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# The Daily New Mexican

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## THURSDAY, MARCH 4.

Hail, thrice hail, President William McKinley.

The new cabinet consists of able men of excellent reputation and great experience in public affairs. The new administration starts off well.

A better system for the collection of taxes must be established by the present assembly. The people demand this and their demand should be heeded.

Standing by your promises and your friends is pretty good policy. The man who does not do this in public life will sooner or later be caught up with. Never fear.

From now it will require steady hands at the helm of the legislative ship. Time is getting short. Only 12 more working days of the session and much work to be done yet.

The New Mexican, being human, cannot possibly watch everything going on in legislative circles, but it will do the best it can for the people of the territory to keep a keen lookout in the interest of economy and good legislation.

Santa Feans were nearly frightened out of their boots, anyway.—Las Vegas Optic.

This pleases you and it does not hurt us. But you never were more mistaken in your life.

There can be no question but that sheriffs' fees and collectors' and assessors' commission fees and like salaries need reduction. This is a very important subject before the assembly and should be promptly taken up and disposed of.

The revenue system of this territory must be so amended, that taxes can be collected. No collection of taxes, no territorial and county governments. The present situation is serious and demands action at the hands of the assembly.

In the matter of economy in county expenses, a big saving could be effected by regulating the cost of feeding prisoners. The amount allowed at the present time, 75 cents a day, is exorbitant and should be reduced.

A. A. Grant's monopolies permeate every department of the municipal government. People do not care to settle in a city that is ruled by a monopolist, to whom they must pay exorbitant tribute for the necessities of life.

We have a new coal oil inspector, for which let us offer thanks commensurate with the event. But he can not do everything. A law is needed regulating this Standard monopoly and forcing it to treat consumers of this territory as though they were human beings.

Economy like charity begins at home. Certain county officers, notably the sheriff, assessor and collector, receive exorbitant fees for their services. A general reduction should be made all along the line. Fat fees come out of the tax payers. There is reason in all things.

The fees of collectors, sheriffs and assessors should be materially reduced. The several counties in the territory are paying a great deal more than the service is worth, and this is a good point for investigation for those who are in favor of economy in the conduct of county affairs.

It is really too bad to see a town of the great promise of Albuquerque injured daily by monopolies, charging exorbitant rates for the necessities of life, like water, gas and electric light. But we suppose that if the people of Albuquerque can stand it, the rest of us can.

The man who violates a political promise, only lacks the opportunity to do worse.—Las Vegas Optic.  
The Optic's remark is timely and comes pat. There are a few men who are in that sort of a position now and they are not all on the Democratic side of the fence either. It will be well to stick a pin right here for certain interested parties.

The city of Albuquerque gave one A. A. Grant valuable franchises. Having obtained these franchises, the aforesaid

philanthropist charges exorbitant water, gas and electric light rates. This of course retards the growth of Albuquerque, keeps people away, and in other respects injures the town.

Well, get the bureau of immigration, unless Santa Fe takes a notion that it must have it.—Albuquerque Citizen.  
Fear not, you are very apt to get it, indeed you are sure of it. The men who promised this should be kept, their word in politics as well as every other relation in life. Do you catch on?

The tax payers of the territory would be saved many thousands of dollars annually by a substantial reduction in the fees of county officers. Take for example the fees allowed sheriffs. There can be no doubt that the allowances of this office are exorbitant. The tax payers demand that substantial reductions should be made in this and other offices.

An extra session of congress will be called for March 15th; at that session a sensible and timely tariff bill will be enacted and the broad wings of prosperity will flap their wings of this country from Portland, Me., to Portland, Ore., from the Saint Ste. Marie to Corpus Christi, from San Diego to Jacksonville and all intermediate points.

The people of New Mexico may well congratulate themselves that the bills for the removal of the capital to Albuquerque have been killed. Had these bills been favorably considered, the people of the territory would have been compelled to pay exorbitant tribute to enrich at great expense to themselves the monopolies known as the Grant corporations in Albuquerque, that sell water, electric light and gas to the unfortunate people of that city.

CLEVELAND is gone. The abyss of private life has swallowed up his form, enormous though it may be. No longer the magic word of president fails like sweet music upon his willing ear, and the meek and lowly of the land no longer bend the well oiled hinges of the knee. The days of deficit are over, and numbered with other nightmares of a dim and shadowy past. A long farewell to all his greatness—of body and incapacity of mind. Let the nation's artillery belch forth its thunderous applause in honor of his successor. A true man and a true American is at the helm.

CITIZENS of Santa Fe stand together pretty well in the face of a common danger. A stranger within the gates of the ancient city might easily conceive of a dozen bitter factions, actuated by all sorts of sinister motives, but let a crisis show its face, as for example the capital removal bill, and immediately these apparently opposing factions merge into a symmetrical whole, and a bold and solid front is presented to the enemy. These factions too are largely imaginary—more apparent than real—"and of such stuff as dreams are made of." The people of Santa Fe are all right.

The legislators of our beloved country seem to be going mad. Nevada started it. No sooner did she license prize fights than up rose an Oregon statesman who declared that cats should be taxed as well as dogs. In New Mexico, as evidence of this legislative epidemic, witness a bill to remove the capital to Albuquerque, and the threat of Hon. Tom Hughes to introduce a measure looking to the removal of the National cemetery, and possibly the historic plaza. Truly we have come upon strange times, and the only help to be found is contained in one word—adjournment. Thus may our statesmen enjoy at least a brief placid interval between now and the time for re-election.

The New Mexican is studying the reports of the different educational institutions in the territory. It will have something to say as to the appropriations that should be made for them during the coming two years. Should it be disclosed that any of these institutions are not administered properly or economically or are not productive of a fair amount of benefit to the people, this journal will say so in cold type, black on white, and still colder English. The deserving institutions and those being properly and economically managed will receive the aid they deserve in the columns of this journal. No mealy mouthed business around here. A spade will be called a spade.

## FAREWELL, GROVER.

Close students of political history will note with a commendable degree of joy that Mr. Cleveland is no longer president of these United States. At noon today, at the earnest request of the American people, as expressed at the polls on the 4th day of last November, he turned over the keys to his worthy successor and quietly slid back into that fading red repose and restful obscurity from which he was seduced some years ago by the siren voice of Democracy, calling him to the high office of chief deficit maker of the United States. In this capacity he has served well his country and his party, now torn and rent by internal dissension floating a total wreck upon the turbulent ocean of national politics. Grover has gone, and in all the land there are no tears, no sighs and no regrets. He has made a blunder every day, and a deficit every year of his unfortunate incumbency of the highest office in the gift of the American people, who will remember him only as a fisherman of wonderful luck and dexterity, and a man who dearly loved to exercise his right of veto.

Peace to his memory, already growing dim in the short distance that separates him from the high office which he left behind a few hours since. May the arms of a kind and convenient obscurity open to receive him, and may his declining years be evenly divided between the comforts of domestic bliss and the fish pond in which he may now fish, undisturbed by the cares of state or nation.

## UNTAXED LANDS.

There are hundreds of thousands of acres of untaxed land in New Mexico upon which

no tax is paid, and legislation looking to a remedy of this evil would be just and timely. Why should nonresident owners of extensive tracts of as good land as New Mexico can boast, be exempt from a share in the burden imposed upon property owners in general, for the public weal? Under a system of assessment, which in many cases neglects to take cognizance of certain large tracts of land, the owners run along year after year entirely exempt from taxation for the simple reason that their property has never been recorded in the assessment books at all. This applies to portions of several of the largest land grants in the territory and has been going on ever since the territorial government was organized. It is easy enough to see, that this condition of affairs, imposes a severe hardship upon those who pay according to the regular assessment. In nine cases out of ten the non resident holder is better able to stand a part of the public burden than the small farmer who owns ten acres or less, upon which he manages to eke out a scanty existence. Yet the small farmer is forced to pay, while the man who owns thousands of acres is exempt altogether. The law should be made stringent enough to cover a very apparent neglect of duty on the part of certain county officers who are responsible for keeping this property off the assessment books and thus exempting it from taxation. Let the assessors, county commissioners, and other county officers who are directly responsible for this condition of affairs, be given to understand that severe penalties will be the result of further oversight in this matter, and a good deal of land now exempt will find its way onto the assessor's record, where it will then be compelled to bear a just proportion of taxation.

## TERRITORIAL COMMENT.

Leading Questions as Treated by the Territorial Papers.

Let Her Go, Gallagher.  
Yes, gentlemen in Santa Fe, we are fully aware of that new scheme and rest assured, if it is sprung we will do our best to explode it.—Rincon Weekly.

A Strictly Moral Position.  
We oppose any and every scheme in which there is an appearance of intention to defraud the taxpayers of New Mexico. "A word to the wise."—Rincon Weekly.

Sorry for You, But the Move is Dead.  
A bill for the removal of the territorial capital to Albuquerque has been introduced in the council. We of southern New Mexico of course favor the bill.—Rincon Weekly.

Luna For Marshal.  
We still fervently believe that Hon. Solomon Luna will be the next marshal of New Mexico. If the wish is father to the thought then we are proud of the wish, for to secure a better or more worthy man would be hard indeed.—Rincon Weekly.

Did They Though?  
The members of the legislature interested in retaining the capital at Santa Fe handled their votes to good advantage by confirming the governor's appointments and thus securing enough votes to prevent the removal of the capital.—Las Vegas Examiner.

A Fake Ghost, Even So.  
The ghost of capital removal is now disturbing the slumbers of the residents of Santa Fe. A determined effort will be made to make Albuquerque the capital of the territory. This would be disastrous to Santa Fe and would likely be followed by the removal of the government offices to Albuquerque.—Silver City Eagle.

Well, What of It?  
Upon inquiry it has been learned that capital removal has been provided for in the organic act. Section 1944, page 72, of the Compiled Laws of the territory, expressly says that the governor and the legislature of the territories mentioned, of which New Mexico is one, have the power to move the capital.—Las Vegas Optic.

Very Interesting, Were it True.  
Delegate Catron's advice at Santa Fe was headed yesterday. Everybody and everything was swapped off for the defeat of the capital removing bill and the passage of the bill for the compilation and publication of the laws of New Mexico.—Las Vegas Optic.

Pass the Code.  
The vote by which the code of civil procedure was killed in the council on Monday, was reconsidered yesterday in the council and passed by that body by a vote of seven to five. This is a measure to simplify civil procedure and do away with the technicalities of the old common law system, and the house will do the people of New Mexico a great favor by passing it without delay.—Albuquerque Citizen.

A Timely Hint to the People of Santa Fe.  
The next time the people of Santa Fe make a trade with a Democratic candidate for delegate to congress, in order to keep the capital there, they will make sure first that he can deliver the votes. Mr. Ferguson carried Santa Fe on his pledge that no capital removal bill

long my throat was filled with sores, large lumps formed on my neck, and a horrible ulcer broke out on my jaw,—says Mr. O. H. Elbert, who resides at 222 St. and Avenue N., Galveston, Texas. He was three times pronounced cured by prominent physicians, but the dreadful disease always returned; he was then told that was the only cure. His hair had all fallen out, and he was in a sad plight. After taking one bottle of S. S. S. he began to improve and two dozen bottles cured him completely, so that for more than six years he has had no sign of the disease.

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would be introduced, and the people of Santa Fe would now like to know why he has not kept his promise. They went back on the man who had been their friend for years, and who had always stood by them, and now they will get just what they deserve if the capital is taken from them.—Albuquerque Citizen.

## The Inside History of This May Be Told—Some Day.

At a critical moment yesterday afternoon when the capital bill was being discussed in the house Representative Mulholland injected the Summit county measure, and it caused Representative Luna and his friends, who were favoring the capital removal bill and opposing the creation of the new county, to change front, and last night the friends of Albuquerque felt depressed over the situation. The outlook last night was that the capital bill was dead, and also Summit county. This removal bill fight has brought out many complications, and has proven that the politicians of Santa Fe are hard to beat.—Albuquerque Citizen.

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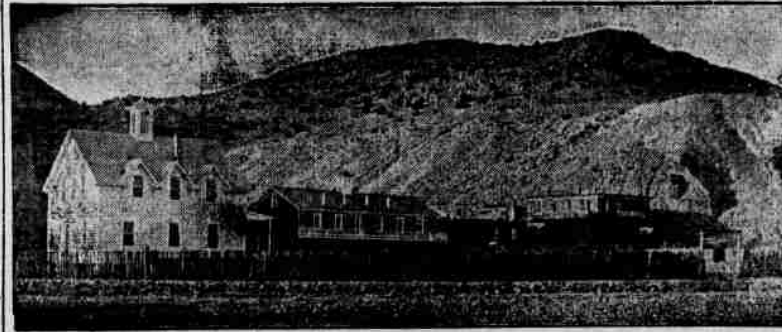
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Official Proceedings of the Capital Re-  
Moval Fight—Council Cautious  
Up with Business.

### LEGISLATIVE GOSSIP OF INTEREST

House Bill Taxing Nicks-in-the-Slot  
Machines Passes Council—List  
of Commissions.

#### LEGISLATIVE GOSSIP.

Solicitor-General Fall sounds very well  
indeed.

Some men want the earth and that  
fenced in.

Councilman Placido Sandoval looks  
good natured and feels good.

King eucans, it will be found may not  
be as powerful as is expected.

Councilman Curry keeps his word as a  
true man should and does. He is making  
a splendid record.

County schemes and capital removal  
seems dead for this season; only  
12 more working days and now for busi-  
ness.

Secretary Miller made the members of  
the legislature happy today by handing  
them their checks in payment for services  
to March.

The substitute for the fee and salary  
bill is still sleeping; how long it will re-  
main in that comatose condition remains  
to be seen.

The secret history of the Albuquerque  
removal scheme will make exceedingly  
interesting reading some bright spring  
day this coming spring.

Council bill No. 76, An act amending  
section 2968 of the Compiled Laws, was  
approved and signed by Acting Governor  
Miller this morning.

Since the victory achieved by Senator  
Fall at Santa Fe, the Optic feels certain  
that the law firm of Catron & Fall is only  
a matter of a very short time.—Las Vegas  
Optic.

William Cristman, representative from  
this county, is standing like a stone wall  
for what he believes to be right in the  
legislature and is representing his constitu-  
ents faithfully.—Silver City Eagle.

The voters of Grant county have long  
memories and they will not forget Albert  
B. Fall and George Curry should either or  
both of these gentlemen ask for the  
suffrages of our people in the future.  
Party lines will be smashed to smithereens  
when it comes to voting for them in  
this county.—Silver City Eagle.

While Senators Hughes and Spiess  
were blinding each other over trading  
with the Democrats to get votes for their  
respective sides of the capital removal  
bill, Senator Martin settled the matter by  
agreeing to confirm the appointments of  
the acting governor.—Albuquerque Cit-  
izen.

House bill No. 110, An act to provide  
for the payment of license by person  
owning or controlling nicks-in-the-slot  
machines was passed by the council this  
morning.

Representative Max Luna, of Valencia  
county, should be the lion of the hour at  
Santa Fe, if he isn't. It was his break  
from the combine that defeated the Mal-  
holland house bill for the removal of the  
territorial capital to Albuquerque. The  
always-in-order motion to adjourn did  
it.—Las Vegas Optic.

House bill No. 117, introduced by Mr.  
Felix Garcia, is an act in reference to the  
disqualification of certain county officers,  
and provides that no sheriff, assessor,  
probate judge, probate clerk or ex officio  
recorder, county treasurer, county com-  
missioner, tax collector or county super-  
intendent of schools shall be qualified or  
authorized to be elected, appointed to or  
hold the office as his own successor, or  
the successor of any of the above named  
offices until after the expiration of one  
full term from the time of the expira-  
tion of the office to which he was elected  
or appointed. The provisions of this  
section also apply to all the above named  
offices that are now filled or may here-  
after be filled before the next election.

Acting Governor Miller today issued  
commissions to the following newly ap-  
pointed territorial officials: A. B. Fall,  
solicitor-general; Samuel Eldred, treas-  
urer; Marcelino Garcia, auditor; Placido  
Sandoval, superintendent of public in-  
struction; Jose Segura, librarian; W. E.  
Martin, coal oil inspector; also to the var-  
ious district attorneys: Olin E. Smith,  
Cofax and Union counties; Thomas J.  
Hedlin, Grant and Sierra counties; E. V.  
Long, San Miguel, Mora and Guadalupe  
counties; B. F. Matthews, Lincoln county;  
John Franklin, Eddy and Chaves coun-  
ties; R. L. Young, Dona Ana county; J.  
H. Crist, Santa Fe, Rio Arriba, Taos and  
San Juan counties; T. A. Finkel, Ber-  
nalillo and Valencia counties; H. M.  
Dougherty, Socorro county.

The Council.

Wednesday Morning.

The council met pursuant to adjourn-  
ment at 10 o'clock with the president in  
the chair and all members present.

The journal of Monday and Tuesday's  
sessions were read and approved.

Mr. Duncan introduced C. B. No. 102,  
An act to repeal chapter 63 of the 28th  
legislative assembly of New Mexico and  
chapter 38 of the 29th legislative assem-  
bly. The bill was read the first time by  
title. Upon motion of Mr. Duncan the  
rules were suspended and the bill read a

second time in full, ordered translated,  
printed and referred to the committee on  
education.

A message was received from the house  
of representatives announcing the pas-  
sage by that body of, and requesting the  
concurrence in the following named bills:  
H. B. No. 122, An act relating to municipal  
corporations and for other purposes;  
H. B. No. 121, An act with reference to  
sawmills by water power; also announc-  
ing the concurrence in the passage of C.  
B. No. 52, An act in reference to corpora-  
tions in New Mexico, also announcing the  
concurrence in the passage of that bill by  
the officers of that body had signed C.  
B. No. 77, An act amending section  
2368 of the Compiled Laws of New Mex-  
ico.

Mr. Sandoval, by request, introduced  
C. B. No. 104, An act regulating the doing  
of business in the territory of New Mex-  
ico by non-residents in the territory, build-  
ing and loan associations. Same was read  
the first time by title. Upon motion of  
Mr. Sandoval the rules were suspended and  
the bill read a second time in full.

Upon motion of Mr. Finkel it was or-  
dered translated, printed and referred to  
the committee on territorial affairs.

Mr. Sandoval, by request, introduced  
C. B. No. 105, An act for the payment to  
Joseph Blakely of a reward of \$500 for the  
arrest and conviction of Leon Trujillo for  
the murder of Gabriel Sandoval in the  
county of San Miguel. Same was read the  
first time by title. Upon motion of  
Mr. Sandoval the rules were suspended and  
the bill read a second time in full.

Upon motion of Mr. Archuleta it was re-  
ferred to the committee on appropri-  
ation and finance.

Whereupon Mr. Curry was called to the  
chair. Mr. Curry introduced C. B. No.  
106, An act to amend chapter 25 of the  
territorial laws of New Mexico, creating  
the office of superintendent of public in-  
structions, recommending that it be not  
passed. Upon motion of Mr. Chavez re-  
ported and together with the bill read a  
second time in full. Upon motion of Mr.  
Chavez the rules were suspended and the  
bill read a third time preparatory to its  
passage. The bill was then passed and  
the roll call being ordered the vote re-  
sulted in the affirmative and C. B. No.  
106 duly passed.

Mr. Finkel introduced C. B. No. 107,  
An act amending the insolvency act of  
1889. Same was read the first time by  
title. Upon motion of Mr. Finkel the rules  
were suspended and the bill read the  
second time in full, ordered translated,  
printed and referred to the committee on  
judiciary.

Mr. Curry introduced C. B. No. 108,  
repealing certain portions of section 7,  
chapter 106, laws of 1889. Same was read  
the first time by title. Upon motion of  
Mr. Curry the rules were suspended and  
the bill read a second time in full. On  
motion of Mr. Martin it was then ordered  
translated, printed and referred to the  
committee on territorial affairs.

Mr. Joseph introduced C. B. No. 109,  
An act fixing and establishing the west  
and south boundary lines of Taos county.  
Same was read the first time by title.  
Upon motion of Mr. Joseph the rules were  
suspended and bill read a second time in  
full. Mr. Joseph moved that the bill be  
ordered translated, printed and referred  
to the committee on county and county  
lines. As amended Mr. Chavez moved  
that it be referred to a special committee  
composed of the two members directly  
interested and one other member of the  
council to be selected by the chair.  
Amendment was accepted, and motion  
prevailed. The chair appointed as mem-  
bers of said special committee, Messrs.  
Joseph, Archuleta and Miera.

Mr. Joseph, by request, introduced C.  
B. No. 110, An act providing for the ad-  
justment of certain floating school in-  
debtedness. Same was read the first  
time by title. Upon motion of Mr. Jo-  
seph the rules were suspended and the bill  
read a second time by title, ordered  
translated, printed and referred to com-  
mittee on judiciary.

Mr. Duncan introduced C. B. No. 111,  
An act to enable the board of education  
of the several cities and incorporated  
towns of the territory of New Mexico to  
issue bonds and purchase school houses  
and grounds. Same was read the first  
time by title. On motion of Mr. Duncan  
the rules were suspended and bill read  
a second time in full, ordered translated  
and printed and referred to committee  
on judiciary.

Mr. Miera, by request, introduced C. B.  
No. 112, An act for the purpose of divid-  
ing and making two counties out of the  
county of Cofax. Same was read the  
first time by title. Upon motion of Mr.  
Duncan the rules were suspended and bill  
read a second time by title. Mr. Miera  
moved that it be ordered translated,  
printed and referred to the committee on  
county and county lines. As amended  
Mr. Chavez moved to refer same to a  
special committee of three members,  
composed of the gentleman from Union  
and two other members representing  
contiguous counties. Amendment was  
accepted and motion prevailed. Where-  
upon the chair appointed Messrs. Miera,  
Chavez and Sandoval.

Mr. Duncan introduced C. B. No. 113,  
An act to facilitate the collection of taxes  
in the territory of New Mexico. Same  
was read a second time by title. Upon  
motion of Mr. Finkel the rules were sus-  
pended and the bill read a second time  
in full. Upon motion of Mr. Joseph, it  
was ordered translated, printed and referred  
to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Hughes introduced C. B. No. 114,  
An act for the protection of aqueducts and  
providing duties of mayordomos. Same  
was read the first time by title. Upon  
motion of Mr. Chavez, the rules were sus-  
pended and the bill read the second time  
in full, ordered translated, printed and  
referred to the committee on irrigation.

Bills on their third reading being in or-  
der, adverse report of committee on ter-  
ritorial affairs upon C. B. No. 83, An act  
with reference to the filing of accounts  
against counties and municipal corpora-  
tions, was read upon motion of Mr.  
Hughes was adopted.

Upon motion of Mr. Duncan, the bill  
was read a third time preparatory to its  
passage. Mr. Martin then moved that  
the bill do pass. Roll call being de-  
manded, the vote resulted in the affirma-  
tive, and C. B. No. 83 duly passed.

Upon motion of Mr. Martin recess was  
taken until 3 p. m.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

Mr. Duncan, chairman of the commit-  
tee on enrolled and engrossed bills, re-  
ported C. B. No. 52, An act in reference  
to incorporations in New Mexico, to be  
properly enrolled and engrossed.

Upon motion of Mr. Chavez report was  
adopted.

Mr. Curry presented a petition from  
the resident attorneys of Chavez county  
urging the passage of law providing for  
compilation of the statutes. Upon mo-  
tion of Mr. Curry same was received and  
laid upon the table to await reference to  
proper committee.

Mr. Curry also presented a petition  
from the citizens of San Juan county re-  
questing passage of the law in regard to  
equalization of assessments. Upon mo-  
tion of Mr. Curry same was received and  
laid upon the table to await reference to  
committee.

Reports of standing committees being  
in order the committee on education pre-  
sented reports as follows:

Upon C. B. No. 10, An act to provide  
better schools in the territory of New  
Mexico and for the better protection and  
care of school houses, recommended pas-  
sage with an amendment striking out  
section 5 of the printed bill. Upon mo-  
tion of Mr. Chavez report was received  
and laid upon the table to await regular  
order. Upon memorial from superin-  
tendent of public instructions, recom-  
mending passage. Upon motion of Mr.  
Archuleta report was received and laid  
upon the table to await regular order.  
Also upon council substitute for C. B.  
No. 34, An act regulating contracts of  
school directors, recommending passage.  
On motion of Mr. Martin report was re-  
ceived and with bill laid upon the table  
to await regular order. Also upon C. B.  
No. 62, An act to amend chapter 35, of  
the territorial laws of 1891, establish-  
ing common schools in the territory of  
New Mexico and creating the office of  
superintendent of public instructions,  
recommending that it be not passed.  
Upon motion of Mr. Chavez re-  
ported and together with the bill read a  
second time in full. Upon motion of Mr.  
Archuleta report was received and to-  
gether with the bill laid upon the table  
to await regular order.

Also on H. B. No. 60, An act for the  
distribution of the common school fund,  
recommending that it be not passed.  
Upon motion of Mr. Martin the report  
was adopted.

Mr. Martin moved that the bill be laid  
upon the table indefinitely. Roll call  
was demanded and the vote resulted in  
the affirmative and the motion prevailed.

Bills upon their third reading being in  
order the majority and minority reports  
were read upon C. B. No. 84, An act for  
the protection of schools and for other  
purposes, the first recommending that  
the bill do not pass and the second rec-  
ommending passage. Mr. Duncan moved  
the adoption of the minority report. As  
a substitute Mr. Finkel moved that the  
minority report be adopted. Roll call  
was demanded and the vote resulted in  
the negative and the motion prevailed.

The question then returned upon the  
motion to adopt majority report. As a  
substitute Mr. Fall moved to lay said  
motion upon the table indefinitely. Roll  
call was demanded and the vote result-  
ed in the affirmative and the motion pre-  
vailed.

Mr. Finkel moved that the bill do  
pass. As a substitute Mr. Martin moved  
to lay the bill upon the table indefinitely.  
Roll call was demanded and the vote re-  
sulted in the affirmative and the motion  
prevailed.

Report of special committee to whom  
was referred C. B. No. 101, An act to re-  
move the capital from Santa Fe to Albu-  
querque, was read recommending that  
the bill do not pass; also minority report  
recommending passage, signed by Mr.  
Hughes.

Mr. Spiess moved that the minority re-  
port be adopted, which motion prevailed.

Mr. Martin moved that the bill be laid  
upon the table indefinitely. As an  
amendment Mr. Hughes moved that the  
chief clerk be instructed to cast unani-  
mously of the council in favor of said  
motion, which amendment prevailed and  
it was so ordered.

Report of the committee on railroads  
was read recommending passage of C.  
B. No. 82, An act in relation to palace and  
sleeping car companies. Mr. Fall moved  
to lay said bill upon the table indefinitely.  
Roll call was demanded and the vote re-  
sulted in the affirmative and the motion  
prevailed.

Report of the committee on education  
was read recommending passage with  
amendment of C. B. No. 10, An act to  
provide better schools in the territory of  
New Mexico, and for the better protec-  
tion and care of school houses. Mr.  
Miera moved that the report be adopted.  
Roll call was demanded and the vote re-  
sulted in a tie and the motion was lost.

Mr. Martin moved to refer the follow-  
ing amendment to the bill:

Section 4.—Any county school superin-  
tendent in the territory who shall be found  
in an intoxicated condition upon the streets  
of any city of the territory within the  
county for which he has been elected shall  
be removed from office by the governor  
upon sufficient proof furnished by not  
less than three persons. Mr. Curry  
moved that said amendment be laid  
upon the table indefinitely, which motion  
prevailed.

Mr. Duncan moved that the bill be read  
the third time preparatory to its passage,  
which motion was supported by Mr. Curry.  
Motion prevailed and the bill was read  
the third time by title.

Mr. Duncan then moved that the bill do  
pass. Roll call was demanded and the bill  
passed.

Mr. Hughes moved that the council ad-  
journ, and roll call being demanded the  
vote resulted in the affirmative. Council  
adjourned.

The House.

Wednesday Morning.

The house was called to order at 10 a.  
m. with the speaker in the chair. A quo-  
rum being present the house proceeded  
to business.

Unanimous consent was given to the  
following gentlemen to introduce bills:  
Messrs. John Morrow, Malaguia Mar-  
tinez, O. J. Smith, U. S. Bateman, J. D.  
Sena and Malaguia Luna. H. B. No.  
135, introduced by Mr. Morrow. An act  
in relation to crimes and rewards. Read  
first time by title and under the suspen-  
sion of the rules considered read the  
second time by title, ordered translated  
and printed and referred to the com-  
mittee on judiciary. H. B. No. 136, intro-  
duced by Mr. Morrow. An act to reduce  
the cost of public printing and for

other purposes. Read first time by title  
and under the suspension of the rules  
considered read the second time by title,  
ordered translated, printed and referred to  
the committee on judiciary. H. B. No. 137,  
introduced by Mr. Malaguia Martinez, An  
act with reference to school teachers.  
Read the first time by title and under the  
suspension of the rules considered read  
the second time by title, ordered trans-  
lated and printed and referred to the  
committee on education. H. B. No. 138,  
introduced by Mr. Malaguia Martinez, An  
act making it legal that justices of the  
peace may provide themselves with a  
seal in their respective precincts where  
there is no notary public in certain cases.  
Read first time by title and under the  
suspension of the rules considered read  
the second time by title, ordered trans-  
lated and printed and referred to the  
committee on judiciary. H. B. No. 139,  
introduced by Mr. Olin E. Smith, An act  
supplementary to certain acts relating  
to railroad corporations. Read first  
time by title and under the suspension of  
the rules considered read the second time  
by title, ordered translated and printed  
and referred to the committee on judi-  
ciary. H. B. No. 141, introduced by Mr.  
J. D. Sena, An act providing for the  
adjustment of certain floating school  
indebtedness. Read first time by title  
and under the suspension of the rules  
considered read the second time by title,  
ordered translated and printed and referred  
to the committee on education.

H. B. No. 142, introduced by Mr. Maxi-  
milliano Luna, by request, An act for the  
protection of live stock against injury by  
railroads. Read first time by title and  
under suspension of the rules, considered  
read the second time by title, ordered  
translated and printed and referred to the  
committee on live stock.

The committee to whom was referred  
H. B. No. 133, An act to locate and estab-  
lish the capital of the territory of New  
Mexico at the city of Albuquerque, was  
instructed to make a report on it by 2  
o'clock p. m., that it might be considered  
at that time.

On motion of Mr. Smith the house took  
a recess until 2 p. m.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

The house was called to order at 2 p.  
m. with the speaker in the chair.

The committee having H. B. No. 133,  
An act to locate and establish the capital  
of the territory of New Mexico at the city  
of Albuquerque, in its charge for con-  
sideration, reported the bill adversely, to  
which Mr. Bateman, member of the com-  
mittee, dissented.

The committee on militia reported ad-  
versely on H. B. No. 51, An act derogat-  
ory to several sections of chapter 56 of  
the laws of New Mexico, and offered sub-  
stitute therefor.

The committee on labor reported C. B.  
No. 39, An act to amend chapter 37 of  
the laws of 1887, entitled, An act to pro-  
vide for the exemption of property from  
forced sale under execution, and C. B. No.  
55, An act providing for the taxation of  
premiums of fire insurance companies,  
back to the house, recommending their  
passage.

The report of the committees were re-  
ceived.

Mr. Luna moved that the house now re-  
solve itself into a committee of the whole  
for the consideration of H. B. No. 133,  
An act to locate and establish the capital  
of the territory of New Mexico at the city  
of Albuquerque. The motion was car-  
ried.

The chair called Mr. Smith to preside.  
After the committee of the whole had  
arisen, the chair called the house to order  
and Mr. Smith, chairman of the commit-  
tee of the whole house, reported the bill  
back to the house with the recommenda-  
tion that it be tabled indefinitely.

The report of the committee was re-  
ceived. Mr. Read moved that the report  
of the committee be adopted. Roll call  
was ordered with the following result:  
Ayes, 16; nays, 8. Whereupon the chair  
stated that the motion having received  
the majority votes of the houses de-  
clared the report of the committee  
adopted.

Mr. Luna moved that H. B. No. 133 be  
tabled indefinitely. The motion pre-  
vailed.

Upon motion of Mr. J. P. Sandoval the  
house adjourned.

SPRING GOODS.

Within the next twenty days we  
will show the most complete line of  
Spring Goods in every department  
ever shown in this city. It will be to  
the interest of everybody not to pur-  
chase any goods until our stock is in  
on exhibition.

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or supplies, go to Fischer & Co's.

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. H. Gerdes has returned from Cer-  
rillos.

Albert Gaudorf, of Lincoln, registers at  
the Palace.

M. E. Becker, Albuquerque insurance  
man, is at the Palace.

P. Moreno, a well known citizen of Las  
Cruces, is at the Palace.

Gov. Thornton still lingers in Washing-  
ton. He may leave there on tomorrow.

Mrs. W. E. Martin, wife of Council-  
man Martin, has returned from Socorro.

Hon. L. A. Hughes, of E. J. McLean &  
Co., left last night for the north on busi-  
ness.

L. B. Gallegos, sheriff of Union county,  
was in the city during the forepart of the  
week.

Penitentiary Commissioner Henry J.  
Young, of Cerro, Taos county, is at the  
Palace.

J. G. Doty, a well known mine oper-  
ator, is in the city from Turquesa, at the  
Palace.

Henry W. Carter, a healthseeker, left  
last night for Santa Fe.—Las Vegas Ex-  
aminer.

J. P. McNulty, in charge of the turquois-  
mine near Turquesa, is in the city, reg-  
istering at the Palace.

Rev. G. S. Madden, of the M. E. church,  
has gone east. It is reported he has  
gone to Washington.

Mr. Raadolph, of Richmond, Va., is the  
guest of Col. Coleman's family, and will  
spend the summer in Santa Fe.

Clinton Llewellyn, son of Speaker  
Llewellyn, came up from Las Cruces last  
evening on a visit to his father.

Charles Springer has returned from  
Raton. The Morrow bill, benefiting  
Raton, he is interested in, will go through,  
it seems.

Frank W. Parker, a Hillaboro attorney  
and a candidate for appointment on the  
Supreme bench of New Mexico, is in the  
city. He stops at the Palace.

A. A. Trimble, vice president of the Al-  
buquerque street railway, who was here  
looking out for the capital removal bill,  
has returned home, a sadder and wiser  
man.

Lieutenant-Colonel Lawton, inspector  
of rifle practice, has been looking over  
Fort Bliss, and left this afternoon for  
Redlands, Cal. His headquarters are at  
Santa Fe.—El Paso Herald.

Special Agents C. G. Coleman and Sher-  
ard Coleman, the former for the land  
office, the latter for the court of private  
land claims, are in Bernalillo county on  
official business.

Hon. Ernest Meyers, who has been here  
several days at work on the capital re-  
moval bill, leaves tonight for his home.  
He did not succeed in his endeavor, but  
has hopes for the future.

CITY NEWS ITEMS.

U. S. weather bureau forecast for New  
Mexico: Generally fair Friday; station-  
ary temperature.

Think about the coming city election.  
Taxpayers and property owners, having  
the interest of the city at heart, should  
be elected to city offices.

The annual meeting of the