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IMPORTANT APPOINTMENTS

Gov. Curry Selects Laymen on Educational Boards

WILL GO TO ROSWELL

There to Attend National Guard Armory Dedication and Convention.

Governor Curry will go to Roswell next week to be present at the dedication of the National Guard Armory in that city on the evening of April 5, and also to attend the Stock Growers' convention on April 6, 7 and 8. The trip to Roswell will be made via the Bejen Cut-off, and the return trip by automobile.

Penitentiary Board.
Territorial Secretary Nathan Jaffa has resigned as member of the Penitentiary Commission, and Governor Curry has accepted the resignation. He appointed in Mr. Jaffa's place, former Territorial Secretary J. Wallace Reynolds.

Conservation Commission.
Governor Curry is considering the appointment of a conservation commission created by the Thirty-eighth Legislative Assembly. The members who served on the commission appointed by Governor Curry previous to the formal creation of the commission by the legislature, and who have rendered efficient service voluntarily and without compensation, will be re-appointed, if they so desire.

Reform School Trustees.
Governor Curry today appointed R. E. Aldrich of Springer, a trustee of the New Mexico Reform School to be established at Springer, vice R. W. D. Bryan, of Albuquerque, resigned. There are likely to be two more vacancies on the board, caused by the resignation of Hon. Venecio Jaramillo and Rev. Simon Averne, just appointed trustees of the Spanish-American Normal School at El Rito. In that case, Hon. A. S. Bushkevitz of Roy, Mora county, and a Colfax county man, are being mentioned for the vacancies.

Territorial Board of Education.
Governor Curry today announced that he had appointed Amado Chaves of Albuquerque, former superintendent of public instruction, and W. G. Haydon, for the past ten years president of the board of education of East Las Vegas, as the lay members of the territorial board of education provided by the new educational law. The request for Mr. Haydon's appointment was almost unanimous on part of the business men and educational leaders of the Meadow City. The members are appointed for five years. Amado Chaves was a former resident of Santa Fe and has always taken a lead in educational matters.

Spanish-American Normal School.
Governor Curry today appointed the following board of trustees of the Spanish-American Normal School at El Rito: Ex-Governor L. Bradford Prince of Rio Arriba county, but residing in this city; ex-Delegate to Congress Antonio Joseph of Ojo Caliente, Taos county; Hon. Venecio Jaramillo of El Rito, Rio Arriba county; Hon. Malaquias Martinez of Taos, and Rev. Simon Alverne of El Rito. As will be remembered this school was created by the Thirty-eighth Legislative Assembly, and is to be housed in the fine, modern concrete structure built for the Reform School but never used by it. An appropriation of \$4,500 a year was made for the school under the proviso that it should have at least twenty-five pupils the first year. The board is considered an excellent one and will undoubtedly make the school a success.

APPARENT FURY OF A MAD MAN

Stabbed His Brother Sixty-Seven Times and Riddled Him With Six Bullets in Self Defense.

Dallas, Texas, March 26.—Offering no other explanation than that he acted in self-defense, Roy Terry today confessed killing his brother, Dr. Hugh Terry. The body of the latter showed sixty-seven knife wounds besides six bullet wounds.

CHARLES B. WAITE CROSSES THE DIVIDE

Eminent Jurist and Author, Court Associate of Abraham Lincoln, Dies at Chicago.

Chicago, March 26.—Charles B. Waite, 85 years old, a court associate of Lincoln, Territorial judge in Utah during the turbulent times with the Mormons and an author of prominence, died today.

FATAL TRAGEDY AT CUERVO

Francisco Calletano Is Dead and Alfredo Maes Wounded—Latter in Jail at Las Vegas.

From Las Vegas comes the story that Francisco Calletano, a native of Mexico, was killed and Alfredo Maes, wounded by a posse from Cuervo, Guadalupe county, which was in pursuit of the two men. Maes was brought to Las Vegas and lodged in jail, his wound not being serious. Calletano and Maes were accused of abducting the pretty daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Garcia, the latter keeping house for William Boylan of the La Garita near El Cuervo, 65 miles southeast of Las Vegas. A posse was organized and included Antonio Chaves, Simon Guana, Agapito Garcia, Concepcion Dominguez, Jose S. Romero and Fabian Romero, and soon caught up with the men who had left the girl with her father. A running fire ensued and Deputy Sheriff Antonio Chaves was wounded in the hand. Maes fled to the house of Fabian Romero, where he was arrested. Calletano was found dead in the body of his wagon.

COUNCIL MET LAST NIGHT

A New Revenue Ordinance Passed Affecting Business Men—Saloon Licenses Raised.

An adjourned meeting of the city council met last night at the office of R. L. Baca, all members being present. The special committee to whom was referred the vehicle ordinance reported that it should be referred to the city attorney.

An application of Mosencio Gonzales for city land was presented by Councilman Baca and upon motion by Councilman Armijo, duly seconded, it was ordered by the council that a deed be given to the aforesaid applicant for the land at \$3 per acre.

A new revenue ordinance was passed by the council which will be published in full later. It provides for mercantile licenses and also an increase in the saloon licenses to \$400 a year.

BOLD YOUTH HELD FOR FORGERY

Had Posed As a tesson of Vice-President Fairbanks.

New York, March 26.—George Cheever, the son of a former police chief of Andover, Massachusetts, was arraigned in court here yesterday and held in \$2,000 bail for trial on a charge of forgery. Cheever is but twenty-four years of age. He went posing as a Yale man and it is said succeeded in obtaining \$20,000 in the last six months on forged checks, the fathers of college students being the victims. In 1907 he secured a special train to carry him to Chicago from Denver, by representing himself to be the stepson of Vice-President Fairbanks.

FEMALE SENIORS GO ON STRIKE

They Object to Reading Shocking French Novels in Their Literature Course.

Berkely, Calif., March 26.—Twenty young women of the senior class of the University of California, went on a strike and gained their point upon the discovery that novels assigned to them in the reading course were "shocking." The list included Balzac, Du Maupassant, Zola and Dumas, Jr. They declared they would give up study entirely unless the books were dropped.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC LOSES CASE

San Francisco, March 26.—The petition of the Southern Pacific Railroad for relief on the ten charges of cruelty to animals brought by the government and decided against the railroad, was refused yesterday in U. S. Circuit Court by District Judge Van Fleet. The railroad was guilty of keeping cattle in transit in the cars for a longer period than 28 hours without unloading for food, water and rest.

POLICE COMMISSIONER IS INDICTED

Los Angeles, March 26.—Former police commissioner under the Harper regime, Samuel Schneek, was last night indicted by a special grand jury in connection with the investigation of alleged municipal graft.

It is charged that Schneek offered a bribe to former City Prosecutor E. J. Fleming to induce him to refrain from causing the arrest and prosecution of the managers and inmates of disorderly houses.

A CASE OF SOUR GRAPES

Democratic Representative Com- plains

NEW HOMESTEAD LAW

Delegate Andrews Desires Department of Interior to Get Quick Action.

Washington, D. C., March 26.—In a discussion of the tariff bill today, Representative Pou of North Carolina, declared that all parties desire a place at the pie counter but that he often thought his Republican friends get there quicker, stay longer and are harder to force away than any other class of people. He declared that the Payne bill is worse than the Dingley bill, and that in the teeth of the promise to the people the Republicans are attempting a revision upward instead of downward. He criticised the wool schedule declaring that the necessities of life will be doubled.

Wants New Mexico Lands Opened.
Delegate Andrews of New Mexico called upon Secretary Ballinger of the interior department today and requested that early designation be made of New Mexico lands for entry under the enlarged homestead act. Andrews says that practically all public lands in New Mexico come within the description of lands which are subject to entry, under the new law, and he expects the greater part of the public land area of the territory to be designated.

Representative Martin called upon the secretary of the interior today and was promised that prompt action would be taken toward designating Colorado lands for entry under the enlarged homestead act.

Colorado Statesman Fathers Queer Bills.

Representative Taylor of Colorado today introduced the following bills:

An appropriation of \$50,000 to erect a statue of Gen. James Denver in the city of Denver; to erect suitable monuments over unmarked graves of former presidents and vice-presidents of the United States; to permit banks in cities of 50,000 or less inhabitants and having a capitalization of \$100,000 or less to loan money on real estate, to establish a fruit experiment station and fish hatchery on the western slope and to erect public buildings at Grand Junction, Glenwood Springs and Durango.

Senators to Inspect Irrigation Projects.

Senator Carter, chairman of the irrigation committee, is planning to have his committee make an extensive trip during the coming summer to visit and inspect all government projects undertaken under the reclamation act. Details of the trip and itinerary have not been completed, but it is expected the committee will assemble at some convenient western point, attend the National Irrigation Congress at Spokane in August, and from there go to various government irrigation projects during August and September.

Mrs. Taft May Come West.

Washington, March 26.—Mrs. Taft will probably accompany the president on his western trip this summer. She was assured today that the women of Colorado were looking forward with keen expectancy to her coming.

Mrs. E. T. Taylor, wife of the Colorado representative, attended Mrs. Taft's reception and tea at the White House this afternoon and broached the matter, assuring Mrs. Taft that the president's visit to Colorado, while looked forward to there with much pleasure, would in a measure be disappointing if Mrs. Taft were not along. Mrs. Taft immediately referred the subject to the president, who was in the room. He said that it would certainly be arranged as Colorado women desired, if it were possible to do so. President Taft added that if possible he would pay a visit to Glenwood Springs, the home of Representative and Mrs. Taylor.

Western Roads Will Fight Decision.

Washington, March 26.—Traffic officers of western roads who have determined to contest the order of the interstate commerce commission issued last week in the Kindel case, reducing the class freight rates from Chicago to Denver by amounts ranging from 26 to 6 cents a hundred pounds on the various classes, were encouraged by the receipts of telegrams from Denver stating that they would receive the support of the Denver commercial interests in a court fight.

The effect of the Kindel decision, which hits every road handling through business between Chicago and Denver, was discussed at a meeting of traffic officers last Mon-

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GREAT PECOS POWER PLANT

Territorial Engineer Sullivan Approves Proposition

IRRIGATION ON THE GILA

Ten Thousand Acres to Be Reclaimed by Mohawk Canal Company.

Territorial Engineer Vernon L. Sullivan today approved the application of Ernest H. Fischer, civil engineer of Cimarron, Colfax county, for the diversion of the waters of the Pecos river and Holy Ghost creek, thirty miles east of Santa Fe, for power purposes, subject, however, to prior appropriations. The power house is to be erected just below the mouth of the Macho and is to develop 4,500 horsepower to supply current to Albuquerque, Santa Fe and Las Vegas. A pipe line 5.4 miles long and five feet in diameter to connect with a concrete ditch which will carry the water, is part of the project which altogether calls for an expenditure of \$450,000. About 150 second feet of water are to be diverted but will be returned to the river. A diversion dam is to be built just above the mouth of the Holy Ghost creek and another further down the Pecos river. These structures are to be of concrete.

Big Gila Irrigation Project.

The territorial engineer also approved the application of Darwin T. Mason of the Mohawk Canal Company for the diversion of 100 second feet of the surplus waters of the Gila river in Grant county. The original application had been for 180 second feet, but as part of the project is to be in Arizona, Engineer Sullivan approved only that part which will reclaim 10,000 acres in Grant county, the approval being subject to the condition that the diversion is to be entirely for the reclamation of lands in New Mexico. The cost of the project is to be \$31,400.

Reservoirs Near Raton.

The application of William Meader for the surplus waters of the Sugarite creek in Colfax county, to fill the Oasis and Nebraska reservoirs, was also approved subject, of course, to prior rights.

Uracca Project Almost Completed.

The irrigation project on the Cimarronito in Colfax county under construction on the Uracca ranch, is almost completed. The dam across the canon is 700 feet long and 40 high. The main reservoir and a smaller reservoir are rippedraped from bottom to top with rock ten inches in thickness. For the present one thousand acres will be irrigated.

KIDNAPERS IN PENNSYLVANIA

Taken to Mercer for Preliminary Hearing and Trial

FATHER RENOUNCES CHILD

Woman a Native of Chicago and Daughter of a City Fireman.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 26.—James Boyle and wife, Helen Boyle, were brought here from Cleveland today on their way to Mercer, where they will be kept pending trial. The woman is very nonchalant while Boyle is depressed. There may be a hitch in the proceedings which will prevent the trial of the woman in Pennsylvania because she did not appear in the actual kidnapping, but acted only in Cleveland.

The Curse of Bad Associates.

Chicago, March 26.—It developed today that Mrs. Helen Faulkner Boyle, who, with her husband James Boyle, is held in connection with the Whitla kidnapping, is a daughter of William McDermott, a former city fireman. The old man has broken down at the discovery and says he will renounce his daughter if she makes any claim on him and will give her no aid. He says the girl was once beautiful and received a good training, but fell among bad associates.

FATAL EXPLOSION AT EL PASO SMELTER

One Man Killed, Two Fatally and Four Others Seriously Injured By Premature Blast Explosion.

El Paso, March 26.—One man was killed, two fatally and four others seriously injured by a premature explosion in a slag pit at the El Paso smelter yesterday. The men had placed the round of blasts to be fired at the close of their day's work and were preparing to leave the pit when, from some cause not yet determined, the blasts exploded. Pieces of slag were hurled among the workmen and in another moment the slag hanging above where the work was being done came rushing down, burying seven of the workmen. Every available man from the smelter was called to the scene and for more than an hour worked frantically in an effort to rescue the victims of the accident.

Jesus Miranda was instantly killed and Enrique Mirelas and Czarlo Salinas were probably fatally injured.

BOARD OF TRADE MEETING

Every One Interested in the Welfare of the City, Whether Member or Not Invited to Attend.

At the Board of Trade meeting this evening, in addition to the matters which were mentioned yesterday for particular consideration, there will be interesting talks by Territorial Engineer V. L. Sullivan and W. G. Turley on the subject of irrigation enterprises as affected by recent legislation, particularly by the extension of the Carey Act to the Territories and by the adoption of the Irrigation District system by the late Legislature. These topics are especially important in connection with the early development of the Territory. The subject of a summer Chautauqua at Santa Fe will also be considered. Every one interested in the progress of the city is invited to attend. The meeting will be at 8 o'clock in the rooms of the Board of Trade on Palace avenue.

RECALL ELECTION AT LOS ANGELES

No Doubt of Election of George Alexander, Candidate of Combined Anti-Harper Forces.

Los Angeles, Calif., March 26.—This is the day of the recall election for mayor, the first to be held in the United States. There is practically no doubt of the election of George Alexander, the candidate of the municipal league, the Democratic League and other political units in the combination which forced Mayor Harper out, but it is said that the supporters of Harper will attempt to elect a socialist candidate.

WILL SUPPORT LAS VEGAS SANITARIUM

Knights of Pythias Lodges Will Levy Per Capita Tax to Increase Capacity of Institution in the Meadow City.

Chicago, March 26.—At a meeting of representatives of one hundred and fifty-two lodges of the Knights of Pythias, held here, it was decided to levy a per capita tax upon the members of the order to increase the capacity of the National Pythian sanitarium at Las Vegas, New Mexico. More cottages will be erected.

SKIPS OUT WITH NEIGHBOR'S HORSE

Farmington Lad Runs Away to Join the Navy at Denver.

Farmington, March 26.—Grover Johnson, son of W. M. Johnson, a well known business man of this town, has run away and joined the U. S. Navy at Denver, Colorado. He took with him during the night a saddle and bridle belonging to his father. It was later found that the horse belonging to W. N. Knight was also missing, but so far no trace of the animal has been found. The boy is nineteen years old.

LEGISLATORS WINCE UNDER CRITICISM

Summoned One of Their Own Members Before the Bar of the Senate at Denver.

Denver, Colo., March 26.—Benjamin Beshoar, of Trinidad, last night before the bar of the Senate said he had written the articles complained of as reflecting on the members of the Senate but refused to tell where he received the information. The matter was finally dismissed.

TEN-ROUND MILL AT NEW YORK TONIGHT

New York, March 26.—Jack O'Brien of Philadelphia and Stanley Ketchel will meet tonight in a ten-round bout here.

SOCIETY LEADER KILLS HERSELF

Suicide of Mrs. P. Lorillard, Jr., Creates Sensation

WASHINGTON IN A FUROR

Death of Mrs. Jesse Overton at Vincennes, Indiana, Self Inflicted.

Washington, D. C., March 26.—Society here is in a furore over the suicide by asphyxiation of Mrs. Pierre Lorillard, Jr., wife of the tobacco magnate, yesterday. Two notes left by the woman were found by the coroner but will not be made public at the request of friends. Mrs. Lorillard was 49 years old and for many years was a leader of Washington society.

All through the day flowers poured into the Lorillard home. Baron Moncheur and other diplomats are sending huge wreaths. Mr. Lorillard was prostrated and declined to see any one. Pierre Lorillard, the third, just out of college, is journeying home from New York.

The death was made more dramatic by occurring only a few hours after Mr. and Mrs. Lorillard had been the guests of Mrs. Townsend on Massachusetts avenue at a dinner given in honor of Lady Paget.

About 8:30 this morning the butler in the Lorillard residence detected an odor of gas. The gas was traced to Mrs. Lorillard's apartments. The butler was horrified to behold the body of the mistress of the house stretched out lifeless on the floor of her bathroom.

The alarm brought Mr. Lorillard from his apartment. Panic-stricken, the servant was dispatched for a doctor while Mr. Lorillard attempted to revive his wife by artificial respiration.

Coroner Nevitt ordered Deputy Coroner Galze Brook to perform an autopsy, on the completion of which the coroner issued a certificate of death of suicide by gas poisoning.

Extreme reticence is being maintained by the Lorillard families and all others who possess information regarding the sudden death.

Mrs. Lorillard left a note which the coroner has seen but which Mr. Lorillard has declined to make public. It is understood that it contains no declaration of any intention on the part of Mrs. Lorillard to take her life.

The last person to see Mrs. Lorillard alive was her husband, who bade her good-night from the Townsend residence. Mrs. Lorillard was seemingly in the best of spirits.

Mrs. Lorillard before her marriage to Lorillard in 1881 was Miss Caroline J. Hamilton. She is survived by two sons, one of whom is now traveling in the Orient and the other is in college in New York.

Since the Lorillards began passing the winter social season in Washington they have entertained and been entertained largely. Invitations were out for luncheon today at the Lorillard home which were recalled immediately. Last Sunday the Lorillards gave one of their usual Sunday night dinners.

NOT MURDER, BUT SUICIDE.

Vincennes, Ind., March 26.—The sensational death of Mrs. Jessie Overton Culbertson, believed to be a former Texas girl, is now believed to have been suicide. Facts in the past life of the woman indicate that she was of queer mental disposition and the murder theory has practically been discarded. Inquiry is being made in Texas for her relatives.

EX-PRESIDENT CASTRO IS FURIOUS

Told By Steamship Owners He Must Leave the Boat Before It Gets to Venezuela.

Bordeaux, France, March 26.—Former President Castro of Venezuela, was furious when told by a steamship official he must leave the boat before reaching Venezuela. He said he was willing to stand trial for any misdeed. He will land at Trinidad. His remarks lend color to the belief that he will organize a revolution.

BACK TO THREE CENT FARE IN MISSOURI

Rate Conference Fails and State Legislators Will Retaliate with Legislation.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 26.—It is apparent that the rate conference between the state and railway officials have failed. It is believed that the railways will institute the old three cent rate and the state will pass regulating laws in retaliation.

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THE DAILY ROUND UP.

Passenger Coach as Dining Station—A passenger coach now serves as a dining station at Lamy.

Died at Ripe Old Age—Juan B. Martinez died at the age of 80 years at Sapello, San Miguel county. He was a veteran of the Civil War.

Scarlet Fever Death at Las Vegas—Maria D. Lucero, infant daughter of Mrs. Eugenia Lucero y Jiron, died at Las Vegas of scarlet fever.

Death of Healthseeker—John R. Toppin, who came to Las Vegas from Kansas City, Mo., for his health, died yesterday. He was aged 30 years.

Albuquerque Man Married—Fred H. Newman, for ten years a resident of Albuquerque, was married at Norwalk, Connecticut, to Miss Gertrude Hollenbeck.

Want to Be Naturalized—Albert Edward Hayward and Lena Radcliffe Fenton at Las Vegas, have made application to the court for first citizenship papers.

Marriage License Issued—At Albuquerque yesterday a marriage license was issued to J. Q. A. Otero of Padilla, aged 37, and Miss Rebecca Lucero of El Paso, aged 24.

Wanted for Larceny—Catalino Lujan, wanted at Las Vegas for larceny, was arrested at Rayado, Colfax county, by Sheriff Cleofes Romero of San Miguel county.

School Principal Resigns—C. R. Pugh has resigned as principal of the public schools at Cimarron, Colfax county. Miss Cornelia Burke was elected to succeed him.

First Child Born in Las Vegas—Mrs. Priscillana Rendon de Duran, aged 70 years, died yesterday at Las Vegas. She was the first child born in Las Vegas, so tradition has it.

Had No Burial Permit—Complaint was filed against Santiago Garcia at Albuquerque, yesterday, for burying a child in San Jose cemetery, without having first obtained a burial permit.

One Year in the Pen—Fred R. Miller pleaded guilty to larceny from a rooming house at Albuquerque, in the district court at that city yesterday, and was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary by Judge Ira A. Abbott.

Four More Insane Patients—Four insane persons from Silver City, Grant county, were yesterday lodged in the territorial asylum for the insane at Las Vegas by Deputy Sheriff P. B. Heather of Grant county.

Militia Company in Bad Way—The Albuquerque Citizen says that although Albuquerque has the finest armory in New Mexico, the local militia company may be mustered out on account of an insufficient number of enlisted men.

Arbor Day at Albuquerque—Today was observed at Albuquerque and elsewhere as Arbor Day. At Albuquerque, G. A. Pearson of the Forestry Bureau addressed the school children. Owing to the lateness of the season Arbor Day at Santa Fe will not be observed until next month.

Woman Gets Big Damages—In the district court at Albuquerque yesterday, Mrs. Meta Barron was given \$6,100 damages against the Albuquerque Traction Company. She had sued for \$25,000 for injuries sustained in falling from a traction car which started while she was getting off the car.

Wreck Delays Train—Santa Fe trains from the east were late last evening on account of a wreck near Shoemaker, Mora county. A broken journal derailed a car loaded with corn and blocked the track. Train No. 2 from the south and the west was also behind schedule time yesterday.

Death of Mrs. Veeder—Mrs. Elmer E. Veeder died at Las Vegas yesterday of scarlet fever. Mrs. Veeder, nee Emma Jackson, came to Las Vegas for her health five years ago. She was married to Attorney Veeder October a year ago. The remains will be taken to Montgomery, Alabama, for interment.

Gasoline Motor Service—According to reports from Chicago, the Santa Fe intends to place in commission, 200-horsepower gasoline motors on such branch lines as that from Lamy to Santa Fe and even for a daylight passenger service from Belen to El Paso on the Rio Grande division. The motor cars seat seventy-five persons and weight 60,000 pounds.

Elks at Las Vegas—Las Vegas Lodge No. 408, of Elks, this week elected the following officers: W. M. Lewis, exalted ruler; Dr. C. S. Losey, esteemed leading knight; J. K. Martin, esteemed loyal knight; George H. Hunker, esteemed lecturing knight; D. W. Condon, secretary; W. G. Benjamin, treasurer; Cecilio Rosenwald, trustee for three years; Dr. E. B. Shaw, trustee for two years; John



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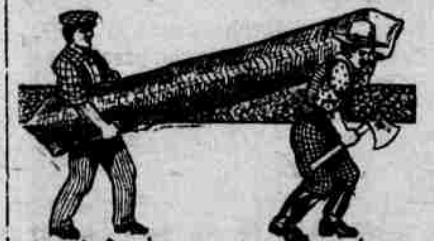
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RUDIMENTS OF FEDERAL MINING LAW

Applications for Patent and Proceedings in Local Land Offices Explained by Prominent Attorney.

A. H. Ricketts, member of the San Francisco Bar, in The Engineering and Mining Journal, gives the following illuminating talk on mining law, which the New Mexican thinks will interest the many of its readers who are mining men:

A patent for land claimed and located for valuable deposits may be obtained by any person authorized by law to locate a mining claim and who may have complied with the terms of the mining act. That act provides what steps are necessary, and the Land Department may be said to regulate the proceedings for, and to finally determine the right to the patent.

The Land Department (including in that term the secretary of the interior, the commissioner of the General Land Office and their subordinate officers) constitutes a special tribunal, vested with judicial power to hear and determine the claims of all parties to dispute of, and also the power to make conveyance of the government to the parties it declares are entitled to it.

The manner for obtaining a patent for either a lode or placer claim, whether for a single claim or for a number of contiguous lode or placer claims, that is, those which touch sides, lie alongside of, are adjacent or adjoin, with or without a mill site included therein, or for a mill site only, is substantially similar, except that all lode claims and mill sites must be officially surveyed for patent; and that coal lands can be entered only after survey and by legal subdivisions under special regulations.

But one entry of coal or saline lands and possibly of a mill site by any person, association of persons, or a corporation, is allowed by law. Placer claims which have not been located according to the rectangular subdivision of the public surveys must be officially surveyed. Claims which constitute one or more contiguous 10-acre lots of a 40-acre tract, may be subdivided into squares with lines at right angles with the lines of such surveys, and can be appropriately described as say, the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of a certain section, range and meridian, are not subject to such survey. If the claim be all placer ground, that fact must be stated in the application for patent and be corroborated by the affidavit of other persons. If of mixed placers and lodes, it should be so set out, with a description of all known lodes situated within the boundaries of the placer claim. Known veins or lodes included within such area must, if claimed by the applicant, be specifically applied for, or his right thereto will be waived. Where an official survey of a placer claim is made, the Land Department requires the deputy making the survey, to file a verified, corroborated report, containing such data as, for example, the proximity of the claim, the centers of trade or residence, the amount of vegetation, the locus and size of streams, etc. Such report must be made a part of the application for patent, or as oddly expressed in the rules of that department, be "included in the oath of the applicant."

Applications for Patent—The Survey.

The initial step in an application for either a lode or a mill site, or both combined, is the filing with the United States surveyor general of the district in which the same may be situated, of a written application, requesting an official survey of the claim by a deputy United States mineral surveyor, nominated therein by the applicant, who has no interest in the claim and whose charges must be paid for by the latter. The courts are not in accord as to whether the deputy is the agent of the applicant or not. Contemporaneously with the application there should be filed therewith a copy of the location notice certified by the officer in charge of the records where the same is recorded, or a statement showing sufficient reasons for its absence. Also a certificate of deposit, issued by the proper United States sub-treasurer for the amount which may be required by the surveyor general in the preparation of the plat and field notes of the survey in his office. Thereupon such deputy receives an order of survey from such officer. The survey should be actual and should be made in conformity to the rules of the Land Department, of which the surveyor-general's office is an integral part. When making the survey the end lines of the location may be straightened within the boundary lines of the claim. Errors in the survey occurring through the carelessness or negligence of the deputy, must be corrected by him at his own expense. His failure to comply with instructions from the department to do so within a specified time is ground for his suspension or removal from office.

The deputy is required to transmit to the surveyor general his field notes, a preliminary plat of the survey, indorsed with his approval, together with a statement of the value of the labor done or improvements made upon the claim, or if done upon one of a group of contiguous claims, that the work so done or the improvements made tend to the development of all the claims within the group and equals in the aggregate the statutory expenditure of \$500 upon each of them. These data are retained in the office of the surveyor general, who, if the same are correct, approves thereof and causes copies of the same to be made in his office and sends to the applicant copies of the plat for posting upon the property, and also

for filing in the local land office, together with the field notes as a part of the application for patent. This officer also sends a copy of the plat to the general land office at Washington and another copy to the local land office. It is usual for him to certify upon the plat that the statutory amount necessary to obtain a patent has been expended upon the claim (not upon the mill site). But this is not essential as such an expenditure may be made after survey and before the expiration of the period of newspaper publication and the certificate filed thereafter. This certificate of expenditure may be attacked in the land department before patent issues. Otherwise, it is conclusive of the facts stated therein. The equivalent of this certificate is an affidavit, where the application is for a placer claim which is not subject to official survey, made by two or more disinterested witnesses that not less than \$500 has been expended by the applicant or his grantors upon the claim, located by legal subdivision.

The next step in the proceeding is for the applicant to post a copy of the plat in a conspicuous place upon the claim and also one upon the mill site, if the application includes such, together with a notice of intention to apply for a patent. Both must be posted in such a way that they can be readily examined by any person desiring to do so. This posting must be done in the presence of two credible witnesses, who must make affidavit of such posting. This affidavit, which should state the date and place of posting, and contain a copy of the notice posted must be filed with, or before, the application for patent is filed.

Proceedings in the Local Land Office. What may be termed the "application papers," and which should be filed say, contemporaneously in the proper land office, consist of the following documents:

1. The said affidavit of posting the plat and notice upon the claim.
2. An application under oath of the claimant, or his attorney in fact or agent thereunto duly authorized, which should show, as clearly as possible, the facts constituting compliance with the requirements of the law, the origin of possession and the basis of the claim for the patent. If the application is for saline lands there must be incorporated in the application a statement that the applicant has never, either as an individual or as a member of an association, located, applied for, entered or held any other saline lands. If the party applying for patent does so as a trustee, he must fully disclose the nature of the trust, the names of his trustees, and furnish satisfactory proof of the citizenship of himself and of them.

3. Evidence of the citizenship of the applicant, which, if a natural person, should be given by his affidavit; if an association of persons, by the affidavit of each of them or of an authorized agent or attorney in fact made upon his information, or upon his information and belief; or if a corporation, by a certified copy of its articles of incorporation.

4. A duly authenticated copy of the authority of the attorney in fact or agent to apply for the patent, which in case of an individual or association may be by letter of attorney, or if the claimant be a corporation, by a copy of the resolution appointing him for that purpose, taken from the minutes of the meeting of the directors of the corporation, at which he was appointed, and certified to as correct by its secretary, under the seal of the corporation.

5. A copy of said plat and field notes given by the surveyor general to the claimant.

6. A duly certified copy of the location notice and an abstract of title of the property complete to the time of filing the application, certified by the custodian of the records, or by a duly authorized searcher of records, or an abstract maker, who must certify that no conveyances affecting the title of the claim appear of record, other than those set forth in the abstract. The abstract may be in the usual form of such a document. That is to say, instruments usually abbreviated in such a work, may be abbreviated therein.

Other Requirements.

In the event that the records may have been destroyed, an affidavit by the claimant, supported by the affidavit of any other person cognizant of the facts relative to the location, occupancy, possession, etc., should be filed with the application. When an applicant bases his right to a patent upon the statute of limitations, he is not required to file any evidence of location, copies of conveyances, or abstracts of title, as in other cases; but he is required to furnish a duly certified copy of the statute of limitations affecting mining claims in the state or territory within which the claim may be situated, together with his affidavit giving a clear and succinct narration of the facts as to the origin of his title, and likewise as to the continuance of his possession of the ground covered by his application; the area of his claim, the nature and extent of the mining that has been done thereon, whether there has been any opposition to his possession or litigation with regard to his claim, and if so, when the case ceased; whether such cessation was caused by compromise or by judicial decree, and any additional fact within the claimant's knowledge having a direct bearing upon his possession, and bona fides, which he may desire to submit in support of his claim. Thereafter the proceedings are the same as in other cases, excepting that the statement

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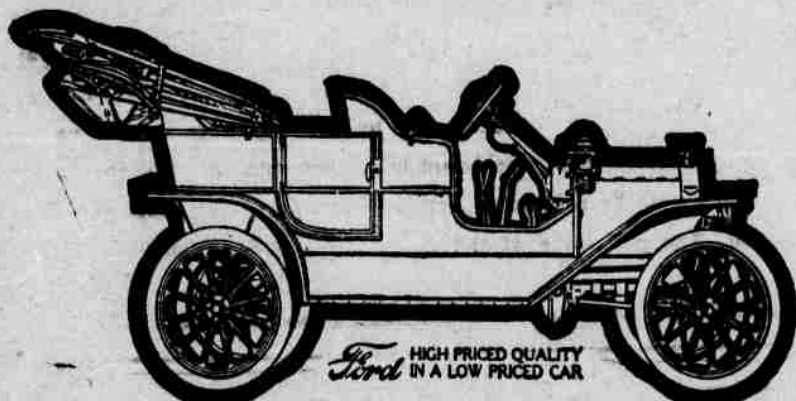
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PRIVATE IRRIGATION ENTERPRISE.

The granting by Territorial Engineer Vernon L. Sullivan, of an application for 500 cubic second feet of the surplus waters of the Rio Grande, for the reclamation of 25,000 acres in the Espanola Valley by private enterprise, will bring to a head the dispute over the head and tributary waters of the Rio Grande. Owing to the construction of the Elephant Butte project, applications for the reclamation of more than 1,000 acres on the upper Rio Grande and its tributaries have been refused, but it is the intention of the office of the Territorial Engineer to grant such applications in the future and to pass it up to the Department of the Interior whether the construction of such projects is to be interfered with by law.

It is admitted that the Elephant Buttes Reservoir when completed will impound many times as much water as will be needed even if all the water rights under it are taken up, which is to be doubted as already the water users have rebelled against the high charges of the government. Several of the large landowners have intimated that they do not propose to pay for water that they always had free of charge and to which they have priority rights. Settlement of large areas under irrigation projects is a process that takes a long time, as the lower Pecos Valley has experienced. Why, therefore, the people of northern New Mexico and southern Colorado should be deprived of the use of the surplus waters of the Rio Grande and its tributaries is not quite apparent.

When the Elephant Buttes Reservoir is filled it would impound sufficient water to irrigate all the lands under it for at least five years. Large volumes of water would therefore flow by the reservoir unused to which the upper valley settlers should have been given the priority right.

Nor is it established that any large proportion of the waters of the upper valleys ever reaches the lower Rio Grande. It is very likely that a greater proportion of the water would return to the river through seepage from irrigated fields than now flows past San Marcial.

It is therefore unjust and inequitable to deprive the land owners of northern New Mexico of water rights that do not interfere in the least with the great project at the Elephant Buttes.

Forty of the fruit growers of Roswell and vicinity have formed the "Pecos Valley Fruit Growers' Association." A manager will be employed who will market the products of the members of the Association and superintend the shipping. Organizations of that kind have been very successful in California, and are the means to assure the grower a steady market and fair prices. In the Espanola Valley such an organization was organized two years ago and expects this year to accomplish tangible results. Fruit growers in the Santa Fe Valley have found by experience that in years of plenty like this promises to be, it is extremely difficult to market the fruit raised and in consequence much of it goes to waste. The remedy is the organization of a Fruit Growers' Association through which orders are filled and products marketed in carload lots if such prove advantageous, or in express shipments if the latter is more profitable. This is one of the questions which might be discussed to advantage at tonight's meeting of the Board of Trade.

The members of the Board of Trade should turn out tonight and express their opinion freely on the proposition to combine the two commercial bodies of the city. Either this consolidation should be brought about or else the board should take more active hold of the many important municipal and business problems that the day has brought with it. There is a demand for a commercial organization, such as the Board of Trade, which will provide commodious quarters open day and evening, that will offer social attractions to visitors and to residents, that will take hearty hold of every movement for the good of the city and yet will keep factionalism and politics in the background, but at the same time insist upon honest local government and decency in public life. Such an organization would find hearty moral and financial support from many who now hold aloof from both commercial organizations, which at present are kept alive by the unselfish efforts of a few rather than by the support of the many.

East Las Vegas has a little more than one-half the population of Santa Fe and yet its city revenues exceed those of this city by almost one-half. At a session of the city council of the Meadow City held on Wednesday evening this week, \$14,050 were appropriated for the use of the city's departments during the coming year, as follows: Interest, \$3,000; salaries, \$2,550; lighting, \$2,000; water, \$2,500; public parks, \$1,000; miscellaneous, \$3,000. East Las Vegas is in consequence well lighted, having arc lights where Santa Fe has only incandescent street lights; the streets of Las Vegas, especially in the business portion, are well kept and clean; the sprinkling cart makes its regular rounds and garbage is diligently collected. If for no other reason than to secure adequate revenue for municipal purposes, it would be advisable for the city to annex its suburbs with their railroad mileage that would be subject to taxation. It would also be well to raise saloon licenses, for Roswell with only four saloons has \$8,000 a year revenue from them, or almost as much as Santa Fe collects from all sources of taxation.

The Tucson, Arizona, Citizen, is very emphatic in giving its opinion upon the order of Secretary of the Interior Ballinger, that territorial officials must not come to Washington to lobby for territorial interests. It says: "That a Territorial office holder should be denied the right of personal representation of his home people or home interests at the Capital, is a piece of bureaucratic absurdity, exciting the indignation of every Territorial resident. The Territories have as much right to personal representation at Washington in their business or governmental affairs as have the states. The idea of our Territorial officials presenting vital interests through the medium of letters is hardly worthy of discussion."

Governor Curry with that wider view of territorial affairs which at times is inconvenient and unpopular from the local standpoint, is having the territorial road from Raton to the Colorado boundary, there to connect with the Colorado state road, completed first, and after that proposes to continue the road from Raton to Las Vegas and thence to Santa Fe. Of course, the Scenic Highway between the Capital and the Meadow City should have been completed first, now that it is partly constructed, but San Miguel and Santa Fe counties should do something toward the attainment of that end. In fact, had Santa Fe county done what it should in road construction, the Scenic Highway would have been completed to the Pecos river several years ago.

How powerful and widespread is the influence of popular opinion and the press was indicated by two Associated Press dispatches yesterday. One announced that the Crown Prince of Serbia had renounced his succession rights to the throne because of newspaper attacks, following the illustrious example of the mayor of Los Angeles who wined under the same sort of criticism; and the other proclaimed that Nevada, the last of the states that had legalized gambling, had outlawed that nefarious business. Ten years from now a commonwealth that licenses saloons will be considered as much of an anomaly as has been Nevada because it tolerated public gambling.

It is not surprising to have the railroads testify that they are losing money on local traffic in New Mexico and Arizona. As a rule, but few railroads could exist in the territories if they depended entirely on the traffic given them by the towns, none of which are large as compared with eastern standards, and by the country which is sparsely populated. However, as a feeder of revenue, as an incident to through traffic, the local travel should and does pay very well and in such profitable enterprises as the El Paso and Southwestern, and the St. Louis, Rocky Mountain and Pacific Railways, forms the bulk of the entire business.

The Belen Tribune urges that community to incorporate. It says: "Is it not about time that some action is taken by our citizens looking toward incorporation? Incorporation means better streets, better sidewalks, police protection, lighted thoroughfares and a hundred other improvements which tend to make a city attractive, convenient and comfortable to reside in." Editor William Berger is right. If Belen wants, to live up to its hopes and its ambitions it had better begin at once by incorporating.

The absorption of the New Mexico Central by the Santa Fe and the Rock Island Systems, which is foreshadowed by recent developments, is not as advantageous to Santa Fe as would be the oft reported but never consummated purchase of the line by the Denver and Rio Grande System. It might mean, however, that the Santa Fe would run some of its passenger trains from Lamy to Santa Fe and from Santa Fe to Kennedy, which would be of some advantage both to this city and to the Santa Fe System, although not near as great to the Capital as the completion of the Denver and Rio Grande line into Roswell and El Paso via Santa Fe.

Sixteen applications for membership were received this week by the Las Vegas Commercial Club and by the next meeting the number of applications will be increased to fifty. After April 1, the initiation fee will be increased to \$25. Is there a lesson in this for Santa Fe? Says the Las Vegas Optic:

"A commercial club in every community is the recognized medium for the advertising of the resources of that community and the securing of new business enterprises, and unless a commercial organization is maintained, growth and progress are impossible."

The proposition of the Colorado congressman who introduced a bill in the House yesterday to appropriate \$50,000 for an executive summer mansion at Glenwood Springs in the Centennial State is not as absurd as first impressions may make it appear. The National Capital is not agreeable climatically at any time of the year, but it is at its worst in the heated summer months. There is no reason why the president could not just as well transact executive business at Glenwood Springs which is near to the center of the Continent, as at Washington, which lies way to one side.

President Taft again touched the keynote in the statehood situation when he expressed the hope that New Mexico and Arizona would adopt model constitutions when they are admitted to statehood. It was a mistake that the Thirty-eighth Legislative Assembly did not authorize the holding of a constitutional convention this summer. Demonstrate to Congress and to the people of the East that New Mexico would adopt a fundamental law that would be as wise as it would be conservative—and all opposition to statehood would melt like the snow before the sun of June.

The spring months should see resumption of the work on the Scenic Highway between Santa Fe and the Pecos river, which is the playground of central New Mexico. Whatever will make that beautiful region more accessible will be of benefit to the common people who can not afford to go to the seashore or Colorado fastnesses for a week's recuperation. Open the upper Pecos by a direct wagon road from Santa Fe and thousands will eventually flock to the Pecos Forest Reserve, the most beautiful natural park in all the Southwest.

When a Pullman car can be held up and its passengers robbed right in the populous city of Denver, a sense of insecurity is apt to seize the average citizen. If daylight and the nearness of thousands of fellow citizens is not sufficient protection against kidnapers and train robbers, then civilized government has not yet solved the problem of guaranteeing security of property and protection of life and limbs to the people.

A private syndicate has offered to pay almost \$4,000,000 for the saloon privileges of the city of Portland, Oregon, for the next ten years. This offer gives some indication of the profit in the business. Under this proposition the number of saloons is to be limited to 250 and they are to be carried on under the most stringent regulations of the Gothenburg System which has contributed much to the reduction of intemperance in Scandinavia.

An additional host of special agents has been appointed to probe into land matters in the Southwest. If they are all as unobtrusive and capable as those having headquarters in this city at present, all will be well, but if they are possessed merely with the ambition to stir up trouble rather than do right, the Taft administration will not add to its popularity in the Southwest, through their activity.

Hon. George T. Oliver of Pittsburg, the new senator from Pennsylvania, is Irish by birth and a newspaperman by profession, having published the Pittsburg Gazette since 1900. He is also a lawyer and manufacturer, but that is only incidental. The fact of his birth on the Green Isle and his journalistic career explain his success in politics.

"Roosevelt did not take lunch and remained in his stateroom," says the wireless, and those who have made ocean trips know the fearful portent of those words. The ex-president is experiencing woes in comparison with which that summer day on San Juan bill was a bagatelle.

It is to be hoped that Hon. Ormsby McHarg will bring to his new position as assistant secretary of commerce and labor as much zeal and a good deal more discretion than he exercised when looking for land and other frauds in New Mexico.

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Serial 0401.
 Department of the Interior,
 United States Land Office,
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 Notice is hereby given that Ignacio Trujillo of Coyote, N. M., who, on August 6, 1906, made homestead entry No. 9744, for S. 1-2 of N. E. 1-4 and N. 1-2 of S. E. 1-4 of Section 5, Township 22 N., Range 3 E., N. M., has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the probate clerk at Tierra Amarilla, N. M., on April 20, 1909.
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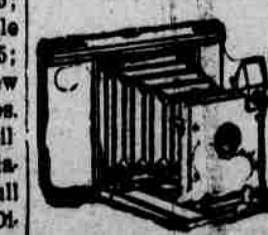
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PERSONAL MENTION

C. E. Michaels of this city went to Las Vegas yesterday on real estate business.

Mrs. Maud L. Hurt, of the U. S. Surveyor General's office, is visiting her son at Las Vegas.

L. T. Hardy, fruit grower and flour mill owner, at Espanola, is in Santa Fe on a business visit.

Mrs. F. P. Sturges returned home this noon from a visit with friends at Belen, Valencia county.

L. W. Galles, of Albuquerque, an insurance agent, is in Santa Fe on one of his periodical visits.

P. M. Wolf, a traveling man out of Wichita, is representing a flour firm. He is stopping at the Claire.

S. C. Irving, an attorney of Chicago, is in the city visiting an old school mate. He is registered at the Claire.

Adolfo Delgado of Las Vegas left last evening for Bakersfield, California, to visit his brother, Frank P. Delgado.

T. H. DuBois, mining man at Corona, Lincoln county, was among last evening's arrivals on the New Mexico Central.

Hop and Mrs. H. M. Sweezy have returned to their Meadow City home from a pleasure trip to Arizona and Mexico.

Colonel C. L. Ballard, sheriff of Chaves county, arrived on last night's train from Roswell. He is at the Claire.

J. H. B. Gilmour, a rancher on the upper Pecos, near the post office of Cowles, is in Santa Fe purchasing supplies.

Frank C. Ellis, a well known druggist of Taos, arrived in Santa Fe last night. He was formerly a resident of Santa Fe.

Hon. Solomon Luna left Albuquerque last evening for his sheep ranches and will be absent from the city about two months.

Ex-Governor L. Bradford Prince returned last evening from a visit to the Sunshine ranch at Angostura, north of Espanola.

Former Superintendent of Public Instruction, M. C. de Baca, has returned to Las Vegas after a lengthy visit in Santa Fe.

Attorney A. M. Edwards of Farmington, San Juan county, was an arrival on last evening's Denver and Rio Grande train.

C. L. Martin, a traveling man of Dayton, Ohio, was calling on local customers this morning selling coffee. He is at the Palace.

Mrs. L. B. Ragin, after a trip to the South is passing through Santa Fe on her way home to Denver. She stopped at the Claire.

Among the traveling men registered at the Claire are William Archer of Topeka, C. F. Phillips, S. D. Scheif of Denver and W. C. Keim of Albuquerque.

W. R. Ellis, assistant chief of the New Mexico and Arizona division of the U. S. Bureau of Animal Industry, left Albuquerque last evening for the San Augustin plains in western Socorro county.

Territorial Secretary Nathan Jaffa will make a visit to his former home at Roswell in May and has accepted the invitation to make the commencement address at the New Mexico Military Institute in Roswell.

General H. F. Robinson and Irrigation Engineer Quinlan of Los Angeles, returned last evening from Shiprock Navajo Agency in San Juan county, and left immediately for General Robinson's headquarters at Albuquerque.

The following gentlemen from Galina, Rio Arriba county, were in Santa Fe today having business with the land office: Jesus S. Moya, Eugenio T. Sanchez, Francisco A. Mestas and Guillermo Martinez. They return to their homes tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen S. Capron of Champaign, Illinois, who had been guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Rapp at the Sanitarium, were homeward bound on last evening's Santa Fe train, after a brief but very enjoyable stay in this ancient capital.

Territorial Engineer Vernon L. Sullivan has returned from an official trip to Socorro and San Antonio, Socorro county, where he is advising with the county commissioners as to certain drainage and flood protection work along the Rio Grande.

George T. Nicholson, second vice-president of the Santa Fe system; W. J. Black, passenger agent; and J. E.

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25 p.m.	0	Lv.	Santa Fe	Ar.	5:20 p.m.		
8:25 p.m.	22	"	Kennedy	"	5:45 p.m.		
4:35 p.m.	41	"	Stanley	"	6:05 p.m.		
5:14 p.m.	62	"	Morley	"	6:22 p.m.		
5:40 p.m.	81	"	McIntosh	"	6:45 p.m.		
6:06 p.m.	98	Ar.	ESTANOLA	Lv.	6:140	1:25 p.m.	
6:39 p.m.	80	"	Willard	"	6:125	12:25 p.m.	
7:06 p.m.	92	"	Progreso	"	6:210	11:55 a.m.	
7:28 p.m.	99	"	Bianca	"	6:235	11:35 a.m.	
8:10 p.m.	116	Ar.	Torrance	Lv.	6:475	10:45 a.m.	
8:48 p.m.	213 a.m.	Lv.	Torrance	Ar.	12:49 a.m.	10:50 a.m.	
9:30 p.m.	7:00 a.m.	Ar.	Kansas City	Lv.	10:40 p.m.	10:40 p.m.	
7:55 a.m.	7:05 p.m.	"	St. Louis	"	8:39 a.m.	10:02 p.m.	
11:45 a.m.	6:50 p.m.	"	Chicago	"	11:30 p.m.	9:00 p.m.	
9:00 a.m.	5:50 p.m.	Ar.	El Paso	"	1:15 p.m.	8:20 p.m.	

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10 00 a. m.	20	Lv.	Des Moines.	N. M.	Arr.	49	5 30 p. m.	
10 12 a. m.	14	"	Rumaldo.	"	Lv.	45	5 15 p. m.	
10 35 a. m.	11	"	Dedman	"	"	38	4 55 p. m.	
10 50 a. m.	10	"	Capulin	"	"	32	4 35 p. m.	
11 05 a. m.	20	"	Vigil	"	"	29	4 25 p. m.	
11 20 a. m.	25	"	Thompson	"	"	24	3 55 p. m.	
11 45 a. m.	31	"	Cunningham	"	"	18	3 30 p. m.	
12 20 p. m.	42	"	Clifton House Junction	"	"	7	3 55 p. m.	
12 45 p. m.	49	Arr.	RATON N M *			Arr.	0	2 30 p. m.
3 30 p. m.	42	Lv.	Clifton House Junction	"	Lv.	7	12 25 p. m.	
3 50 p. m.	49	"	Preston	"	"	13	12 05 p. m.	
4 15 p. m.	58	"	Koehler	"	"	28	11 40 a. m.	
4 45 p. m.	56	"	Koehler Jct.	"	"	30	11 06 a. m.	
5 00 p. m.	58	"	Colfax	"	"	38	11 15 a. m.	
5 15 p. m.	77	"	Cerroso	"	"	41	10 15 a. m.	
5 35 p. m.	83	Arr.	CIMARRON N. M.			Lv.	47	9 25 a. m.
7 05 p. m.	86	Lv.	Nash	N. M.	Arr.	50	7 50 a. m.	
7 20 p. m.	89	"	Harlan	"	"	58	7 25 a. m.	
7 45 p. m.	94	"	Ute Park	"	"	59	7 00 a. m.	

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL MASTER'S SALE.

No. 6344.

Territory of New Mexico,
County of Santa Fe.
In the District Court.
Thomas K. D. Maddison, Plaintiff;
vs.

The Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company, et al., Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, heretofore appointed Special Master, under and by virtue of the decree of foreclosure rendered in the District Court of the First Judicial District of the Territory of New Mexico, within and for the County of Santa Fe, entered on the 7th day of January, A. D., 1909, in that cause wherein Thomas K. D. Maddison is plaintiff and The Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company, et al., are defendants, will, on Wednesday, the 14th day of April, 1909, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the front door of the court house, in the City of Santa Fe, Santa Fe County, New Mexico, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, in accordance with the said decree, the following described property, to-wit:

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It being intended to sell all of the property belonging to the defendant, The Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company, of whatever kind or character, save and except such property as was by the decree of foreclosure rendered in the above cause found by the Court and decreed to belong to the Bank of Commerce of Albuquerque, New Mexico, and reference to said decree is hereby made for a description of said property belonging to said Bank.

Said property will be sold at the time and place aforesaid, for the purpose of satisfying the said plaintiff and the owners or holders of the bonds and coupons of said defendant, The Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company, outstanding, amounting to the sum of two hundred and sixty-six thousand dollars (\$266,000), and which said sum, together with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from the date of said decree until paid, was decreed to be a first lien upon the property hereinbefore described, together with the costs herein to be taxed, and other allowances, expenses and disbursements as may hereafter be fixed by the Court; and the undersigned Special Master, for the purpose of satisfying said decree, and by virtue of the authority vested in him, will, at the time and place in this Notice specified, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, in accordance with the terms of said decree, the said real and personal property.

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Claire.

William Archer, Topeka, Kansas; J. H. Quintan, Los Angeles; A. M. Edwards, Farmington; Frank C. Ellis, Taos; T. M. DuBois, Corona; John C. Peck, C. L. Ballard, Roswell; L. W. Galles, Albuquerque; C. F. Phillips, S. D. Schell, Mrs. L. B. Ragin, Denver; S. C. Irving, Chicago; W. C. Keim, Albuquerque; P. U. Wolf, Wichita.

Coronado.

J. Smith, Richard Weirick, Las Vegas.

Normandie.

W. Mack, Beggs, Okla.; H. Peterson, Silverton; T. E. Carr and wife, Denver; A. L. Young, Burman; E. Quintana, Pedro Vigil, Taos; Vincente Martinez, Taos; J. H. B. Gilmour, Pecons.

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WHEN THE CLOCK HANDS TURN BACK

From the Daily New Mexican of March 26, 1899.

The sixth annual encampment, department of New Mexico, G. A. R., opened at Albuquerque at 10 o'clock this morning. Among the Santa Feans on hand are Judge Downs, Col. E. W. Wynkoop, Hiram Crampton, John T. Porsha, Colonel Fitcher, W. H. Nesbitt, Captain Simpson, Henry M. Davis, James H. Purdy, Will C. Burton, Captain Barrett and General Meilly.

A rather scandalous and unjust telegram was sent from Santa Fe to the Denver News by the local correspondent of that paper concerning a local resident named Garcia. It charges that Garcia obtained a soldier's pension by perjury; that he never fired a musket in his life, and that a man named Garcia died years ago who was entitled to a pension, whereupon his namesake got control of the dead man's papers and by this means succeeded in defrauding the government. Garcia called at this office and stated that he served in Company C of New Mexico under Captain Francisco P. Abreu and was engaged in the battle of Valverde, where he received wounds that maimed him for life. He says that many of his old comrades live here who will bear out his statements.

David and Griswold will this week move to the bishop's former residence and continue the hotel business.

Dr. Kittrege of the Taos valley came in last night and will spend several days in this city.

J. H. Sloan was let out as county commissioner and G. D. Koch appointed in his place.

A number of streets are to be macadamized with blue lime rock.

Engraved cards devised and wedding invitations a specialty at the New Mexican Printing office. Any one standing in need of such will do well to call at this office and examine samples, style of work and prices.

It is an admitted fact that real estate, financial men and merchants all say that quickest and best results are obtained by advertising in the New Mexican.

BROOMCORN RAISING NEAR ST. VRAIN, NEW MEXICO.

(By T. J. Mabry.)

Broomcorn raisers will be interested in this article and may obtain further information by addressing the writer or Mr. Frank Hathaway, care of St. Vrain Farmers' Association, St. Vrain, New Mexico.

In the Territory along the Santa Fe in eastern New Mexico, from the Texas line out into the interior for at least fifty miles, there lies a vast undeveloped broomcorn country.

The country of eastern New Mexico may be described as a continuation of the Panhandle plains of Texas for the nature of the soil is very much the same, with perhaps a little more sand in it. The land is very level.

Those who are familiar with broomcorn growing, and with the particular kind and character of the soil which gives the most promising returns think the soil of this particular district contains all the elements that make the growing of the brush profitable. The slight amount of sand in the soil, they believe, adds to its value in the production of broomcorn.

While there are many settlers in this part of the country now who have come to make their homes and who are preparing to give better tests to the growing of broomcorn, it may be fair to say that this particular part of the Territory is only entering into the stage of thorough development. That broomcorn is not being grown now in large quantities is due entirely to the general ignorance which prevails among eastern people of the possibilities of the Territory and the results that already have been obtained.

The first real effort made toward growing broomcorn in any quantity was made last year. The results were most gratifying. Last year, near St. Vrain, there was a united effort on the part of several of the farmers who felt the great possibilities of broomcorn for this section. The results certainly were all that could have been asked or hoped for even by those from the most promising broomcorn growing sections of the eastern states. This, too, it must be remembered, resulted from a crop that received much less attention than that which is given the corn by the farmers of Illinois and other broomcorn growing states, and was grown on first year, or what is commonly called sod land. One farmer raised 900 pounds of brush per acre on sod land which was cultivated, but while the crop was growing another one of the farmers made 700 pounds of brush per acre, which was pronounced by experts to be of the very finest quality.

The two kinds of corn that have been given a test here are the "golden California" and what is commonly called the "dwarf." They both produce excellent results, though most people seem to prefer the "dwarf" corn.

Probably the greatest argument that can be produced in favor of profitable broomcorn growing in this country is that it does not incur the expense common in the East incident to harvesting the crop. This is due to the fact

that, on account of its late and slow maturing in the fall, the weather here is cool and dry and no sheds are needed. One man here easily can handle from ten to fifteen acres. In this way the great expense attached to gathering the corn is overcome and the small farmer will find it a great deal more profitable growing corn here than in a country where the climatic conditions are such as favor rapid ripening of the brush. This year the acreage is going to be large enough to justify a good market and storage near the producers.

There is room here for the farmer who knows how and cares to go into the business of profitably raising broomcorn.—The Earth.

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Whether resulting from a sprain or from rheumatic pains, there is nothing so good for a lame shoulder as Chamberlain's Pain Balm. Apply it freely and rub the parts vigorously at each application and a quick cure is certain. For sale by all druggists.

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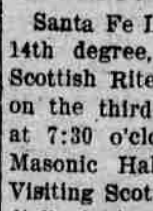
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S. SPITZ, H. P.
ARTHUR SELIGMAN, Secretary.



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Santa Fe Lodge of Perfection No. 1, 14th degree, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Free Masonry meets on the third Monday of each month at 7:30 o'clock in the evening in Masonic Hall, south side of Plaza. Visiting Scottish Rite Masons are cordially invited to attend.

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HENRY F. STEPHENS, 14th,
Secretary.



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Sixty houses have been erected. Several of the largest mercantile houses in the Territory are built and doing a big business. It has four large hotels, churches, schools. A live Board of Trade, energetic business men, two lumber yards, etc. The new city is in the center of the best agricultural and grazing section of New Mexico. The best shipping and distributing point for all merchandise, cattle, sheep and wool. The large wholesale houses are in operation.

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RUDIMENTS OF FEDERAL MINING LAW

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of facts as to the origin of the title of the applicant must be corroborated by the affidavit of one or more disinterested persons.

If the locators are the applicants for patent, they should state in their application, if such be the fact, that they have disposed of no interest in the claim.

Transfers made after the filing of the application will not be considered, but patent will issue in the name of the applicant, except when he is defeated in an adverse suit, or the protest of a co-owner may be sustained; but where the applicant is known to be dead prior to the submission of the final proofs and payment for the land, the register's duplicate receipt will issue in the name of the applicant's heirs and patent issue in conformity thereto.

Generally, all affidavits required in these proceedings may be verified before any officer authorized to administer oaths within the land district wherein the claim may be situated, as, for instance, a notary public within the county for which he is appointed, whether such county is wholly or partly without such district. In coal-land applications each application, declaratory statement and affidavit must be verified before the register or receiver in the land district wherein the lands involved are situated. All affidavits made outside the proper land district are insufficient and proceedings based thereon are void and patent cannot be obtained thereon.

The exceptions to the rule are, that where the applicant resides or the adverse claimant resides, or at any time being beyond the limits of the district wherein the claim is situated, he may make any oath or affidavit required for proof of citizenship or to the adverse claim before the clerk of any court of record, or before any notary public of such state or territory.

7. An agreement of the publisher to hold the applicant for patent alone responsible for charges of publication of notice.

8. A notice for publication and one for posting in the local land office, embracing all the data given in the no-

tice posted upon the claim and indicating the locus of the claim by giving the connecting line, as shown on the field notes and plat between a corner of the claim and a United States mineral monument or corner of the public survey. Also stating the boundary of the claim by courses and distances, and the names of the bounding claims, if any. If this notice is declared insufficient by the land department, the application is defective, and the proceedings from that point must be commenced anew.

(To be Continued.)
**BOARD TO LICENSE
POKER PLAYERS**
Missouri Solon Has Freak Legislative Idea to Regulate the Game and Save Money to the State.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 26.—The freakiest of the many freak bills that have been introduced in the Missouri General Assembly was squeezed in just before the lid on introduction of bills went on. It was introduced by Matt Conran of New Madrid, and seeks to establish a board of control for poker players, to consist of four members whose emoluments shall come from a certain percentage of all the "jackpots opened in the State." The duty of the board will be to examine all applicants for license as a poker player, and those who successfully stand the examination will be entitled to a license and registration. It is made a misdemeanor, punishable by fine, for any one without such a license to engage in the national game. There is an emergency clause to the bill which recites that, inasmuch as hundreds of thousands of dollars are lost annually in the State by incompetent and foolish persons who do not know the value of a poker hand and are attempting to play without proper instructions, the bill should go into effect as soon as it becomes a law. The Board of Control is to be appointed by the governor, and not more than one is to come from any one political party.

If you want anything on earth—try a New Mexican want "ad."

IMPORTANCE OF PLANTING GOOD SEED

Press Bulletin by Professor J. E. Munnell of the New Mexico Experiment Station.

Success in gardening depends upon many factors; one of the most important being the planting of good seed. By the term good seed we mean seed that when planted in good soil and given the proper care and attention will germinate well and produce strong and hardy plants. Very often a whole season's labor, as well as a crop, is lost by planting poor seed. It is hardly necessary to define poor seed, but it will suffice to say that seeds are poor when they fail to germinate under good conditions. This failure to germinate may be due to the seed being too old or not fully matured. Dead seed may be detected by their musty appearance and lack of bright color that usually characterizes good seed. Seeds that are not fully matured have more or less a dull color and are not plump.

As most of the seed that is planted by gardeners is purchased from dealers it is well to know something of the reliability of the firm and where the seed was put up and grown. A reliable seed house soon establishes a reputation for putting out good seed, consequently it is always better to purchase from such houses.

After the gardener has purchased his seeds he can be doubly sure of their quality by testing the different kinds. This testing can be done as follows: Take an ordinary china plate with a flat bottom cut out from soft cloth two circular pieces the size of the plate. Thoroughly wet both, spread one over the bottom of the plate, and place on this one hundred seed of the kind that is desired to test and then put the other cloth over the seed. Cover the plate with a pane of glass and set where the temperature will be from 60 to 75 degrees. In a few days the seed in the tester will sprout and can be counted. By counting those that fail to sprout and subtracting from the whole number put in, the per cent of good seed can be determined.

If the results from any of the lots tested show a low per cent of germin-

Weak Women

To weak and ailing women, there is at least one way to help. But with that way, two treatments, must be combined. One is local, one is constitutional, but both are important, both essential. Dr. Shoop's Night Cure is the Local. Dr. Shoop's Restorative, the Constitutional. The former—Dr. Shoop's Night Cure—is a topical mucous membrane suppository remedy, while Dr. Shoop's Restorative is wholly an internal treatment. The Restorative reaches throughout the entire system, seeking the repair of all nerve, all tissue, and all blood ailments. The "Night Cure", as its name implies, does its work while you sleep. It soothes sore and inflamed mucous surfaces, heals local weaknesses and discharges, while the Restorative, cures nervous excitement, gives renewed vigor and ambition, builds up wasted tissues, bringing about renewed strength, vigor, and energy. Take Dr. Shoop's Restorative—Tablets or Liquid—as a general tonic to the system. For positive local help, use as well

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ation it will be to the interest of the gardener not to plant that lot, but purchase new seed from a reliable source for his garden. In case it is inconvenient to buy new seed the old may be planted; but in doing this the seed should be sowed thickly so as to insure a good stand and allow for the number that will not germinate.

In connection with the above it is very important that the gardener plant his seed right. Before planting, the seed bed should be put into good condition and properly prepared. After doing this the seed may be planted, but do not plant them too deep. Many failures to secure a good stand can be attributed to this cause.

Small delicate seeds as the lettuce and celery, should be only slightly covered, while the stronger seeds, as peas and beans, can be planted deeper, say from one to three inches. After planting the seed if it is necessary to apply water to the soil, be sure to put on enough, and often enough to insure good germination. A little forethought along these lines mentioned will greatly enhance the gardener's chances to secure a good stand of plants and reap a good crop.

J. E. MUNDELL,
March 2, 1909.

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UNCOVER AN ANCIENT RELIC

While Digging the Foundation for an Iron Vault Old Bell Is Found in This City.

Visions of ancient Spanish conquest, of pictured days of yore and what not, are floating before the astonished eyes of J. S. Candelario, the curio man of San Francisco street, and all because of a most unexpected but valuable discovery. Candelario recently decided to place a large vault constructed according to his own ideas, in the rear of his establishment. Soon he had workmen starting to dig a foundation which he desired to be of great depth so as to be the more secure. Just as the workmen had about finished the job, the spade of one of them struck something hard which gave considerable resistance. After some amount of effort, the workman succeeded in uncovering the object, which proved to be an old bell some seven or eight inches in height. On the bottom of the outer rim was a Spanish inscription and the date 1812. Candelario was quickly called and examined the find. Judging from the date Candelario believes that the bell has some especial connection with the history of this country which during that year was at war with England and was also having trouble on the western frontier. Just what that connection can be, the curio man is trying to trace. In the meanwhile he has placed the bell on exhibition in one of the show windows of his store, where every one can come and see it.

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MARKET REPORT**CLOSING MARKET REPORT.**

New York, March 26.—Amalgamated, 70 7-8; Atchison, 104; pfd., 104; N. Y. Central, ex. div., 127; So. Pacific, 120 3-8; U. Pacific, 180 7-8; Steel, 45; pfd., 111.

MONEY AND METALS.

New York, March 26.—Prime paper, 3 1-2@4 per cent. Bar silver, 50 3-8; Mexican dollars, 44c. Call money easy, 1 1-2@2 per cent.

New York, March 26.—Lead quiet, \$3.97 1-2@4.02 1-2; copper is steady, 12 3-4@13. Silver, 50 3-8.

St. Louis, Mo., March 26.—Lead is steady, \$3.85; Spelter steady, \$4.65. Galveston, Texas, March 26.—Cotton is steady, 93-8.

GRAIN, LARD, PORK AND RIBS.

Chicago, March 26.—Close:

Wheat—May, \$1.17 1-2; July, \$1.04.

Corn—May, 66 5-8c; July, 65 1-2@65 5-8c.

Oats—May, 54 7-8c; July, 46 5-8c.

Pork—May, \$17.82 1-2; July, \$17.85.

Lard—May, \$10.17 1-2; July, \$10.27@10.30.

Ribs—May, \$9.37 1-2; July, \$9.52 1-2.

LIVE STOCK.

Kansas City, Mo., March 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000, including 300

southerns. Market strong. Native

steers, \$5.00@6.75; southern steers,

\$4.80@6.10; southern cows, \$3.20@

5.00; native cows and heifers, \$2.60@

6.20; stockers and feeders, \$3.75@

7.70; western steers, \$5.00@6.30;

7.70; western steers, \$5.00@6.30;

western cows, \$3.25@5.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 9,000. Market is 5

to 10 cents higher. Bulk of sales,

\$6.60@6.90; heavy, \$6.85@7.00; pack-

ers and butchers, \$6.70@6.95; light,

\$6.30@6.75; pigs, \$5.00@5.90.

Personal Mention

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Land Commissioner R. P. Ervien is still confined to his home with illness. Ben Spitz, a traveling man out of Kansas City, is in town. He is at the Claire.

George A. Cuneo and wife of Denver are about town sight-seeing. They are stopping at the Claire.

E. T. Neef of Denver and J. S. Trujillo were among the traveling men who registered at the Claire at noon. Colonel R. E. Twitchell of Las Vegas, will be at Roswell to deliver his lecture on "The Military Occupation of New Mexico" on Saturday night, April 3.

Frank T. Strother, foreman of the Journal composing room, and H. S. Lithgow, arrived this noon from Albuquerque for a brief business visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin A. Foster were the guests over Sunday of C. E. Hartley of Springer on an automobile trip to French and the reservoirs west of French.—The Cimarron Citizen.

Thomas Wilkerson, an Albuquerque attorney, returned on the Limited yesterday after making a short trip to Tennessee, where a young attorney was born to the Wilkerson family a week or more ago.

Harry Steen, assistant storekeeper of the St. Louis, Rocky Mountain and Pacific Railway Company, and who has been a visitor in Santa Fe, has gone to the City of Mexico where he will reside in the future.

Miss Josephine Harris, of 523 North Second street, has returned to the city after spending the past two months in Santa Fe, where she was employed as a stenographer in the legislature.—Albuquerque Daily Journal.

Frank S. Davis, a former business man of this city, is at present agent for New Mexico of the Baca Grant Development Company, which is colonizing the Baca grant in the San Luis Valley, Colorado. Mr. Davis and Mrs. Davis make their home at Trinidad, Colorado.

J. B. Hodgdon, grand master of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, was in Santa Fe last evening on his way home to Deming. Mr. Hodgdon installed a lodge of the order in Taos, this being the second fraternal order ever organized there. Taos has had a lodge of Masons since 1859, but no other secret society has been represented.

MINOR CITY TOPICS

Denver, Colo., March 26.—The weather forecast for New Mexico: Fair weather tonight and Saturday with stationary temperature.

My Own United States—The popular song: "My Own United States" will be sung tonight at the oratorical contest in the High school hall. Do not miss it.

WANTED—A second-hand tent. Apply to New Mexican.

FOR RENT—Six-room modern brick dwelling. C. A. Bishop.

Modern Woodmen Tonight—The Modern Woodmen will meet tonight in Odd Fellows' Hall.

Contest Tonight—Everybody is invited to the oratorical contest in the High school hall tonight.

District Court—In district court, the case of George A. Crouch vs. J. T. Fay, A. M. Edwards, et al. from San Juan county, was today dismissed upon motion of the plaintiff.

Assistant Cashier of Cimarron Bank—C. O. Pease of Monroe, Louisiana, has accepted the position of assistant cashier of the First National Bank at Cimarron.

Business Block for Cimarron—Al. Davis will erect a two story business block at Cimarron, Colfax county. The Cimarron Mercantile Company will also put up a two story brick business building.

Married at Albuquerque—John Q. A. Otero of El Paso, son of M. R. Otero, this city, was married yesterday at Albuquerque to a Miss Rebecca Lucero of that city and left last night for their permanent home in El Paso.

All Invited—Whether you are a member or not you should attend tonight's meeting of the Board of Trade in the Prince block on Palace avenue, if you have the interest of the city at heart. Meeting begins at 8 o'clock.

Lodge of Lady Foresters—On next Sunday afternoon the first court of a Ladies' Catholic Order of Foresters will be instituted at Albuquerque, this being the first in New Mexico. Officers of the organization from Denver and Chicago will be on hand to take charge of the affair.

Many Automobiles on Streets—Santa Fe these days is seeing plenty of automobiles. O. W. Alexander, who has started a garage on San Francisco street, is daily trying out his various makes of machines so as to be able to adjust them for this altitude. He has nearly a dozen machines on hand.

Boosting for Stockmen's Convention—Sheriff Charles L. Ballard and former Assessor Peck of Roswell, are in Santa Fe boosting for the Stockmen's convention which will be held at Roswell on April 6, 7 and 8, and for which great preparations have been made by the Roswell business men. The city will be crowded with hundreds of visitors.

Fair Weather Tomorrow—Despite partial cloudiness this forenoon, the Weather Bureau persists in predicting continuance of the present fair weather. Yesterday the maximum temperature in the shade was 58 degrees and the lowest temperature last night was 30 degrees. The relative humidity at 6 p. m. last evening was only 15 per cent.

Marriage License—Today a marriage license was granted in the probate clerk's office to Higinio Torres and Tonita Romero, both of El Quemado.

Another Boarder at the Pen—Today Oscar Harbert, sentenced to serve eighteen months from Chaves county for assault with a deadly weapon, began his term at the penitentiary. Through influential friends Harbert hopes to secure a place as hack driver for the penitentiary that will not keep him in confinement, and hopes soon to secure a pardon.

Be Sure and Come—Do not fail to hear the medal contest tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the High school hall.

Noon Arrivals at the Hotels—Palace—Laura C. Allen, Santa Fe; G. A. Tost, Colonel Lewis, El Paso, Claire—Ben Spitz, Kansas City; E. T. Neef, George A. Cuneo and wife, Denver; W. Mulligan, Hodges; A. J. Curry, Santa Rosa; J. S. Trujillo, Las Vegas; Frank T. Strother, H. S. Lithgow, Albuquerque.

Armory Will Soon Be Ready—The armory is now almost entirely completed. The contract for the heating of the building has been let to the Wood-Davis Company, while the plumbing contract was secured by the Santa Fe Hardware and Supply Company.

Twenty-Five Arrests On Sanitary Ordinance—Upon complaint of Sanitary Officer M. W. Witt, twenty-five warrants were issued by Police Judge A. J. Welter at Roswell, for persons alleged to have violated the sanitary ordinance, in that they do not keep in their closets and use lime as a disinfectant. The citizens who are accused of violating this ordinance live in various parts of town and some are said to be among the best and most influential business men of the Artesian city.

Railroad Change—On the first of April the general superintendency of the Santa Fe System at Newton, Kansas, will be abolished and General Superintendent R. J. Parker, who was formerly superintendent at La Junta will return to that place and have charge of the entire western grand division of the Santa Fe Railroad. H. W. Sharpe, now general superintendent, will be taken care of elsewhere or may connect himself with some other road.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Santa Fe, N. M., March 25, 1909.

Maximum temperature, 58 degrees at 4:05 p. m.; minimum temperature, 27 degrees at 4:30 a. m.; mean temperature, 42 degrees; departure from normal, none (just normal); relative humidity at 6 a. m., 44 per cent; relative humidity at 6 p. m., 15 per cent; relative humidity, average for the day, 34 per cent. Lowest temperature during last night, 30 degrees. Temperature at 6 a. m. today, 34 degrees.

My Own United States—The popular song: "My Own United States" will be sung tonight at the oratorical contest in the High school hall. Do not miss it.

Large Sales of Livestock—S. Pollock, a prominent farmer and stockman of Rincon, Dona Ana county, says that cattlemen of that vicinity are rejoicing over this spring's exceptionally favorable sale of feeders, about 10,000 head of steers being already marketed at average prices of \$14 for yearlings, \$17 for two-year-olds and \$23 for steers. The late snow fall started the range growths in good shape and the cattle will probably leave for their new northern homes in fine condition.

Garbage Collection—Residents who have complied with the order of Mayor Jose D. Sena and have placed covered receptacles along the curb for their garbage, complain that the garbage collector handles the cans so roughly that they break and that the life of one of the receptacles which costs from \$4.50 upward, is so short that it pays to have the garbage hauled away at private expense rather than by the public garbage collector. Instead of awarding the contract for garbage collection by political favor, the business principle would be to advertise for the lowest bidder who would do the work under certain prescribed regulations.

Can't Be Beat—There was but one opinion expressed by the large audience who saw the pictures at the Opera House last night and that was, "They can't be beat." As they will be shown but a few nights more, the public should not miss them. All three reels are features. The tragedy, "Antony and Cleopatra," is well known and is a copy of the acting of "Sarah Bernhardt" in this piece. "A Fool for Luck" shows the adventures of a country boy, who takes a correspondence school course as a detective and his arrest of three criminals. And last but not least is the great film of "World's Championship Baseball Series," between the Tigers and the Cubs, showing pictures of Chance of the Chicagoans, Jennings of the Detroiters and Hans Wagner of the Pittsburghers, in action and several innings of the great games. The song is "See Saw."

**FRENCH AND ENGLISH
INVEST IN OLD MEXICO**

Mexico City, March 26.—Fifty million dollars in gold will be invested here and in different parts of the country by French and English capitalists in iron and steel works. Victor B. Langer of Paris, and Boston, and Thomas A. Boyd of the firm of J. and T. Boyd, owners of the Cheesterton Iron works of Glasgow, are said to be behind the gigantic deal.

**DIGEST OF NEW
SCHOOL LAWS**

Superintendent J. E. Clark Sends Out Circular Letter Giving Synopsis of Recent Legislation.

Superintendent of Public Instruction J. E. Clark has prepared for general circulation the following digest of laws referring directly or indirectly to the schools, passed by the Thirty-eighth Legislative Assembly:

Chapter 7. (H. S. H. B. No. 96.) Issue of bonds of territory of New Mexico for common school purposes authorized.

(This will not be in effect until approved by Congress.)

Chapter 12. (H. S. C. S. H. B. No. 29.)

An act making the town of Silver City an independent school district is repealed.

Chapter 43. (H. B. No. 245.) Approved March 16, 1909.

Section 1 provides that the county superintendent may be paid out of the county school fund quarterly or may be paid, at the discretion of the Board of County Commissioners from the county fund.

Section 2 provides that all money paid during 1909 to county superintendents out of the general county fund may be returned to said fund from the general county school fund.

Chapter 58. (C. B. No. 70.) Approved March 17, 1909.

Certain indebtedness of school district No. 8, county of Guadalupe, validated.

Chapter 95. (C. B. No. 48.) Approved March 18, 1909.

All legal voters residing in a school district who have paid poll tax for the current year in said district shall be considered qualified voters at school election in said district.

Chapter 97. (C. B. No. 69.)

New Mexico Spanish Normal School established at El Rito.

Chapter 119. (C. B. No. 77.) Approved March 18, 1909.

Provision is made for the distribution of income from forest reserves.

Chapter 121.

All children between the ages of seven and fourteen years are required to attend school for the entire school term in their respective districts.

The term "Flag Day" as mentioned in the law concerning February 12 is changed to "Lincoln Day."

Two members are added to the Territorial Board of Education. These two are not to be professional teachers. Governor to appoint during March, 1909.

Institute attendance of at least two weeks is required of all teachers. A four weeks institute permitted for holders of third grade certificates and holders of permits. Such teachers who have taught at least three months during the twelve months previous to said four weeks institute, may upon attendance for the full four weeks receive fifteen dollars each from the common school income fund upon presenting to the territorial auditor a certificate of such attendance signed by the county superintendent, the institute conductor, and the territorial superintendent of public instruction. Said teachers are exempt from institute fee. County treasurers shall set aside in such cases at least fifty dollars more than the law has heretofore required to be placed to the credit of the institute fund. The Territorial Board of Education may waive holding of county institutes in counties where authorized summer schools are held.

The Territorial Superintendent of Public Instruction required to give opinion on interpretation of school law.

County superintendents of schools required to leave in the county school fund sufficient money to meet all warrants that may be legally drawn upon such fund, covering county superintendent's salary.

The county superintendent's salary shall be paid from the county school fund in monthly installments on warrants of the probate clerk drawn on the county treasury.

The provision of the law of 1907 giving teachers pay for legal holidays and for the Christmas vacation repealed.

Date of election of school directors changed to first Monday in June (June 11); notices of said election to be made second Monday in May (May 10). Members of board elected to begin term of office first Monday in July (July 5). In fact the provisions concerning the election of school directors stand the same today as outlined in the compilation of the school laws for 1905.

Severe penalty upon school officers for failing to perform their duties.

Chapter 125. (C. B. No. 197.) Approved March 18, 1909.

The tax levy of five mills made by district board of school directors must receive the approval of the board of county commissioners. In the event of disapproval the board of county commissioners may fix such levy not to exceed five mills.

Chapter 127. (Appropriation Bill.) Provides for the appointment of indigent students by the members of the Thirty-eighth Legislative Assembly. Provisions as to appointment same as provided by the Thirty-seventh Legislative Assembly, but boards of county commissioners not authorized to make appointments.

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A CASE OF SOUR GRAPES.

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day. No action was taken at that time, but the officials were all agreed that a contest should be made before the order becomes effective May 1. The final plans for the fight will be perfected in a meeting of traffic officers to be held at Chicago next week.

The principle to which the Denver merchants object and which the railroads have contested in the Burnham-Hannah-Munger case, is that the through rates should be less than the sums of the local rates.

Chicago and St. Louis merchants have taken the same stand, declaring that the decision gives Kansas City an advantage in the jobbing business.

Unseemly Scene in Congress.

Washington, D. C., March 26.—Through a misunderstanding, Representative Byrd of Mississippi and Fordney of Michigan, almost came to blows on the floor of the House today when the latter was speaking on the tariff.

Tariff Bill is Sectional.

Washington, D. C., March 26.—In the debate on the tariff bill today, Representative Humphrey of Washington, took issue with the provisions of the bill saying that protection is extended only to the New England states whereas the northwest coast states are already suffering. He declared for increased duty on shingles and warned the Republicans they could not escape their responsibility so far as the problem of Oriental labor is concerned. Humphrey declared that the lumber free traders were Canadians, whereas those who want the duty retained are those engaged in lumbering in the United States.

Moore Holds On.

Washington, March 26.—Edward B. Moore of the United States Patent Office, has been requested by Secretary Ballinger to continue in his present position.

MAY HAVE**WATER TO-MORROW**

Mesilla Valley Irrigationists Disposed to Meet the U. S. Reclamation Service More Than Half Way in Controversy.

Las Cruces, N. M., March 26.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the Water Users' Association, representatives of the three ditches concerned in the controversy with the reclamation service about the water question, an intermediate position was taken whereby it is expected and hoped that the trouble will be satisfactorily settled within the next few days.

This committee called a mass meeting of the water users and all interested to be held Saturday, March 27, at which meeting it is firmly believed all the differences will be settled and water will be in all the ditches by Saturday night.

Pressure is being brought to bear on the officers of the association by valley water users, owing to the great need for water right now, especially by those who have put out new orchards. It is considered that the government contract is unfair, but the sentiment is toward signing it now and presenting the property owners' case to the interior department afterward.

Engineer W. M. Reed and an attorney from the reclamation service will be here Friday and there is very little doubt that the water will be turned in the ditches by Saturday night.

OFFICIAL MATTERS**U. S. Commissioners Appointed.**

Chief Justice W. J. Mills has appointed C. F. Erb as U. S. Court Commissioner at Artesia, Eddy county, to succeed Albert Blake, and Ernest F. Snyder, at Ione, Union county.

Coal Oil Inspectorship.

Coal Oil Inspector S. B. Grimshaw will take charge of the office on April 1. Hon. James S. Duncan, his predecessor, will come to Santa Fe from Las Vegas on March 1, and will instruct his successor in the routine of the office. Mr. Duncan has made a splendid official and is very popular among the Republicans, in fact in the entire Territory. It is understood that Mr. Grimshaw will appoint former Sheriff Thomas S. Hubbell of Albuquerque, deputy inspector for the southern district; M. M. Padgett of Las Vegas, for the northern district; George Sena of Santa Rosa, for Guadalupe county; and John Thornton of Roswell for the lower Pecos Valley. The other deputyships have not been decided upon yet.

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