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GENERAL EXCITED

Lawyer Labori Cuts Close to the Skin of the Anti-Dreyfus Witnesses.

TITTLTATTLE OF WITNESS

The Attorney for the Defense Intimates That Deceit Was Practiced by Olique That Conspired to Get Rid of Dreyfus.

Rennes, August 23.—Maitre Labori, leading counsel for the defense, was in court when the trial of Captain Dreyfus was resumed this morning. As Labori was entering the court he was informed by a newspaper man that General Roge yesterday received documents from Count Esterhazy, now in London.

The session began with testimony of minor witnesses, including Comptroller Roy and Major Drevil. The latter deposed that Dreyfus, while on the general staff, could have had access unperceived to documents during certain hours of the day. The prisoner, replying, admitted that he was present during those hours, but explained that his presence was connected with his duties. M. Dubrieu told a gossip story of meeting Dreyfus at the house of an acquaintance, M. Bodson, in 1894, when Dreyfus was lieutenant, and seeing the latter conversing with a man described to the witness as a German attaché.

Labori showed the story was of the flimsiest description. Dreyfus, replying to this witness, denied that he had any relations with a German attaché, military or civil.

Captain Lerond, of the artillery, spoke of the notorious ignorance of Esterhazy in military matters, showing he could not have divulged what was promised in the bordereau. Lerond also deposed that Picquart, in October, 1896, connected Esterhazy with espionage. Picquart confronted the witness and denied the allegations.

Esterhazy was called, but there was no response, so the court ordered the reading of his evidence as given before the court of cassation. When this was finished Labori asked that Esterhazy's letters to the president of the republic be read, in which Esterhazy is said to have threatened, if the scandal continued, his sovereign, the emperor, would intervene.

General Gouze declared in a loud voice that Esterhazy's statements that he was an instrument of the general staff was an absolute lie. He absolutely denied having had any relations with him. Counsel asked that the dossier containing the documents relating to the inquiry into the relations of Esterhazy and Paty du Clam, instituted by Major Trevier on behalf of the military authorities, should be communicated to the court and discussed. To this the government commissary, Major Carriere, replied he had applied to the military authorities on the subject, but the request had been refused. Carriere added that he hoped Paty du Clam would be able to come to court in a few days. The leading counsel then asked General Gouze a number of searching questions on Esterhazy's relations with the general staff. The general, as a rule, became very excited, especially when asked if there was not an intrigue in favor of Esterhazy, and if he did not take part in it. "It's false! It's false!" shouted the general. The general, however, was visibly disconcerted at several of Labori's questions. Finally the counsel asked why Esterhazy was not arrested after the inquiry. Gouze replied: "Because General Sausser deemed it proper to leave him at liberty."

"Yes," retorted Labori, "but General Sausser might have been deceived by the general staff."

This abrupt declaration caused a sensation, the general looking very ill at ease. Major Genaron, who deposed yesterday, was recalled after Gouze, and supported the latter's statements.

General De Bolladere, in the most forcible manner, denied Esterhazy's statement, adding that had he been present he would have given the lie with all the contempt he deserves.

The name of Mile. Pays was called, but as there was no response the evidence she gave before the court of cassation was read. General Lebelin de Dionne testified that Dreyfus declared the Alsations happier under Germany than under France. Dreyfus, the witness also said, complained of his position in the school of war. The prisoner replied vigorously denying he ever spoke of the Alsations as alleged, but admitted using hard words on account of his position at the school of war, which he declared were evoked by hearing that no Jews were wanted on the general staff.

Thirty-fourth Regiment.

Washington August 23.—Colonel Kennon, 34th Infantry, Fort Logan, Colo., has reported to the war department that thirty-nine officers have reported and more than a full quota of enlisted men. The health conditions are excellent. The equipment is all right with few exceptions, which will be supplied in San Francisco.

Courtesies to Dewey.

Villafranco, August 23.—Vice Admiral Dewey and the officers and men of the Olympia are already anticipating the New York reception, and are preparing for their part in it. The admiral has received permission from the authorities to land the Olympia battalion at Villafranco for drill purposes during the remainder of the cruiser's stay there.

M. Granet, prefect of the Alpes Maritimes, visited Admiral Dewey to-day. The former expressed the pleasure of the French government at the admiral's visit, adding his assurances of personal admiration. It is expected that Admiral Dewey will visit Nice to-morrow, and return the prefect's and other official calls.

Riot in Holland.

Amsterdam, Aug. 23.—Disturbances at Hilversum, where martial law has been proclaimed continued last evening. A mob stoned the troops occupying the town. The cavalry charged on the rioters with drawn swords. Finally the infantry fired on the mob, killing one person and wounding two others. Quiet was restored at midnight.

Sculptor Dies Suddenly.

New York, Aug. 23.—Caspar Buberl, sculptor aged 65, whose works brought him fame and who was engaged on the Dewey arch was found dead in his studio in this city by one of his workmen. He suffered a stroke of apoplexy.

Opposed to Injunctions.

Chicago, Aug. 23.—The Record says: Chicago central labor organizations will unite in a petition to congress and state legislatures to enact laws which restrict the right of judges to issue injunctions without hearing evidence on both sides.

The Presidential Party.

Plattsburg, N. Y., Aug. 13.—The presidential party will leave Hotel Champlain for Pittsburgh tomorrow evening, one day earlier than originally intended. They will stop over for a day or two at Long Branch as the guests of Vice President Hobart.

Five Hundred Wind Jammers.

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 23.—State Chairman Bridgeford of the Populist party, said today that the Populist state campaign will be opened on the first Monday in September with 500 speakers, who will be heard in every county. Among the outside speakers to be here in October are Mayor Jones, of Toledo; Ignatius Donnelly, of Minnesota; Col. Jesse Harper, of Illinois; and "Cyclone" Davis, of Texas.

Stone a Campaign Editor.

Chicago, Aug. 23.—The Chronicle says: Senator Jones, chairman of the Democratic national committee, has closed the Devil incident that disturbed the harmony of the national committee in St. Louis last May and again in Chicago in June by ordering the removal of the press bureau to Washington and authorizing the selection of ex-Governor Stone, of Missouri, as the new editor. Devil will be out within ten days.

Frenzied Frenchmen.

Paris, August 23.—The Guerinists are still holding out at the headquarters of the anti-Semite league, which have been besieged since August 12 by the authorities, as a result of recent disturbances here. They have erected a barricade of chairs and tables, soaked with petroleum, from which it is believed the besieged contemplate immolation. Firemen remain constantly on duty outside the building.

Revolution Spread.

Cape Haytien, Aug. 23.—General Victoriano Torres, commander of San Jose de Las Matas, Santo Domingo, has declared for the revolution. It is reported that Santiago is also pronounced in favor of the revolution.

Texas Cotton Damaged.

St. Louis, August 23.—A special from Dallas, Tex., to the Post-Dispatch says that not winds have destroyed all chance of a large crop of cotton in Texas. Reports say the crop will not average more than one-quarter of a bale to the acre. This indicates not over 2,000,000 bales in the entire state.

Going After Celebrities.

Evansville, Ind., August 23.—Mayor William M. Aiken, Captain W. Wartman and others left to-day for a tour of northern states to invite governors and other prominent men to meet President McKinley here at the national reunion of the blue and gray October 10, 11, 12 and 13.

Dined with the Kaiser.

Berlin, Aug. 23.—Prince Von Dernerburg, German ambassador to France, lunched with the emperor today. It is inferred that they discussed the Dreyfus affair.

An Answer From the Transvaal.

London, August 23.—The secretary of state for the colonies, Joseph Chamberlain, has received the text of the Transvaal's reply to the proposals of the British government, and now has them under consideration. Members of the cabinet are within reach, but until the government has determined what course to pursue, Chamberlain is unwilling to divulge the contents of the message from South Africa.

G. A. R. Visitors.

Philadelphia, August 23.—Major General Nelson A. Miles and Adjutant General Corbin to-day notified the general committee of the G. A. R. encampment, which begins here September 4, that they will attend the reunion. Both will probably occupy positions with the president on the reviewing stand on the day of the parade.

Governor Tanner Ill.

Springfield, Ill., August 23.—The condition of Governor Tanner is unchanged to-day. He has no fever, but is very weak. It will be several days before he can leave his bed.

Dates for Dewey Celebration.

New York, Aug. 23.—The plan and scope committee of the Dewey celebration committee today took up the suggestion that the naval and land parades be held Friday and Saturday, September 29 and 30, instead of Saturday and Monday, September 30 and October 2, as had been intended. Captain Robley D. Evans told the committee that it was quite feasible for Admiral Dewey to arrive a day earlier than he set and accordingly the following cablegram was sent: "Admiral George Dewey, Villafranco, France.—Committee in charge of your reception requests, if convenient, you arrange to arrive here Thursday night, September 28, instead of the 29th, so that the celebration can be had Friday and Saturday. Awaiting reply."

Preparing for War.

Capetown, Aug. 23.—The Mafeking horse regiment is mobilizing rapidly. Several hundred recruits equipped here have joined the camp. Every train is bringing fresh recruits.

DANGER OF THE DEEP

A Large Number of Vessels Are Lost in a Storm Off Cape Hatteras.

SCHOONERS IN THE SURF

Crews of Some of Them Have Been Lost and Some Other Crafts Are Missing Which May Have Gone Down With All On Board.

Norfolk, Va., August 23.—The following vessels are reported wrecked in a terrific storm off Cape Hatteras: The schooner Aaron Richard, five lost, three saved; bark unknown, crew fourteen lost; Diamond shoals lightship, crew twenty-three, all saved; unknown steamship, cargo washed ashore, crew of twenty-five lost.

Three big schooners in the surf are now breaking up, the crews, probably aggregating thirty, being unheard of. The schooner Frank McCullough, eleven men, with coal, from Norfolk to Savannah, is unheard of, and probably went to the bottom with all on board.

MARKET REPORT.

New York, Aug. 23.—Money on call nominally at 3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4 @ 5 per cent. Silver, 99 13-16; lead, \$4.35.

Chicago.—Wheat, Sept., 72 1/2 @ 73 1/2; Dec., 74 1/2 @ 75 1/2. Corn, Aug., 31 1/2; Sept., 31 3/4. Oats, Aug., 20 1/2; Sept., 20 3/4. Kansas City—Cattle, receipts, 16,000; steady to 10c lower; native steers, \$5.00 @ \$6.50; Texas steers, \$3.40 @ \$4.55; Texas cows, \$3.70 @ \$3.35; native cows and heifers, \$3.65 @ \$5.35; stockers and feeders, \$3.35 @ \$4.90; bulls, \$3.85 @ \$3.50. Sheep, receipts, 3,000; market steady; lambs, \$3.50 @ \$5.30; muttons, \$3.90 @ \$4.00.

Chicago.—Cattle, receipts, 20,000; steady to 15c lower; beefs, \$4.50 @ \$6.50; cows and heifers, \$1.90 @ \$4.85; Texas steers, \$3.50 @ \$4.00; stockers and feeders, \$3.00 @ \$4.75. Sheep, receipts, 18,000; sheep steady; lambs 15 @ 25 lower; sheep, \$2.75 @ \$4.25; lambs, \$3.50 @ \$6.10.

THE MILITARY INSTITUTE.

Excellent Rule Adopted to Prevent Extravagance in Boys.

From present indications the military institute at Roswell is the most promising school in the territory, as it is undoubtedly one of the most vigorous and progressive in the west.

The regents do not hesitate in a controversy. Not liking the habit of some merchants in crediting boys, they passed this rule at their August meeting:

"At the beginning of each session the names of all students shall be published in the local papers, and notice thus given to students to sell no goods on credit to students of the N. M. M. I.

"Any student making bills in town is subject to expulsion, and any merchant giving credit to students will do so at his own risk. Parents are urged not to pay such bills. Merchants must sell no goods to cadets save for cash or upon the written order of the superintendent."

The regents have re-employed Mrs. J. G. Meadors as matron. The adjutant general says, in his report to Governor Otero: "Mrs. Meadors, the matron, is an excellent, kind-hearted lady, who gives her whole time and care to the institution, takes great pride in the success of her husband's administration, and contributes very materially to such success."

Mrs. Meadors is a native of Louisiana, of which state her father was a distinguished citizen. Her uncle, I. N. Moreland, was the law partner of Burnett, provisional president of the Texan republic. "He was in command of the artillery at San Jacinto."

Her brother was dean of Washington and Lee University, and now has charge of Macdonough, the richest training school in the world.

She seems to be very popular with cadets who have attended the N. M. M. I.

The living at the institute is undoubtedly first class, and this is not possible save with a good housekeeper.

The people of New Mexico are to be congratulated upon the possession of a boarding school as good as any in the Union. About two things at the New Mexico Military Institute there can be

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"One day my husband noticed the advertisement of your remedies and immediately bought me a full trial. Soon the pain in my ovaries was gone. I am now well, strong and robust, walk, ride a wheel, and feel like a girl in her teens. I would not be without Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; it is like water of life to me. I am very grateful and sincerely your well-wisher, and I heartily recommend your remedies. I hope some poor creature may be helped to health by reading my story."—Mrs. Col. E. P. RICHARDSON, RHEINLANDER, Wis.

no sort of question—the unanimous testimony of the students is that the living and treatment is excellent, while photographs taken at all times of the year show that the military work is strictly up to date.

No one can question but all else is equally good, for the bearing of the cadets shows excellent training.

MINERAL EXHIBITS.

Specimens from New Mexico Wanted for Paris Exposition.

Yesterday Victor C. Heikes, of Denver, an agent of the United States commission for the exposition at Paris, was in the city for the purpose of consulting Governor Otero as to the best methods of interesting the people in the matter. This agent is under the direction of Frederick J. V. W. Skiff, director of the department of mining and metallurgy, with headquarters at the Auditorium building, Chicago. It is desired to secure the loan of choice mineral specimens to go into a general exhibit. It is understood that arrangements are to be made for free transportation. Governor Otero aided the collector with advice as to localities and citizens whom he should see, and will also endeavor to interest mining men, so that there may be proper representation of the territory. Mr. Heikes had charge of the Colorado mineral exhibit at the World's fair, and has the owner's receipt for the return of every specimen exhibited. He says that under the system arranged not a specimen can be lost. The work of putting the exhibits in place will begin early in December.

Parties willing to aid in making exhibits should correspond with the director at the Auditorium, whose address is given above.

Among the classes of exhibits desired are ornamental stones, hard stones, or building stones, rough hewn, sawed or polished; rocks which produce lime or cement; grindstones, whetstones, pumice stones, polishing substances; molding sands, refractory sands; clays, kaolins, flints and other substances used in the manufacture of earthenware; refractory rocks and fire clays; beauxite; fluor-spar, asbestos, meerschaum, graphite and plumbago; slates; gems and precious stones; rock salt; salt from salt springs, salt-peter and nitrates, sulphates, alums and other natural salts; boric acid and borax; natural sulphur and pyrites; natural mineral paints; natural mineral fertilizers (phosphates, coprolites, etc.); mineral fuels—peat, lignite, bituminous coal, anthracite, coal dust and compressed coal; raw petroleum and asphalt; natural gas; asphalt and asphaltic rocks; mineral wax and bitumen; raw, yellow, amber and jet; metallic ores of every kind; native metals; systematic collections; crystallography. Geological maps, charts of underground topography; relief maps, working plans of mines; statistics and publications relative to geology, to underground topography, mineralogy, the working of mines, etc.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23.

The Boers are not appealing to the civilized world. They are getting their powder ready and letting the world wag.

Esterhazy is not the only hazy thing about the Dreyfus business. Colonel Jouaust the most just of judges, nor Colonel Mercier a man of mercy.

Solicitor General Bartlett, for the territory, has scored a point against the oil monopoly that refused to obey a plain law. Its New Mexico agent has been held by District Judge Crumpacker to answer before a grand jury, just the same as any ordinary law breaker.

Iowa Democrats are very considerate gentlemen. They sugar-coated the pill they offer the country, and one can swallow it without detecting the nitrate of silver therein. The platform does not mention 16 to 1. It simply favors the adoption of the Chicago platform "in mass and in detail."

Emperor William is not such a great man in his own country as some people believe, for the stubborn parliament of that country has refused to provide for a canal bill that he strongly urged at the request of Prussia. The German ministry has resigned because the indorsement of the cabinet had no weight.

The difference between the snob of the Astor family who became a citizen of England in order to show his distaste for America, and Colonel Jack Astor, who went to Cuba as a soldier for his country, is as marked as that between the members of another rich family, the Gould sisters. There are still some people whom money cannot ruin.

The busybodies have now turned their attention to making it appear that Secretary Root is going to resign because some one will not let him do as he pleases in every respect. Of course, there is no truth in the statement, for the secretary is certainly not the sort of man to imagine that he was called to office to assume sole management of the war and all matters which it affects.

It is the law of nature that the best people on earth shall spread out, rule over and improve or supplant the inferior. This has been going on forever. The law has carried the people of the United States into the islands to the east and west of her shores. This proceeding is as inevitable as that the excellent farmers of a country shall acquire the homes of the slothful ones.

New Mexico officers are hotfoot after bandits. Three men held up a train at Poison. One lies buried in this city as the result of a gunshot wound. Another with four wounds is en route to the penitentiary to-day in custody of officers of the law, and the third is losing sleep in fleeing from a posse. These men were all enterprising Texans. Later on another man from the Lone Star state came up to repeat the act of the unfortunate trio. He is now in a hospital, trying to decide whether he had rather die of a wounded arm or test the New Mexico law that says he who robs a train shall be hanged until dead.

Another Democratic star has been dimmed by illumination from the coal oil trust. There was a time when Senator Roger Q. Mills, of Texas, gnashed his teeth at the money power of the country and denounced corporations in approved Texas style. That was when the salary of a senator was an object to him. It is no longer. The Corsican statesman found out a year or so ago that his farm covered a lake of oil. Wells and a refinery are now in operation there through an alliance with the Standard Oil Company, and the Hon. Roger Q. now leaves others to do the octopus chasing and save the state of Texas from the tyranny of capital.

Andrew Carnegie, the old Scotchman who made many millions of money out of his steel rail business in Pennsylvania, and who announced that he would give away all of his wealth before he died, has made a beginning by sending his check from over the sea to the anti-imperialist league in Boston to print more slush. If he has made a remittance for the hungry and distressed people of Porto Rico the fact has not been announced. Perhaps the refusal of the American congress to pay the Carnegie price for ship armor and the threat to establish a government armor plant soured the old Scotchman.

Forty-seven men, including nearly a score of Cubans, have left the island of Cuba to join in the Santo Domingo racket. Under the Cleveland regime a lot of gunboats would have been sent to run down these filibusters, who will never do anybody much harm. If two men even embarked in a catboat without letting the Cleveland spies know the destination of the craft there was serious alarm in Washington, when Cleveland was president, lest the law of nations was about to be fractured. Any government that the forty-seven people from Cuba can overthrow is not worth a saving, and the sooner it is scooped, the sooner a decent government can be established.

THE TERRITORIAL PRESS.

MAXWELL GRANT MINERAL.

(Albuquerque Mining Record.)

Colfax county has already produced many millions in gold. Comprised within the boundaries of the Maxwell grant in this county are a large proportion of mineral lands, and the liberal terms given by the grant owners is worthy of notice. Among the districts on this grant are Old Baldy, a large producer of gold; Ute creek, where is located the famous Ateco mine, with a record of almost a million, and the Montezuma, a producer of about \$300,000. There is great activity in Moreno valley, and in the Elizabethtown placers, which have to their credit over \$200,000 in gold. Hematite is another promising camp in the immediate vicinity.

Congress at the last session authorized regimental bands to have the services of drum majors. The tallest and largest men who can be found will hereafter be in demand. It might be a good idea now to line up all the drum majors and stand them upon the top of a Philippine hill, where Aguinaldo and his little followers can gaze upon them. Then the insurgents might chase themselves into the sea.

General Pando, who had charge of the Spanish army of 200,000 men in Cuba, says that had the commanding general been left unhampered from Madrid he would in another month have been able to have made mincemeat of the few thousand United States troops who invaded Cuba. But General Pando's army spent several years trying to make sausage out of a few thousands of ragged, ill-fed and poorly armed Cubans, and failed to make enough to feed a pack of hungry curs.

GRANT'S GOOD RECORD.

(Silver City Independent.)

It is a notorious fact that the people of Grant county pay their taxes in better proportion than any other county in the entire Territory of New Mexico, and this alone is an apt illustration of the prosperity being enjoyed in this immediate section. The tax roll for the year 1898 amounted in round numbers to over \$111,000. Of this sum, over \$93,000 has been collected, the exact balance remaining due and delinquent being \$18,035.73. In 1897 the roll was \$117,000 and the collections \$96,000, the balance uncollected in exact figures being \$21,000. In both these years the per cent collected is considerably over 80 per cent, and these figures would be even better were it not that the railroads and all the heaviest taxpayers refused to settle the levy made for judgments obtained against the county, claiming the same was uncollectible. The balance uncollected on the 1897 roll has now been reduced to \$11,300,000, while only \$9,700 remains on the roll for 1898. The people of Grant county are not tax dodgers.

FOR LACK OF STATEHOOD.

(Albuquerque Journal-Democrat.)

Never in all her long and checkered history had New Mexico such an opportunity to reap a golden harvest as she has at the present time. All the conditions are just right with but a single exception, and her friends can truthfully say to her, as was said to the young man in the Scriptures, "Yet lackest thou one thing." And that thing is statehood. All the other conditions are good and very desirable, but this is the one upon which all the others hang, and if we fail of that we are likely to lose our opportunity, and go away "very sorrowful." Many thousands, even millions, of eastern capital is now ready to be invested in the development of the great natural resources which abound every part of the territory, but men hesitate because we lack what they regard as a stable government.

PRESS COMMENT.

BENEFITS OF EXPANSION.

(Washington Times.)

No American with a grain of perception in business affairs can for one moment question the fact that unless we speedily provide means for the extension of our trade in the Pacific ocean, in Asia and South America, our surplus products in every branch of human activity will so vastly exceed our opportunities to dispose of them that an area of glut, low prices and misery will be in full sight within a very few years. From a strictly economic point of view, Hawaii and the Philippines are as necessary to the farmer of the west as the Pennsylvania coal mines are to the residents of New York. A wide application of this truth will cover our industrial interest in the possession of trade routes in the Antilles and the early building and absolute national control of the Nicaragua canal. All these considerations are so patent that it almost seems a waste of ink to argue from them before an intelligent American constituency. Expansion will make the country rich, strong and prosperous, and it will render a prohibitive tariff as impossible as sunstroke at the north pole in January.

FUTURE OF AMERICAN BLACKS.

(Brooklyn Standard Union.)

Ex-Senator Butler, of South Carolina, seconds the idea advanced by Major General Miles of making the bulk of the United States force in the Philippines consist of colored troops, so-called, meaning, of course, negro troops. The inducement on which he lays stress is that the salvation of the race lies in the foundation of a big negro republic there, where the blacks can have a chance to demonstrate their capacity for self-government. He adds, significantly, that the negroes will never have any chance here, either socially or politically.

It is all right to send the black troops to the Philippines, but a negro state of the Union is a long way off in the distant future. The southern people are largely responsible for the presence of the black man in America, when he was not anxious to come, and they treat the negro kindly, and try and make amends for the long era of oppression he suffered at their hands, and not try to drive him from a land that he knows as home.

Half Fare to the Fair.

For the territorial horticultural exhibition in this city the Denver & Rio Grande railroad has agreed to sell half fare tickets from all stations between this city, Alamosa and Durango, on October 3, 4 and 5 and to go to return until October 9. This should ensure a good attendance from the northwest.

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Notice for Publication.

(Homestead Entry No. 5271.)

LAND OFFICE AT SANTA FE, N. M., July 15, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Probate Clerk of Rio Arriba County at Tierra Amarilla, N. M., on August 24, 1899, viz: Francisco Archuleta for the ne 1/4 sw 1/4, ne 1/4, and ne 1/4 of sec. 4, tp 21 n, r 3 e. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Manuel S. Salazar, Guadalupe de Herrera, Luciano Archuleta, Antonio Ma. Archuleta, all of Coyote, New Mexico.

\$58.75 to Philadelphia and return, choice of routes east of Chicago and St. Louis, call on Santa Fe agents for particulars.

Notice for Publication.

(Homestead Entry No. 5199.)

LAND OFFICE AT SANTA FE, N. M., August 7, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Probate Clerk of Rio Arriba County at Tierra Amarilla, N. M., on September 23, 1899, viz: George Holmes for the ne 1/4 of sec. 1, tp 17 n, r 10 e. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Juan Pedro Williams, Marcelino Lucero, Petrolino Armijo, Bernardo Gonzalez, all of Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Notice for Publication.

(Homestead Entry No. 5281.)

LAND OFFICE AT SANTA FE, N. M., August 9, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Probate Clerk of Rio Arriba County at Tierra Amarilla, N. M., on September 23, 1899, viz: Luciano Archuleta for the ne 1/4 of sec. 3, ne 1/4, and ne 1/4 of sec. 4, tp 21 n, r 3 e. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Antonio Ma. Archuleta, Miguel S. Salazar, Guadalupe de Herrera, Francisco Archuleta, all of Coyote, New Mexico.

Notice for Publication.

(Homestead Entry No. 5273.)

LAND OFFICE AT SANTA FE, N. M., July 15, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Probate Clerk of Rio Arriba County at Tierra Amarilla, N. M., on August 24, 1899, viz: Manuel S. Salazar for the ne 1/4 ne 1/4 of sec. 15, tp 21 n, r 3 e. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Francisco Archuleta, Guadalupe de Herrera, Luciano Archuleta, Flores Vigil, all of Coyote, New Mexico.

Notice for Publication.

(Homestead Entry No. 4546.)

LAND OFFICE AT SANTA FE, N. M., July 31, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register or Receiver at Santa Fe, N. M., on September 1, 1899, viz: Florencio Gallegos for the ne 1/4 of the ne 1/4 of section 17, tp 16 n, r 40 e. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Tomas Quintana, Francisco Anaya, Jose Maria Somoza, Juan Garcia, all of Santa Fe, New Mexico.

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11:30 a. m. Albuquerque, N. M.
1:30 p. m. Embudo, N. M.
3:30 p. m. Las Alamos, N. M.
5:30 p. m. Antonito, N. M.
7:30 p. m. Alamosa, N. M.
9:30 p. m. Salida, N. M.
1:30 a. m. Florence, N. M.
3:30 a. m. Pueblo, Col.
5:30 a. m. Colorado Springs, N. M.
7:30 a. m. Denver, N. M.

WEST ROUTE
No. 429.
9:00 a. m. Santa Fe, Ar.
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TERRITORIAL LANDS.

Demand for Prompt Selections for Public Institutions.

The federal commission to select lands for the territorial educational and other institutions held a meeting yesterday in the executive office. Various routine matters were disposed of and accounts of the locating agent of the commission were approved.

Hon. W. B. Childers, of Albuquerque, appeared before the commission on behalf of the University of New Mexico and argued that speedy action should be taken in selecting the lands granted for the support and maintenance of the university. He stated that the good and valuable lands in the territory were being rapidly taken up by settlers and that no time should be lost. Two members of the commission, Governor Otero and Solicitor General Bartlett, are fully aware of the facts and the state of affairs and are expediting matters as much as in their power. The locating agent of the commission, D. M. White, is now in the field selecting and examining lands for the Agricultural college at Mesilla Park. As soon as this work is finished the locating agent will be directed to make selections and examine lands for other institutions.

It is indeed well for the territory that Governor Otero and Solicitor General Bartlett are members of the commission, as these two officials are thoroughly acquainted with the lands in the territory and their general value and utility and as they are energetic, painstaking and always ready to work for anything that benefits New Mexico. They are laboring well and hard in these instances and the results will prove of value to the people and educational interests of the commonwealth.

U. S. Weather Bureau Notes.

Forecast for New Mexico: Fair in southern; probably showers and thunder storms in northern portion tonight and Thursday.

Yesterday the thermometer registered as follows: Maximum temperature, 75 degrees, at 3:00 p. m.; minimum, 59 degrees, at 5:55 a. m. The mean temperature for the 24 hours was 67 degrees; mean daily humidity, 57 per cent; precipitation, 0.10 of an inch.

MINOR CITY TOPICS.

A letter addressed to Sofia Abreu, Araya, N. M., is held for better directions at the postoffice, as there is no postoffice of the above name in the territory.

Nicolas Campagnoli, of this city, who enlisted in the 34th regiment, will be home this evening, having been rejected at Fort Logan on account of his youth and small stature.

At the Bon-Ton: F. S. Magie, J. A. Swills, Woodville, O.; N. Kortner, J. F. Ketchum, Denver; Juan Madril, Espanola; Ambrosio Pino, Galisteo; John McKenzie, Durango.

Pablo Martinez was arrested last evening by Deputy Sheriff Richard Huber for being drunk.

Leo Hersch yesterday sold to Alexander Jordan a fine wagon complete with harness and other appurtenances.

Ice cream soda at Fischer's every day. All kinds of soft drinks served in first-class style. Everything neat and clean.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Rothschild of Chicago, is here on a visit to Miss Staab.

Miss Margaret O. Donahue, who has been at the sanitarium for a year for the benefit of her health, left this morning via the narrow gauge for a visit to Denver.

Mrs. Tipton left this morning via the Denver and Rio Grande for Denver, going thence after a short visit in that city, to Kansas City, Mo., for a visit to her mother.

Mrs. Louise Warner of San Francisco, who has been here for a month visiting Mrs. Hickox will return to her home tomorrow.

Hon. C. W. Dudrow left this morning for Portland, Oregon, on account of his father's illness at that place.

Hon. L. Bradford Prince returned to his ranch near Espanola this morning.

M. C. de Baca, superintendent of the public schools in this territory, left this afternoon for Anton Chico to open the teachers institute of Guadalupe county, to be held at that place.

Juan Ortiz, a prosperous merchant and sheep raiser of southern Santa Fe county, is here on business. He reports stock in that section doing pretty well, although the past month has been dry and but very little rain has fallen.

Richard P. Oliver and J. Thompson Lindsay, of St. Louis, returned to this city last evening from a trip to Espanola.

Hon. H. C. Sluss, of Wichita, Kan., one of the judges of the court of private land claims, arrived in the city last evening.

Captain W. E. Dame arrived in the capital from Cerrillos last evening on official business. He will leave for Fort Logan tomorrow evening.

R. A. Schrader, a traveling man from Las Vegas, called on local business men today.

B. B. McClure, a mining man from Pullman, Wash., is a visitor here.

R. D. Simmons, of Denver, postoffice inspector, is here on official business.

Mrs. T. B. Catron and sons, John W. and Charles Catron, went to Albuquerque last evening to meet Mrs. H. P. Christiansen, of Mankato, Minn., and her two daughters, who are on their way home from a visit to Los Angeles. They arrived in Santa Fe last night, and will be the guests of Mrs. Catron for a few days. Mrs. Christiansen is a sister of Mrs. Catron.

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Butimlo Montoya, Ricardo Pino and D. Apodaca came to the capital last night on San Antonio, Socorro county, to testify in the town of Socorro grant case pending before the private court of private land claims. Mr. Montoya is the plaintiff in the case and is one of Socorro county's most respected and honored citizens.

Mr. A. Greenbaum of New York City, who has been here for three weeks on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. Stein, leaves this evening for home.

L. B. Jones of Trinidad, traveling auditor of the Santa Fe railroad, is spending a few days in the city.

W. C. Wynkoop, the popular manager of the Cochiti Gold Mining and Improvement Company at Bland, is a visitor in this city.

COURT OF PRIVATE LAND CLAIMS.

Cases That Are Set to Be Taken Up Tomorrow.

The court of private land claims held its regular session this morning. All the judges were on the bench this forenoon except Judge Wilbur F. Stone, Judge Henry C. Sluss having arrived last night.

The survey of the De Vargas grant was approved. The survey allows 12,434.38 acres. The plaintiffs, Louis J. Purdy et al., claimed 42,000 acres. The grant is situated in Santa Fe county, and was made prior to 1723.

The court devoted the remainder of the session to the consideration of the case of Butimlo Montoya vs. the United States. The suit involves the ownership of the town of Socorro grant of 843,259.59 acres, granted November 18, 1817. George Hill Howard is conducting the case for the plaintiff, and W. H. Pope for the United States. Among the issues in the case are a number of documents alleged to have been forged.

Of the cases docketed for to-morrow, No. 178, Felipe Delgado et al. vs. the United States, filed March 2, 1893, involves the ownership of the Lo de Basquez grant in Santa Fe county, granted before 1800. Judge N. B. Laughlin is attorney for plaintiffs. No. 74, Pablo Crespin et al. vs. the United States, filed February 10, 1893, involves the ownership of the Canon de Carme grant, made November 1, 1818, in Bernalillo county. The plaintiffs claim 90,000 acres. F. W. Clancy is attorney for the plaintiffs. No. 8, City of Albuquerque vs. the United States, was filed March 8, 1892. The grant is the Villa de Albuquerque grant of four square leagues in Bernalillo county, made in 1705. No. 107, the Rio Arriba Land and Cattle Company (Limited) vs. the United States, was filed February 17, 1893. It involves the possession of the Canon de Chama grant, made in 1806. The plaintiffs claim 472,736.9 acres in Rio Arriba county. The probabilities are, however, that to-morrow will be taken up with the consideration of the Socorro grant case.

Frog legs at the Bon-Ton.

Land Office Business.

The following business was transacted at the federal land office in this city for the week ending August 23:

HOMESTEAD ENTRIES.

August 16, Ezequiel Maestas, Puerto de Luna, 160 acres, Guadalupe county.

August 16, Daniel Bliss, Raton, 98.68 acres, Colfax county.

August 17, Rinaldo Sandoval, Lamy, 160 acres, Santa Fe county.

August 17, Felipe Cordova, Springer, 160 acres, Colfax county.

August 17, Cosme Serano, Canjilon, 155.17 acres, Rio Arriba county.

August 17, Samuel Serano, Canjilon, 155.08 acres, Rio Arriba county.

August 18, Manuel y Gomez, Lumberton, 160 acres, Rio Arriba county.

August 19, Juan Abila, Arroyo Hondo, 160 acres, Colfax county.

August 19, Tobias R. Gonzales, Arroyo Hondo, 160 acres, Colfax county.

August 19, Santiago Lopez, Gallinas Springs, 160 acres, San Miguel county.

August 20, Felix Galindro, Los Lunas, 160 acres, Bernalillo county.

August 22, Gorgonio Abella, Lumberton, 160 acres, Rio Arriba county.

August 23, Francisco Vasquez, Waggon Mound, 160 acres, Mora county.

August 23, Eugenio Salas, Gallinas Springs, 152.20 acres, San Miguel county.

DESERT LAND SALE.

August 21, Lester H. Palmer, La Plata, 276.29 acres, San Juan county; paid \$69.08.

FINAL TIMBER CULTURE ENTRY.

August 18, John G. Clancy, Puerto de Luna, 160 acres, Guadalupe county.

Death of a Wellknown Citizen.

Don Fernando Pena, a respected and wellknown citizen of Galisteo, died at his home in that town on the 16th inst., of fever. The deceased had been ill for two months. He leaves a large family and was 64 years of age at the time of his death. Mr. Pena was a public spirited and good man, a strong Republican and his death is greatly regretted by his many friends in this city and in southern Santa Fe county.

Mine Sale in Otero County.

Sam L. Smith located a fractional claim and called it May mine, in the Jarrillas last winter; adjoining the Lucky mine that belongs to the Eddy brothers. There was nothing in sight on the surface, but Mr. Smith thought there would be ore found by doing some work. Going down he found the ore after doing about 100 feet of work. To accomplish that however he had to sell an interest to Mr. Kelly, of the firm of Kelly & Fassett, to get the means. Some two months ago the Eddys bonded the property of Smith and Kelly and made a forfeit payment. Today the bond was taken up and the purchase price \$50,000 was paid in full. It is said that the property has great merit and will turn out to be very valuable.—El Paso Graphic.

A New Bank Incorporated.

The Citizens Bank of Raton this morning filed incorporation papers at the office of the territorial secretary. The capital is \$30,000 divided into 300 shares. The incorporators are William B. Thompson, John A. Carter, D. W. Hawes, Daniel Troy, Fred Bohn, R. H. Carter, James M. Hartwell, Oscar Troy, Albert E. McCready, Fred Bohn, Jerome Troy, Marion Littrell, S. W. Clark, L. H. Hobbs, Jerome Troy, Allen H. Corry, Mary R. Simcock, J. A. Baker, L. D. Moore, C. M. Taylor, Hugh Smith, Charles M. Apple. The directors are C. B. Kohlhausen, president; Fred Bohn, vice-president; S. W. Clark, cashier; R. H. Carter, assistant cashier. The incorporators failed to file an affidavit stating that at least half of the capital stock had been paid in and until that is done the bank can do no business.

HELD TO ANSWER.

G. B. Wilson, General Agent of the Oil Monopoly.

Judge J. W. Crumpacker, of the district court for Bernalillo county, yesterday held B. G. Wilson, New Mexico agent of the Continental Oil Company, to answer before the grand jury upon a charge of violating the territorial commerce law. As general agent of the oil company he declined to secure license for the corporation, which decided to defy the law, the people and the courts. Mr. Wilson can either give \$1,000 bond for appearance or go to jail until the grand jury assembles. If the law be finally sustained by higher courts, the corporation will have to pay a heavy fine, and the defendant may be both fined and imprisoned. This holding is purely formal in result, as the facts are admitted, the only question being whether the act of the legislature creating the commerce commission is constitutional. It is understood this question will be raised before the supreme court next week on application for a writ of habeas corpus. The solicitor general represented the territory and N. B. Field the defendant.

W. D. Murray, of Central, has been awarded the contract to furnish wood, hay and grain to Fort Bayard.

Large shipments of oats and bedding intended for the Fort Bayard sanitarium are being received at Hall's station. Grasshoppers which destroy everything in their way are infesting the country along the Mimbres and doing damage.

Fred Raymer, of Silver City, who No. 178, Felipe Delgado et al. vs. the United States, filed March 2, 1893, involves the ownership of the Lo de Basquez grant in Santa Fe county, granted before 1800. Judge N. B. Laughlin is attorney for plaintiffs. No. 74, Pablo Crespin et al. vs. the United States, filed February 10, 1893, involves the ownership of the Canon de Carme grant, made November 1, 1818, in Bernalillo county. The plaintiffs claim 90,000 acres. F. W. Clancy is attorney for the plaintiffs. No. 8, City of Albuquerque vs. the United States, was filed March 8, 1892. The grant is the Villa de Albuquerque grant of four square leagues in Bernalillo county, made in 1705. No. 107, the Rio Arriba Land and Cattle Company (Limited) vs. the United States, was filed February 17, 1893. It involves the possession of the Canon de Chama grant, made in 1806. The plaintiffs claim 472,736.9 acres in Rio Arriba county. The probabilities are, however, that to-morrow will be taken up with the consideration of the Socorro grant case.

Three head of horses belonging to James E. Hervey, of Silver City, were frightened by a mountain lion and ran wildly into a barbed-wire fence and were badly cut.

Cedar wood is so scarce in the vicinity of Silver City that it sells for \$4 a cord. Coal will be used more extensively in that vicinity in the future.

An unknown man was found dead by W. F. Wakefield in the field of Mrs. Robert Swan, at Red Rock. The man came from the Mimbres, where he is said to have a family. He evidently starved to death. He had been supplied with food some time ago by a party that crossed the country, but his supplies gave out.

An exciting game of ball took place at Graham between the Grahams and Mogillions for \$300 a side. The Mogillions won by a score of 17 to 13.

The Tremont hotel building at Silver City, which has been condemned by the city council, and which will be torn down, has been bought by John L. Burnside.

H. H. Kidder is constructing a store building near the terminus of the Hanover railroad.

Bear, mountain lions and wolves are harassing the cattlemen of Grant county.

The Whitewater branch of the A. T. & S. F. railway running from Whitewater to Santa Rita does a daily business of \$1,000, which will be doubled when the Hanover railway is finished.

Mrs. C. L. Ashton of Silver City, has arrived at Leipzig, Germany, where she is studying in a conservatory of music.

Charles Osgood, formerly a locomotive engineer, has returned to Lordsburg from the Klondike poorer than he went, but wiser.

Jose Parrada, living at Pinos Altos, picked up a large stone to hammer down a nail in his shoe. He found that the stone was very heavy, and upon examination discovered it to contain a large percentage of gold. He sold the stone at Silver City for \$25.

The Colorado Fuel and Iron Company is arranging to make an exhibition at the Paris exposition, and has offered a prize of \$150 for the best plan or suggestion for an exhibit.

Victor C. Heikes, honorary special agent of the department of mines and metallurgy for the commissioner general of the United States to the Paris exposition, was in Grant county for the purpose of securing a mineral exhibit from that county.

Jesus Carratas fell from a train at Lordsburg, had his skull fractured, and died without regaining consciousness.

Alonso Moore and George Cosper, members of the territorial militia, and Homer Brooks, all of the lower Gila district, have joined the 34th regiment.

COLFAX COUNTY.

The force of car repairers at Raton is being increased and all put on full time in order to get to work on supplying all cars with automatic couplers with American attachments, which work must be completed by January 1, 1900, in accordance with an act of congress.

A. E. Stoughton, who has been helping hostler in the Raton round house the past two years, has been transferred to the Rio Grande division, to run the switch engine in the Albuquerque yards.

Miss Emma J. Potts, of Leno, Colo., and S. T. McDonald, of Raton, formerly of Kansas City, were married at Raton by Rev. Frank Lonsdale.

The 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Capper, of Blossburg, had his skull fractured in seven places by a mule kicking him. The boy is recovering.

Alfred Bunn, father of Judson Bunn, of Raton, died at Silver Lake, Ind., and was buried at Coshocton, O. Mr. Bunn was aged 83 years, and was in the first company that went to Pike's peak.

The Exchange Hotel.

Best Located Hotel in City.

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\$1.50 PER DAY. \$2

Special rates by the Week or Month for Table Board, with or without room.

S. R. Corner of Plaza.

W. W. Baron, formerly of Raton, but of late years residing in Mexico, who attempted to kill his wife several months ago, was convicted and sentenced to 55 years of penal servitude in salt mines. The average length of convict's working in those mines is three years.

BERNALILLO COUNTY.

A. E. Haggerty, for a number of years bookkeeper for J. G. Cramer at Bland, has accepted a similar position at Kingston, this territory.

Miss Cowperthwaite, of Albuquerque, has been selected to teach the school of Bland, which will open on the first Monday in September.

LINCOLN COUNTY.

Deputy Sheriff John W. Owen brought Edward Brown to White Oaks on a charge of stealing cattle. Justice Stewart placed Brown under \$1,000 bond.

The sweepstakes races at Nogal were won by the railroad horse, with Gray's mare second and Baker's mare third. A purse of \$400 went to the winner, and considerable money changed hands on the side.

A man named Davis was shot in a quarrel by a man named Everett. Davis was getting the better in a fight with Everett when the latter suddenly drew a 45 six-shooter and shot Davis in the right thigh. Everett surrendered himself at Nogal.

CHAVES COUNTY.

Professor L. M. Martin, of Roswell, has been appointed by Judge Leland a member of the board of examiners for teachers, vice W. A. Rogers, resigned.

Thirteen teachers successfully passed the teachers' examination at Roswell.

H. R. Morrill, of Amarillo, Tex., has located at Roswell.

The election for school directors in district No. 8 resulted in the election of Jeremiah Cazier, F. M. Brooks and James A. Pawles. A new school house will be built on the Burr farm.

Crosen & Gray, at Roswell, fired the second kind of 1,000,000 bricks for this season at their brick yard.

P. H. Holwig has purchased the Monroe lots at Roswell, and will build a \$1,300 house.

Thomas Albert, aged 20 months, son of J. A. Patrick, died of dysentery at Roswell.

The county commissioners have awarded the contract to erect two bridges across the Berrendo. The cost of the improvement will be \$1,400.

The Northwest Texas Press Association spent a day at Roswell last week.

Philadelphia and return, tickets on sale August 30th, 31st and Sept. 1st, '99 Santa Fe Route.

Cooked corned beef and boiled ham at Walker's.

Railway to Bland Needed.
T. T. Springer of Bland, spent the day in the capital buying several wagon loads of supplies. He said that a railroad between Santa Fe and Bland is a necessity and if no railroad connection between the capital and the Cochiti district is made in the near future, all the trade of that growing and flourishing camp will go to Albuquerque by way of Thornton.

Fine 25c meals at the Bon-Ton.

At the Hotels.

At the Palace: W. C. Wynkoop, H. Darby, Max Klein, Denver; H. C. Sluss, Wichita, Kan.; Mrs. Craig, Trinidad; F. R. Patten, Topeka; H. S. Bonney, St. Joseph; W. E. Dame, Cerrillos.

At the Claire: R. A. Schrader, Las Vegas; B. B. McClure, Pullman, Wash.; R. D. Simmons, A. F. Freebrock, Denver; L. Oppenheimer, Kansas City; Frank C. Reinhart, St. Louis; E. Montoya, Richard Pino, D. Apodaca, San Antonio, N. M.

At the Exchange: H. F. Frothingham, Spirit Lake, Ia.; Henry Wood, Dolores, Colo.; W. H. Hartshorn, Burlington, Ia.; George P. Herbert, Denver, Colo.

Notices.

The annual meeting of stockholders of Fairview Cemetery Association will be held at the office of the Santa Fe Daily New Mexican at 8 p. m. on Wednesday, the 27th of September proximo, to elect a board of directors and officers for the ensuing year and for other business.

H. W. STEVENS,
23-29-5-12-10-26 Secretary.

Court Notes.

Judge McElie yesterday afternoon granted an absolute divorce to the plaintiff in the case of Antonio Romo vs. Plutarquia G. de Romo. The case was argued by George P. Miller was the referee.

Judge McElie also granted a judgment for \$564.55 in favor of the plaintiff in the case of J. D. Morris vs. The Campbell Water Company et al. of Taos county. George P. Miller was also referee in this case.

Fresh oysters at the Bon-Ton.

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