 degrees below zero since Sunday night and promises to fall still lower tonight. There is a great scarcity of coal and tenants of office buildings are complaining seriously of the cold.

RECORD BREAKING COLD IN PENNSYLVANIA.

Philadelphia, Feb. 18.—Reports from up the state are to the effect that last night was a record breaker for low temperature. At Pottsville early today the mercury was 14 degrees below zero, at Shamokin 6 below, Tamaqua 6 below and at Reading 19 below.

NEW YORK IS SHIVERING.

New York, Feb. 18.—The snow storm of yesterday gave way today to clearing skies and cold winds, accompanied by falling temperature. At 8 a. m. the weather bureau thermometer stood at 6 degrees above zero, the lowest so far this winter. Dispatches from various parts of the state report temperatures ranging from zero to 18 below that point, the latter in the Adirondack region. The snowfall is the heaviest of the winter.

DYING OF THE COLD.

Chicago, Feb. 18.—A "reinforcement" of the cold wave which according to the official forecaster, "precludes any moderation in temperature" in the immediate future, gave this city a temperature today which promised to beat the record for the winter reached early yesterday of 10 degrees below zero. A biting wind that sprang up during the night increased in keenness and reached nearly the velocity of a gale as the day advanced and added materially to the intensity of the cold. There is much suffering among the destitute notwithstanding the best efforts of all charitable organizations although the scarcity of coal is less general than in the previous cold spell. In addition to one death reported yesterday the following are said to have died directly or indirectly from the effects of the

have this work done. The New Mexican joins in the wish that the colonel may preserve in permanent form these highly interesting memoirs and sketches of the memorable events in which he has borne so prominent a part.

Hon. Nestor Montoya, speaker of the House, made the next address: "The Moses of the Mesa." He told a simple but interesting legend of the pueblo of San Felipe, of which a ruined church on top of the mesa above the present village, is still a reminder. The story was well told of how Fra Juan taught the San Felipe Indians the story of the cross, how they loyally defended him during the Pueblo insurrection, how he smote the rock from which water can still be seen trickling, to save the Pueblos from dying of thirst, and how they escorted him to El Paso to preserve him from harm. It was an eloquent story of the days when the Spanish invaders came into New Mexico with a sword in one hand and the cross in the other. A motion asking Mr. Montoya to reduce this beautiful tradition or legend to writing was also passed.

Ex-Governor L. B. Prince read an interesting account of a journey to the stone lions of Cochiti, the most remarkable aboriginal sculptures in existence within the United States and only about 30 miles from Santa Fe. It was a revelation to his hearers of one of the many historic and prehistoric monuments and remains that are found in such close proximity to this city, but of which so little is known by the average resident. The speaker portrayed graphically his trip and then told of the legends of the ruined Pueblo villages between Cochiti and Pena Blanca and concluded with a description of the stone lions and the theories of their origin. The lions are sculptured out of the rocks firmly embedded in the ground and looking directly toward the east. Each lion is almost six feet long and the pair is surrounded by the ruins of a massive circular stone wall. It is a spot well worth a visit and Governor Prince deserves the thanks of all friends of archaeology and future generations for putting in permanent form the account and tradition of these historic spots and prehistoric remains of this part of New Mexico.

Professor Edgar L. Hewett of Las

cold: Fred Burgars, died from heart disease aggravated by the cold; Charles Fredler, died on the way from hospital from exposure. Through trains continue to arrive hours behind schedule, while suburban and traction lines operate with more or less irregularity.

THE STORM IN THE SOUTH.
Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 18.—The severest weather of the winter prevailed over the south today following yesterday's storms which killed two people and injured several. In Atlanta, all records for high winds were broken when the gale blew 60 miles an hour. This velocity was maintained at several other places. The temperature is 2 above zero at Nashville, 6 at Memphis and 9 at Knoxville. In Birmingham the mercury has fallen 59 degrees in 12 hours and in New Orleans 43. Communication with Jacksonville is cut off. Colder weather is the forecast for Florida tonight.

THIRTEEN BELOW AND A GALE.
Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 18.—Thirteen degrees below zero was recorded here this morning by the weather bureau, while still more severe weather is reported from the northern portion of the state. The suffering among the poor is acute. A perfect gale is blowing which makes outdoor employment dangerous.

BUSINESS SUSPENDED.

West Superior, Feb. 18.—The head of the lakes is in the grip of a blizzard today, the wind velocity being 42 miles an hour. The official temperature at 7 a. m. was 20 below zero. Business is practically suspended. All coal other than that sold under contract is exhausted.

ST. LOUIS SHORT OF FUEL.

St. Louis, Feb. 18.—Owing to the scarcity of coal at the Four Courts which contains the jail, police headquarters, criminal courts, etc., the building was closed today. Not a pound of coal could be found in the engine room and old fires are being torn up to keep the 250 prisoners in the jail warm. This fuel will be exhausted by night. The grand jury investigation of the turf investment companies was suspended and the two branches of criminal court and the court of criminal correction adjourned for the day. This condition of affairs is the result of negligence on the part of a contractor who failed to deliver coal already contracted for. Other city institutions are also short of fuel and an investigation will be held to ascertain who is to blame and to compel fulfillment of contracts in the future.

Vogas, was prevented by illness from being present to read a paper on the early mission churches of New Mexico.

General E. F. Hobart gave a few reminiscences told him by Hon. Frank A. Manzanares and Trinidad Romero. He moved that another public meeting of the society be held two weeks hence, and also moved a vote of thanks to the speakers of the evening. The motion was adopted.

Professor W. G. Tight, president of the University of New Mexico, a member of the society, and Professor C. M. Light of the New Mexico Normal School at Silver City, made a few remarks, complimenting the society upon its work and the latter referred to the historic and prehistoric remains near Silver City. Judge Granville Pendleton, who was on the program for an account of the wonderful ruins opposite Aztec in San Juan county, was unavoidably absent.

At the close of the meeting those present examined the objects of historical value which had been brought from the Historical Society's collection and included a fine lot of Indian baskets, valuable historical works just received from Paris, photographs of the Cochiti stone lions and other objects that evoked great interest.

NO INCREASE OF WAGES.

The President of the Washburn Turns Down the Conductors and Brakemen.

St. Louis, Feb. 18.—President Joseph Ramsey, Jr., of the Washburn, after hearing the application of a committee of brakemen and conductors for an increase of wages, announced that the company cannot in reason and justice be asked to pay more on the east side of the Mississippi than competing lines operating in the same territory. The matter is now in the hands of the committee for further consultation among themselves. There will probably be another conference with the Washburn management tomorrow.

"THEY SABBED HOW."

Business is business. Every fellow to his trade. Mixing drinks is our business and our artists "sabb" how to mix 'em. You can get what you call for here from a high-ball to a board of the roof.

W. N. TOWNSEND,
Prop. of The Arcade Club.

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17.

William Jennings Bryan declares that he is not a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination in 1904. Mr. Bryan is learning with age.

The day has not arrived for the Australian ballot in New Mexico, but it is not far distant. It will not hurt to have the 35th legislative assembly make some advances in present election laws.

The bill introduced by Representative Martin Sanchez of Valencia county, providing that necessary school books shall be furnished free to children of indigent parents is a move in the right direction and should be passed by both houses and that speedily.

The United States now has a secretary of commerce. The cabinet is growing in members and will continue to grow, for a secretary of mines and secretary of irrigation will be added to the President's official family before many more years have passed.

The administration is satisfied with the anti-trust legislation enacted by congress and so will the people be. Now, if this and other good legislation on the statute books, is enforced, then and there will be very little cause for complaint.

Roswell is complaining about the high price it must pay for coal. Roswell should do all in its power to get the Santa Fe Central to extend from Torrance to the Pecos Valley and then it will get all the coal it needs for its homes and for industrial purposes at one half the price it must pay now.

Some twenty to thirty bills have been killed in both houses of the legislature thus far. That is doing as good work as passing bills, for it is of as much importance to keep vicious or incomplete legislation from the statute books as it is to put there good and sound laws.

Raton received a nice valentine in the shape of the miners' hospital and Alamogordo in the blind asylum. Gallup and Belen had to do without their expected valentines, but then Belen only lately received the news of a new railroad coming to it and Gallup some day may get a valentine that is worth more than a miners' hospital.

What is the matter with Poultry Bigelow? In a lecture at New York last week, he said: "In the event of war between the United States and Germany, the Americans would get licked out of their boots before they get their wind." Friend Bigelow is evidently fishing for the decoration of the Black Eagle from the hands of his friend, Emperor William II.

PRINTING BY CONTRACT.

Colorado has no state printer. It gives its printing out by contract and a legislative investigation committee has just discovered that the contract system is vicious, extravagant, unsatisfactory and a positive detriment to the state. Not only is the work done in slipshod fashion, but the legislature, according to the Denver newspapers, has been thrown back in its work many days because the contract printer could not turn out the printed bills fast enough. No printing office will put in the machinery and material necessary to do the printing of a large commonwealth if the printing is subject to contract which in Colorado as elsewhere is another word for bribery. Even Uncle Sam has learned this lesson and has his own printing office and progressive states like Pennsylvania and Kansas have their state printer in order to get their printing at the lowest rate consistent with good and rapid work. It is better to hold one man responsible for the cost and quality of the state's printing than to shift responsibility so that it falls upon no one. To give out state printing to the lowest bidder is like asking for bids to govern the territory or to make its laws. There are persons in New Mexico who would bid to govern New Mexico for less salary than Governor Otero receives, but the acceptance of such a bid would prove costly and disastrous in the end. There would be many men who would bid less to sit in the legislature than the present legislators, and run it with less employees and at less cost to the territory, but the experiment would prove the most costly in the end, for the lowest bidder is not always the best bidder. The matter of estimating on printing is such an intricate work that even an expert can not always tell from figures submitted which bid is the lowest and no one can tell which is the best bid, as Colorado has discovered to its cost. The contract system has fallen in utter disrepute throughout the United States. Colorado the past two years spent \$148,400 for its public printing or more than ten times as much as New Mexico paid

in the same period. Colorado spent \$3.80 per copy for printing the report of its superintendent of public instruction. A copy of the report is in the office of Colonel J. Franco Chavez, and a comparison will show that New Mexico does a report printed, just as voluminous, of just as good workmanship, for 30 cents a copy. Colorado paid \$2.90 per copy to have its auditor's report printed; \$2.15 a copy for the report of its secretary of state; \$3.82 a copy for the report of its mine inspector; it pays \$33.00 per thousand for its envelopes and its letter heads; \$18 a piece for binding record books. The county of Arapahoe has had the same experience with contract printing as recent unsavory disclosures have shown. These figures show that progressive Colorado, under the contract system, pays far more for an inferior quality of printing than does New Mexico under the present system, which under the close supervision of the executive, the territorial auditor, the legislature, has given the territory better printing and cheaper printing than it could have secured under any other circumstances.

In New Mexico, the fact that considerable printing in the Spanish language must be done and will have to be done for some years to come, must also be considered. Printing in that language is more costly than in the English language; different type is needed, and separate proof readers are employed and expenses in other directions are increased. Taking everything into consideration in the public printing line it is admitted by all fair minded people who know anything about the situation that the system in vogue now in New Mexico and which has been in force since 1889, has been very satisfactory and of benefit to the commonwealth.

THE WORK OF THE BUREAU OF IMMIGRATION.

The work that the bureau of immigration has done and is doing is evidently appreciated by the right men and patriotic people of New Mexico and the majority of the citizens of the future Sunshine state. The Socorro Chieftain in a recent editorial comments in the following complimentary manner on the work of the bureau:

"Colonel Max Frost, the efficient secretary of the Territorial Bureau of Immigration, has recently published his latest biennial report to the Governor of New Mexico. The facts embodied in this report show that the bureau is one of the most valuable of agencies for the dissemination of information concerning the climate, resources, and general attractions of the territory. In fact it is probable that no other agency has done so much to induce the remarkable influx of population and wealth of the last two or three years.

But very few people have any idea of the amount of work done by this bureau. During the last two years it has published and distributed approximately 140,000 bulletins and pamphlets concerning the resources and attractions of the various counties of the territory. Hundreds of copies of the latest report of the Governor of New Mexico to the Secretary of the Interior have been distributed at the various recent congresses. Copies of the publications of the bureau have been sent to the public libraries and educational institutions in the principal cities and towns of the United States. Over 6,000 applications for information concerning the territory have been received and answered. A fine collection of the minerals of the territory is now being prepared by the bureau to be sent to the World's Fair Exposition at St. Louis in 1904. These facts will serve to give some idea of the scope and value of the work done by this efficient agency.

"It need hardly be urged that the 35th legislative assembly should deal liberally with the Bureau of Immigration. Provision should be made for an enlargement of the scope of the bureau's work. The gathering of statistics on all industrial, agricultural, mining, and labor matters should be made a part of its work duly authorized by law. The results of such an arrangement would begin to be seen immediately and would be very satisfactory."

THE REAPPOINTMENT OF H. O. BURSUM.

The reappointment of H. O. Bursum to be superintendent of the Territorial Penitentiary by Governor Otero on yesterday and his unanimous confirmation by the Legislative Council, are a well deserved recognition and a properly bestowed compliment upon that highly efficient and absolutely trustworthy public official. During the past twelve years, Mr. Bursum has been very much in the public eye in this territory, and in every position in which he has been placed either by executive appointment, or by or by executive appointment, he has proved himself a true man endowed with more than average common sense, possessed of remarkable executive ability, high moral and physical courage, strictly honest, and observant of the best interests of the people and of the Republic. While serving as sheriff and collector of taxes of Socorro county, he was one of the best officials that county ever had. As a member of the Legislative Council, he acted in a sagacious, patriotic and public spirited manner and was always at work for measures to improve the condition of the people of New Mexico in every way and to give them honest, economical and good government. As superintendent of the Penitentiary during the past four years, a most trying and difficult position, he has been found to be an ideal official, and to do the right thing at the right time in the management of that important penal institution. H. O. Bursum is a man of the people, always standing by the people and watching out for their best interests, attending to his duty manfully and courageously wherever placed. Governor Otero could not have made a better selection for the position in this great territory and the Council acted wisely and well in the unanimous confirmation of his nomination.

The Minister of Commerce of Germany explains the success of the manufacturers and businessmen of the United States by pointing to trust methods. He advises German capitalists and producers also to form trusts in order to keep in the procession and be able to compete with the United States.

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The bills introduced in the legislature dealing with education bring to mind the statement of an eminent educator that people must be educated in order that the home and country be preserved, and in order to do this the public school system must be kept intact and free from sectarianism. Compulsory education will not only take boys from the street and make them useful citizens, but will wield a good influence over the cause of education everywhere.

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JOHN BRAY and his wife sat at the door of their little home Sunday evening. He was baggage master at the brown station along the track, and Sunday was his one night off. He had tilted his chair back to the wall of the house, his feet were caught in the rug, and he was drowsily content, sitting there in his shirt sleeves, his wife beside him and the long, pure twilight deepening into languorous, flower-scented night.

"Your flower is doin' pretty well, Mary," he began, presently. Mary had been crouched on the step, her elbows in her knees, her face buried in her hands, and she had been so long silent that he wanted to hear her speak, to know if she was weeping.

"Oh, yes," she answered, without enthusiasm. There were no tears in her voice, but the tone was hopelessly dreary. "Your 'sturtiums' ain't blowed yet," he continued, with a wish to enliven her. "No, just blunder."

"An' the sweet peas?" with a movement toward the window where the thrifty vines were climbing up their taut white strings. "They'll be out in a week," and then the silence grew around them again. "There's the down express," John volunteered after a long pause. A puff of smoke rose over the cutting beyond the bridge, the headlight leaped into sight, the whistle screamed its warning and the train thundered by, its window lights shooting in and out on the curve like sparks tossed on a hurricane.

"There they go," Mary said, enviously, "comin' here an' goin' there, seein' things an' people, an' enjoyin' their selves, an' we just stick here in the one place like the boulders over on the roadside."

Her tone was hard, the inflection was a complaining one. "I guess you get pretty lonely, some days," John ventured, letting his chair down on its front legs, and putting his hand on his wife's shoulder in a half clumsy caress. "Oh! it's awful, John," she said, brokenly, taken off her guard by the tenderness, "when I've washed an' cleaned myself an' there ain't nothin' more to do. Tain't but what I could do knittin' or sewin' for winter, but I can't get the things to do with. Then the trains keep goin' by, an' I hate the people who kin go to places. I'd go ravin' mad, if I didn't do somethin', so I allus go an' scrub up the kitchen floor. It works off their feelin's, an' some days I do it mornin' an' afternoons too."

"Why don't you go over an' set with Jim Lawson's wife?" John suggested. "I don't like her," Mary answered, promptly, "fer she's allus braggin' 'bout her babies." "How many he they got?" asked the husband, carelessly. "Four," the childless woman at his side whispered.

Mary had been a tailoress before she was married. She was ambitious beyond her fellow-workers, deft with her needle, quick with her tongue, and she dreamed of a future far different than the life of John Bray's wife. But ten hours a day at a sewing-machine wears upon a woman. John asked her to marry him, and she thought the little brown house would be a paradise. She kept the rooms spotlessly neat, she planted and tended the flowers, and helped her husband in the strip of land where their vegetables were. She had been married four years. John's salary was no higher, the house began to look a little shabby here and there, and Mary pined for companionship and grew bitter as she saw her ideals of life being slowly strangled one by one. John was

away most of the time. When he came home, he wanted his supper, or his paper, or his wife dropped all her merry ways. She thought he despised them and in that she was wrong. He liked to be amused, but he made the mistake of accepting without thanks. She thought him cold and irresponsible. She thought him changed. It had come to him before that Sunday evening that she was unhappy. Now he brooded over it. Sometimes he reproached himself, more often, as poor human nature goes, he was out of patience with her. Day after day, when he went home for his noonday dinner, the little kitchen reeked of soapuds, and the floor was damp from scrubbing. Often it was so at night. He knew his wife was discontented.

"You'll wear that floor out," he said angrily, one night. "I'll wear the heart out of me first," was the retort. And John went away without kissing her good-by.

for orders and began to move before he came up. Looking along the track, he saw a woman crouch the rail of the last car and swing herself on. When he reached the place, he saw a curious black object on the bank. He jumped the ditch and took hold of it. It was a basket. He opened it, beneath the red semaphore light, started back with muttered words, shut the lids tight down, and ran down to his house, Mary was wiping the tea things.

"What's up?" she asked. "See here," he said, lifting both lids of the old-fashioned market basket. A little baby lay there, blinking, squirming and crying a little.

"Where did you get that, John Bray?" He told her. "Take it back," she cried. "I'll have no girl's brat around me." "Haden't you better keep it till mornin'?" "I'll let the constable or somebody know about it. Then they kin take it away."

"Well," Mary assented, "an' I'll take it out; it's all crowded up there." John went off to his work, and Mary's tea dishes stood while she lifted out the tiny baby and tended to it. There were clothes and food in the basket and a note, beseeching the finder to care for the three weeks' old baby girl. Mary wept and wept by turns over the wee, dark-haired thing, and presently it went to sleep in her arms.

Nine o'clock came, ten, half-past ten and still Mary sat with the baby in her arms. "Where did you get that?" arms. John came in, and she straightaway motioned him to silence. "Why don't you set it down?" he asked. "I wuz waitin' fer you to turn down the bed, fer she seemed so comfortable cuddled up here I hated to rout her up, doin' the thing myself."

John's boots were noisy, as he stepped about. "Haden't ye better go stockin'-footed, ye'll wake her up," suggested Mary. John took the oath of allegiance to the baby sovereign mentally and drew off his shoes. "Ain't she a picture?" asked the wife, when she had nestled the wee thing down.

"I guess you liked holdin' that baby in your arms," John began, and Mary hid her face on his shoulder and cried. "You'll kinder hate to give it up, won't ye?" An' the constable's goin' to see about it to-morrow. I wuz down there. That's what kep' me so late. There don't seem to be any peticler place fer to put it, but he'll find out."

Mary was silent for a little, and then the baby stirred. She hurried over to it, shaded the lamp and tiptoed back to John. "Can't we keep her?" Mary began, wistfully; "her little clothes was in the basket and her food in a tin can, an' this note says about her." John read the note, spelling it out, and absorbing its meaning slowly. "I guess we kin keep her if we want to," he said, judicially, and then, eagerly: "What'll we call her?" "I wuz thinkin' Express 'ud be a good name," Mary answered. "It's too long," John objected, "an' it's onhandy to say."

"Well, Pressie, fer short, an' Pressie's a real pretty name. It's kinder 'propriate to call her somethin' like that," Mary went on, for Mary was romantic in her notions.

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