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WESTERN MINERS IN SESSION

More Than Two Hundred and
Fifty Delegates Attend Con-
vention in Denver

VITAL QUESTIONS TO BE DISCUSSED

Vice-President Williams Occupies
Moyer's Vacant Chair
Address By President of
State Federation

DENVER, May 23.—Over 250 delegates to the twelfth annual convention of the Western Federation of Miners, assembled here today to consider questions vitally affecting the welfare of the organization. Vice President J. Williams, of Grass, Cal., in absence of President Moyer, presided. The convention is expected to be in session about ten days. Delegates are present from Colorado, Arizona, British Columbia, Montana, Idaho, Kansas, Minnesota, Michigan, New Mexico, California, Oregon, Utah, South Dakota, Washington, Wyoming, and Alabama.

At the forenoon session John C. Sullivan, president of the state federation of labor, extended greetings on behalf of organized labor to the of a committee on credentials, a recess was taken.

Taupert has a thing or two to say tonight on page four.

PROCEEDINGS IN THE U. S. DISTRICT COURT

Margarito Romero Found Not Guilty of Cutting
Timber On Pecos Forest Reserve

In the case of the United States vs. Don Margarito Romero, which has been on trial since Thursday of last week, the United States trial jury this morning brought in a verdict of not guilty and the defendant was discharged. A large number of his personal friends were in the court room at the time, and the congratulations extended to him were hearty and frequent.

The defendant was charged with a violation of the United States statutes regulating the cutting of timber upon the public domain within the Pecos park forest reserve.

The indictments were in five parts, embracing about all the violations that could be thought of, but at the last term of court, after the evidence was all in, the United States dismissed three of the charges and on the remaining two the jury were unable to agree.

It was understood at that time that ten jurors were for acquittal, but two held out, so the jury failing to agree, the case was again placed on trial this term.

Messrs. Long & Fort appeared for the defendant, and Mr. W. B. Childers United States attorney, prosecuted for the government. The case was hotly contested on both sides. It appeared that Mr. Romero had a contract with the government which allowed him to cut certain timber on Sections 14 and 15, but the authorities charged that he had gone beyond his contract and cut government timber not embraced therein. This Mr. Romero denied. The United States first brought a civil suit for the value of the timber, Mr. Romero defended against it. Then the United States through its local officers, brought the indictments just tried, to have him found guilty of a crime and punished.

Mr. Romero was very indignant at such a charge, and prepared to make a vigorous defense and denial and as the result shows has been successful. This must be gratifying to him and his friends.

First, the United States was driven, last term, by its failure to produce evidence, to dismiss three of the charges, and this term has been defeated on the two remaining grounds. At the fall term of court, ten jurors were ready to say that Mr.

Boy Badly Burned

This afternoon about 4:30 when Luis Bustos, aged thirteen was making a fire at the home of his father, Manuel Bustos, 913 Ninth street, he sought to pour on coal oil to quicken the flame. The oil in the can took fire and exploded. The boy was horribly burned about the chest, stomach and legs and the place was set on fire. An alarm was quickly sent in and both departments responded. Doctor Black and Doctor Bailey were called. The boy was removed to the ladies home before a thorough examination was made. It was impossible to say at the outset whether or not the injuries were likely to prove fatal. The burns are undoubtedly deep and serious. The little fellow was suffering intense pain when the doctors arrived.

The departments soon had the fire under control although considerable damage was done to the interior of the house and to the furniture by fire and water. The furniture was all removed by willing hands.

ABSCONDING BANK CLERK BROUGHT BACK TO NEW YORK

NEW YORK, May 23.—Edward P. Hoyt, check clerk of the Chemical National bank, who disappeared several weeks ago with an alleged shortage of \$22,000, has been arrested at Lake Mahopre and brought back to this city for a hearing. Hoyt had been in the employ of the bank for more than twenty years.

FATAL EXPLOSION OF FIREWORKS FACTORY.

CAMDEN, N. J., May 23.—One man and two boys were killed and six men and two girls were seriously injured by an explosion today in the fireworks factory of Joseph Scalona on the outskirts of the city. Four small buildings were wrecked. The explosion is said to have occurred in the mixing room. The proprietor was arrested pending an investigation.

NEW CHWANG REOCCUPIED BY RUSSIANS UNDER KUROPATKIN

Japs Said To Have Lost Three More Small Boats. St.
Petersburg Confirms Blowing Up Of The Bogatyr

RUSSIANS CLAIM EQUALITY ON SEA, WILL TRY TO HOLD PORT ARTHUR

ST. PETERSBURG, May 23.—The general staff says that the reoccupation of New Chwang by the Russians in force is due to the change in the situation produced by the loss of the Japanese ships last week. General Kuropatkin originally decided to abandon the town, because the Japanese had complete mastery of the sea, but the losses sustained by Admiral Togo's fleet so changed the relative strength of the two fleets that it is believed to render unsafe the dispatch of Japanese transports around the Liao Tung peninsula as they run the risk of attack by Rear Admiral Wittsoff.

Unlikely Story.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 23.—According to reports which have reached Russian headquarters at Liao Yang from Chinese sources, the Japanese have made a land attack on Port Arthur, but have been repulsed with heavy loss. The truth of the report is questioned here.

Port Arthur Will Resist.

CHE FOO, May 23.—The captain of a Russian merchantman who left Port Arthur May 20 is among the recent arrivals here. He says the whole Japanese fleet has not returned to Port Arthur since the 15th inst., when besides the battleship Hataze, another big vessel struck a mine and was towed away in a disabled condition. The gunboats and torpedo boats returned off Port Arthur on the 20th inst. when the Russians succeeded in sinking a small gunboat and two torpedo boats. The Russians are now confident of holding Port Arthur with the 30,000 men stationed there. All the warships have been repaired except the Czarevitch and Retzian, which will be ready for sea by June 1st. The entrance to the harbor has been cleared and small boats now pass freely from Port Arthur to Dalny. The forts on the land side have been completed and are now prepared for a severe contest. There has been no fighting in the vicinity of

Port Arthur since the 15th inst., when two squadrons of Japanese cavalry were wiped out, only eight men escaping.

Gifts to Emperor.

TOKIO, May 23.—The Japanese landed at Takushan reported having been engaged in two scouting skirmishes, during which ten Russians were killed. About three hundred sick and wounded men of General Kuroki's army arrived at the military hospital here today. Three splendid horses, several guns, wagons and ambulances, captured at the Yalu river, will be presented to the Emperor.

Bogatyr Blown Up.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 23.—The report that Rear Admiral Jensen, finding it impossible to save the protected cruiser Bogatyr, which went ashore recently in a fog on the rocks off Vladivostok, caused her to be blown up, is confirmed. The guns of the Bogatyr were removed before she was destroyed. No loss of life attended the destruction.

Big Schooner Blows Up

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—The three masted schooner Fanny Adele, laden with coal oil, gasoline and general merchandise, for Nome, Alaska, was set on fire today by an explosion which occurred in her hold and is a total loss. Four men on board at the time had a narrow escape, one of them being badly burned. The sixteenth street wharf at which she was lying was partly burned. The loss was \$100,000.

American Released

ST. PETERSBURG, May 23.—Mortis Kleiman, a native of Russia, but a citizen of Wisconsin, who was arrested May 14 at Chelabinsk, has been released at the intercession of Ambassador McCormick. It transpires that his arrest was partly due to representations made by agents of the firm competing with one represented by Kleiman. Kleiman was charged with violation of an article of the penal code, which provides that a Russian subject who swears allegiance to a foreign country without the government's permission is liable to banishment or transportation to Siberia.

Family Strangely Poisoned.

Last Wednesday the members of Jose Francisco Tafuya's family, on the west side were all taken sick, suffering severe pains and vomiting. Thursday morning Dr. Romero was called who pronounced the trouble to be arsenic poisoning. Proper remedies were given and all the afflicted improved excepting the wife and mother who succumbed Saturday night. It is hoped all the others will be saved.

In searching for the source of the poison the water supply was found to be from a barrel or keg which had been taken from the rubbish of a corral which the man had been engaged to clear out. This vessel, it is surmised, had been used for the mixing of chemicals for preserving sheep pelts and then appropriated as a water barrel by the family of Tafuya. An analysis of the water is being made to determine the correctness of this theory.

Mrs. E. W. Davis entertained the Rev. Dr. Cocks, pastor of the Methodist church at Albuquerque.

Oldest Bell In America

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 23.—The oldest bell in the United States is exhibited in the New Mexican building at the World's fair. The relic was cast in 1355 and was brought from Spain with one of the first expeditions to Mexico by Father Juan de Padilla, one of the Franciscan Fathers who accompanied Coronado. It was first hung in one of the mission churches established in one of the seven cities of Cibola. From there it was taken to Gran Quivira, where it was hung in one of the mission churches of which the ruins are still visible. From Gran Quivira it was taken to Abo, where it has hung in the parish church ever since. Governor M. A. Otero, of New Mexico, obtained possession of the bell for exhibition at the fair. Although the bell antedates the discovery of America by 137 years, it has been in almost constant use from the day it was cast in Spain.

Unitarians At Boston

BOSTON, Mass., May 23.—This is the anniversary week of the American Unitarian association and prominent members of the denomination are here from all parts of the country to take part in the proceedings. The delegates assembled in a King's Chapel this morning for a prayer service conducted by Rev. C. A. Staples, of Lexington, Mass. This afternoon, at the South Congregational church, there was a public meeting of the National Alliance of Unitarians and Other Liberal Christian Women. The speakers included Rev. Florence Buck of Kenosha, Wis., and Rev. Franklin C. Southworth, president of Meadville Theological School.

There will be an informal reception in honor of the visitors at the Hotel Somerset this evening. President Charles W. Elliot of Harvard University and other eminent Unitarians will receive.

TO REVIVE THE

MERCHANT MARINE
NEW YORK, May 23.—The committee directed by congress to investigate and report on the best methods of restoring the merchant marine assembled for its first meeting at the Chamber of Commerce in this city today. Senator Gallinger, of New Hampshire, called the meeting to order.

Democrats In St. Louis

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 23.—The subcommittee of the democratic national committee met today to prepare for the national convention. Much of the time today was spent in examining and discussing plans for the reconstruction of convention hall. The contract for the work has been let and it is expected the hall will be turned over to the national committee June 15. The question of tickets and accommodations for the press also came up for consideration with Charles H. Mann and G. M. Hitchcock representing a committee of newspaper men. The committee will be in session several days.

PAPAL BLESSING FOR

OHIO COUPLE
HAMILTON, O., May 23.—A rare honor has been conferred upon George Bramlage and his wife of this city in the form of a blessing received from Pope Pius X. Tomorrow Mr. and Mrs. Bramlage will celebrate their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. The papal blessing is in documentary form, and comprises a handsome picture of Pope Pius, together with the printed form of the official document. To this is affixed the papal seal and the "cross signature" of his holiness.

EDDIE HANLON AND

TERRY MCGOVERN TO FIGHT
NEW YORK, May 23.—Articles were signed today in this city by Eddie Hanlon, of San Francisco, and Terry McGovern, of Brooklyn, to fight twenty rounds, before the club offering the best inducements.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Castaneda: Thos. Parkinson, Topeka; M. Sydon, Raton; Mrs. M. E. Durand, Raton; B. Williams, Albuquerque; D. T. White, El Paso; F. L. Kern, Chicago; J. P. Kaster, T. M. Zane, Ocala City, Kansas; J. H. Griffith, Jan Thomas, Topeka; Max Klein, Denver; A. Pigeon, Montreal.

New Optic: E. Edwards, St. Louis; C. F. Abner, Gerlie Brown, Luis Burk, Raton; T. W. Sisk, Montfort, Ill.; C. P. Jones, Mrs. Kaiser, Santa Rosa, Josiah Hale, C. W. Hale, Moro; E. B. Franks, Trinidad; E. Speer, Deming; W. F. Frank, Rowell.

El Dorado: J. J. Clements, Las Vegas; C. F. McKelvey, Chicago; Joe Nelson, Chicago; A. R. Childs, Denver; J. B. Schriber, Chicago.
Rawlins: A. L. Coleman, Albuquerque; Jacob Loeb, Albuquerque; C. C. Rushing, Walnut Springs, Texas.
La Pension: R. M. Scott, Kansas City.

Trip To England

The following from the Colorado Springs Gazette will be read with much interest by the many Las Vegas friends of Prof. and Mrs. T. D. Cockerell:

Professor and Mrs. T. D. Cockerell, of the biological department of Colorado college, will leave the city June 1 for a trip to Europe.

They will remain in New York city for a few days before sailing and make a brief study of animal life at the American museum in that city. On June 8 they will sail for Liverpool and then proceed to London. Much of their time will be spent at the British museum, where Prof. Cockerell was assistant curator several years ago. A little later they will be the guests of Alfred Russel Wallace, who is probably the greatest living naturalist of the age.

Prof. Cockerell was at one time associated with Mr. Wallace in his production of the second edition of his "Island Life." The Cockerells expect to remain abroad until fall.

JEALOUS COWBOY

KILLS TWO ASSOCIATES
WICHITA, Kas., May 23.—Three miles north of Woodward, O. T., yesterday, William Gardner shot and killed Bud Craig and Virgil Engshauser. He was jealous of their attentions to his wife. All the men were cowboys. A mob of fifty is pursuing Gardner and will lynch him if it catches him.

ROTHSCHILD WILL GO TO PEN.

FOR NINE YEARS
NEW YORK, May 23.—David Rothschild, former president of the defunct Federal bank who was last week convicted of larceny was today sentenced to serve nine years in the state prison. He was found guilty of the theft of a note of \$10,000 belonging to a man named Nessler, while president of the bank.

Methodists to Visit White House.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—President Roosevelt today extended an invitation to the Methodist protestant conference, in session in this city, to be received at the White House Thursday and the invitation was accepted.

MASSACRE ON MINDINAO

Fifty-Three Filipino Men, Women and Children Slaught-
ered By Moros

ATTACHES OF THE MILITARY

The Chief and His Murdering
Band Escape Before Soldiers
Are Alarmed

MANILA, May 23.—A report has been received here from Camp Overton on the island of Mindanao, dated May 15th, stating that a massacre had been taken place on the 12th inst. near Malabang on the southern coast of Mindanao. Fifty-three Filipino men, women and children, families of employees of the military movement at Malabang, were surprised at midnight, while asleep, by Datto Alla and a band of Moros from the Rio Grande valley and slaughtered. The chief and his followers escaped before the alarm was given.

HARTFORD SEMINARY

HOLDS EXERCISES
HARTFORD, Conn., May 23.—The anniversary exercises which began at the Hartford Theological Seminary today will be signaled not only by the usual commencement but by the inauguration of Prof. W. D. Mackenzie, D. D., as president of the institution. The inauguration will take place Wednesday and will be attended by representatives of leading educational institutions from Massachusetts to California.

IMPRESSIVE CONFIRMATION AT TEMPLE MONTEFIORE

Bertha Cohn, Louis Rosenthal and Morton Stern
Consecrated To The Faith of Their Fathers

One of the most beautiful and most impressive religious services ever held in Las Vegas was celebrated yesterday morning at Temple Montefiore. The occasion was the confirmation of Bertha Cohn, Louis Rosenthal and Morton Stern, members of the Jewish faith. The part taken by the young devotees was finely done. Dr. Lefkowitz' words to the class were scholarly, eloquent and sensible. The special music rendered by a choir consisting of Mrs. Laidley, soprano; Mrs. Brown, contralto; Mr. Vaeth, tenor; Mr. Kohn, basso; with Mrs. Kohn at the organ, was rarely beautiful. The altar space was as fair as a garden of the Lord. To the greenery of ferns and potted plants was added a wealth of exquisite flowers, tastefully arranged. The temple was crowded to the doors by an intensely interested congregation, not one of whom but was impressed and inspired by the sacred and meaningful exercises.

As the light track of a bird's foot made acorns ago in the softened clay hardened into rock which only the teeth of the hardest instrument can effect, so the impressions made on the plastic mind of youth hardened as the years go on into the rock of character. How lasting, how deeply fixed, how potential must be the impressions left upon the youthful mind by such a service as that of yesterday!

After an organ prelude by Mrs. Chas. Kohn, the choir rendered the beautiful anthem, "Sing Aloud." After the festival services prescribed in the books and a pleasing organ voluntary, came the confirmation hymn and the impressive entrance of the class. The manner in which the young people carried out every detail of their important part in the long ceremony, bespoke both the natural

ability of the participants and the careful training they had had. The opening invocation was finely pronounced by Bertha Cohn. After the minister had taken the sacred scroll from the ark, the young people recited the ten commandments in concert. Scripture in Hebrew and in English was read by Morton Stern. An anthem by the choir in which a tenor solo by Mr. Vaeth was well rendered, followed. Then one of the prettiest and most impressive features of the entire service came when the three children repeated with eloquence and emphasis their beautifully worded declaration of faith. The short address to the children by Dr. Lefkowitz was clothed in chastity and elegant language and was delivered in a masterly manner. Mrs. L. T. Laidley has never sung more sweetly than in her solo following the sermon. The casting of beautiful flowers at the foot of the altar was another charming ceremonial. Morton Stern brought the daisy, symbolic of honor; Louis Rosenthal, the hyacinth, symbolic of factory love; and Bertha Cohn, the violet, sweet symbol of mother love. These gifts were in recognition of the ancient custom of bringing to the Lord the first fruits of all possessions. The offerings were made in a well spoken address. The closing prayer was made by Louis Rosenthal.

To the accompaniment of a sweet violin solo by Mr. Vaeth, Dr. Lefkowitz pronounced the ministerial blessing upon the confirmands. The solemnity of the exercises reached its apex with this ceremonial and many eyes were filled with tears as the young people were thus added to the practice and beliefs of the faith.

The last observance was the pre-ceremony, bespeaking both the natural

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Track and Train

Wiley Hudson, who has been driving the Wells, Fargo Express wagon for the past year at Raton, has been promoted to express messenger, on the Santa Fe, between La Junta and Albuquerque.

Geo. W. Smith, formerly of Along, superintendent of motive power of the Eastern Illinois, with headquarters at Danville, has been appointed to the same position on the St. Louis, Memphis & Southeastern and the St. Louis & Gulf lines of the Frisco system.

The first batch of the hundred new cars for the Union traction company of Chicago will be put in service about June 30. The contract for the entire lot of cars has been awarded to the St. Louis car company, which will turn them out as fast as possible.

H. L. Lewis, general agent of the Burlington lines in Atchison, has been transferred to Beatrice, Neb., where he will become division freight and passenger agent of the same company. He will be succeeded in Atchison by H. B. Scur, general agent at Billings, Mont.

Owing to the attitude of the Grand Trunk on the question of stop-overs at Chicago on World's Fair tickets war has been declared on that company by some of the Eastern roads, and the Western passenger association lines are threatening a boycott. The initiative has been taken by the Michigan Central.

Chris Steeg, a laborer at the car shops of the Wabash railroad in Decatur, Ill., was waylaid by a crowd of striking car men while going home. Steeg was wounded, but not fatally. He was secretary of the local car men's union and struck with the others, but returned to work.

The hearing of complaints made against the railroads of the country by the Texas cattle raisers' association has been advanced by the interstate commerce commission from June 6 to 2, and the hearing is transferred from St. Louis to Chicago. The charge alleged by the cattle association is that the interstate rate on live stock shipments has been unjustly increased.

Union Depot.

High officials of all the railroads entering the city met in El Paso Friday to inspect the plans of the Union Depot and to let the contracts for its construction.

A board of directors of the Union depot company was elected as follows: H. U. Mudge, general manager of the Santa Fe; A. S. Johnson, superintendent of the G. H. and S. A.; C. B. Eddy, president of the E. P. and N. E.; H. R. Nickerson, vice president and general manager of the Mexican Central; H. J. Simmons, general manager of the E. P. and S. W.; J. W. Everman, assistant general manager of the Texas and Pacific and W. W. Turney, representative of the citizens of El Paso.

Mrs. Boomer An Officer.

A Los Angeles dispatch of Saturday says: The sixth biennial convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers continued to be occupied by representatives, division resolutions and matters of minor importance. According to the official report on membership, there are present 46,000 of the order in good standing. Preparations are being for the delegates, together with their families, to visit Catalina Island in a body Friday.

The officers of the volunteer relief association of the woman's auxiliary have been re-elected with one exception. They are:

President, Mrs. George Wilson, Allegheny, Pa.; general secretary and treasurer, Mrs. M. L. Robertson, Toledo, O.; trustees, Mrs. Chester Durrell, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Mrs. A. G. Boomer, Las Vegas, N. M.; Mrs. M. Dorsey, Springfield, Ill. The latter is the new member of the board of trustees.

TO DISCUSS RIVER

IMPROVEMENT

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 23.—Representatives of the commercial and trade bodies of San Francisco, Sacramento, Oakland and other places were present at the opening of the river improvement convention at the Palace hotel today. The purpose of the convention, which will be in session two days, is to discuss measures and means for the improvement of navigation on the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers and the protection of adjacent lands from flood waters. Owing to the influential and representative character of the convention it is believed something definite in the way of river improvement will be accomplished.

The Gigantic Shadow cast by a cigar and a man



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5¢ Cigars
Smoked
Every Day

LARGEST SELLER IN THE WORLD

The Band is the Smoker's Protection.

MEMORIAL DAY

Governor Otero has issued the following Memorial Day Proclamation:

The beautiful and universal custom inaugurated in this nation more than a generation ago, which as time goes by only increases the reason for such custom, of publicly honoring the memory of those who have given up their lives for the nation, by setting apart a day consecrated to their honor and in memory of their noble deeds, has grown to have the force of unwritten law in the United States.

In accordance with that custom and in order that the dead of the nation may be properly honored in New Mexico, and the living may be reminded of their duty to their country and of their obligation to those who laid down their lives that it might live, and their further duty towards those who still survive from the perils of war:

Now, therefore, I Miguel A. Otero, governor of the Territory of New Mexico, do recommend that upon Monday, the thirtieth day of May, A. D. 1904, the people of the territory refrain from all unnecessary labor, and all public amusements, and join with the Grand Army of the Republic, and other patriotic societies in a due and proper observance of Memorial Day, recalling the memory of the heroic dead and recounting their valiant deeds. Let us on that day, by song and speech and sweet flowers give expression of our reverence and gratitude to those who gave their lives to perpetuate the republic, to acts of respect and care for those soldiers and sailors who have survived the wars in which they were engaged and in honor of those who are now serving their country as soldiers and sailors.

Done at the executive office this 21st day of May, A. D. 1904.

Witness my hand and the great seal of the Territory of New Mexico.

Seal. MIGUEL A. OTERO.

By the Governor:

J. W. RAYMONDS,

Secretary of New Mexico.

G. A. R. Orders.

Theodore W. Heman, recently elected

commander of the department of New Mexico of the Grand Army of the Republic, has issued the following order in regard to the observance of Memorial Day on May 30:

Headquarters Grand Army of the Republic, Department of New Mexico, Albuquerque, N. M., May 16, 1904—General Orders, No. 2.

1. In accordance with the rules and regulations of our order, May 30, 1904, will be observed as Memorial Day. It remains for the survivors to meet the demands of the hour. Duty, love and loyalty inspire and enjoin us to give unmistakable evidence that our comrades have not died in vain, and that the living are holding them in patriotic remembrance. Let us as is most fitting, unite in making the solemn services as impressive as possible by appropriate exercises. Let the posts and comrades of the Grand Army of the Republic be active in preparation. Invite all the people to a right observance of the day. Arrange for the Woman's Relief Corps, the women of the G. A. R. and the public in general to take part in the exercises.

2. In accordance with established customs, every post should attend divine service in a body on the Sunday preceding Memorial Day.

3. In compliance with the action of the thirtieth national encampment, post commanders are directed to have Lincoln's Gettysburg address read as a part of Memorial Day exercises.

By order of

THEO. W. HEMAN,

Department Commander.

JOHN M. MOORE,

Assistant Adjutant General.

The day will be appropriately celebrated in the city by the veterans of Sherman Post as well as by citizens generally.

PENNSYLVANIA

KNIGHTS TEMPLARS

YORK, Pa., May 23.—This city is alive with Knights Templars who are gathering from every part of Pennsylvania for their fifty-first annual convocation. The program will be ushered in this evening with a general reception in honor of the visitors. There will be a grand parade tomorrow and on Wednesday the new offi-

cial subject of scientific and chemical research.

The result is a product that does what oxygen does. Oxygen is the very source of all vitality, the most essential element of life. Liquezone is a vitalizing tonic with which no other known product can compare. Its effects are exhilarating and purifying. But germs are vegetables; and Liquezone—like an excess of oxygen—is deadly to vegetable matter.

Liquezone goes wherever the blood goes, destroying every germ in the body. In this way it cures diseases which medicine never cures. It will do more for sick humanity than all the drugs in the world combined.

Germ Diseases.

These are the known germ diseases. All that medicine can do for these troubles is to help Nature overcome the germs, and such results are indirect and uncertain. Liquezone kills the germs, wherever they are, and the results are inevitable. By destroying the cause of the trouble, it invariably ends the disease, and forever.

Arterio-Atherosclerosis
Blood Poison
Bright's Disease
Bronchitis
Consumption
Croup
Diphtheria
Erysipelas
Gastritis
Hepatitis
Hysteria
Indigestion
Kidney Disease
Leprosy
Leucorrhea
Liver Troubles
Measles
Meningitis
Nervousness
Pneumonia
Rheumatism
Scarlet Fever
Scurvy
Typhoid
Typhus
Whooping Cough
Zoster

cers will be installed. The entertainment program is one of the best ever arranged for a convocation in this state. Excursions, electric railway trips, carriage rides, a grand ball and other features are included.

A Revelation.

If you will make inquiry it will be a revelation to you how many succumb to kidney and bladder troubles in one form or another. If the patient is not beyond medical aid, Foley's Kidney Cure will cure. It never disappoints. Foley's honey and tar contain no opiates and can safely be given to children and is peculiarly adapted for asthma, bronchitis and hoarseness. Sold by Depot Drug Store.

The family of W. A. Logan who have been visiting relatives down at Watrous for some time returned to Springer Sunday evening and left with Mr. Logan for their home at the U-raca ranch near Cimarron.

This is a better country to live-in, because Schilling's Best is in it.

Your grocer's money back.

Nicolas Krannawitter is at home and is now acting in the capacity of night operator at the Santa Fe depot in Springer.

A Startling Test.

To save a life, Dr. T. G. Merritt of No. Mehooping, Pa., made a startling test resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes, "A patient was attacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by ulceration of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles so I prescribed them. The patient gained from the first, and has not had an attack in fourteen months." Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation and Kidney troubles. Try them. Only 50 cents at all druggists.

Miss Mabel Bliss, of Albuquerque, has returned to the city after an extended visit with relatives in Washington, D. C.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior.

United States Land Office.

SANTA FE, N. M., April 21, 1904.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Antonio Archuleta, contestant, against homestead entry No. 5464, made Dec. 26, 1899, for S 1-2 NE 1-4, SE 1-4 NW 1-4, Sec. 25, T. 16 N., R. 21 E., and lot 2; section 30, township 16 N., range 22 E., by Teodoro Pacheco contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Teodoro Pacheco has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry; that his absence has not been due to his being employed in the military or naval service of the United States, and that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law and this said contestant is ready to prove at such time as may be named by the Register and Receiver for hearing in said case; and he therefore asks to be allowed to prove said allegations and that said homestead entry No. 5464 may be declared canceled and forfeited to the United States, he the said contestant paying the expense of such hearing, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on June 15, 1904, before R. L. M. Ross, U. S. court commissioner of San Miguel county at his office in Las Vegas, N. M. (and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on July 15, 1904, before) the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Santa Fe, N. M.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed April 21, 1904, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

MANUEL R. OTERO,

Register.

FRED MULLER,

Receiver.

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HOMESTEAD ENTRY No. 1617

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, Land

office at Clayton, New Mexico, May

18, 1904.

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 Robert L. M. Ross, U. S. Court Commissioner, at his office in Las Vegas, New Mexico, on July 9th, 1904, viz:

FABIAN ROMERO,

Chavez, New Mexico, for the E 1/4,

SE 1/4, Sec. 21, and W 1/4, SW 1/4 Sec.

22, T. 12 N., R. 25 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Cleofes Romero, of Las Vegas, N. M.; Rinaldo Ulbarri, of Las Vegas, N. M.; Jose Romero, of Chavez, N. M.; Secundino L. Romero, of Las Vegas, N. M.

EDWARD W. FOX, Register

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Low Rate to Pagosa Springs.

The D. & R. G. name a rate of \$22 for the round trip, Santa Fe to Pagosa Springs and return, limited to 30 days. S. K. Hooper, G. P. A. T. H. McBride, agent.



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No. 4 will leave Santa Rosa 9:00 p. m., and arrive El Paso 7:30 a. m., mountain time.

LAS VEGAS AND HOT SPRINGS Electric Railway, Light and Power Co.

Running Schedule, Nov. 1, 1903.

Through Cars from Santa Fe Depot to End of Springs Track											
THROUGH CAR	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Santa Fe Depot...Lv.	6:20	7:40	9:00	10:20	11:40	1:00	2:20	3:40	5:00	6:20	7:40
Bridge...Ar.	6:25	7:45	9:05	10:25	11:45	1:05	2:25	3:45	5:05	6:25	7:45
Power Station...Ar.	6:30	7:50	9:10	10:30	11:50	1:10	2:30	3:50	5:10	6:30	7:50
North Las Vegas...Ar.	6:35	7:55	9:15	10:35	11:55	1:15	2:35	3:55	5:15	6:35	7:55
Placita...Ar.	6:40	8:00	9:20	10:40	12:00	1:20	2:40	4:00	5:20	6:40	8:00
Hot Springs...Ar.	6:45	8:05	9:25	10:45	12:05	1:25	2:45	4:05	5:25	6:45	8:05
Hot Springs...Lv.	7:15	8:35	9:55	11:15	12:35	1:55	3:15	4:35	5:55	7:15	8:35
Placita...Lv.	7:20	8:40	10:00	11:20	12:40	2:00	3:20	4:40	6:00	7:20	8:40
North Las Vegas...Lv.	7:25	8:45	10:05	11:25	12:45	2:05	3:25	4:45	6:05	7:25	8:45
Power Station...Lv.	7:30	8:50	10:10	11:30	12:50	2:10	3:30	4:50	6:10	7:30	8:50
Bridge...Lv.	7:35	8:55	10:15	11:35	12:55	2:15	3:35	4:55	6:15	7:35	8:55
Santa Fe Depot...Ar.	7:40	9:00	10:20	11:40	1:00	2:20	3:40	5:00	6:20	7:40	

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Santa Fe Branch

Time Table No. 371.

Effective Wednesday April 1, 1903.

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No. 421

Miles No. 25

1:00 a. m. Lv. Santa Fe, Ar. 6:50 p. m.

1:30 a. m. Lv. Espanola, Ar. 7:20 p. m.

11:00 p. m. Lv. El Ruidoso, Ar. 1:00 a. m.

1:30 p. m. Lv. Fort Huachuca, Ar. 10:30 a. m.

6:25 p. m. Lv. Antonito, Ar. 10:30 a. m.

1:00 p. m. Lv. Alamosa, Ar. 10:30 a. m.

1:30 p. m. Lv. Pueblo, Ar. 10:30 a. m.

7:15 a. m. Ar. Denver, Lv. 6:50 p. m.

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PERSONALS

Harry Jenkins expected his father from Bucklin, Mo., today.

I. H. Rapp, the architect, has returned from a trip to Trinidad.

Ben Williams, special officer of the Santa Fe, spent yesterday here.

Isaac Taylor is in town from the Taylor brothers' ranch sixty miles east.

Archie Corcoran, car inspector at Lamy, spent a few hours in the city today.

C. P. Jones, a Santa Rosa business man, is in the city. He drove in yesterday.

Marcelino Montoya of Los Alamos is here to tell what he knows to the grand jury.

Mrs. E. B. Shaw and children will leave the city Wednesday on a visit to St. Louis.

De St. White, sheriff of Santa Fe, is up from the Pass City.

Attorneys Hunker and Veeder returned yesterday from a trip to Mora on legal business.

Felipe Delgado returned from Porevill and reports a good shower with some hail on Saturday.

B. Papen returned to Albuquerque yesterday after some days of rest with his family who reside here.

W. R. Forbes, United States deputy marshal, finished his duties here today and departed to Albuquerque.

Harry G. Oakes, of the Optic, left this afternoon for Newton, Kansas, to spend several weeks among the scenes of his early youth.

Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Hope, of Albuquerque, were passengers through the city yesterday bound for eastern points to spend several weeks.

General Manager W. S. Hopewell and a party of Chicago capitalists passed through the city today on their way from the Windy City to Santa Fe.

Arthur Holzman of this city, now holding a responsible position in the Phoenix dry goods store in Albuquerque, has gone to California on a holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Rosenwald have now moved to their own new home on the Grand View hill where they will be at home to friends Thursdays in June.

Mesdames Arthur and James Seligman, who were the guests of Mrs. Chas. Spess, for a couple of days, have returned to their home in Santa Fe.

Dr. B. R. Wilburn, pastor of the First M. E. church of Portsmouth, Ohio, passed through the city yesterday on his way home from the conference in Los Angeles.

H. J. Ramer the Watrous stockman left yesterday for Holbrook, A. T., where he has extensive interests. The stock in the Holbrook country has suffered the last few days.

Miss Bessie Dunn returned yesterday from her lengthy visit with Mrs. Roseberry, her sister, in Raton, and will go out to the family home at Gascon today or tomorrow.

Engelbert Scheele, of Belen, who has been visiting friends here a few days left this afternoon on a journey across the ocean to see the "old folks at home" in Germany.

A Pigeon of Montreal, Canada, brother of the old time Las Vegas citizen, E. Pigeon, stopped over for a brief visit with his relatives on his way homeward from a California tour.

Chas. Paddock of Ramer ranch in Watrous is here today. He says there have been no stock losses in his section and the recent rains have placed the ranges in promising condition.

F. M. Walker, the piano tuner, and his assistant left yesterday for Santa Fe. Mr. Walker says he tuned enough Las Vegas pianos to warrant him in making trips to the city twice a year.

Paul St. Vrain, Josiah Hale and son, C. W. Hale, are in from Mora. They report a better feeling in the Mora country on account of the breaking of the drought within the last few days.

Margarito Romero will go to Borevill in the morning for several days of rest after the heat of the legal battle in which he has been the central figure and from which he comes off victor.

A. G. McAllister was a visitor today from the Bonanza copper mill. His people are awaiting certain developments which are not likely to be long delayed, when they will resume operations.

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children left this morning for St. Louis. There they will meet Misses Eva and Ada, who have been attending Columbia university. The family will spend several weeks at the exposition.

Miss Lisa Diekmann, the pretty daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Diekmann, of Albuquerque, passed through the city yesterday afternoon on her way to St. Louis, where she will spend the summer as the guest of her brother and his wife.

Superintendent I. B. Hanna of the Pecos forest reserve; Superintendent R. C. McClure of the Gila forest reserve and Norman L. King, of the Surveyor general's office in Santa Fe, left yesterday for their homes. They were witnesses in the timber cutting case.

Wm. Frank, Jr., came in Sunday afternoon on his way home from Roswell where he has attended the Military school the past year. Henry Shaw reached home Friday. Both young men are enthusiastic over the school work at the institute and both show good results of the training they have had there.

Secretary J. W. and Mrs. Reynolds arrived this afternoon from Omaha and will remain for a couple of days as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson. Called to Omaha by the very serious illness of her mother. Happily, the lady is somewhat improved. The secretary joined his wife at Raton.

Dr. J. P. Kaster, chief surgeon of the Santa Fe, accompanied by Dr. B. M. Zahle of Osage City, Kas., J. H. Griffith, Jas. Thomas and Dr. Thos. Parkinson of Topeka, members of the Santa Fe Hospital association, returned yesterday afternoon from Albuquerque, where they inspected the new hospital. The party left this morning for the east.

The Las Vegas town trustees met tonight in the council room.

Victims of Diptheria.

Indian Inspector Levi Chubbuck and Superintendent Clinton J. Crandall of the United States Indian school, have returned to Santa Fe from a week's visit to the Jemez, Zia, Santo Domingo and Cochiti pueblos. Matters were found in a very satisfactory condition in all these Indian towns, excepting Cochiti, where an epidemic of diptheria has prevailed for the last two months and where during the last five weeks seventeen persons, mostly children, have died from the dread disease. It seems that this was brought to the Indian town from the town of Pena Blanca where it has been raging more or less during the entire winter and where there have occurred a number of deaths. Dr. David Knapp was sent to the Cochiti pueblo to attend the diptheria cases, there and has succeeded in checking the progress of the disease.

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Overheard on The Pike.

Mr. Easy—Why people visiting the Exposition at night, use more Allen's Foot-Ease than in daytime.

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Mr. Easy—"Fair, only fair! Pray, conduct me to the nearest drug store and I promise never to accept a substitute for you or for Allen's Foot-Ease."

Foot Note—The twain will be made in June.

Raffia at Mrs. Waring's Curio store.

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The Ladies' Guild will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival at the Episcopal chapel Wednesday afternoon and evening, May 25th, commencing at 4 o'clock. 5-31

Best of Everything at Graaf & Hayward's—Grocers, butchers, bakers. 5-18

Fine sewing at Mrs. Worthy's, 912 Douglas avenue. 5-102

The party who took a bicycle from the front yard of Engineer Cook's house was seen. It not returned at once there will be trouble. 5-103

There's nothing like Moses Best, the flour that keeps peace in families. Grocer Dick. 5-62

United States Land Office, Santa Fe, N. M., May 20, 1904. Notice is hereby given that the following townships will be filed in this office June 20, 1904, to-wit:

Township 14 north, range 16 east. Township 14 north, range 17 east. On and after said date we will be ready to receive applications for lands in said townships.

Manuel R. Otero, Register. Fred Muller, Receiver.

Choice bill of fare for tomorrow's dinner at Duval's; best place in town to take your Sunday guests. 5-23

The egg and chocolate sodas of Gibson & Seltz are food and drink both. 5-15

Terms at the Harvey resort are advertised in The Optic's displayed columns. 5-4

Fresh vegetables daily at Papen's. 5-26

Let it ring! Breakfast Bell just as good as ever—the coffee sold by Dick. 5-62

What's the matter with Turner? His meats are all right—none better. 5-25

A Record Cracker.

First spring lambs of 1904, fattened on cream of the land; raised at my own house; home grown veal, royal fat beef, plump chickens, alive and dead at Pete Roth's market (he owns it). 5-22

WANTED—At this office clean rags, 5 cents per pound.

On the way to the plaza stop at Gibson & Seltz for soda with pure cream. 5-15

WANTED.

Five thousand people to attend Doll's auction sale and get the goods they have wanted at their own price. Remember, each lady receives a ticket entitling her to a chance on the beautiful cut glass bowl and SOME ONE will get it. 5-95

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kets! Don't you want one of those beautiful ones from Doll's large stock. Attend the sale and get THE ONE at a ridiculously low price. 5-95

Fit for kings—Banquet hams and bacon. Dick sells them. 5-62

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FOR RENT—6-room residence with bath, on Grand avenue. \$15. Apply at The Optic.

The Colorado Telephone Company will give \$10 for conclusive evidence of any one throwing baling wire or any obstruction into their toll lines running north between Railroad and Grand avenue or any other part of the city. 5-92

H. G. Meyers, Agent.

The finder of a large carved leather pocket book, containing pass book and other valuable papers and cards will confer a favor and receive reward by returning same to L. R. Allen, Optic office. 61

Doll has another big auction commencing May 25th. Sale every afternoon and evening. The cut glass bowl will be given away Wednesday to the lady holding the lucky number. 5-95

World's Fair Pamphlet Free.

The Washburn railroad has just issued a handsome illustrated World's Fair pamphlet containing a three-color map of St. Louis and the Fair Grounds and half-tone views of the principal buildings. A copy free upon request. P. P. Hitchcock, G. P. A., Denver, Colo.

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Notice to Beet Field Laborers. Rocky Ford, Colorado, May 21, 1904. The Optic Company.

In reply to your postal, wish to say that one of our contractors will be in Las Vegas the last week in May to try to secure laborers.

We will furnish transportation to satisfactory parties, same being deducted from the first proceeds of the earnings.

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Tell the conductor to put you off at Gibson & Seltz for pure ice cream sodas. 5-15

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WANTED—Men that are interested in Shirts That Fit to hunt up our ad in another column and read it. The Edgerton Mfg. Co., Topeka, Kansas. 5-94

Notice for Bids.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received at the office of Holt & Holt, architects, Las Vegas, N. M., until noon of Saturday, May 28, 1904, for the construction of three houses for the Las Vegas Improvement Co. Plans and specifications may be seen in the office of Holt & Holt, architects.

Right to reject any and all bids is reserved by said company.

The Las Vegas Improvement Co. 5-82 by J. D. W. Veeder, Pres.

TO TAXPAYERS.

Notice is hereby given that the second half of taxes of 1903 is now payable and will become delinquent on June 1, prox, and subject to a penalty of one per cent; and if not paid by July 1, prox, a penalty of five per cent will be imposed as required by law. Eugenio Romero, 5-77 Collector San Miguel Co., N. M. Las Vegas, N. M., May 16, 1904.

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(Homestead Entry No. 4507.)

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Guadalupe Jiminez of Chavez, N. M.; Casimiro Jiminez of Chavez, N. M.; Francisco S. Chavez of Chavez, N. M.; Romaldo Trojillo of Tremontina, N. M.

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The Territory In Paragraphs

FRUIT CROP: It has now become a certainty that the northern section of New Mexico is going to produce a heavy fruit crop, and that is good news.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES: Elegant invitations have been issued for the commencement exercises of the New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts Wednesday morning, June 1st. The class of 1904 is as follows: Clarence De Motte Case, Pearl Cherry Miller, Thora Alice Foster, Lauren Wilber Case, Orpha Bennett Hobbitt, Rowena Mott.

PARISH PRIEST ILL: Rev. J. Accorini, parish priest at Montecito, Sierra county, has been seriously ill for the past two weeks with pneumonia in the town of Cuchillo. He was engaged in traveling over his mission which is very extensive and was taken sick Sunday evening two weeks ago after evening services. He is now on the road to recovery.

CHANGE OF PLAN: Addison Walker of Raton, formerly of Santa Fe, who several weeks ago decided to accept a traveling position with a mercantile firm in Raton, has changed his plans and instead has acquired a partnership in a brokerage company with offices at Trinidad, Las Vegas and El Paso. Mr. Walker has gone to Trinidad to assume charge of the business at that point.

STIMULATES TO MINING: Geo. W. Stubbs has just returned to Albuquerque from an extended trip through the mining districts of the Black Range, Kelly and the Magdalena mountains, where he has been investigating mining properties in the interest of an eastern company. Mr. Stubbs says that the sale of the Graphic mine at Kelly has acted as a decided stimulus to mining operations in that camp. Where before the sale very little work was being done, the properties around the Graphic mine are now shipping out several

cars of ore each day and much new territory is being opened up.

GOING TO ALAMOGORDO: Miss L. Foster, who has been doing reportorial work on the New Mexican for some weeks has resigned and left today via the Santa Fe Central for Alamogordo, where she may accept a position on the Alamogordo Journal. Miss Foster is a conscientious and energetic journalist and the New Mexican takes pleasure in recommending her favorably to her new employers.

PROLIFIC SIRE: The funeral of Manuel Rodriguez took place in Santa Fe Saturday. The deceased, who was almost 88 years of age, besides being survived by sixty-four direct descendants, was preceded to the grave by sixty-four descendants, making a family of 128, probably the largest in the southwest. There are several such large families near Santa Fe. Nazario Gonzalez, aged 88 years, who died recently at Cienega was survived by sixty direct descendants and Manuel Gonzalez, who lives in Santa Fe, has forty-seven children, grand children and great grand children. One of his daughters died only a week ago.

DEATH THE GAINER: George Chapman, who came to Santa Fe in the fall of 1901, from Ontario, Canada, hoping to find permanent relief from tuberculosis, died on May 12 at Montone, Calif. He had spent some time at Albuquerque, Denver, El Paso and in California, but the disease had made too great inroads to be checked. Mr. Chapman was a cousin of Miss M. E. Dissette of the Indian Service. He made a brave struggle for life and bore his sufferings with patience and cheerfulness. He is survived by his wife and two children. Mr. Chapman was in his 49th year and his funeral took place in his home town of which he had been postmaster the past twenty years.

Roses Pay Rent of Church

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 23.—A score of the descendants of Casper Wistar, living in Philadelphia and Germantown, journeyed to Stoucheburg today to attend the annual Whit Monday feast of roses at Tulpehocken Reformed church.

Nearly 150 years ago Casper Wistar, of Philadelphia, transferred the congregation the land upon which the present church and parsonage stand. There was a condition in the deed that a red rose was to be paid annually. It was never observed until two years ago, when a red rose rent was paid by presenting the Wistar descendants with 142 roses. Since then the Wistar descendants contributed money for a new organ in the church. In recognition of this the congregation decided to add a white rose to the annual rental. The presentation of the two flowers was made this morning in the presence of more than 1,000 persons.

A Sure Thing. It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes, but that is not altogether true. Dr. King's New Discovery for lung and throat troubles thousands can testify to that. Mrs. C. B. Vasa, Mother of Stoughton, W. Va., says: "I had a severe case of Bronchitis and for year tried everything I heard of, but got no relief. One bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery cured me absolutely." It's infallible for croup, whooping Cough, Grip, Pneumonia and Consumption. Try it. It's guaranteed by all druggists. Trial bottle free. Regular size 50c, \$1.00.

George Reynolds of Springfield sold his interest in the blacksmith business to his partner, J. L. Roberts who will continue the business.

Growing Aches and Pains. Mrs. Josie Sumner, Bromond, Texas, writes, April 15, 1902: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family for three years. I would not be without it in the house. I have used it on my little girl for growing pains and aches in the knees. It cured her right away. I have also used it for frost-bitten feet, with good success. It is the best liniment I ever used." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by Opera House Pharmacy.

Mrs. W. H. Kromis and daughter Cleo expects to leave Springfield for Pueblo, where they will remain a few weeks, the little daughter under the care of a physician and surgeon.

Takes the pain out; heals the wound; cures the pain. Dr. Thomas' Echinoc Oil, the household remedy.

A Hard Struggle

It's a hard struggle to fight the battles of life with the heavy burdens of Kidney ills. The constantly aching back—The weariness—Distressing urinary disorders—All yield quickly to

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

A Modern Medicine for Every Kidney Ill.

Mr. William McLaughlin of No. 542 South Duke street, Lancaster, Pa., says: "I first noticed my back give out when I was a letter carrier. I was constantly taking cold, and it always settled in my back. I employed a doctor and took numerous kinds of medicine, but they availed me nothing. When on the railroad the work made me worse. The pain was sharp in the small of the back, and at night when I lay in bed it was terrible, and I often had to get upon account of a urinary weakness. I sent my daughter to a drug store and got Doan's Kidney Pills. After using them for three days I felt better. I continued until I was all over my trouble, and could heartily recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to others."

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all druggists; 50 cents per box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

(Homestead Entry: No. 4871. Notice for Publication. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Santa Fe, N. M. April 27, 1904.

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 U. S. Court Commissioner at Las Vegas, N. M., on June 4, 1904, viz:

VERSABE GRIEGO DE ORTIZ for the SE 1-4, Sec. 10, T. 14 N. R. 43 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Antonio Griego of Corazon, N. M.; Faustino Gutierrez of Corazon, N. M.; Antonio Ortiz of Corazon, N. M.; Eduardo Gonzales of Corazon, N. M. MANUEL R. OTERO, Register.

PRINCE DICK



(STALLION)

A handsome three-quarter English Shire and one-quarter Morgan; five year old. Will stand the season of 1904 at the Kinney farm, the Biehl place, adjoining Harkness farm on Eighth street.

Terms: To insure \$10; or the privilege of the season for \$8.00. Owner will not resume responsibility for accidents. Accounts payable in thirty and sixty days.

PETE ROTH, Owner.

Common Sense SHOE STORE

is the place where the masses buy their shoes. High Quality and Moderate Prices bring them.

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Something new for Women

\$3.50 Light Welt or Turn \$3.50

C. V. HEDGCOCK, Bridge Street.

D. G. Martinez of Roy, he was hurt some two months ago by falling off a building some thirteen feet to the ground, a heavy rock falling upon him, has been out for the first time the past few days assisted by crutches.

HERBINE will overcome indigestion and dyspepsia; regulate the bowels and cure liver and kidney complaints. It is the best blood purifier and invigorator in the world. It is purely vegetable, perfectly harmless, and should you be a sufferer from the disease, you will use it if you are wise. E. N. Andrews, Editor and manager of the Cocoa, and Rockledge News, Cocoa, Florida, writes: "I have used your Herbine in my family, and find it a most excellent medicine. Its effects upon myself have been a marked benefit. I recommend it unhesitatingly." 50c.

Miss Nellie Littrell of Raton expects to spend the summer in Springfield with her sister and family Mrs. George W. Warder.

One of the greatest blessings a modest man can wish for is a good, reliable set of bowels. If you are not the happy possessor of such an outfit you can greatly improve the efficiency of those you have by the judicious use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are pleasant to take and agreeable in effect. For sale by all druggists.

C. F. Hortenstein is erecting an addition to his residence.

What is Foley's Kidney Cure? Answer: It is made from a prescription, and one of the most eminent in the country. The ingredients are the purest that money can buy, and are scientifically combined to get their utmost value. Sold by Depot Drug Store.

This Will Interest Mothers.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, successfully used by Mother Gray, for years a nurse in the Children's Home in New York, Cure Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the Bowels and destroy Worms. They are so pleasant to the taste and harmless as milk. Children like them. Over 10,000 testimonials of cures. They never fail. Sold by all druggists, 25c. Ask today. Sample Free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

R. E. Alldredge's new residence is going up nicely and will be another credit to the city.

Sick headache results from a disordered stomach and is quickly cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by all druggists.

(Homestead Entry No. 4963).

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Santa Fe, N. M. May 5, 1904.

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 San Miguel county at Las Vegas, N. M., on June 13, 1904, viz: GREGORIO GARCIA, for the SE 1-4, Sec. 15, T. 13, N. R. 23 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Juan Quintana of Las Vegas, N. M.; Preciliano Madrid of Las Vegas, N. M.; Benigno Martinez of Las Vegas, N. M.; Juan Garcia of Las Vegas, N. M. MANUEL R. OTERO, Register.

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They have stood the test of years and have cured thousands of cases of Nervous Diseases, such as Debility, Dizziness, Sleeplessness and Vancomie, Atrophy, etc. They clear the brain, strengthen the circulation, make digestion perfect, and impart a healthy vigor to the whole being. All druggists and stores are checked permanently. Unless patients are properly cured, their condition often worsens them into Insanity, Consumption or Death. Mailed sealed. Price 50c per box; 6 boxes, with free trial legal guarantee, return or refund the money, \$5.00. Send for free book. Address, PEAL MEDICINE CO., Cleveland, O.

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In order to reduce our present large stock of high grade pianos, we will offer as a special inducement for the next sixty days a discount of THIRTY-THREE AND ONE-THIRD PER CENT on such well known makes as the

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WANTED—Pupils in embroidery. Lessons given private or in classes. Mrs. F. O. Anderson, 911 Tilden Ave. 5-100.

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WANTED—Furnished house of at least six rooms, for the summer. Address "O." Optic. 5-93.

WANTED—Work for man, team and wagon. Apply Optic office. 5-84.

WANTED—Sewing by Mrs. Shirik, 423 Tenth St. 5-45.

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FOR SALE—The prettiest place in Las Vegas if you like lots of trees, a good many bearing fruit. Dr. B. M. Williams, Bridge Street. 5-2.

FOR RENT.

5-room adobe, good location (water paid) \$20.00
5-room house, Prince St. 10.00
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Good 4-room house across tracks 9.00
Office desk, use both phones call at office.
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George P. Money, Attorney-at-Law and ex-assistant United States Attorney. Office in Olney building, East Las Vegas, N. M.

Frank Springer, Attorney-at-Law, office in Crockett building, East Las Vegas, N. M.

E. V. Long, Attorney-at-Law. Office on Wyman block, East Las Vegas, N. M.

A. A. Jones, Attorney-at-Law. Office in Crockett building, East Las Vegas, N. M.

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DR. H. W. HOUF, Osteopathic physician. Office Olney block. Phones, Vegas, 41; Colorado, 175. Sunday hours by appointment only.

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SOCIETIES.

I. O. O. F., Las Vegas Lodge No. 4, meets every Monday evening at their hall, Sixth street. All visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend. W. M. Lewis, N. G.; V. A. Henry, V. G. T. M. Elwood, Sec.; W. E. Crites, Treasurer; C. V. Hedgcock, cemetery trustee.

E. P. O. E., Meets First and Third Thursday evenings, each month, at Sixth street lodge room. Visiting brothers cordially invited.

EUSEBIO CHACON, Exalted Ruler. T. M. BLAUVELT, Sec.

Chapman Lodge No. 2, A. F. & A. M. Regular communications third Thursday in each month. Visiting brothers cordially invited. M. R. Williams, W. M.; Charles H. Sprieder, Secretary.

Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., Meets second and fourth Thursday evenings of each month at the I. O. O. F. hall. Mrs. Lillian F. Daley, N. G.; Miss Julia Lyster, V. G.; Mrs. A. J. Werts, Sec.; Mrs. Sone Anderson, Treas.

Eastern Star, Regular Communication second and fourth Thursday evenings of each month. All visiting brothers and sisters are cordially invited. Mrs. H. Rich, worthy matron; Ernest Browne, W. P.; Mrs. Emma Benedict, Sec.; Mrs. M. A. Howell, Treas.

REDEMEN meet in Fraternal Brotherhood hall the second and fourth Thursday sleeps of each month at the Seventh Run and 8th Breath. Visiting chiefs always welcome to the Wigwam. W. L. Thompson, Sachem; C. N. Higgins, Chief of Records.

Fraternal Union of America meets first and third Tuesday evenings of each month in the Fraternal Brotherhood hall, west of Fountain Square at 8 o'clock. T. M. Elwood, F. M.; W. G. Koogler, Secretary.

The Fraternal Brotherhood, No. 102, meets every Friday night at their hall in the Schmidt building, west of Fountain square, at 8 o'clock. Visiting members are always welcome.

C. N. HIGGINS, President. G. W. GATCHELL, Secretary.

Will You Sleep Well.

Tonight. Not if you have a cough that begins to torment you as soon as you lie down. You can conquer the cough with Allen's Lung Balm, which will relieve the pain in the chest, irritation in the throat and the hard breathing. Since it contains no opium, this remedy may be given freely to children, and to the most delicate adults.

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Dutch Building Opened

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 23.—The Holland building at the World's Fair was formally dedicated today with addresses by President Francis of the exposition, G. H. Ten Broek, the Holland commissioner, and others. The building is one of the handsomest edifices of any of the foreign buildings at the exposition. It is an exact reproduction of the Rembrandt house just outside of Amsterdam. A garden of tulips, geraniums and other flowers has been laid out in the formal style of Dutch houses in rectangular flower beds. The inside of the house is divided into two rooms, one of which contains Rembrandt's famous masterpiece, the "Night Watch."

DAVIDSON COLLEGE

COMMENCEMENT.

DAVIDSON, N. C., May 23.—Final arrangements have been made for the annual commencement exercises at Davidson college, the program to begin today and continue through Wednesday. The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by Dr. William M. McPheters, of Columbia, S. C., and the annual sermon before the Y. M. C. A. by Rev. C. R. Hyde, rector of Fort Worth, Texas. Governor C. B. Aycock has accepted an invitation to deliver the commencement oration.

FORBES STUD IS SOLD

AT AUCTION

BOSTON, Mass., May 23.—The most notable horse sale that has ever taken place hereabouts is the Trant-Kenney sale which began today at Readville. It is a dispersal sale of the horses owned by the late J. Malcolm Forbes. The stock to be placed on the block is appraised at \$125,000, and includes many of the great horses of the trotting turf. Heading the list of brood mares is the celebrated Nancy Hanks, one time holder of the world's record for which Forbes paid \$43,000. The lot also includes Bingen, 2:06 1/4, for which \$25,000 was recently refused, and Vice-Commodore, a three year old son of Bingen and Marion, the celebrated daughter of Arion and Nancy Hanks. In addition to the Forbes stud the sale includes a consignment of seventy-five head from Thomas W. Lawson's Drenth farm.

TEXAS ELKS IN SESSION

AT GALVESTON

GALVESTON, Texas, May 23.—Galveston is entertaining the state association of Elks, which will be in session here for two days. Large delegations are on hand from Waco, Austin, San Antonio, Fort Worth, Dallas and other cities. The downtown section of Galveston and particularly the Tremont hotel, where headquarters have been established, is elaborately decorated in honor of the visitors. A parade and other interesting features have been provided for in the program.

IMAGINATION.

Instances Showing How It Has Made Well Men Sick.

The domination of imagination over the normal exercise of the faculties is a new idea. Samuel Rogers suffered from a violent cold from the effects of what he believed to be an open window at his back, which in reality was closed. An instance of this known to the medical faculty is more strange still. Two men stayed at a house in which an inmate had died of cholera. One man placed in the room in which the patient had died was in ignorance of what had occurred. He slept well and was no worse. The other, wrongly told that the room in which he slept was that in which the cholera patient had died, spent a night of mental agony and in the morning was actually found to be suffering from this complaint. He died of cholera.

A similar instance was mentioned the other day by a friend of the writer. Two London men stayed in the country at a house where scarlet fever was reported. One, an unimaginative, healthy minded fellow, awoke all right in the morning. The other, a nervous, sensitive man, was very ill—had not slept and had broken out into a terrible rash which both declared to be scarlet fever. A wire to a London medical man was dispatched, and by the first train he hurried down. The supposed fever patient proved to have no fever at all beyond an imaginary one. As a fact, there was no scarlet fever in the house, the case had been wrongly diagnosed, and the frightened visitor had tortured himself into a violent rash, all without cause.—St. James Gazette.

BASKET BALL.

An American Game With No Uncertainty as to Its Origin.

Basket ball as a recreative game is unique in its origin for two reasons: First, it is our own positively sure, home American production; secondly, the name, date and place of its authorship are exactly known. Basket ball was born in the year 1891 at Springfield, Mass., and its author was James Naismith. The story is short enough to be interesting. In that town is a training school connected with the Young Men's Christian association and of course professors, among them a professor of psychology, who is paid to teach the young ideas how to think effectively. In one of his lectures he called attention to certain conditions upon which the brain could with advantage be exercised and challenged his class to supply the requirements to meet them. The conditions were the invention of a new game which could be played indoors in a limited area by a defined and unalterable number of contestants and adaptable to both sexes. Upon this hypothesis one of his pupils, James Naismith, the same night evolved basket ball. It was put into practice the next day experimentally and found to meet the conditions and limitations laid down by the professor admirably. But it had more than an academic value, as its spread as one of our most appreciated pastimes attests.—Illustrated Sporting News.

Don't let the little ones suffer from eczema or other torturing skin diseases. No need for it. Doan's Ointment cures. Can't harm the most delicate skin. At any drug store, 50 cents.

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Have a double demand upon strength and nourishment that is ideally met in



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It supplies the food needed by mother and child, aids convalescence, builds up the system, is easily retained and digested.

Sold by all Druggists. Prepared by
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A visit to the World's Fair City is not complete without a trip to the Anheuser-Busch Brewery.

J. B. MACKEL, Distributor, Las Vegas, N. M.

A. G. McGaffey, manager of the Benham Indian Trading Company, returned to Albuquerque from a business trip west.

Quick Arrest.

J. A. Gullidge of Verbena, Ala., was twice in the hospital from a severe case of piles causing 24 tumors. After doctors and all remedies failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly arrested further inflammation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c at all druggists.

John Mann, the Old Town gardener, left Albuquerque for St. Louis and Massouh III. He will be absent about a month.

Will Cure Consumption.

A. A. Heren, Finch, Ark., writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar is the best preparation for coughs, colds and lung trouble. I know that it has cured consumption in the first stages." You never heard of anyone using Foley's Honey and Tar and not being satisfied. Sold by Depot Drug Store.

Mrs. James Tower and child returned to Albuquerque last evening from a visit to relatives at Brainerd, Minnesota.

Scratch, scratch, scratch; unable to attend to business during the day or sleep during the night. Itching piles, horrible plague. Doan's ointment cures. Never fails. At any drug store, 50 cents.

Charles Goodell and sister, Miss Lucy Goodell, of Albuquerque, have taken a cottage at Whitecomb Springs for the summer.

Made Young Again.

"One of Dr. King's New Life Pills each night for two weeks has put me in my 'teens' again" writes D. H. Turner of Dempseytown, Pa. They're the best in the world for Liver, Stomach and Bowels. Purely vegetable. Never gripe. Only 25c at all druggists.

A. B. McGaffey of the Benham Indian Trading company, has returned to Albuquerque from a business trip to Thoreau.

EXPOSURE

to cold draughts of air, to keen and cutting winds, sudden changes of temperature, scanty clothing, undue exposure of the throat and neck after public speaking and singing, bring on coughs and colds. Ballard's Horehound syrup is the best cure. Mrs. A. Barr, Houston, Texas, writes Jan. 31, 1902: "One bottle of Ballard's Horehound syrup cured me of a very bad cough. It is very pleasant to take." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by Opera House Pharmacy.

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To Our Readers:

It is with great pleasure that we are able to announce to you that it is in our power to solve the vexed question as to where you are to stop when attending the great World's Fair at St. Louis, and as to just what it will cost you. Through an arrangement with the St. Louis European Hotel Co., a Missouri Corporation, which is highly recommended by the Lincoln Trust Company of St. Louis, and which controls and operates 1,500 elegant modern rooms in close proximity to the Exposition grounds, we are enabled to offer to our readers the greatest opportunity to solve the important question, "where at and how much?" The tremendous attendance at this World's Fair will send accommodation prices skyward; in fact, will make them in many instances beyond the reach of ordinary people. The St. Louis European Hotel Company, having leased 1,500 of the finest rooms in St. Louis over a year ago, are enabled to give our readers the extremely low rate of \$1.00 per day for accommodations and guide service to conduct the patron to the room and comfortably establish him therein. Upon investigating this great proposition, we have concluded arrangements whereby we are the local agents for the St. Louis European Hotel Company, and are prepared to reserve rooms at once for our readers. Don't wait, attend to this matter at once, and thereby save money, inconvenience, and perhaps, your life. You well know the great dangers awaiting the untraveled and unwary in a great city at such a time when it will be the resort of sharpers from all over the world. Imagine your plight if you take yourself or your family into unknown places and houses! Under the plan of the St. Louis European Hotel Co. you are absolutely safe, as all of their rooms are

located in the handsome homes of the best Christian citizens of St. Louis, largely people who own their own homes, not sharpers located in the city for a few months only to skin the World's Fair visitor. This company, by controlling 1,500 rooms, is enabled to make the extremely low rate of \$1.00 per person per day, sold only on a Certificate Plan—that is, you make application for accommodations, stating number of days and month you desire to come, on the coupon appearing below, enclose \$1.00 for each day reserved, and mail the same to the Office of this paper. Immediately upon receipt of such application the St. Louis European Hotel Co. will forward to you a certificate good for the time reserved or for any time during the Exposition period, April 30th, to December 1st, 1904. This certificate is transferable so that in case of the one reserving being unable to attend, he can dispose of his certificate without loss.

This company's general offices are located in the Milton Building, on Eighteenth street, immediately adjoining the St. Louis Union Station. Upon arrival in St. Louis you present your certificate at the general office of the Company, and their uniform guides will conduct you to your room, thereby assuring you against losing your way and falling a victim to any of the many sharks which will infect the City at that time. Checking rooms will be maintained for the convenience of the Company's patrons, and in every way their comfort and safety will be carefully looked after. As the number of rooms is limited, fill out the coupon today and remit to this Office. Remember, rooms can be reserved for any number of days, from one up, unless you wish to pay exorbitant prices and suffer a loss of time, personal inconvenience and, perhaps, danger. Attend to this at once.

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**I will hold an Auction commencing
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Ladies are especially invited.**

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LOCAL NUGGETS

Phil Doll's big ad on page 7.

Social hop at Rosenthal hall Tuesday, May 24. 5-41

The cut glass bowl that will be given away May 25th, is in Doll's window. 5-95

Monarch over pain. Burns, cuts, sprains, stings. Instant relief. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At any drug store.

Manager Waring has booked the strong Lillian Mason company which will appear in Camille and Sapho on June 7th and 8th.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles J. French will leave next Sunday afternoon to pay a visit of several weeks to their old home in England.

All the healing, balsamic virtues of the Norway pine are concentrated in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, nature's own remedy for coughs and colds.

It's folly to suffer that horrible plague of the night, itching piles. Doan's Ointment, cures quickly and permanently. At any drug store, 50 cents.

"It was almost a miracle. Burdock Blood Bitters cured me of a terrible breaking out all over the body. I am very grateful." Miss Julia Filbridge, West Cornwall, Conn.

Prof. Roy Larkin, who besides being one of the leading educators of the southwest is a vocalist of much talent, left for Baton yesterday after a couple of days here.

The Elks of the city have booked the California University Glee club, a superb entertainment company, for an evening at the Duncau May 31. The affair is certain to be popular.

Notice is hereby given to the proper officials that the foot walks of the National street bridge are in bad condition and liable to cause accidents which might result in damage suits.

The camp of the irrigation surveyors will be moved tomorrow to some point below town convenient for their work of outlining the lands possible to be brought under the great reservoir proposed.

Invitations are out for a social to be given by the C. E. society of the Presbyterian church tomorrow evening in the church chapel. A fine program has been prepared by the committee in charge.

Word comes from Lamy of the marriage of Miss Cole, a teacher of Lamy, to Mr. H. C. Williams, of this city. Mr. Williams is engaged in putting down wells in the Lamy neighborhood just now, but expects to bring his bride to this city very soon.

The speedy buckboard automobile which arrived in the city a couple of days ago is owned by Manager Fisher of the Fisher Music company of Trinidad. The buckboard auto can go almost anywhere, climb trees, jump ditches, swim lakes and win from the wind in a race.

All the way from Chester, West Va., comes through the Commercial club a request for sample copies of the leading paper by George Sheckler, who wants to know about our promising country here and goes direct to the great source of information, the daily newspaper.

Sunday, May 23rd, there will be a special memorial service at St. Paul's Episcopal church which will be attended by the Elks, the Grand Army as bodies and by a large delegation of Red Men. Rev. Mr. French will officiate on the occasion, for the last time before his departure on a visit to England.

W. G. Rupp is down from Trinidad where he is largely interested in brick making. He says that building is going on quite briskly in the Colorado city in spite of the depression occasioned by the coal strike. The mines in that vicinity have gradually resumed operations until their output now is nearly the normal quantity.

Friends in this city have received invitations to the marriage of Miss Martha Louise Blackwell, the beautiful daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Blackwell of St. Louis, to Mr. Stuart Morgan Aldrich, son of Senator and Mrs. Nelson W. Aldrich. The nuptials will be celebrated Wednesday evening, June 8, in the First Presbyterian church of St. Louis.

New cases entered in the district court for San Miguel county are those of C. N. Blackwell versus Franklin Mining & Milling company for judgment in the sum of \$2,404.63, and Pascuala Villanueva versus Lorenzo R. Labadie for breach of promise with damages fixed at \$50,000. A temporary injunction was granted Edward J. Jones restraining J. D. W. Veeder and E. E. Veeder from interference with him in the peaceable possession of Buena Vista ranch.

Invitations have been received in the city by the friends of Miss Helen Rodey to her graduation from Gunston, where she has been in school for the past two years. Miss Rodey is the youngest member of her class and passed the examinations for Smith college, which she expects to enter in the fall. The Rodeys expect to return to Albuquerque immediately after the closing of the school which their son, Pierce, attends.

The members of the local lodge of the Knights of Columbus have prepared for a very pleasant social affair to be held at their hall in the Schmidt building tonight for the delectation of the members, their families and invited friends. There will be a program, speeches, refreshments and the choicest of bon carmaderie all as freely and generously bestowed as the welcome of the hosts.

Contractor E. E. Conaull now has the rejuvenated and enlarged Crockett residence ready for the plasterers. The house is undergoing a very thorough transformation and while operations are being pushed forward rapidly, it will be some weeks yet before the home will be ready for occupancy. The residence will be one of the finest in the city.

The marriage of Miss Caryl Palen, of Santa Fe, to Mr. R. M. Hardine, is announced to take place at the church of the Holy Faith in the capital June 7th. Both of the young people have many friends here who will wish them happiness and long life. Mr. Hardine will take his bride to Syracuse, New York, where he has been appointed weather observer.

Dr. W. G. Grove, eye and ear specialist for the Santa Fe road, and grand lecturer for the Masonic lodge of the Territory, passed through the city yesterday on his way to Kansas City. It is rumored that Dr. Grove will return to his former home in Kansas City to make his residence.

The man from Mineral Hill who decamped with a team and outfit belonging to somebody else has been located and will be brought to justice and to make restitution as swiftly as the law's motions can be executed.

Las Vegas friends have been informed that Earl Sidebottom, the Alamogordo attorney, formerly a resident of this city, will be married in El Paso June 15th. The lady of his choice is Miss Leona Krause, an attractive young lady of the Pass City.

Yesterday was Whit Sunday or Pentecost. Special observances of the sacred day were made in the Episcopal and Catholic churches of the city. There were appropriate sermons and beautiful musical features.

Earl Hollingsworth is expected to arrive from Louisville tomorrow morning on the flyer. The arrangements for the funeral of his father, Cornelius Hollingsworth, will not be made until he comes.

The Y. M. C. A. boys' stamp collectors' club will meet in the club rooms this evening at 7 o'clock. It is hoped all boys interested in this line of work will be present.

Jacob Loeb, president of the Southwestern Brewing company at Albuquerque, and his salesman, Al Cordeman, are spending a couple of days here in business.

The commencement exercises of the Loretto Academy will be held in the assembly room June 15th. An interesting and elaborate program is being prepared.

Judge B. F. Adams of Albuquerque, passed through the city yesterday on his way to St. Louis, where he will attend the World's Fair.

Del Lewis, the famous sheriff of Cochise county, Arizona, who made a record in the pursuit and capture of Billy Stiles, the outlaw, passed through the city Saturday evening on his way to Utah. He went on business, the exact nature of which he was unwilling to state. It is believed, however, that he goes to identify a couple of men held in Utah who may be wanted in Arizona. Mr. Lewis says the drouth brought terrible suffering to the stock of his county. The owners a couple of weeks ago skinned hundreds of cattle, but heavy rains of last week have stayed the ravages of the drouth.

Chief Justice W. J. Mills of the Territorial supreme court has called a special session of the court to meet in the capitol building in Santa Fe on Saturday, June 4, for the purpose of apportioning the territory into six judicial districts.

Saturday evening a couple of sturdy loud voiced New Mexico burros were shipped in crates to Jerusalem. They were not, however, destined for the sacred city of Palestine, but for the streets of the Jerusalem that has been rising on the grounds of the Louisiana purchase exposition. It is an indignity that will be forced upon these self-respecting New Mexico burros. They must appear in the role of donkeys from Lebanon. Could but the gift once vouchsafed to Balaam's intelligent beast be given to the Rocky Mountain product, doubtless visitors to the "new" Jerusalem would occasionally be astounded to hear something like this: "I am not an ass from the cedar forests of Lebanon, but a proud burro from the mountains of New Mexico."

Weather, Past and Future.
The rain of Saturday was freakish in this locality. West of the river above town there was barely a sprinkle while on the east side the ground was drenched. The total precipitation Saturday was fifty-two hundredths of one inch. Maximum thermometer was seventy-four and the minimum forty-one degrees. Forecast for today and tomorrow is "generally fair with possible showers."

Yesterday morning the "Pick-Ups" defeated the Red Men on the diamond at Reynolds' field. The game was closed, the score in favor of the "Pick-Ups" being three to the good. Three runs make a wide margin in some games, but owing to the absence of pitching material the failures were sufficiently numerous to reduce the magnitude of the advantage materially.

Sixteen to six was the numerical result of yesterday's base ball match at Reynolds' park between the Las Vegas regulars and the west side team. Ury's pitching was a feature. The game was interesting to a fair number of spectators despite its one-sided character.

There is joy at the home of Alderman and Mrs. Simon Bacharach. At an early hour this morning a ten pound girl, a beauty, arrived in the household. May the little one become as fair and as popular as her mamma and be always as happy as her papa is today.

Among those who picniced in the canyon yesterday were noticed Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lucas and guests, Antonio Lucero and family and the Salisbury party.

Captain Tarkington with three troopers was out on the rifle range for target practice yesterday afternoon.

The Ladies' Guild will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. H. S. Van Petten.

A meeting of the School Board will be held at the City Hall tomorrow night.

T. Chacon of Ilfeld's is not able to attend to duty today because of slight illness.

Horn, at noon today to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen B. Davis, Jr., a nine pound boy.

Come to the popular Tuesday night dances at Rosenthal hall. 5-41

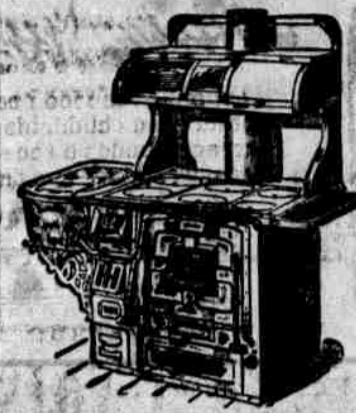
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\$3.50 to \$7.50

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\$3.50 to \$5.50

Children's Wash Suits, Buster Brown white duck, \$1.75

The Regatta Suit in blouse or Russian, white, drab or striped

75c to \$1.75

Juvenile Headgear—Straw Sallors,

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