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EAST LAS VEGAS, NEW MEXICO, FRIDAY, JUNE 4, 1909

FIVE O'CLOCK EDITION.

VAIN ATTEMPT TO SECURE DISCHARGE OF MRS. TEITLEBAUM

Judge Mills Overrules Motion by Defendant's Counsel for a Verdict of Not Guilty-- Case Nears End.

In the district court the case of the territory vs. Virginia Valdez de Teitlebaum is drawing to a close and will probably be given to the jury late this afternoon. At the conclusion of the testimony of David Encinas, who detailed how Teitlebaum was murdered by Leandro Romero, Estevan Dominguez and himself on the night of February 15th 1908, and how the forty dollars found in the store was divided equally between Dominguez and himself, Leandro Romero refusing to take any of the money, saying he would be content to marry the widow of Teitlebaum, and intimating that she had promised to marry him if the "old man" was put out of the way, the territory placed on the witness stand, a small boy named Garcelon Gonzales, and an elderly woman, a neighbor of Mrs. Teitlebaum, to prove that they had often-times seen Leandro Romero in and about the house of Teitlebaum, more especially when Teitlebaum was in Las Vegas and Mrs. Teitlebaum was there alone.

Defense Springs Surprise.

At the conclusion of this testimony the territory rested its case, and O. A. Larrazolo, counsel for Mrs. Teitlebaum, moved the court to instruct the jury to return a verdict of not guilty for the following reasons:

First. Because there is no evidence in the case, sufficient to sustain and to warrant a verdict of guilty.

Second. Because the evidence in the case absolutely fails to show that the defendant was an accessory before the fact to the commission of the crime of murder charged in the indictment.

Third. Because the evidence for the territory in the case affirmatively shows that the crime of murder, committed by Leandro Romero, as an accessory to which this defendant is charged, was not committed by the said Leandro Romero in pursuance and by reason of any procurement, advice, abettment or orders or inducements of this defendant whatsoever.

Makes Strong Argument.

Attorney Larrazolo in a strong and forcible argument before the court contended that before a person can be convicted as accessory before the fact, that it must appear, not only that the accessory incited, procured or commanded the commission of the murder, as one essential element, but that the offense actually committed, was committed by reason of such advice, procurement, order, command or inducement. Mr. Larrazolo contended that the only evidence in the nature of the case possible for the court to have, and the only evidence in the possession of the court, whereby this defendant might be found guilty as an accessory is to be received from the principal offender, Leandro Romero, on cross-examination. That Leandro Romero on cross examination testified unqualifiedly on that proposition as follows:

Reviews Cross-Examination.

Q. When was the first time that Mrs. Teitlebaum asked you to kill her husband, John H. Teitlebaum under a promise to marry you?

A. At the corral back of the house in Tecolote.

Q. Did you then agree with her to kill Teitlebaum as she requested you to do?

A. No, I did not. But I told her to kill him herself.

Q. So you did not agree with her to kill her husband?

A. No, I did not.

Q. When was the second time she spoke to you and asked you to kill Teitlebaum?

A. At the time I brought her from Tecolote to Las Vegas on the 1st of January 1908.

Q. Did she then ask you to kill Teitlebaum and promise to marry you?

A. Yes.

Q. Did you agree with her to kill Teitlebaum at that time?

A. No sir, I did not.

Q. When did Mrs. Teitlebaum again ask you to kill Teitlebaum?

A. Never again.

Sums up Evidence.

"These are the only two instances in evidence," said Mr. Larrazolo, "when it is claimed this defendant did procure, or attempt to procure, induce or otherwise encourage the commission of the crime, and the principal offender, Leandro Romero, says that at no time did he agree to do it, but positively refused to do it. Then when he did kill Teitlebaum, on the 15th day of February, 1908, nearly two months after his last conversation with the defendant, should we infer that he killed him by reason of these inducements, made two months prior to the killing of Teitlebaum?"

The court overruled the motion of Mr. Larrazolo, to which he excepted, and proceeded to address the jury, outlining the testimony to be introduced by the defendant. In his opening address Mr. Larrazolo said:

Defense Outlines Case.

"Gentlemen of the jury:

"You will now hear the witnesses for the defendant. In the very nature of things, in a case of this kind, where one witness on the one side testifies that another one incited him to commit a crime, at the time when the two were alone, it is impossible for the defendant to have much testimony. The defendant of course will testify and she will deny before you of ever offering such inducements, but on that point that is all the testimony that you can expect from her. On other collateral issues and circumstances, you will hear testimony. To the charge of criminal intimacy which Leandro Romero says he entertained with this defendant, we will show to you, by creditable and disinterested witnesses, that every time that Mr. Teitlebaum left his place of business at Tecolote to come to Las Vegas, when he was absent at night, that this defendant always had some lady companion remain at her house and sleep with her, occupying the same bed, and that at no time did Leandro Romero sleep there. That on each of the three trips that Leandro Romero has testified he took the defendant to Las Vegas, and once to Chapelle, we will show to you by testimony that she always had company on the road, and never traveled alone with the prosecuting witness Leandro Romero, and further that the relations of Mr. and Mrs. Teitlebaum were pleasant, that they were kind to each other and that the best of feeling and harmony prevailed in their home."

The witnesses for the defendant were servants employed in her house who all testified that they never saw Leandro Romero in the house or anywhere with the defendant.

Case to Jury Tonight.

The mother and the step-father of the defendant were on the stand this forenoon and the testimony in the case will be concluded this afternoon, when the defendant herself, testified in her own behalf. The arguments to the jury are expected to consume several hours, and unless they are finished before time for adjournment this evening, it is probable that the court will hold a night session in order to get the case in the hands

of the jury by tonight. Another big crowd packed the court room at the trial today.

RUSH TO FILE ON ARIZONA DESERT LAND.

Phoenix, Ariz., June 4.—The rush at the Phoenix land office yesterday resulted in the filing of seventy-three applications on a total of 20,000 acres of desert land at different points adjacent to the Agua Fria river, 25 miles west of Phoenix. A line formed 24 hours preceding the opening at 9 o'clock. Near the head line was a representative of the land department of the Santa Fe railroad with a large quantity of railroad land scrip. A ruling was made that no one applicant could make more than two filings, or 323 acres, at a time, so the railroad representative retired without filing. Later, after the line had cleared, he made a filing on 2700 acres with forest scrip.

FULL-BLOOD INDIAN AN EXPERT CHAFFEUR.

Chicago, June 4.—So-wah-Ta, a full-blooded Oneida Indian, whose name freely translated means boy-who-missed-his-aim, stalked into the license bureau of the police department here yesterday and made formal application in excellent English for a permit to run an automobile. For business purposes he has anglicized his name into Parcell Bowless. Bowless now has a job with a taxicab company.

DOG NABS OFFICER AND BURGLARS ESCAPE

But for a flea bitten tramp dog, Night Policeman Chapman might have captured two burglars last night. While making his rounds shortly after midnight, Officer Chapman spotted two men attempting to break into Bacharach's store in the alley-back of Railroad avenue.

While sneaking up on the men, he awoke a tramp dog sleeping in an empty dry goods box back of the store, which rather unceremoniously grabbed the officer's trouser leg. This turn of affairs alarmed the would-be burglars, who made a break to get away, and as Chapman's attention for the moment was centered in the dog, the men were successful in eluding the officer.

Chapman was forced to shoot the dog to make it turn loose, and by the time he had parted company with the vicious canine, the suspects had made good their escape.

The shooting caused considerable excitement, and this morning rumors were flying thick and fast. One rumor had it that a bank robbery had been attempted. Chapman says that but for the dog he would have caught the men, who in all probability are the same parties who robbed the Greenclay and Talchert stores on Tuesday night.

PROMINENT PHYSICIAN MURDERED BY THUGS

Chicago, June 4.—Yesterday's inquest demonstrated that Dr. John Binkley, Sr., of Evansville, Ind., was murdered in this city Wednesday, and the police have begun search for the murderer. The police at first believed that the physician committed suicide, but the fact that his valuables were gone, led to a re-adjustment of the official views. Dr. Binkley was one of the most prominent physicians of Indiana. Robbery is believed to have been the motive for the murder.

BANDITS TRY TO WRECK GOLDEN STATE LIMITED

El Paso, Texas, June 4.—A daring attempt was made yesterday to wreck and rob the westbound Golden State Limited on the Rock Island system near Duran, in central New Mexico. Ties and rails were piled on the track at a curve but a freight train hit the obstruction first and felled the plans of the wreckers. The would-be bandits fired several shots at the

LAFOLLETTE HOLDS HIS PEACE

EXPECTED CLASH IN THE U. S. SENATE FAILS TO MATERIALIZER

SITUATION RATHER TENSE

STATESMEN STILL RESORT TO PERSONALITIES IN TARIFF DEBATE

SPECTATORS EXPECTED ROW

GALLERIES PACKED IN ANTICIPATION THAT THERE WOULD BE SOMETHING DOING

Washington, June 4.—The expected passage at arms did not come with the anticipated vigor in the senate this morning when Senator La Follette took up the discussion of the tariff, following remarks made last night during his absence not particularly complimentary to him.

When the Senate convened last night Senator La Follette was not present and Senator Penrose, of Pennsylvania, remarked that the senator from Wisconsin was probably out visiting the yellow journals and reform agencies. This brought a defense from La Follette's colleagues that he was ill.

Senator La Follette's presence this morning brought a full attendance of the senate and the galleries were packed, but he did not bring the storm which was believed to be brewing. He denied he was ill but said he was resting. Turning toward Senator Aldrich he said: "The Senator over there stands on this floor as any other senator," and added "but he forgets it some times."

Then turning to Senator Penrose, he said:

"As to the remarks of the senator from Pennsylvania I would suggest that he would render a very important service to his country and his state if he would account for the way he spends his time when absent from this body, than in an effort to make me account for mine. I might add that no man could undertake to account for the whereabouts of the senator from Pennsylvania without transgressing the rules of the Senate, and I do not intend to do that."

Penrose then took the floor and referred to an article in La Follette's magazine as misrepresenting himself and Pennsylvania. La Follette promptly said the article had been denied both by the newspaper it was taken from as well as by his magazine. La Follette then took up the tariff bill.

RAILROAD MEN FORM BRANCH ASSOCIATION.

W. H. Thomas, representing the American Railroad Employees and Investors' association, delivered a splendid address to a number of the local employees of the Santa Fe at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium last night.

This association composed of railroad employes, officers and persons investing in railroad securities has

been formed for the purpose of getting the employes and officials closer together; also to promote harmony between the railroads of the country and their patrons.

After Mr. Thomas concluded his address, outlining the purposes for which the association had been formed, a local branch was organized with the following officers:

President, H. E. Fell.
Vice-President, J. A. Quigley.
Secretary and Treasurer, A. H. Jones.

Executive Committee: J. M. Kurn, J. M. Leagney, H. M. Sweezy, W. T. Blest, Robert Forbes.

END OF BRASS BUTTONS FOR FLORIDA NEGROES

Tallahassee, Fla., June 4.—The spirit that prompted the state senate last night to strike out the \$25,000 appropriation from funds allotted the negro agricultural and mechanical school of this state was verified today by Senator Cone.

"Take the brass buttons away from these negro boys," he said, "and make them plow fields. Think of it, men, negroes wearing uniforms and walking around the streets of our capital city. Why, I've even seen them sitting up here in the senate. Captains, yes, captains. Patent leather shoes, red neckties, brass buttons and chevrons breeding in the breast of every negro a desire to be a brother to Booker T. Washington and to eat at the white man's table. Let's make them wear homespun shirts and jeans and plow the fields."

PHILADELPHIA STRIKE ALL BUT SETTLED

Philadelphia, June 4.—Mayor Reybourn, after a conference today submitted the proposition of both sides in the street car strike controversy, which it is believed will be accepted and the trouble settled by tonight. Reybourn gave out an open letter to President Parsons of the Transit company, outlining the principal features of the agreement. Under this agreement all discharged men will be restored to their old positions without prejudice and after July first will receive 22 cents per hour. While this is not all that was asked for by the leaders, the strikers say they will accept it with a few minor changes in the agreement. Parsons said the proposition was all right with him. A subcommittee of street car men employed by the Transit company was appointed today to confer with officials of the company. They will ask that their wages be raised to 25 cents per hour unless the company can show its inability to pay this.

ROOSEVELT HAS FUN SHOOTING MONKEYS

Kijabe, East Africa, June 4.—The members of the Roosevelt party who arrived here yesterday and spent the night in camp near the railroad station started early this morning to visit the African inland mission of the American church organization. This morning Col. Roosevelt spent some time shooting monkeys. R. J. Cunningham, manager of the expedition and L. A. Tarlton, of Nairobi, will stay in camp today making preparations for the march to the Sotik district which will require a trip of two days without meeting water.

MILLIONAIRES CAVORT IN SWEET CHARITY'S NAME.

Pittsburg, Pa., 4.—"Pinafore" was presented last night on the stage of the Alvin Theater by sons and daughters of Pittsburg's rich, and about 250 million dollars was represented. The play was given because of the desire of the young women to help out the home for crippled children at Pittsburg, and not a few of the girls had postponed their summer trip to Europe that they might carry through this performance for charity. It is estimated that the flowers alone in the Alvin Theater cost \$60,000. In some cases parents had car lots of flowers shipped from New York for the use of their daughters and their friends in the four nights of "Pinafore."

CAPTIVATES LAS VEGAS PEOPLE

SPLENDID LECTURES BY DR. A. E. WINSHIP OF BOSTON RARE TREAT

DRAW LARGE AUDIENCES

NORMAL UNIVERSITY AUDITORIUM PACKED TO HEAR HIM SPEAK LAST NIGHT

LAST TALK MADE TODAY

AFTER TWO WEEKS' VISIT IN THIS CITY HE LEAVES FOR COLORADO TONIGHT

Dr. A. E. Winship, the learned educator of Boston, who has been the guest of East Las Vegas the past two weeks, coming here primarily to deliver the commencement address to the graduates of the New Mexico Normal university, will leave for Colorado tonight.

During his stay in this city, Dr. Winship has won his way into the hearts of the people by a series of splendid lectures he has been delivering in the Normal university auditorium. These lectures have been in the day time with the exception of last night. At the request of a large number of people who were not able to stand during the day, it was arranged to have an extra lecture in the evening. Though the notice was rather short, there was a good crowd present, and one noticeable feature was that it was made up of the best people of the city.

Dr. Winship is always thoroughly practical in all he says, and has a very concrete way of saying things, making them all the more interesting. He has had a very wide experience, having visited more schools than any other man in America. Few men in the world have given as much attention to the study of the boy problem, hence he was thoroughly equipped for the discussion of the subject announced for him last night, "Making Manly Boys." Probably there was not a parent present who was not made conscious of having made many blunders in dealing with children. According to Dr. Winship it is not much of an exaggeration to say that a child is as clay in the hands of the potter. As a rule it will develop into a good manly boy, or the opposite, according to the way it is dealt with. Yet notwithstanding the tremendous importance of the result, it is amazing how little attention many people give to the question of how to train children. The speaker pointed out many mistakes made by the majority of parents, and showed how improvement could be made. It is to be regretted that every parent did not hear the magnificent address on this all-important subject.

Dr. Winship delivered his last address at the Normal university this afternoon.

MYSTERIOUS AIRSHIP IN-NIGHTLY FLIGHTS

Los Angeles, Calif., June 4.—All the Imperial Valley is excited over reports that a mysterious airship is taking nightly flights over the Salton sea. At first the ship appeared to be stationary at a point directly over the Salton sea near the intakes of the Alamo and New rivers. Then it began a rapid flight, finally disappearing in the shadows of the San Jacinto Mountains. At Brawley a party of twenty men witnessed the flight of the strange craft across the sky. Securing field glasses they studied the machine. Its appearance was that of a hawk; fastened between two wide wings and when a turn was made it is said the propeller could be plainly seen. The observers were unable to distinguish any person in the basket.

IN THE COURSE OF BUSINESS

Rogers was a builder. To finance his operations he had to borrow heavily, giving his property that was under construction as collateral. One of the men who lent money to him was a Jew. At first Rogers prospered, but later things began to go badly. One trouble after another overtook him, and late one night he went to bed knowing that on the morrow he would have to confess to his creditors that he was insolvent. Even then he might have escaped with his financial skin whole had he chosen to avail himself of some loophole of the law—some chicanery that might strip him temporarily of his self-respect, but leave him a fair share of money. But instead of doing anything that was in the slightest degree dishonest, he met his troubles like a man.

One of Rogers' creditors was the Jew. He went to him at once and said: "I can't go any further. I'm up against a blank wall. The money that I owe you I see no means of paying. You have a mortgage on one of the houses. Foreclose it at once in order to protect yourself. That is your duty. If you lose anything and I can ever make up the loss to you I shall."

Rogers, having no capital to operate with, tried several salaried positions, and at last became one of the appraisers for a great life insurance company, passing upon the value of the real estate and buildings that were offered as collateral for loans. After he had been at this work two years the Jew called on him at his office one day and handed to him a check for his order for \$7,000.

"What's this?" asked Rogers in amazement.

"That represents the profit on the building you mortgaged to me two or three years ago and which I have just sold."

"Profit? What have I to do with any profit?"

"I have repaid myself for the amount of my loans to you. I have added to this interest and all charges to which I have been subjected in the transaction. After deducting this from the price I have received for the property there is a remainder of \$7,000. That money belongs to you. That is why I give you this check."

Rogers put the \$7,000 check in his pocket. There was a suspicion of moisture in his eyes and a catch in his voice as he thanked the Jew, who went his way hastily.

In the days that darkened the close of 1907 the life insurance companies literally were begged for money by men who offered excellent security. Everybody was "turned down," yet everybody begged and begged. One man in asking for a loan on his property said if he did not get it it meant ruin to him. The appraiser reported favorably, but even as he wrote the report he knew the application would be denied. And it was rejected flatly and curtly. As the clerk was carrying the papers out of the controller's office Rogers happened by. A name indorsed on the folded sheet caught his attention. He asked a few questions and then looked at the paper. In a flash he realized the whole situation. The name on the back of the paper was that of the Jew, and if that loan was rejected his friend would be in dire financial straits.

Though Rogers was only an appraiser—a small item in the great staff of the insurance company—and though he knew that he was risking his humble position by doing so, and that meant everything to him in those hard times, he hurried to the office of the controller, an austere gentleman who was hedged about by many assistants and by much authority. He told the controller vividly and simply the story of his own failure, of the foreclosure of the mortgage by the Jew and of the \$7,000 check two years later.

The controller listened attentively, and the first words he said were over the office telephone to the clerk who had charge of advising the would-be borrowers of their loans and of their fate.

"Send those papers in that Cohen loan application up to me at once."

When they reached him the controller looked them over and, turning to the appraiser, said:

"I'll make that loan. By the Lord Harry, if it was the last dollar that this company had to lend I would let that man have it."

Comets Still a Mystery to Science.

The nature of comets is still one of the mysteries of science. Here is a sort of ball of wind bigger than the earth, which rushes across the immensity of the heavens with a speed of 90,000 miles an hour, squirting out, not behind it, but opposite to or away from the sun, smoke, vapor, gas, to a distance of millions and millions of miles. These gases may leave it and remain in the ether. A repellant force emanating from the sun produces these enigmatic tails, but at the same time there are at work phenomena, mechanical, chemical, physical, unknown, which imperil the comet itself, contort it, dislocate it, utterly change it. Electricity is probably at work, as in the radiant matter of Crookes tubes; solar heat also exerts its influence, and these burning daughters of the sun develop in unheard-of proportion as fast as they approach the sun; but all of these phenomena are taking place in the bosom of the ultra-glacial cold of space, about 700 degrees Fahrenheit below zero. Truly we can form no idea of them.—Camille Flammarion, in New York World.

Remedies are Needed

Were we perfect, which we are not, medicines would not often be needed. But since our systems have become weakened, impaired and broken down through indiscretions which have gone on from the early ages, through countless generations, remedies are needed to aid Nature in correcting our inherited and otherwise acquired weaknesses. To reach the seat of stomach weakness and consequent digestive troubles, there is nothing so good as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, a glyceric compound, extracted from native medicinal roots—sold for over forty years with great satisfaction to all users. For Weak Stomach, Biliousness, Liver Complaint, Pain in the Stomach after eating, Heartburn, Bad Breath, Belching of food, Chronic Diarrhea and other Intestinal Derangements, the "Discovery" is a time-proven and most efficient remedy.

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You can't afford to accept a secret nostrum as a substitute for this non-alcoholic, medicine of known composition, not even though the urgent dealer may thereby make a little bigger profit. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules, easy to take as candy.

WHEN THE PHRENOLOGIST FELL

His Knowledge of Horses Was Evidently a Weak Point.

Mayor Reyburn of Philadelphia told at a dinner a horse story. "A farmer visited a phrenologist," he said. "He had heard that the phrenologist thought of buying a horse. He had his head examined and his bumps revealed surprising things.

"Your tastes are the simple, homely and pure tastes of a farmer," said the phrenologist, "and a farmer I take you to be. Am I not right? Aha, I thought so. You are unready and faltering in speech; you find it difficult to express the simplest ideas. You are sadly deficient in judgment and have no knowledge of human nature. Your innocent and trustful disposition renders you an easy dupe to designing men, and your own perfect honesty prevents you from either suspecting or defrauding any one."

"The phrenologist the following week bought a horse from the farmer. The horse was knock-kneed, it was 25 years old, it had a bad temper, and it balked. Though the farmer had only paid \$15 for the animal, he secured without difficulty \$150 from the phrenologist for it.

"It's wonderful," said the farmer to himself, as he hastened toward the bank to deposit the money—"It's just wonderful that a man should know so much about men and not know a thing about horses!"—Detroit Free Press.

ALWAYS SOURCE OF WEAKNESS

Pretense Detracts from the Power to Accomplish.

There is nothing which will add so much to one's power as the consciousness of being absolutely sincere, genuine. If your life is a perpetual lie, if you are conscious that you are not what you pretend to be—that you are really a different person from what the world regards you—you are not strong.

There is a restraint, a perpetual fighting against the truth going on within you, a struggle which saps your energy and warps your conduct. If there is a mote at the bottom of your eye you cannot look the world squarely in the face.

Your vision is not clear. Everybody sees that you are not transparent. There is a cloudiness, a haze about your character, which raises the interrogation point where you go. Character alone is strength, deceit is weakness, sham and shoddy are powerless, and only the genuine and the true are worth while.—Exchange.

Who are entitled to the offices, if not the men who can get them?

OWES HER LIFE TO

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Vienna, W. Va.—"I feel that I owe the last ten years of my life to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Eleven years ago I was a walking shadow. I had been under the doctor's care but got no relief. My husband persuaded me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it worked like a charm. It relieved all my pains and misery. I advise all suffering women to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. EMMA WHEATON, Vienna, W. Va.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotics or harmful drugs, and to-day holds the record for the largest number of actual cures of female diseases of any similar medicine in the country, and thousands of voluntary testimonials are on file in the Pinkham laboratory at Lynn, Mass., from women who have been cured from almost every form of female complaints, inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, indigestion and nervous prostration. Every such suffering woman owes it to herself to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial.

If you would like special advice about your case write a confidential letter to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

GOT WHAT HE ASKED FOR.

Atlanta Plain-Clothes Man Surprised at Results Achieved.

Spurred on by newspaper taunts, possibly, a plain-clothes man of the Atlanta police set out one day to detect violations of the Georgia prohibition law. On Decatur street he met an old negro whose appearance he considered "suspicious."

"Say, uncle," he whispered with a wink, "do you know where I can get some whisky?"

"I spec' maybe I kin git yer some et yer gin me de money," replied the suspected one.

"Well, here is a two-dollar bill," said the plain-clothes man. "I'll wait in the alley here. Now hurry back."

"Yessah, boss, if e'll jes' hol' dis box er shoes for me," and the policeman had the box under his arm before he knew it, while the darkey shuffled off down the street, turning the first corner.

Thinking he was on a warm trail and would soon have an important prisoner and witness "with the goods on," the sleuth waited in patience. An hour went by. He was getting tired. Two hours. Still no sign of the messenger.

Weary and discouraged, he returned to the police station. Suddenly he remembered the shoes under his arm and decided to have a look. The box contained, carefully wrapped, a full quart bottle of corn whisky.—Everybody's Magazine.

Expensive.

She—How long do you think, dear, we shall have to be engaged?
He—I have enough money left to last for six months.—Life

Could Not Be Better.

No one has ever made a salve, ointment, lotion or balm to compare with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Its the one perfect healer of cuts, corns, burns, bruises, sores, scalds, boils, ulcers, eczema, salt rheum. For sore eyes, cold sores, chapped hands its supreme. Infallible for piles. Only 25 cents at all druggists.

Country people on a party telephone line hear all the news that's going.

Stomach Troubles.

Many remarkable cures of stomach troubles have been effected by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. One man who had spent over two thousand dollars for medicine and treatment was cured by a few boxes of these tablets. Price 25 cents. Sample free at all drug stores.

Some men would rather be wrong than right if there is more money in it.

If you desire a clear complexion take Foley's Orino Laxative for constipation and liver trouble as it will stimulate these organs and thoroughly cleanse your system, which is what everyone needs in the spring in order to feel well. O. G. Schaefer and Red Cross Drug Co.

The man with the largest library usually has the least time to read.

Trouble Makers Ousted.

When a sufferer from stomach trouble takes Dr. King's New Life Pills he's mighty glad to see his dyspepsia and indigestion fly, but more is he tickled over his new, fine appetite, strong nerves, healthy vigor, all because stomach, liver and kidneys now work right. 25c at all druggists.

When one devours a book it indicates a taste for literature.

A Suggestion on Eczema.

It is suggested that eczema sufferers ask druggist K. D. Goodall of this city what reports he is getting from the patients who have used the oil of wintergreen liquid compound, D. D. Prescription.

People aren't necessarily good because they feel that way.

If you want to feel well, look well and be well, take Foley's Kidney Remedy. It tones up the kidneys and bladder, purifies the blood and restores health and strength. Pleasant to take and contains no harmful drugs. Why not commence today? O. G. Schaefer and Red Cross Drug Co.

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WANTS

FOR BAGGAGE AND Express call up Olive 5132 or Las Vegas 450. Gilbert Guerin, manager.

WANTED—A school girl to help at house work for board and room. Apply next door to Optic office.

MEN LEARN BARBER TRADE—Short time required; graduates earn \$12 to \$30 week. Moler Barber college, Los Angeles.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A new piano cheap, call Main 339.

FOR RENT—Suite of three rooms, southern exposure, bay windows, well furnished, piano included. Hotel La Pension.

FOR RENT—Four room brick cottage cheap, inquire La Pension hotel.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; electric lights and bath. 710 Grand ave.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. M. Howell, 721 Fourth.

FOR RENT—Two bed rooms, first floor with bath. 810 Lincoln, 5-21

FOR RENT—5-room cottage, range and sewer connection, 414 Seventh.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Carriage, good as new. 1016 Fifth street.

FOR SALE—Legal blanks of all description. Notary seals and records at the Optic office.

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LOST.

LOST—A diamond opal brooch. Finder return to Mrs. W. B. Bunker, 902 National avenue and receive ten dollar reward.

LOST—Dark bay horse, weight about nine hundred pounds, branded on left shoulder, whip marks on right side. Finder please notify and receive reward. J. A. Raycraft. E. Las Vegas, N. M.

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D. L. BATCHELOR,
Agent.

CONTEST NOTICE.

(Serial No. 06427)
Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Santa Fe, N. M., April 24, 1909.—A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Epaphras Lee Beal, contestant, against homestead entry No. 14168, made May 4, 1908, for SE 1-4, Section 32, Township 17 north, Range 21 east, N. M. P. meridian, by Francis J. Dorsey, contestee, in which it is alleged that Francis J. Dorsey has wholly abandoned said land for more than six months last past, has never established a residence thereon and is not now residing upon and cultivating said land as required by law, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond, and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on June 24, 1909, before Robert L. M. Ross, U. S. court commissioner, at Las Vegas, N. M. (and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on July 6, 1909, 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 May 4, 1909, 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. Record address of contestee: Watrous, N. M.

MANUEL R. OTERO, Register. 5-7-1m

When it is said of a man that he is bull headed, it means that he is foolish.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

(Not Coal Land.)
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Santa Fe, N. M., April 20, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that George F. Gerk, of Watrous, Mora county N. M., who, on March 13, 1908, made Homestead Entry No. 13583, for W 1-2 SE 1-4 NE 1-4 SE 1-4 and lots 4, 5 and 6, Sec 5, Tp. 16 North R. 21 E., N. M. P., Meridian, has filed notice of intention 'o make final Commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Robert L. M. Ross, U. S. Court Commissioner at Las Vegas, N. M., on the 10th day of June, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ramon N. Trujillo, of Watrous, N. M.; Jose C. Torres, of Gonzales, N. M.; Meliton Montoya, of Gonzales, N. M., and William Naegelin, of East Las Vegas, N. M.

MANUEL R. OTERO, Register.

Rev. I. W. Williamson's Letter.

Rev. I. W. Williamson, Huntington, W. Va., writes: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble and am free to say that it will do all that you claim for it." Foley's Kidney Remedy has restored health and strength to thousands of weak, run down people. Contains no harmful drugs and is pleasant to take. O. G. Schaefer and Red Cross Drug Co.

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When you engage Pullman passage after this, get your reservation from that company, and not from the railway over whose line you mean to travel.

Otherwise if you don't get your berth and have to travel two days or so in a chair car, you can't get damages. The Kansas City court of appeals has said so.

Mrs. Amelia Smith, engaged a sleeper from Cameron, Mo., to El Paso, Texas. She was informed that a section had been reserved for her on a certain train.

This train, from Kansas City on, ran in two sections. Mrs. Smith was on the first section, where no berth was reserved. The reservation was on the second train. A verdict of \$500 damages, which Mrs. Smith received in the lower courts, is reversed.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Conductor Reardon is running a freight in the second district in place of Conductor D. E. Lynch.

Brakeman J. H. Kelly has handed in his resignation and left town, possibly heading for the Alaska-Yukon-Seattle exposition.

W. D. Shea, a traveling freight and passenger agent for the D. & R. G., is in Las Vegas today from his headquarters in Santa Fe.

R. J. Snowden, one of the head men of the Santa Fe's detective force in this section, arrived in Las Vegas from the north yesterday afternoon.

Conductor Will C. Hurt and crew donned their uniforms and took the second section of No. 1 passenger to Albuquerque from this city yesterday afternoon.

N. M. Rice, general storekeeper for the Santa Fe, passed through this city yesterday on No. 1, traveling in private car No. 9, enroute for the Coast lines.

Conductor W. F. Hetzler is off the road for the moment for good and sufficient reasons, though not bad ones. Conductor A. F. Youngston has his caboose.

H. E. Ray, who has been transferred from Topeka to San Bernardino as Santa Fe storekeeper, was a passenger for the latter city on No. 9 last evening.

Jerry Quinn, the passenger conductor, is in York state, whence he made application for a thirty-day extension of his furlough. It was granted and no questions asked.

Engineer C. P. Chance and Fireman Lockhart of the second district occupied the cab of engine 216 which was transferred from La Junta to Albuquerque yesterday.

Following the example set by the Union Pacific, the Pennsylvania has made the announcement that it will hereafter furnish full details of all accidents to the press.

Letters from El Paso state that Billy Holmes, who is a patient in Providence hospital there, is doing finely and his face will not be scarred in the least from recent burns.

According to the new schedule, train firemen on the Texas & Pacific will receive ten cents per day more than the old schedule provided for. The management refused, however, to grant the request of the men for

engineers' representation in disputes in which the former are involved, stating that the agreement with the engineers will not permit this.

Railroads will widen their tracks and attain a speed of one hundred miles an hour for regular service in a few years, is the opinion of J. F. Houlehan of Chicago, general manager of the Chicago & Alton railroad.

The jury in the case of Thomas K. Seeger against the Santa Fe railroad at El Paso, for personal injuries sustained while employed as a fireman of the company at Williams, Arizona, January 29, 1903, returned a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of \$7,922.

Ten-hour orders have been issued for shop circles in La Junta, with a prospect for unlimited overtime, and a great many new men have been put to work. Prospects for business in railroad circles, in every department, were never better or more promising.

J. E. Williams, who has been connected with leading hotels in Denver for a number of years, is heading in as cashier of Hotel Castaneda here. He is receiving instructions from Cashier Robert Willie Miller, who will be transferred to a road position, possibly at his request.

Women employes are popular in the offices of the Randolph lines at Tucson, Arizona, more than 30 members of the fair sex holding positions as clerks, stenographers and typewriters in the various departments, about 20 of whom work in the auditor's office. About 20 of these women are married.

The Tennessee College girls' special train was brought to Las Vegas yesterday morning from Raton by Conductor M. C. Deubler and crew and taken to Albuquerque by Conductor E. E. Wilson and his lieutenants. A photograph of the pretty party was taken in a group by J. L. Tooker on the Castaneda lawn. It is said that the orders he received for pictures will pay him handsomely for his work.

Says Thursday evening's Albuquerque Citizen: A. E. Bloxson, special agent for the Santa Fe, of Las Vegas, arrived in the city last evening and this morning left with Albert Smith, the colored porter on the Santa Fe lines running between this city and Las Vegas, who is charged with the theft of a revolver in that city a few days ago. Smith was arrested Tuesday evening as he was about to leave on No. 3 and lodged in the city jail, where he was kept until this morning.

Try This for Dessert.

Dissolve one package of any flavor JELL-O in one pint of boiling water. When partly congealed, beat until light adding one cup whipped cream and six crushed macaroons. Whip all together thoroughly and pour it into a mold or bowl. When cool, it will jelly and may be served with whipped cream or any good pudding sauce.

The JELL-O costs 10c per package and can be obtained at any good grocers.

Don't have such lofty opinions of yourself that others may not care to look up to you.

WITH THE ELEPHANT FLEET.

Indian Coasting Steamers That Transport Largest of All Animals.

Its elephant fleet is one of the strangest and most deadly departments maintained by the British government in India. It is a large fleet of coasting steamers specially built for the transport of elephants.

India's population is one-fifth that of the entire globe. All these people use elephants. They use them for draught work and for tiger-hunting, and in the arenas of the native states they even pit them against one another and against wild beasts. The elephant fleet transfers the animals from Dacca, the trapping and training headquarters, to the various districts whence comes the demand.

To get an elephant aboard ship is a difficult and dangerous task. The animal must wade through the surf to a stout raft, and this unknown surf, so white and tumultuous, often terrifies and maddens him. In his fury he slaughters a mahout or two, he cannot be greatly blamed.

Once on the raft, his legs are tied to pegs, and the slow sail to the ship is uneventful. But now a great band must be arranged under the elephant's belly, and a crane must hoist him up some twenty or thirty feet to the deck. Here again the elephant cannot be set down as intractable if, losing his head in that unprecedented aerial journey, he murders some more mahouts.

Very prosperous, albeit stained a little with mahouts' blood, the elephant fleet for many years has piled up and down the Indian coast, embarking and disembarking its heavy unmanageable freight.

INGERSOLL'S TRIBUTE TO LOVE.

First Dress of Immortality; Fills the World with Melody.

Love is the only bow on life's dark cloud. It is the morning and evening star. It shines on the babe, and sheds its radiance on the quiet tomb. It is the mother of art; inspirer of poet, patriot and philosopher. It is the air and light of every heart; builder of every home; kindler of every fire on the hearth; it was the first dress of immortality. It fills the world with melody, for music is the voice of love. Love is the magician, the enchanter that changes worthless things to joy, and makes right royal queens and kings of common clay. It is the perfume of that wonderful flower, the heart, and without that sacred passion, that divine swoon, we are less than beasts; but with it—earth is heaven and we are gods.—Robert G. Ingersoll.

Whistling on Sabbath in Scotland.

Concerning the Scottish reprobation of whistling on the Sabbath, Dean Ramsay has a characteristic story. A famous Glasgow artist met an old Highland acquaintance unexpectedly. "Donald, what brought you here?" "O' weel, sir, it was a bad place you; they were bad folk—but they're a God fearin' set o' folk here." "Well, Donald, I'm glad to hear it." "O' ay, sir, deed are they; an' I'll gie ye an instance o' t' last Sabbath just as the kirk was skailin' there was a drover chield frae Dumfries comin' along the road whistlin', an' lookin' as happy as if it was a middle o' the week. Weel, sir, oor lauds is a God fearin' set o' lauds, an' they were just comin' oot o' the kirk 'od they jokit upon him an' a'most killed him!"

Why She Wasn't Disturbed.

His family is taking in the opera in New York and he had entertained at cards—American fashion—until the rumbering of the early cars put an end to the game. In fact, he just refreshed himself with a bath, and when he came down to breakfast his heart smote him.

"I hope the gentlemen didn't disturb you last night with their noise," he said to the maid, when she served his breakfast. "I'm sure they didn't mean to be quite so noisy."

"La, sir," was her reply, "I aven't slept in the ouse since missus went away. I slept at me sister's, sir."

The joke was too good to keep, and that's why the coal trade learned of it the same day.—Cleveland Leader.

Getting Even with Papa.

Small Bobbie, in describing occurrences at kindergarten, was sometimes inclined to exaggeration. On such occasions a favorite remark of his father's was: "You would better reduce that statement to a minimum, Bobbie."

One evening when several aunts and uncles were present Bobbie's father was relating, with great fervor, his experiences on a recent fishing trip. After he had finished, Bobbie, assuming a very grave and important air, said: "Better reduce that to a min—min—peppermint, papa."

To Remove a Felon.

The following clipped from the London Lancet is a relief from bone felon: "As soon as the disease is felt put directly over the spot a fly blister about the size of your thumb nail, and let it remain for six hours, at the expiration of which time, directly under the surface of the blister, may be seen the felon, which can be instantly taken out with the point of a needle or a lancet."

Three Thousand Years.

"I think from the utensils about him that this mummy must have been an Egyptian plumber."

"It would be interesting to bring him to life."

"But too risky. Who's going to pay him for his time?"

BE YE THANKFUL

By REV. A. C. DIXON, D. D., Pastor of the Chicago Ave. (Moody's) Church, Chicago.



Water seeks its level. The water in the reservoir on the hill presses down through the pipes, and up into the air it goes sparkling in the sunlight, making the beautiful fountain. Its gravitation is upward because of the pressure in the reservoir. A thankful heart is a heart that feels the pressure of God's goodness and lifts itself up in praise and prayer.

It is easy to thank God for what we have gained, and yet the loss is often gain. You lost your wealth and gained a submissive spirit. You lost your health and gained a firmer grip on the promise of God that "all things work together for good." You lost your friend and gained a larger realization of the friendship of God. Emerson said of a bright young man graduated at Harvard, "He lacks but one thing. If he could lose his popularity with his class, or some one would slander him, or some great misfortune should come into his life, it would make a man of him."

There is a legend in England about the sunken city of Is. Two or three places are pointed out as the traditional spot where the city during an earthquake sunk out of sight. Tradition says that during a storm the steeples of the churches can be seen in the trough of the sea, and even during a calm the bells of the church steeples still ring out, and they ring the appropriate song or tune for each day. The sunken city still makes music. Has your wealth sunk out of sight? Have things that you prized gone out of view? If you have accepted it in the spirit of true Christian acquiescence there still comes music from the sunken city of loss, and every steeple that has gone beneath the waves sends out harmonies of peace, hope and joy.

Gain Through Loss.

A mother buried her little daughter, the only child of the family. A friend called to see her a few days afterward and found her smiling through her tears. "Oh," she said, "I think I understand it now. God has taken my little girl in order that I might be the mother of every little girl that walks the streets." Thus, while there was great loss, there has been the gain of a larger sympathy, and it may be a sweeter experience.

We thank God for all that he has done for us. Old Jacob said, "All these things are against me." But, Jacob, you were mistaken, the Lord was working in a way you did not know toward your elevation, enrichment and joy. When the Pilgrims at Plymouth were fighting the cold, burying their dead, watching against the Indians and, as the old captain of the Mayflower said, "plenty of nothing but gospel," one of them might have said, "What is the use of all this suffering on a bleak shore far from home? We may as well lie down and die." Little did they know that God was making this republic through their sufferings and opening a land of liberty for the oppressed of all nations.

The Best Gift.

But, after all, the very best thing that God hath given us is himself. During this year have we not entertained the King? In one of the great stores of Washington a few years ago a tired clerk, a young lady, was called to wait upon a well-dressed lady with a bunch of violets on her coat. Instinctively she said, "What sweet violets." Said the well-dressed woman, who had forgotten about the violets she was wearing. "They are beautiful, but do you not know that the violets are blooming in the park?" The young lady replied, "I am so tired and busy I really have not the strength to go to the park, and even on holidays I feel compelled to stay at home to do work that needs to be done." Said the lady, "I will give you this bunch of violets." "Thank you," said the other. "Now, if I were to come round after the closing hour on Saturday afternoon with my carriage would you ride with me through the park?" The girl was much embarrassed and said, "I am not used to that." "But I will call for you at four o'clock on Saturday afternoon and we will take a ride together through the park," and what was her delight to find that the lady was Rose Cleveland, the sister of the president. That was better than the bunch of violets. And so the Lord Jesus gives us not simply the bunch of violets of his love and blessing, but he gives us his own presence, and his presence brings more joy and peace with it than anything else.

We will thank God for all we expect. We may gain or lose, but if we have taken Jesus Christ as our Saviour we shall never lose him, and that cloud in the distance that seems black will be like a picture in an art gallery of Europe. It is a great, dark frowning picture until you get close to it, and then you find that every cloud is an angry face. My friend, as sure as you trust God, the cloud that hangs over the future you will find to be full of blessing.

Experience is a dear school, but some will learn in no other.—Rev. E. Davidson.

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PANAMA CANAL WILL HELP SOUTHWEST.

The compilation made by the government in 1905 gives the value of manufactured products as \$2,522,508, 212 from the Trans-Mississippi section alone, divided as follows: Alaska, \$8,244,524; Arkansas \$53,864,394; Arizona, \$23,083,192; California, \$367,218,494; Colorado \$100,143,999; Hawaii, \$24,993,068; Idaho, \$8,768,743; Iowa, \$160,572,313; Kansas \$198,244,992; Louisiana, \$186,379,592; Minnesota, \$307,858,073; Montana, \$66,415,452; Missouri, \$439,548,957; Nebraska \$154,918,220; Nevada \$3,096,274; New Mexico, \$3,736,462; North Dakota, \$3,462,571; Oklahoma, \$16,549,656; Oregon, \$55,525,123; South Dakota, \$13,085,333; Texas, \$150,528,389; Utah \$38,926,464; Washington, \$128,821,667; Wyoming, \$3,523,260. Granting these figures are approximately correct, what vast commercial possibilities do they open to the future upon the completion of the Panama canal! Isn't it highly probable that the opening of this international highway will so

materially enlarge the market that the present property of the states west of the Mississippi river will be many times quadrupled? Won't the changed conditions that are thereby wrought make radical changes? Isn't it possible that the railroad systems of the future will be along lines of longitude instead of upon lines parallel? Doesn't the all-rail Hill system from the Puget sound to the gulf via Denver indicate this change? Doesn't the railroad activity in the establishment of terminal on the gulf show a decided right-about-face movement on the part of long-headed railroad managers? These and other equally important questions are to be brought to the front at the forthcoming session of the Trans-Mississippi Commercial congress, which meets in Denver August 16-21. These discussions will not only engage the ablest minds in commercial life in the western states, but the representatives of the South American republics will also participate.

TAFT'S ARMY POLICY

For the first time since he has been president Mr. Taft has made a formal announcement of his army policy. In his address at the unveiling of the monument to the regular soldiers who fell upon the field of Gettysburg, the chief executive paid a glowing tribute to the standing army and committed himself to an encouraging attitude toward it. Such a speech was to have been expected inasmuch as Mr. Taft has always been a friend of the military and naval establishments. It is reassuring, however, to feel that the army is not to be neglected or slighted during his term of office. To the casual observer it will be somewhat difficult to reconcile the president's pruning of \$36,000,000 from the army estimates for 1911 with his cordial support of the service. Yet it must be understood that even with the reduction of the army estimates they still amount to \$135,650,000. The standing army now numbers about 80,000 men, and the

general staff has expressed a desire for 135,000, which cannot be reached without changing the present law that limits the numerical strength of the army in time of peace to 100,000 men. By comparing the cost of our own army of 80,000 with the army establishments of other nations it will be seen that we are the most liberal country on earth toward our soldiers. Great Britain at present has an active army corps of 250,000 that costs only \$138,800,000 a year; Germany's colossal army of 517,000 men costs only \$206,000,000, while Japan's army of 25,000 costs but \$40,000,000 a year. President Taft is a firm believer in the development of the state militia, and it was through his active influence that steps were taken a few years ago to reorganize the entire system of national guard to make it a co-ordinate part of the complete army establishment. The Dick law made it possible for the various states to conform to regular and harmonious lines of organization, so that the entire army of the United States is now a great military framework that can be filled in and expanded within the shortest time along effectiveness.

THAW MUST STAY IN INSANE ASYLUM

New York, June 4.—Harry K. Thaw must remain in the insane asylum at Matteawan under the decision rendered today in the appellate division of the supreme court of Brooklyn. Thaw's application for a writ of habeas corpus, releasing him from the asylum was dismissed by the justice of the supreme court several months ago. He then appealed to the appellate division, which sustained the lower court, and dismissed the writ.

Jesus Lopez, who is thought to have been in the employment of the late John Pendarias at Roelada at one time, was yesterday taken to the county jail by Deputy Sheriff Felipe R. Guerin, for temporary confinement on account of aberration of mind. Lopez had become possessed of the hallucination that he is a rich man, with money to throw to the birds, and he wanted to buy out every firm in town. Even when placed behind the bars, he drew imaginary checks as bonds for the release of the prisoners.

FIRST VIOLATION NEW GAME LAWS

Cimarron, N. M., June 4.—No little excitement was felt in Cimarron last Monday morning when it was learned that Fred Lambert had been arrested by Deputy Game Warden Geo. H. Webster, Jr., and cited to appear before the justice of the peace. Justice Cole had sent in his resignation as justice of the peace and was therefore not qualified to sit in the case and so it was agreed between the officer and the defendant that the case should be heard before Justice Kinney at Dawson. Accordingly the two left for Dawson Tuesday morning.

Mr. Webster charged Mr. Lambert with having caught fish in the Rayado river of smaller size than the new law permits, and that some of the fish in his possession were less than six inches in length. It is understood that Mr. Lambert pleaded guilty to the charge and received the minimum fine. Mr. Lambert stated, that while some of the fish were below size, he had not thought that this was so at the time of catching them.

Mr. Webster stated that he disliked having to make the arrests of his fellow townsmen for violating the game and fish laws, but that he is determined that the law is fully complied with in every particular and that he will proceed against every person, regardless of whom he may be, that he catches fishing in an illegal manner. Mr. Webster is under bond and the law makes it a heavy offense if he fails to make an arrest and prosecute one whom he knows to be an offender.

T. F. Cameron, of Kansas City, Kansas, who has been in the city several days making acquaintances that will yet ripen into friends, has opened the Optimo bar in fine style and will conduct the place in a first-class manner.

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MARKET REPORTS.

St. Louis Wool Market.
St. Louis, June 4.—Wool unchanged.

St. Louis Spelter.
St. Louis, June 4.—Lead 435; spelter, 517 1-2@620.

New York Metal Market.
New York, June 4.—Lead 435@445; copper 13 1-2@34; silver 53.

New York Money.
New York, June 4.—Call money 1 1-2@2; prime paper 3-12@4; Mexican dollars 44.

New York Stock.
New York, June 4.—Amalgamated 86 7-8; Atchafson 114 7-8; pfd, 105 1-4; N. Y. C. 134; So. Pac. 131 3-8; U. P. 192; steel 657 1-2, pfd. 87 1-2; pfd. 126 5-8.

Chicago Provisions Market.
Chicago, June 4.—Wheat July 118 1-4; Sept. 109 3-4@7-8; corn July 73 @1-8; Sept. 69 1-2@5-8; oats July 57 7-8; Sept. 44 3-4; pork July 1987 1-2; Sept. 1995; lard July 1130; Sept. Sept. 1142 July ribs 1060@62 1-2; Sept. 1065.

Chicago Stock Market.
Chicago, June 4.—Cattle 1000 steady, beefs \$5.10@7.20; Texas steers \$4.60@6.25; western steers \$4.65@6.25; stockers' feeders \$2.60@5.60; cows, heifers \$2.50@6.20; calves \$5.50 @7.75; hogs, 15,000, 5 to 10 higher, light \$7.05@7.50; mixed \$7.20@7.67 1-2; heavy \$7.30@7.72 1-2; rough \$7.30 @7.45; pigs \$6.10@7.10; bulk sales \$7.40@7.65.

Sheep 6000 weak, native \$4.00@6.50; western \$4.25@6.60; yearlings \$6.25@7.50; lambs \$6.00@8.40; western \$6.25@7.60.

Kansas City Stock.
Kansas City, June 4.—Cattle 1000, including 600 southern steady native steers \$5.00@7.00; southern steers \$4.15@6.50; southern cows \$3.00@5.25; native cows, heifers \$2.75@6.65; stockers' feeders \$4.00@4.00@5.60; bulls \$3.40@5.00; calves \$3.50@7.00; western steers \$5.25@6.75; western cows \$3.25@5.25; hogs 7000, 10 higher, active, butchers \$6.25 @7.55; bulk sales \$7.00@7.50; heavy \$7.40@7.60; light \$6.80@7.20; pigs \$5.75@6.00.

Sheep 4000 steady, muttons \$5.50@6.60; lambs \$6.50@8.75; wethers yearlings \$4.75@7.25; ewes \$4.25@6.10; Texas and Arizona muttons \$4.60@ \$6.40.

MRS. H. J. FRANKLIN DIES IN LOS ANGELES.
The late Mrs. H. J. Franklin, whose death occurred at Los Angeles, Calif., this week was the wife of a former city marshal of East Las Vegas. Quitting a thankless and hazardous position, he entered the service of the Santa Fe Railway company, receiving promotions as he deserved them till he became general claim agent for the Santa Fe lines on the Pacific coast, a position he still holds. Mrs. Franklin underwent a surgical operation, from which she never rallied. She was 51 years of age and is survived by a son 25 years of age, besides her husband.

Say it Over and Over Again

Headaches.	Headaches.	Headaches.	Headaches.
Biliousness.	Biliousness.	Biliousness.	Biliousness.
Constipation.	Constipation.	Constipation.	Constipation.
Ayer's Pills.	Ayer's Pills.	Ayer's Pills.	Ayer's Pills.

If your doctor says this is all right, remember it!

New Arrivals

Union Suits, ribbed cuffs and ankles, very elastic improved.—Egyptia Cotton, at.....75c

Boys' Blouse Waists, "Cadet" no loose threads, all seams double; pearl buttons; sizes right—A large assortment, with soft collars attached or no collar, some white plaited blue Chambray, black Sateen, dark fancy Madras, white Dimities

65c, \$1.00 and \$1.25

Men's Summer weight all wool Underwear—Australian wool.....\$1.25 garment

A large assortment of new Belts all the newest novelties.

Kayser Silk Gloves

Guaranteed tips, in Brown, Navy, Catawba, Reseda, White, and Black at

65c 75c and \$1.00

Kayser's Lisle gloves, white and black,.....35c and 50c

Crepe de Chine

At a Special Price

Tomorrow we place on sale 10 pieces of Crepe de Chine in the best shades, Pink, Blue, Tan, Grey also Black and White. The regular price is \$1.00. Buy all you want at 67c yd.

The fabric is soft and lustrous and very proper for evening Dresses and Scarfs.

A Rattling Good Sale of Lawns

The continued cold weather is responsible for our placing on sale a lot of our Lawns that, had the weather been favorable, would all have been disposed of by now. Such being the case you will be the 'gainer' by it, as the following prices will attest:

12 1/2 Colored Lawns, special, 10c

These are flowered, striped, checked, figured, colors, or black and white.

15c Lawns, special.....11c

EXTRA SPECIAL a pick up in Umbrellas

Linen and Silk, Paragon frame, Steel Rod, fancy Handles, Gold filled or sterling Silver.

Special, **\$2.98**

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E. LAS VEGAS. N.M.

Everybody Welcome.

There are no toll gates of any kind. Nobody at the doors to conduct you. Nobody to inveigle you to buy. No officious attention anywhere.

A free pass to look and enjoy yourself and show your friends up and down as far as you like and as long as you please, from 7 in the morning until closing time. You always feel at home when you visit this Store. The promptest kind of attention, and plenty of bright people to give it—when you wish. We guarantee everything we sell you to be as represented. Money cheerfully refunded if goods are not satisfactory—We make exchanges gladly and promptly.

Ask to See "Emery"

The Swell Shirt

And that the Man who wouldn't wear an "Emery" Shirt leaves his taste in the ice box. It is the best brand of shirts made in the country today and unless you are a Siamese twin, they will fit you as if they were made for you. This spring's styles are too bright and attractive to describe in print, eyes are necessary.

PRICES \$1.25 to \$2.50

Cuffs attached or detached, pleated or plain, Coat style

See Window Display

To Make Sure That Your New Gown

—whether it is to be the "creation" of a gown-maker known to fame, or just a quiet, simple little gown, for, Oh, a number of occasions—church, calling, luncheons—to make sure that it shall have that intangible, indescribable, elusive quality called "Style," you should first pay your undivided attention to the corset over which it is to be fitted!



THE Gossard CORSETS

"They Face In Front"

You know, of course, that your new gown must have long lines! That is a preachment you've learned by heart! And you know that, whether you are slender or stout, you must have the look of slenderness; and, indeed, you want to look slender and you want to be comfortable at the same time!

Don't Begin With the Gown, But the Corset!

Now, it is not a difficult thing for a competent dressmaker to cut a gown on the lines demanded by Fashion this season; but, if you have neglected your corset, and, when the gown is to be fitted, the dressmaker finds bulging hips; surplus, ugly flesh at thigh, or angles which need rounding, why, you cannot blame her if the gown, when completed, does not give you that intangible, indescribable, elusive, but all-important quality, "Style!" You expected to have it, and you are disappointed!

So, first be carefully, accurately, intelligently fitted with the proper corset (there's the right model in **The Gossard** for you), then give your attention to your gown, and you'll stand the biggest kind of chance of being pleased and satisfied with it, when it is complete!

To Introduce these Wonderful Corsets WE OFFER

No. 118 M. \$15.00 Gossard Corset, 13 clasp, white brocade Satin at.....	\$12.50
No. 119 E. \$10.00 Gossard Corset at.....	\$7.50
No. 111 M. \$5.00 Gossard Corset at.....	\$3.75

You could not buy these Corsets any cheaper if you bought them in New York. They outwear two of the ordinary Corsets.

Qualification

for compounding comes from long experience, careful training and the means for selecting drugs of the best quality. Our facilities, our equipment, our experience, and a complete stock of all drugs and chemicals especially invite your prescription. Trade here.

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PERSONALS.

David McKee is a quiet visitor to the city from Raton.

J. D. Hand boarded a night train last night for Denver.

Miss Alice Cavanaugh came in from Clayton yesterday.

Arthur Howard, of Chicago, books his cognomen at the Eldorado hotel.

C. Dawe is here from Trinidad but ton-holing dealers in his line of merchandise.

Charles Greenleaf is on a business trip to Denver, a city in which he formerly held forth.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Bergmans have returned to their home in Mora from a trip to this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mulholland, L. H. Darby and Warren E. Hall are in the city today from Denver.

Rev. M. E. Dutt came home yesterday from attendance at a religious gathering in El Paso, Texas.

Geo. K. Cowherd, a Santa Fe official at La Junta, is in the Meadow City today, in performance of duty.

Fred Elston returned last evening from Watrous, in which suburban town he displayed his ability as a brush artist.

H. E. Finney, the piano tuner, who enjoys a wide acquaintance in the southwest, has gone to Santa Fe for a few days.

Mrs. Marie Ritter and Mrs. Hattie A. Winger drove to town from Mesa ranch yesterday and put up at the El Dorado hotel.

Otto Lanza has returned to Watrous from Trinidad, accompanied by his family, who had spent the winter in the Colorado city.

N. R. Cullings, who has to do with the Santa Fe railway company, arrived here from his headquarters in Pueblo, Colo., last evening.

Prof. R. R. Larkin left for Santa Fe on No. 3 this morning, boarding the dining car for breakfast, as the train puffed out of the station.

H. C. Honan, Gilman City, Mo.; G. F. Friedberg, San Francisco; C. M. Rice and wife, Flagstaff, Ariz., are among the recent arrivals at Hotel La Pension.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Sellman of Milwaukee; P. P. Kelley, Utica, N. Y.; Fred H. Pullen, Pueblo; Karl H. Vesper, San Francisco; James Maginnis, Chicago, are among the several new guests at the Hotel Castaneda today.

Mrs. W. D. Pratt who has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Trainer, of this city, has returned to Santa Fe. She was accompanied to the Capital by her sister, Miss Lorraine Trainer, who will spend her vacation there.

Mrs. Dora E. Mason, daughter of J. De Pus, who is enroute from Denver to California to join her husband, stopped over here yesterday and was taken out to Lucero today by her father, who is with the Republic Mines Company at that Mora County town.

PRESIDENT TAFT PARDONS ALLEGED REVOLUTIONISTS

Leavenworth, Kas., June 4.—Encarnacion Diaz Guerra, leader of a conspiracy movement to invade Mexico and overthrow President Diaz, was pardoned by President Taft from the federal prison here this morning. Guerra arrived at the prison April 15 under 18 months sentence. The pardon came today.

Recent Deaths.

Juan de Dios Lucero died at his home on the West side yesterday, aged 70 years.

Josefina Delgado y Lucero, thirteen-year-old daughter of Mrs. Florentina de Delgado and of the late Nicolas delgado, succumbed to a prevailing fever yesterday.

News reaches this city from Conit, N. M., of the sad and untimely death in that town of Mrs. Anna Conrad, wife of Max Conrad, a former Las Vegas barber.

NOTED STONE RANCH NOT TO BE SOLD

That the famous Stone ranch in Weld county, Colo., is not to be sold to satisfy a judgment against it is the statement of Joseph E. Painter, a joint owner of the ranch. The ranch may be sold under a stipulation, says Mr. Painter but not under a judgment for the reason that no valid judgment exists against the property. Following is Mr. Painter's statement:

"There is no valid judgment at this time against the Stone ranch. The judgment held by Lute Wilcox is now pending in the supreme court on appeal. Of course, during the pendency of the appeal, it would be impossible to sell the property under the judgment."

"But it may be sold by stipulation. We are willing agree to a stipulation whereby the property may be sold by the receiver to the highest bidder, one-half the amount to be paid at the time of sale and the rest 10 days after the sale has been approved in court."

The Stone ranch extends one and one-half miles along Platte river at Masters, Weld county. James Tuckerman of Greeley is receiver. The ranch is one of the land marks of eastern Colorado, and its value has been estimated at \$60,000.

Lute Wilcox will be remembered by old-time residents of Las Vegas as a former city editor of The Optic.

PATHETIC SCENE IS ENACTED IN DIVORCE SUIT.

There was an affecting scene in the Garner divorce case in the district court room the other afternoon. A decree had been granted, legally separating man and wife, and the custody of the three children was about to be given to the mother by Chief Justice W. J. Mills, when Jesse Garner, aged but ten years, arose in court and objected to being consigned to the care and custody of his mother, stating that she had treated him with great cruelty, whipping and beating him unmercifully at times. Questioned about the matter, the mother declared that the boy had told a lie. This harsh utterance on the part of a mother against her own child, caused Judge Mills to change his mind concerning the custody of the lad. It was given to the father and father and son immediately left the court room arm in arm. However, not before the manly little fellow approached his unfeeling mother and bade her farewell with a shake of her hand.

KANSAS WANTS ONLY 17,000 FARM HANDS

Topeka, June 4.—The farmers of Kansas are crying for 17,000 hands to help them harvest their wheat crop this year. Charles Harris, free employment bureau director, has received reports from all his local agents in the state, and they show that the above number of men are needed.

"It wouldn't surprise me if this number is increased a couple of thousand," said Harris "The recent rains continue to bring the wheat crop out of the kinks."

The employment bureau is already sending men to the wheat fields in Southern Kansas. The farmers there say the crop will not be ready to harvest for a couple or three weeks, but they will give the men employment in other lines first.

MORA MAN DIES FROM A PECULIAR INJURY.

Jose L. Apodaca, a well known and respected resident of Mora, died recently at Fort Steele, Wyoming, his body having been brought home for burial on Tuesday.

It seems that he and a bartender in a saloon became engaged in a scuffle, during which deceased was struck in the face. A diamond ring on a finger of the bartender caused a slight scratch on the skin, from which blood-poisoning resulted and death ensued.

Mr. Apodaca is survived by a large family. He had been absent from home, engaged in profitable work, about two months.

"Reckless, Russell," known from one end of the country to the other as the daring one-legged bicycle rider, who does the high dive from a 75 foot run-way into a tank of shallow water, was in the city this afternoon between trains on his way to Kansas City from a tour of Mexico. While here Russell was the guest of J. Laubach, who has known him since he was a boy. Russell reported that his tour of Mexico netted him considerable money. Those who have seen his stunt will not begrudge him all the money he makes in this manner.

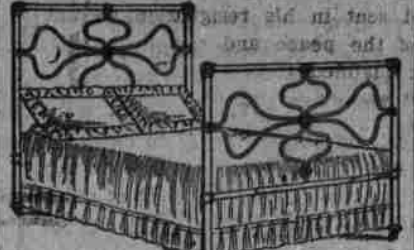
BIG JUNE SPECIALS.

All through the Store we are making big reductions for June.

BEDS

\$2.20 for Iron Bed, full size.

\$3.65 for a full-size Bed, exactly as cut below.



\$17.95 for a \$22.50 Brass Bed with 2 inch Posts.

\$22.85 for a \$29.50 Brass Bed with 2 inch Continuous Pillar.

Rug Specials

\$24.95 for the \$29.50 Heavy Axminster Smith's Rugs. Size 9 x 12 feet.

Just received a swell line of Couch Covers and Portiers.

\$10.95 for a Heavy Brussels Rug. Size 9 x 11 feet worth \$15.00.

\$10.35 for 9 x 12 feet Hodges Fibre Rugs, well worth \$14.50.



Opposite Y. M. C. A.

MEXICAN LOTTERY PROMOTERS ARRESTED

New York, June 4.—In the arrest of two men here last night the Post-office Department believes it has located the headquarters of the Mexican National lottery. Charles Packus was arrested in his apartments and many large packages of lottery tickets ready to be mailed were found. The addresses of many agents were also found in the Backus apartments. The postoffice inspector says the profits of the business have been enormous as no proof has been found that an actual lottery drawing has ever taken place.

JUNE RAINS HELP CROPS IN VICINITY OF BEULAH.

(Special Correspondence.)
Beulah, N. M., June 4.—Refreshing showers have fallen here in the past few days. These have greatly benefited crops of all kinds and the ranchers are feeling jubilant.

There has been a larger acreage of potatoes planted in this vicinity this spring than ever before and many new varieties are being experimented with.

Inquiries for camping grounds on the upper Pecos are coming in from people living in the humid regions and cottages are in demand. The resort at Rociada should be well patronized this summer as it is an ideal resort with beautiful surroundings and splendid climate.

Fred Corbett, of dairyman fame, smiled on the upper Pecos a time or two lately while Jack Renshaw is domineering the Stag ranch, and vows that he will not plant "until winter is over."

Charles Barker has gone to Santa Fe, where he enters the employ of the forest service as practical miner at an annual salary of \$1200 to encourage him in his work.

The Barker saw mill here last week turned down an order for over 50,000 board feet of lumber. Business seems to be picking up on every hand.

The Rev. W. H. Ashley, well remembered by Las Vegas as the principal of the former New West academy in this city, will deliver the sermon at the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning June 6. Prof. Ashley's many friends of earlier days will no doubt be delighted to hear him again in the pulpit and a large congregation is assured him at the services at this church.

At a meeting of Modern Woodmen of America, Wednesday evening, J. A. Burlington was elected chief forester of the order and began work with his team at once. C. Clay and Wm. Fetterman were appointed to positions that had been vacant for several weeks. Much pending business was dispatched at this lodge meeting, and a general good time was had by members present.

A regular monthly meeting of the E. Romero hose and fire company will be held this evening.

If you read it in The Optic it's so.

San Miguel National Bank of Las Vegas

CAPITAL PAID IN \$100,000.00 **SURPLUS \$50,000.00**

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Interest Paid on Time Deposits

OUTSIDE INTEREST

is apt to set you thinking. You're not expected to enthrone over some one else's finances. An accumulated SAVINGS BANK INTEREST will bring joy to your heart and help you out in time of trouble. Deposits large or small equally acceptable. Begin to-day—it's safer than tomorrow.

Las Vegas Savings Bank
OFFICE WITH San Miguel National Bank.

Two parties of homeseekers and land buyers reached the city from the east yesterday afternoon in the private excursion cars of the Edwards-Martin Land company, and the United Land company. The third car, that of the Gaylor-Keifer Realty company, is coming via Amarillo, Texas, and will not reach Las Vegas before Sunday.

A Wreck

is the only fit description for the man or woman who is crippled with rheumatism. Just a few rheumatic twinges may be the forerunner of a severe attack—stop the trouble at the start with Ballard's Snow Liniment. Cures the rheumatism and all pain. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Center Block Depot Drug Co.

A man isn't necessarily hot-headed because he wears a stove-pipe hat.

Hoarseness, bronchitis and other throat troubles are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar as it soothes and heals the inflamed throat and bronchial tubes and the most obstinate cough disappears. Insist upon having the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar. O. G. Schaefer and Red Cross Drug Co.

We don't know why the weather remains so treacherous; we are not arranging to give any picnic.

You Never Can Tell just exactly the cause of your rheumatism, but you know you have it. Do you know that Ballard's Snow Liniment will cure it?—relieves the pain—reduces the swelling and limbers the joints and muscles so that you will be as active and well as you ever were. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Center Block Depot Drug Co.

Telephone your news items to The Optic, Phone Main 2.

INSTANT RELIEF FROM DREAD CATARRH

Why don't you get rid of that nasty, humiliating disease catarrh?

You can do it if you really want to. But you can't cure catarrh in a few days, that's an utter impossibility, because there is no remedy known that will kill the catarrh germs in that short time.

But you can cure catarrh if you will have a little patience and breathe in Hyomei (pronounced High-o-mei) three or four times a day.

Hyomei cures catarrh by killing the germs and it kills the germs because it gets where the germs are. Hyomei is a powerful antiseptic and germ killer; it is made from the fluid extracted from the eucalyptus trees of inland Australia where catarrh has never existed.

It gives relief instantly, stops hacking in a few days and is guaranteed to cure catarrh, asthma, croup and bronchitis or money back. A complete outfit, including inhaler costs \$1.00, and extra bottles of Hyomei if afterward needed, cost but 50 cents. Sold by leading druggists everywhere.

"Hyomei certainly saved my life and I accord it the credit which it deserves and merits. There is nothing too strong for me to say regarding Hyomei."—Mrs. Ada Hopkins, 8 Cutter Ave., Coldwater, Mich., August 23, 1908.

MI-ONA Cures Indigestion

It relieves stomach misery, sour stomach, belching, and cures all stomach distress or money back. Large box of tablets 50 cents. Druggists in all towns.

Those steel frame extension window Screens at

Las Vegas Lumber Co.

WILL LAST FOREVER

Screen Doors All Sizes Screen Wire All Widths

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THE NEW "Worthmore" LINE—

Fine Shoes for Everybody

We've just got in a complete stock of the famous "Worthmore" fine shoes—made by Ellet-Kendall of Kansas City. See our unique window display and come in and get a Souvenir Style Book free.

15 SNAPPY STYLES
"THE RED TAG ON EVERY PAIR"

For men, \$3.50; for women, \$3.00; for children, \$2.50 to \$1.00. Every shoe made on honor—every shoe guaranteed—the price and trade-mark plainly stamped on every pair. If you are looking for the finest shoe made—here it is and at a price that proves real economy.

Comfort—Wear—Style

"Worthmore" Shoes are made of the finest, softest and most durable upper leather, oak soles, silk stitching, solid heels, fast color hooks and eyelets. They will give more comfort and wear longer than any shoe you ever wore. In the very latest styles for both men and women. You need a pair—why not today?

Full line of Radiant Hosiery, the make that wears so well.

WALSEN BLOCK, East Las Vegas, N. M.

Style No. 273
\$3.50

A. H. Reingrueber Brewing Co. of Las Vegas.

We are now making the finest beer in the Southwest. Boast home industry and telephone your orders to us for either keg or bottle beer.

PHONES MAIN 67, 61 and 32.

During June STAGE WILL LEAVE ROMERO MERCANTILE CO. FOR Porvenir

PHONE MAIN 20

Monday, 2:00 p. m.
Tuesday, 8:00 a. m.
Thursday, 8:00 a. m.
Friday, 2:00 p. m.
Saturday, 8:00 p. m.

Returning Leave Porvenir
PHONE 5174

Monday, 7:00 a. m.
Tuesday, 2:00 p. m.
Thursday, 2:00 p. m.
Friday, 7:00 a. m.
Saturday, 2:00 p. m.

Women Who Are Envid.

Those attractive women who are lovely in face, form and temper are the envy of many, who might be like them. A weak, sickly woman will be nervous and irritable. Constipation or kidney troubles show in pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. For all such, Electric Bitters work wonders. They regulate stomach, liver and kidneys, purify the blood; give strong nerves, bright eyes, pure breath, smooth, velvety skin, lovely complexion. Many charming women owe their health and beauty to them. 50c at all druggists.

A man isn't necessarily a failure because he has failed.

A Vital Point

The most delicate part of a baby is its bowels. Every ailment that it suffers with attacks the bowels, also endangering in most cases the life of the infant. McGee's Baby Elixir cures diarrhoea, dysentery, and all derangements of the stomach or bowels. Sold by Center Block Depot Drug Co.

You can throw most men off their feet by crowding them.

Many weak, nervous women have been restored to health by Foley's Kidney Remedy, as it stimulates the kidneys so they will eliminate the waste matter from the blood. Impurities depress the nerves, causing nervous exhaustion and other ailments. Commence today and you will soon be well. Pleasant to take. O. G. Schaefer and Red Cross Drug Co.

A Thrilling Rescue.

How Bert R. Lean, of Cheney, Wash., was saved from a frightful death is a story to thrill the world. "A hard cold," he writes, "brought on a desperate lung trouble that baffled an expert doctor here. Then I paid \$10 to \$15 a visit to a lung specialist in Spokane, who did not help me. Then I went to California but without benefit. At last I used Dr. King's New Discovery which completely cured me and now I am as well as ever." For lung trouble, bronchitis, coughs and colds, asthma, croup and whooping cough it's supreme. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

CUPID IN VAUDEVILLE

By W. CAREY WONDERLY

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At the stage door, a young and pretty woman, smartly gowned, wrung her hands and wept softly as the truckmen deposited several huge trunks upon the pavement.

"But these are of no earthly use to me here—I can do nothing with them," she cried. "Do you understand?—you have brought me my hotel trunks; see, they are marked hotel?—and you have evidently taken my theater trunks up to the Arlington house. Really, I don't know what to do!"

The truckmen stared stupidly from the girl to the trunks and then back again, grinning somewhat sheepishly.

"You'll have to report this error to headquarters, miss," one of them ventured at last. "It ain't our fault. We were sure told to bring these to the theater."

"But only see—they are marked hotel," she insisted, in tears. "All of my stage costumes are in the trunks at the hotel—these contain my street wardrobe. You are stupid—stupid!"

One of the men answered back in a sharp ugly tone of voice, making an uncomplimentary remark about actresses in general, and the others caught it up and echoed his sentiments; then, making sundry unpleasant remarks they turned on their heels and went back to their waiting truck.

Seeing their departure, the girl gave a final little cry, and a man, just coming out of the theater, turned and faced her.

"Is there anything wrong?—can I be of any service to you?" he inquired, quickly, in a low, even voice.

In a few words, she told him the trouble, explaining the situation and just how the miscarriage of her trunks placed her.

"All of my stage costumes are in them—the trunks at the hotel, you know. Without them I can do nothing," she ended, in a burst of confidence. "It—it is awful!"

"I understand," returned the man. "And the truckmen refuse to get the others for you?"

"They won't do anything," she cried. "They say I must go to headquarters and they will see to it, but I haven't the time. I must have the costumes right away or I will not be able to play to-night."

"I'll get your trunks," he answered, shortly, and there was a quiet strength in his tones, that carried conviction with it. The girl felt that he would get her trunks, and that very quickly.

"You are very good," she smiled back at him.

Looking, he saw that the truck had just turned the corner of the street, and that if he meant to act he must begin at once. He raised his voice and called loudly, but the men intentionally mistaking him, whipped up the horse and drove on with all possible speed.

"We'll make a run for it—come!" he cried, to the girl. "The scoundrels!—they'll pay for this!"

At the corner they found a cab, and putting her into it, the man bade the driver follow the truck.

On they sped through the crowded thoroughfare, dodging motors, giving way to the trolleys, and narrowly escaping pedestrians.

"We'll have them before we get to the next street," said the man, after a little silence. "They can't possibly keep up at this rate—the police will interfere, and I believe their horse is giving out. What time is it that you go on?"

"What time—why—I follow the intermission, about 9:45," she answered.

The man started. "There you are—you must be Miss D'Armonda," he cried in surprise.

"What makes you think that?" she asked, refusing to meet his gaze.

"Because Miss D'Armonda has the star position on the bill this week, and again, your face, I have seen you at the opera, I remember it all now. Last week at Boston, before that at Providence."

"Yes, yes, I played there certainly," she answered. "And now that you come to speak of it, I am sure that I have seen you."

"Possibly you have," he said, quietly. "Although as to your act—?" she began, and stopping, looked at him from under her lashes, waiting for him to set her right.

"I'm afraid you've never seen that," he finished for her, rather grimly.

"Of course, it's all nonsense, but you're not Jimmie Weldon, the monologist?" she smiled.

"No," he replied. Then, quickly: "We'll surely catch them at the next corner. See, their horse is gone—played out, poor beast!"

"Four old horses!" she echoed.

On they rolled in the darkness, through narrow streets, around dark corners, up steep hills and down again. The man arose and looking at his watch, called to the caddy to make all possible haste—the time was nine o'clock.

The fellow whipped up the horse who dashed suddenly forward, and turning into a cross street, they came sharply in contact with a west-bound trolley. It was all over in a second, but the man never forgot that fearful moment, when disentangling himself from the debris, he saw the girl's face, colorless, her eyes closed, starting at him.

"Look sharp here—a lady's hurt!" shouted a policeman, pushing his way through the gathering crowd of curious people.

But the man caught her up in his strong arms and carried her across the

street to a near-by druggist's. He walked up and down outside the shop, thinking intensely, while within the physician worked over her. He remembered her now—remembered her!—why he had never forgotten her face a second since he had first seen it, three weeks ago! He remembered how at first he had determined to know her and how he had decided ultimately that such a course would only bring unhappiness to both of them perhaps. So he had tried to avoid her because of what he was and what he had thought her to be—avoid her although he loved her.

And now perhaps she was dying. He entered the shop and approached the physician.

"She is recovering—nothing serious," the man assured him. "Only a fainting spell."

He returned to the open and resumed his tireless walking back and forth. What could he do—what? She would ask him his name, he must in all sincerity tell her and when he did tell her she would know—the truth about him.

She was Miss D'Armonda, a bright, popular vaudeville favorite and he was only—

"Here I am!" said a voice at his shoulder.

He turned and found her standing at his side, a little pale and tired-eyed, but smiling bravely withal.

"I'm sorry I was so silly—I believe I must have fainted," she said, softly. "Oh, as for that, I was afraid—"

"Of what?" she demanded.

"That you were hurt—badly," he replied.

"But I'm not—not a scratch. I only fainted. It was silly of me, wasn't it?"

"No, womanly, and above all things I most admire—" He stopped, remembering the grief which stretched between them.

But she met his glance bravely. "You most admire—what?" she demanded.

"A—womanly woman, I was going to say," he told her, laughing lightly.

"Then I'm rather glad I fainted—just as the heroines do in novels," she smiled, demurely.

He made no reply to this last sentence but called a hansom. The truck had long ago disappeared and the only thing left to do was to return to the theater. It was useless to follow them now.

He put her carefully into the cab and jumped in beside her. The horse started off at a comfortable pace, his hoofs ringing pleasantly on the asphalt street.

Presently she said: "I've got something to tell you. Its—its awful."

"Hardly that," she replied. "Tell me about it."

"But it is. I've deceived you, Ned," she said bravely struggling to command her voice.

"You mean?"

"That I am not Miss D'Armonda. There, its out, and I'm glad—I'm not Miss D'Armonda! I only said I was because—because—I wanted you to think me great, famous, a vaudeville star, while in reality I am only big maid."

"Thank God!" came his answer simply.

She nestled closer to him in the darkness of the hansom. "You—you mean it—you're glad?" she cried.

"Oh, you couldn't have understood."

"Yes, glad, very glad, little girl," he replied, heartily.

"But you—you are—?" she began, very much puzzled.

"I am Fagan—Fagan, that's all, Mr. Jimmie Weldon's dresser," he nodded, laughing happily.

MIXED ON HISTORIC FACTS.

Australian Had Much to Learn as to Our Revolutionary War.

An Australian traveling in Japan fell into a mixed company in which were an English girl and an American woman. He made himself agreeable to the American at the start by remembering that Americans are accustomed to ride over Niagara Falls in tubs. Then he switched to the War of the Revolution.

"The whole thing was," he said, "that the colonies refused to send England troops to aid her in a foreign war, so the motherland resolved to subdue her naughty children."

"I guess you have confused it with the war in Africa," said the American. "The Boer war has been so long drawn out you thought it was the same as the American revolution."

The little English girl saw there was a misunderstanding somewhere.

"There was something about stamps in it," she suggested meekly, "that caused some of the trouble."

"Something about stamps caused a revolution?" demanded the Australian. "Do you mean a stampede, or merely postage stamps? Did the rage for collecting exist in those days?"

But no one enlightened him on this and he was left to assort history to suit himself—Woman's Heart of Japan.

Boy Shot Through Tube

A novel experiment to demonstrate the practicability of a pneumatic parcel carrier was recently tried in Chicago. The "parcel" shot through a short length of sample tube was a 13-year-old boy. He traveled at the rate of 18 miles an hour, and was in no way the worse for the journey. J. M. Masten, superintendent of the railway mail service, and Postmaster Campbell of Chicago witnessed the experiment, as representatives of the post office department, which is looking into the device. The inventor declares that with a tube between New York and Chicago mail can be shot from one city to the other in seven hours.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

Territory of New Mexico—Office of the Secretary—Certificate of Comparison—J. Nathan Jaffa, Secretary of the Territory of New Mexico, do hereby certify that there was filed for record in this office at One o'clock p. m. on the twenty-fourth day of May, A. D. 1909, articles of Incorporation of The Las Vegas Transit Company, No. 5974, and also, that I have compared the following copy of the same, with the original thereof now on file, and declare it to be a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole thereof.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the Territory of New Mexico, at the City of Santa Fe, the Capital, on this twenty-fourth day of May, A. D. 1909.

(Seal) NATHAN JAFFA Secretary of New Mexico.

State of Colorado—Office of the Secretary of State—United States of America, State of Colorado, as—Certificate—J. James B. Pearce, Secretary of State of the State of Colorado, do hereby certify that the annexed is a full, true and complete transcript of the articles of Incorporation of The Las Vegas Transit Company, which was filed in this office the twelfth day of May, A. D. 1909, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., and admitted to record.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of Colorado, at the City of Denver, this Fifteenth day of May, A. D. 1909.

(Signed) JAMES B. PEARCE Secretary of State.

(Seal of the State of Colorado)

Know all men by these presents, That we, Harry Kelly and Secundino Romero, residents of Las Vegas, in the county of San Miguel, and Territory of New Mexico, and James R. Thorpe, Orin S. Moore and William A. Moore, residents of the city and county of Denver, in the State of Colorado, have associated ourselves together as a corporation under the name and style of The Las Vegas Transit company for the purpose of becoming a body corporate and politic under and by virtue of the laws of the state of Colorado and accordance with the provisions of the laws of the said state, we do hereby make, execute and acknowledge in duplicate this certificate in writing of our intention so to become a body corporate under and by virtue of the said laws.

The corporate name and style of our said corporation shall be The Las Vegas Transit Company.

The objects for which our said corporation is formed and incorporated are to acquire by purchase, lease or other wise a street railway system or street railway lines operated by electricity or other motive power for the carriage of passengers, mail, express, freight and sprinkling cars over, upon and through any and all streets, roads or other thoroughfares in the city of Las Vegas, and in the former town of Las Vegas, and in the county of San Miguel in the Territory of New Mexico; and to own, maintain, operate and extend the same, said street railway now connecting the city of Las Vegas with the said former town of Las Vegas; to acquire by purchase, lease or otherwise and to equip, maintain, use and operate power plants and stations for the manufacture and production of electricity or other motive power, and to use, lease or sell the electric or other power so produced; to buy or lease from others electricity or other motive power for the operation of the said street railway and to operate the same either by means of the trolley electric system, or by means of electricity in any form now known, or which may hereafter be discovered and susceptible of use as a motive power, or by any other kind or kinds of mechanical motive power which in the judgement of the board of directors of said company may be deemed advisable for the use, maintenance and operation of the said street railway system, and any extensions or extensions thereof; to acquire by purchase or otherwise, any and all franchises, easements, rights, privileges and immunities now or hereafter owned, held or claimed by others which may be necessary or useful in carrying out the objects above named; to acquire by purchase or otherwise, stock, and bonds of other corporations and to hold sell or otherwise dispose of the same; to acquire by purchase, lease or otherwise and to hold, own and use real and personal property necessary, convenient or proper for the business of the said company; to borrow money and to issue bonds or other evidence of indebtedness, and secure the same by

mortgage or deed of trust upon its franchises and property, real, personal and mixed, of whatever description and whereever situate; and to do all things necessary, convenient or incidental to the accomplishment of the objects above named.

The capital stock of our said corporation is one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000.00) to be divided into fifteen hundred (1500) shares of one hundred dollars (\$100) each and said stock shall be non-assessable.

Our said corporation is to exist for the term of twenty years commencing with the date of the filing of these articles of incorporation in the office of the secretary of state.

The affairs and management of our said corporation are to be under the control of a board of five (5) directors, and Harry Kelley, Secundino Romero, James R. Thorpe, Orin S. Moore and William A. Moore are hereby selected to act as said board of directors and to manage the affairs and concerns of the said corporation for the first year of its existence and until their successors are elected, and the following persons are hereby designated as officers of the said company during the first year, viz: James R. Thorpe, president; Harry Kelley, vice-president; Orin S. Moore, treasurer, and Charles K. Durbin, secretary.

The operations of our said corporation in the state of Colorado will be carried on in the city and county of Denver, and will also be carried on in San Miguel county, Territory of New Mexico, and the principal place and business office of the said corporation shall be located in the City and County of Denver, and state of Colorado aforesaid.

Our said corporation is formed for the purpose of carrying on part of its business beyond the limits of the state of Colorado, to-wit, in the county of San Miguel, in the territory of New Mexico, and meetings of the board of directors of the said company may be held beyond the limits of the state of Colorado, and in San Miguel county, New Mexico.

The board of directors shall have power to make such prudential by-laws as they may deem proper for the management of the affairs of this corporation according to the statutes in such case made and provided.

In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals on this 3rd day of May, A. D. 1909.

SECUNDINO ROMERO, (Seal). HARRY W. KELLEY, (Seal). JAMES R. THORPE, (Seal). ORIN S. MOORE, (Seal). WILLIAM A. MOORE, (Seal).

Territory of New Mexico, County of San Miguel, ss

I, Wm. G. Haydon, a notary public in and for the said county in the territory aforesaid, do hereby certify that Harry Kelley and Secundino Romero, who are personally known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the annexed and foregoing certificate of incorporation, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that they signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument of writing as their free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and notarial seal this 3rd day of May, A. D. 1909. My commission expires January 15th 1913.

WM. G. HAYDON, Notary Public.

(Notarial Seal) State of Colorado, City and County of Denver, ss

I, Julian H. Moore, a notary public in and for the said city and county in the state aforesaid, do hereby certify that James R. Thorpe, Orin S. Moore and William A. Moore, who are personally known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the annexed and foregoing certificate of incorporation appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that they signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument of writing as their free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and notarial seal this 5th day of May, A. D. 1909. My commission expires May 26, 1912.

JULIAN H. MOORE, Notary Public.

(Notarial Seal) Endorsed, No. 49472, articles of incorporation of The Las Vegas Transit Company, domestic. Filed in the office of the secretary of state, of the state of Colorado, on the 12th day of May, A. D. 1909, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. Recorded in book—page—

JAMES B. PEARCE Secretary of State. By Thomas F. Dillon, Jr. Deputy.

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Territory of New Mexico—Office of the Secretary—Certificate of Comparison—J. Nathan Jaffa, Secretary of the Territory of New Mexico, do hereby certify that there was filed for record in this office at One o'clock p. m., on the twenty-fourth day of May, A. D. 1909, statement designating agent and place of business in New Mexico of The Las Vegas Transit Company, No. 5975, and also, that I have compared the following copy of the same, with the original thereof now on file, and declare it to be a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole thereof.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the Territory of New Mexico, at the City of Santa Fe, the Capital, on this twenty-fourth, day of May, A. D. 1909.

(Seal) NATHAN JAFFA, Secretary of New Mexico.

Statement by the Las Vegas Transit Company.

The Las Vegas Transit Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the state of Colorado, does hereby, pursuant to the laws of the Territory of New Mexico, state and certify as follows:

1. That the amount of its authorized capital stock is one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000.00), and the amount actually issued is seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000.00).

2. The character of the business which it is to transact in the Territory of New Mexico is to own and operate a street railway system in the City of Las Vegas and vicinity, San Miguel county, New Mexico, and to do all things necessary, convenient or incidental to the carrying on of the above stated business.

3. Its principal office in the Territory of New Mexico will be at the City of Las Vegas.

4. Said company hereby designates William G. Haydon, a person of full age, actually resident at the City of Las Vegas, in the Territory of New Mexico, as its agent, upon whom process against said company may be served and said agency shall continue until the substitution by writing of another agent.

This statement is made in accordance with the laws of the Territory of New Mexico and pursuant to a resolution of the board of directors of said company.

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solution of the board of directors of said company.

In witness whereof said The Las Vegas Transit company has caused these presents to be signed in its name by James R. Thorpe, its president, and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed by Charles K. Durbin, its secretary, this 15th day of May, A. D. 1909.

THE LAS VEGAS TRANSIT COMPANY. (Signed) By James R. Thorpe, President.

(Corporate Seal) Attest: (Signed) C. K. Durbin, Secretary.

Endorsed: Foreign, No. 5975, Cor. Rec'd Vol. 5 page 615, statement designating agent and place of business of The Las Vegas Transit Company. Filed in Office of Secretary of New Mexico, May 24, 1909, 1 p. m. Nathan Jaffa, Secretary. Compared C. F. K. to O. 1-23

Notice to All Whom it May Concern.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the undersigned was on the 12th day of April, A. D. 1909, appointed executor of the last will and testament of James R. Smith, deceased. All persons having claims against the said James R. Smith, deceased, must present them within the time prescribed by law.

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WEATHER REPORT

June 3, 1909.
Temperature—Maximum 89; minimum, 49; range 49.
Humidity—6 a. m., 81; 12 m., 23; 6 p. m., 28; mean 33.
Forecast—Fair tonight and Saturday.

LOCAL NEWS.

Peter Roth is very ill of pneumonia at his home north of town.

Porch Furniture at Gehring's.

Fraternal Brotherhood Friday night, election of officers, all members are requested to be present.

Mrs. Manuel A. Sanchez, wife of the ex-county assessor, has just undergone a delicate surgical operation.

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L. C. Witten is manager of the opera house temporarily in the absence of James S. Duncan, Jr.

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P. D. Yochum, of Denver, and Carrie Graves, of this city, were married by Rev. H. Van Valkenburgh yesterday.

Second hand runabouts, surreys, top buggies and spring wagons for sale at Cooley's, prices right.

Order your cream from T. T. Turner.

Remember the meeting at W. T. Reed's barber shop this evening for the reorganization of the Las Vegas Gun club.

No fishing or hunting allowed at L. H. Mossmann ranch.

Do you need a rug? We have all kinds. F. J. Gehring.

Joe Jackson of 714 Main avenue was the lucky person to get the set of dishes at the Las Vegas Mercantile Co.'s this week. Your tickets are still good come and bring them with you at 2:30 next Friday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Hernandez several days ago. They are prouder of the

little one than when it first came to them and it is not a moment too late to mention the fact of its birth in the home paper.

Have you seen the twentieth century ice cream freezer at Gehring's?

The children's day exercises, announced for Sunday, June 6 at the Baptist church, have been postponed to future date.

Call up Main 276 for carnations and other cut flowers. Floral designs made up on short notice. Perry Onion.

Florentino Montoya will begin the work of grading the army grounds with a force of men, Monday morning.

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Ransford Chapter, Order Eastern Star, will hold a special meeting tonight. The grand Secretary, Miss Minnie Miller, of Albuquerque, and the Grand Worthby Matron, will make an official visit to the lodge and therefore it is specially desired that all members attend the meeting.

Are you cleaning house? Do you need any linoleum? If so, it will pay you to investigate our complete line of linoleum and floor oil cloth. F. J. Gehring.

The dwelling of Robert Stapp, a former Springer saloonkeeper and who is now engaged in the wet hardware business at Corona, N. M., was destroyed by fire in the latter town last Tuesday.

A number of bills were audited and allowed at a meeting of the directors of Las Vegas Sugar Beet Growers' association yesterday afternoon. Other business of moment were also transacted.

Secundino Flores, who was caretaker of the park in the plaza last season, did his work so faithfully and well that he has again been employed in this capacity. It is said of him that he is at work watering the grass and flowers as early as 4 o'clock some mornings when the sun had been beating down fiercely the day before.

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It is likely that the territorial grand jury will reach an adjournment this afternoon, make its report to the court, and be discharged from further deliberations. It is understood that twenty or more indictments have been found and landed in.

Rev. P. D. Yochum, pastor of the African M. E. church in this city, has also been appointed by Rev. W. H. Prince, his presiding elder, to the pastorate of the church of this denomination in Santa Fe. He preached his first sermon in the Capital city last Sabbath.

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