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DOORS AND BREM

#### Report of The Grand Jury.

In the District roort of the Pant Honorable John R. McFie, who has To he Hodoratio John R. Mel'le., Supreme court of New Mexico.

shan at the present lime. Our laws dered by him, and those that have been bered in Autoc. they have aboved and upholo, and the taken the judgement of the lower court for came that have been presented to be has always been sustained. His manner flotb parties in San Juna county have been of a trivial character. We on the heach and sie kindness to those have put up strong men with clear re-Isoment excess dingly the fact that a nume who name in contact with aim, his piens cords, and the consequence is that per of prisoners may respect from our and mannes and his face dealings are too neighbors will be neighbors and friends jail during the past year, and while we well know throughout this distract for friends after election just so before. No can be condemn the officers of the faw, further comment and the people of the mudelinging, makes or ill feeling has we feel that the county larger about I county of San Joan, Irrespective of party grown up from the efforts for election. are in the town to which the juris to fare more than satisfied with the resp. This is a leadthy condition and insures. case to We recommend ment strongly pointment of Judge McPus, the repairing of our just or the build. The lotered that he takes in every is over.

the funds of the county are safely goard. to the eyes of spectators when he is price beld for that purpose: ed. We therefore congratulate the citi noncoing sentence. sees of the county of San June on the most careful and parastaking.

which gives in minute detail the stand religious convictions. books of this officer is kept in a the- is a well known fact that in his Supreme vember, A, D 1902, commencing at 8 a. rough and business-like manner and court work he is niways on time with m, and closicy at 5 p. m. of said day, an that the tunds collected by him are not opinions. only in competent hands but are safely goarded and preserved, that the manner of Judge McFie, we can only say that the county of San Juan territory in which the business of this office is he is a man among men, an honor to the of New Mexico, at which election confinered, is not soly most comend bar and beach and one to whom all the candidates shall be voted for by the able to the court, but must be most people who know him lays and esteem. legally qualified electors in each preindebtedness of the county amounts bright star which he has already proved United States. I am report above that the minute, man on the bencir for many years as a ; \$21,100.00, that the tapes on the assess | to be . ment book for the year, 1902 amount to \$19, 362.00, that the total amount of taxes on assessment rolls that are unvollected amounts to \$47,949,49, and, if fifty per cent of this amount could be cu lacted, it would more than cancel the outstanding indebtedness, This could not be shown unless the books and ucvounts of the treasurer and collector of the county were kept in a most careful manner and by a competent person, such as we have in the said office.

We heartily congratulate ourselves thost completed our county court-house, It is most gratifying to us to know that we have at last socceeded in fulfilling county, looking after his fences. a desires to have a building worthy of our fair county for the transaction of county business, and the citizens of this county feel most gratful to those who sucuroestly worked and assisted us to arranging our business offsire in such a manner that it was possible for us to erect this edifice, which will ever remain as a montunent to the integrity and business-like manner in which our affairs have been managed,

We desire to thank your honor and all protected, the court officials for their courtesy to this body, and now having concluded surveyors instrument and use your land nor labors, we most respectfully ask for lines and ditch levels to equal the best. our discharge. Respectfully submitted Price Walters, forcours of the Grand Muey.

Hon. J. H. Crist, candidate for notes to are in hange that will protect and I. W. Dannels ton the Democratic ticket with foster thom. ull on the Democratic ticket, with his wife casas in this evening and will while in the sounty a few days.

#### Committee Meeting.

Pursuant to the call of the executive com-

V. M. Tonkiberm to fill vacaction Freent H. H. Enowhou and F. V. Williams with the foundation by seesy. Having full the people of Santa Fe equaled only by bester to act and there being a vacancy ranged the people of Santa Fe equaled only by the sweignatum of L. O. Ward for the good wiches of his San Juan county follows of probably remain with Midute presented for this version, it was deeided to lears this vacance unfilled and the minimum of the county cantral committee rest up, was no instrumed.

Leonard Bast, chairman of the county pentral committee requested of the executive combuffire imappoint all againment to confine the Deposit coming election puring to his being obverwise convent, therefore the executive boundation appointed M. R. Soots as such

The executive committee adjourned paybunning to the mill of Lemmets Bout, the chair-

hand of the Espatitions sound countries com-Danne this Bullday of October, A. D. 1803 at e, county seas of San July seems

H. H. FNOWERDS, F. V. WILLIAMS.

Mr. E. G. Athestr, by I district attorner, has preven bless if he able conculations sifteenit, treating all in a gentlemanty Carries in Stock a Complete Line manner and attending to his duties he at of imported I riest there though way to encourage the people in heing Collins, Cusketo, Isto. brokedy in his district.

#### Judge McFle.

Grand jury of the county of San Juan son Judge of the Third Judicial Destrict turns church gave a butar and supper and territory or Now Mexico, duly pan and promdellower the courts in that at which a splendid programme con niel and aware for the said term, he'e. district for four years. In 1806 he was idered by local talent at which Mr. Ber- soulp good. by streams to your horse our final res appointed by President McKinley Judge, here materially assisted by several in-

ing of a new one, as in its present cor- portion of the district that he rists is dition it is negate to keep criminals goted by the esteem in which he is held therein, these facts will be slearly shown by all classes of people, he is always enby the report of the committee hereto couraging those who are interested in the poard of county commissioners in the wellfure of their towns and his ad each of the countries of the territory of Our extractible appointed to inspect vise to even criminals he has to entence New Mexico to proclaim an election to the county books, have reported that is such that it would be very hard for be held in their respective counties for the county bears, that the books are well kept them to feel otherwise than kindly to the purpose of voting for candidates for wards him, be talks to them like a father the several county offices for the ensuand in a husiness-like manner, and that would a son and very often tours come ing two years at a general election to be

His family relations are of the warmwe especially denied to draw your Cuban war and now negative and paragraphs of the first Monday in November is designated by law for the bolding of said of the especially denied to draw your Cuban war and now negative to draw your cuban your cuban war and now negative to draw your cuba We especially desire to draw your Cuban war and our engaged in commernonor's affection to the excellent classersaits is the Phillipine Islands, thorough and complete report made by He is a member of the Presbyterian our county freasurer and collector, church and is sincere and loyal to his

ing of our county. We find that the As a worker he is indefatinable and it

restles in to tink for a price of the come of the course of the sour almost with that be may re-digit

## Notes.

Every voter in the county can vote the Domineratio ticket from top to bottom and feet that he has voted a good ticket, they are clean capable men. It is the duty of the parties to put up non capable and honest, this the Dem-

ocrate of San Juan county have done. Roy Stewart will call court as sheriff nest ferm. Boone Vaughan will assess avery man

and the citizens of the county of Sian according to the value of his property Juan, and the court itself in having at and get all the property on the tax rolls. Ricardo Archaleta is over in Judge Pendiston's strong hold, Rio Arriba

Bert Thomas is a San Juan county boy capable and willing, he will visit all of the schools after Japuary attending THE FIRST National Bank to his duties as superintendant.

W. G. Binok, an treasurer will guard the finances of San Juan county after Capital, \$25,000

It will be Judge Marceline Garcia after election, estates and dependant

Charley Holly can look through a With J. B. Williams and Gao, H. Browns as commissioners all the people will feel the inferest of San Juan coun-

Charles V. Sufford, our Charley, came in with the court and will raport its procoedings. He is the same cheerful, genial Charley and everybody is glad to see him, sauke his hand and talk it over, mittee, F. V. Williams, H. H. Knowines and His business ability coupled with an integrily bounded by right because it is WUUN AIN us a week or so after court adjourns and

> If your old watch does not ran let mu trade you she wonafor it, of C. Warings

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#### R Week of Pleasure.

This has been a week of guyety, as Judicial [univer of the territory of New just completed a successful term of well as footness in Autop. On Monday Mexico, in smil for the county of Bao court in this county is now serving his night the Rebella have a dates Juan for the October A. D. 1902 term. third term as Associate Justice of the and support the hall which was well attenderant thoroughly enjoyed, Thurs Up to Date Shop and Work. diedge of the said owert. Sir-We the He was appointed by President Harri day avening the Ladies of the Presby. of the First Judicial Distant and in strumental selections which were wall We have long in assaion five days, torse examined thirty witnesses who have been stransported by President received, but Mr. Bergers has become now the have been stransported to the same position.

Judge McFie is beenly New Maxica plantamental selections which so well known to him Judge that has ever been appointed to ward to his visit with a great deal of the plantament of the plantamen and in one case that has been referred to succeed from sift, and his autions on the plausure. Mr. Sens by his well renderus have not found an indictment.
We congratulate the county on the appointed him have made no meatable. soull amount of criminal business, and His decisions have been so fair and the Thorn will be snother dance in the built have most happy to state that one county partial that but very few appeals have tought, these with several dinner purnever was 10 a more peaceful condition laver taken taken from a judgement ren- tien have made this a week to be reprem-

good capable officers when the election (

#### Election Proclamation.

Whereas by law it is made the duty of

And whoreas, the first Tuesday after

Therefore the board of county commissioners of San Juan county at a regular session held in Axten the sounty seat of said county, hereby designate and order as follows:

That on Tuesday the 4th day of Noelection shall be held in the various pre-In summing up the whole character cincts at the usual voting places within a for the fall wear.

Two members of the legislative coon-

One probate judge.
One clerk of the probate court.
Two members of the bound of county

nanissioners. One school superistendant. Ore sheriff. One amessor. One treasurer and ex-officio collector,

One county surveyor.
In witcess whereof, I have this 6th day of October, A. D. 1902, at Axtec, N. affixed my band and official seal. E. Koones, chairman board county commissioners San Juan county. Attest: L. C. Greve, Clerk. By Joe Prewitt, deputy.

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ed at Farmington, New Mexico, this Itsh AF OF September, A. B. BOY C. PREWITT.

First publication, September 18, 1903, Last publication, October 17, 1902, Notice of Trustee's sule. Bous or fees.

Dated at Farmington, New Mexico, this 17th day of September, A. D. 1907.

BOUEHT C. PHEWIFF, Trustee.

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foot to organize a broom trust. The sultan has again promised to be good. It's a way the sultan has,

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Germany is beginning to think the Buto invasion worse than the American invasion.

Lucky is the Chinese diplomat who comes to this country. It is not only more sociable, but safer.

As the late Horace Biglow would say, the underpinning of Venice is purty consid'ble , it of f'int.

Some persons might think that eating fifty ears of green corn was about as pleasant a way to die as any.

bered as the man who thought he was posted on the whims of the stork. A noiseless mosquito is no two

Prof. Schenk will always be remem-

provement on the other kind. It leaves him too much time for actual business. How many loving wives will envy

of a check for \$200,000 from her hus-King Edward has confounded the soothsavers, and that's not a small

job, even for a man who weighs 250 The Chicago discovery that the color yellow scares away mosquitoes won't

help women to whom yellow is not be-

scoming. Grand Duke Boris says Chicago is big and ugly, but good-hearted. The game thing may be said of John L.

Sullivan. - 0 J. Pierpont Morgan, it is said, refuses to "tip" hotel waiters. This is another of the advantages of being

\$18,000,000 cost Mr. Schwab his est with bashful reluctance; "only health, and it was not very hard he is so-so kind and so superior. I'm work either.

all-powerful.

other girls again.

was shot by the genial gentleman | me in that lovely white evening gown. who offered to treat him. This did He might as well have patted me on not happen in Texas.

As the Chinese rebels are being executed at the rate of 1,000 a day, it is predicted that the rebellion will not last more than a year.

crape on its door for the seorchobo- would make a saint put on airs." ist who parts company with life at an 80-miles an hour gait.

sick dog and lost his house when the him"-whispers of "Oh, Alice!"-"If animal wagged his tall has by this you really think he's worth while, that time learned that cruelty does not is, you must make him see that you

York, according to The Jewish laugh at him. He'd probably go off pretty strong claim to being the New fawn at your feet. Isn't that so, Mar-Jerusalem.

mined to suppress lotteries, they think that 'Tamer Number Two' would should suppress the mail. The aver- suit his case admirably." age man's mail is a whole lot of lottery to him.

A Boston landlord who tried to collect his rent in kisses from a pretty that concelled West Point cadet." widow was fined \$25. There are some freakish landlords and peculiar widows in Boston.

in the yacht races.

Mr. Schwab leaves his home in a nic behind a team of mules.

All other theories regarding the sulcide of young Remington may be disregarded since the fact became known that his last act before the shooting was an experience with a relephone.

If the crown prince of Siam has read what the newspapers have been saying about the crown prince of Germany he may think a second time before venturing into the American girl's country.

A great many young women in England are gaining social prominence by being reported engaged to Lord Kitchener, but the hero of the South African war appears to be successfully conducting his famous skirmish line

A Kentucky girl who has had 150 offers of marriage has decided to remain single and devote her life to musie. When she gets on the stage, however, she will probably cease to regard marriage as a thing to be much drended.

A Chicago man has been denied the privilege of crossing Niagara Falls on m tight rope. This is quite proper. by is much better that he should await the regular visit of the fool killer.

A Kentucky undertaker became in mane after conducting 36 funerals in 21 days. He is probably one of those men who cannot stand prosperity.

A New York orchestra leader has quit rather than play for a troupe of trained monkeys. Hurrah! Art hum't been completely knocked out yet.

# ·SHARRENS

Since you are gone, I know not where to wing my thought—
What star to make my message bearer through the night.
Upon what breeze to loose for homeward evening flight
The dreams that found alway with you the nest they wought.

Ever, the while I knew where you were housed, and where You sat in quiet when day's frome and

frot were done.

It was my joy to pray the air, the stars, the sun, To bear my love that it might reach and bless you there. But now I have not any goal for all my dream, And it and love fly aimless in the

chilly night. In your new window, pray you set a little light, That they may guide their lonely wan-dering by its gleam.

-Douglas Humingway in Munsey.



#### Tamer Number Two.

BY PAUL PERELL. (Copyright, 1995, by Dally Story Pub. Co.)
"There are various ways to tame them," said the girl with the big pompadour, "the best of which might be classed under the general head of

"Yes," said the cute girl, curled gracefully in the wicker chair, "pune-Mrs. John R. Drexel her birthday gift ture a man's conceit, make him ridiculous and you have him on the road to regeneration."

> The youngest girl sat on the veranda | gets his blindfold off." steps with her hands clasped over her knees and gazing dreamlly across do any good-in my case, I mean?" the lawn. "I wish-" she began, then stopped and sighed gently.

"What is it, innocence?" asked the pompadour girl. "Why, you're blushing! Have the monsters been troubling you, too? Aren't even the children safe?"

"I'm eighteen," replied the gir! on the steps, unclasping her hands and sitting up very straight, "and I come out next winter."

"But you're fearfully youthful, just the same; and if any man or boy has been mean to you it is the duty of old campaigners like us to stop it. Comz, now, what is it?" "Oh, he hasn't been mean or any-

The work of amassing a fortune of thing like that," answered the youngsure he classes me with his small sister. They say he's scarcely thirty, When last heard from the crown yet the very first time we met he prince of Germany was beginning to called me 'Bessie' as though I were eat solids and cast shy glances at in short dresses. Come to think of it, I was playing golf with my hair in a braid, but that was no reason why he W. C. Mead refused a drink and should have kept it up after he saw the head."

> "I supose you mean Wilford English," said the cute girl, patiently. "Why, yes-didn't I say so?"

"No, you simpleton. Now that's just why he behaves as he does. He can't help seeing that you consider him The world at large hangs very little | too splendid for anything; and that "Hush Alice som

"But everybody knows it already, The man who tied dynamite to his I tell you, if you ever hope to get consider him quite beneath your notice. You might make him do any-There are 600,000 Jews in New thing silly or ridiculous and then World. That city can now present a in a huff, to return before long and

jorie? "I think," said the one thus ap-If the United States mail is deter- pealed to, in thoughtful tones, "I

> "Tamer Number Two'?" "We had several 'tamers' at school, but this was the best. Alice and I worked it beautifully last summer on "Oh, Mr. English isn't conceited.

But do tell me about it." "It's very simple. All you need is an obliging small boy-preferably As a result of an automobile acci- about ten years old-and a sofadent Sir Thomas Lipton received a preferably one with a high back. You shock. But it didn't trouble him. He place the boy behind the sofa and is used to shocks. He received a few then after making yourself, oh, terribly agreeable to the young man, invite him to come and sit beside you. Then you ask him if he wouldn't like private car, but just now he no doubt to learn a new game that is all the would be glad to trade places with rage in London or Paris or any other a man of sound nerves going to a pic- place you happen to think of. He says yes, of course, whereupon you take a



The youngest girl sat on the veranda steps with her hands clasped over her knees.

"Certainly he would-and what do you suppose he would do?" big handkerchief or scarf and blindfold him tight. When you're sure he his shoulder. I was terribly ashamed can't see you say: 'Are you ready?' and had to hide my face somewhere. He replies, 'Yes,' which is the signal I don't remember exactly what hapfor the boy behind or under the sofa, pened next; but he smoothed my hair who immediately steals around in and soothed me as though I were ten front and throws his arms around years old-acted exactly as he always | teen and a half; at St. Petersburg. your concelled young man's neck and | does - and - well, we're engaged, kisses him."

Elitabeth's blue eyes had grown tell you." wider and wider as the recital pro- "Now I call that a remarkable sucgrossed. "Oh, Marjorte!" she cried, cass," declared the pompadour girl. "how could you do such a thing? He'd think it was you!"

amining the tip of her shoe. "Yes, you do; the man doesn't exist who, under such provocation, won't return the kisses with interest, until he discovers that his attentions are being wasted on a small boy, by which time you have disappeared, with a mocking laugh trailing behind

"As the boys say," put in Alice, "you depart, giving him the merry ha-ha." If you can have a select gallery concealed somewhere about the premises so much the better. You have no idea how sheepish the man looks when he

"But, Alice, are you sure it would "Assuredly. Humble a man and

you have him at your mercy," The conversation was brought to a sudden close by the appearance of a broad-shouldered youth, who stalked up the path and said, with a self-confident air, "Come on, take a sail, Bessie; there's a darling breeze."

The youngest girl cast a glance at her companions that seemed to say, "There, you see?" although she rose with alacrity and replied, "Thanks,



I wound a great big napkin around his head.

Mr. English; I'd love to go. Good- novice in the art of bedecking himbye, girls," and the couple departed self compared with him. On arriving toward the lake.

It was late afternoon of the second his ostentatious way into the operatday after the preceding conversation | ing room of the fair artist, and came and Marjorle and Alice had just descended in their prettiest dinner frocks, when the youngest girl came flying down the long veranda to fling herself into the arms of first one and then the other.

"You dear things!" she cried, all out of breath. "It's all on account of you! It just happened, and I could hardly wait to tell you!" "Did you actually try "Tamer Num-

ber Two? "And did it work beautifully, just

as we said it would?" "Oh, it worked exquisitely, but not exactly as you promised—a great deal | we can now look back upon as quite

you led me to expect."

thing." "It was this very afternoon, about half an hour ago," began Elizabeth, the grand old man predicted that perching herself on the arm of the America, and America alone, "can, nearest chair. Brighton to enact the role of the small | commercial primacy. We have no boy and the little rogue was only too | title, I have no inclination to murmur delighted. So he hid behind the sofa at the prospect. If she acquires it, in the library, into which I lured she will make the acquisition by the Wilf-Mr. English-to look at a new right of the strongest; but, in this infinished with the book and I asked She will probably become what we are bim if he didn't want to learn my new | now, the head servant in the great game, just as you told me. He looked | household of the world, the employer ably because I was trembling with will be the most and ablest. We have excitement-but agreed to the propo- no more title against her than Venice, sition. So I wound a great big napkin | Genca or Hollano has had against ua." about his head-he didn't appear to think it funny that a napkin was lying about the library-and at the sig- There are two gates that guard the nai Willie tip-toed around and kissed him twice so loud that I was afraid the whole house would hear."

"And then I suppose Mr. English hugged and kissed the tender Willie In return," said the delighted audi-

"No-o; I guess Mr. English is different from the men you experimented with. He sat perfectly still at first, only giving a queer, inarticulate kind of a cry that must have frightened Willis; for he unlocked his arms and jumped out of the way. Then Mr. English took a long breath and said. 'Why, Bessie, you needn't have taken all that trouble just to kiss an old fellow like me.' And in some way he got my hand and held it tight.

"'But it wasn't me,' I stammered. 'It was Willie.' I was never more mortified in my life and I believe I began to cry, for I remember that the shoulder of his coat was quite damp,"

"His coat?" "Yes; when he got the blindfold off and saw how badly I felt he tried to console me, and I don't know how, but I must have put my face down on which is the chief thing I wanted to | two; and al Spitzbergen, three months

"Buccess-yes," replied the cute gid; "but what I don't understand moredate mill from a Snesheld firm.

in why you let him catch you. The plan was, as soon as the small boy began his work to get up and out of

the way, Didn't you remember?" "Yes, I remembered," said the youngest girl. "I did start to run away just as you directed, but when I tried to rise I found that I couldn't. That young rascal Willie had tied the ends of my belt ribbon to the back of the

HIGH PRICE FOR A WELL.

Mexican State Offers \$5,000 and Priv-Heges to Man Who Can Dig It. A golden opportunity is offered to American well diggers. - Andrew D. Barlow, United States consul general at the City of Mexico, has just forwarded a communication to the Commercial museum. It is the translation of a proclamation issued by the actlog governor of the State of Caxaca, Mexico. The decree announces that a prize of \$5,000 in Mexican currency will be granted to the person or company that, within the next three years, shall drill and put into working order an artesian well in the City of Oaxaca or in thy towns of Xochinkeo and San "I don't know," said Elizabeth, ex- Felipe of Aqua and Facienda de Aquilera

Exemption from all local taxes will be granted to those who undertake the work from the date of commencing it and for the period of ten years thereafter if results are successful. During the operations the company or persons engaged in the work, as also all employes, will be exempt from all personal taxes.

The property, possession of same and use of the artesian well will belong exclusively to the persons to whom the concessions are granted. In order to obtain the concessin a written application must be made to the governor of Oaxaca.

The competition is open to American drillers, and it is expected that as a result of the recent triumphs of American engineers in obtaining coveted contracts for similar work, an American will carry off the prize.

NOT IN PHOTOGRAPHER'S LINE

Crushing Blow Dealt to Army Officer's Pride.

A retired English army officer, of the old fashioned fire eating Bombastes Furiose type, whose wife and daughters had been made things of beauty and joys forever at the hands of a clover lady photographer, said: "Ah, now, that there is a photographor in London really capable of doing justice to me, I don't mind the trouble of baving my own photograph taken." Straightway the grizzled warrior hied him to his dressing room, where, with the indispensable assistance of his valet, the butler and two understrappers, he was eventually, after much struggling and a liberal use of expletives, invested with the full panoply or war, and, with a painfully tight pair of Wellingtons on, and a tunic, the buttons of which said as plain as words, "Oh, that this too, too solid flesh would melt," was duly escorted to his carriage and driven off in state, his features indicating that he was quite inder the conviction that Solemon as his sidry was quite a at the studio, he puffed and clanked to the salute. Madame calmly surveyed him from plume to spurs, and quietly remarked, "Pardon me, sir, but I never photograph gentlemen. I confine myself solely to ladies, children, flowers and pretty things."

A PROPHECY OF GLADSTONE

It Was Many Years Ago, and Has

Come True. Prophecies, even when the prophets are politicians, sometimes come true, says the St. James' Gazette. Here is a notable Gladstone utterance which better-a thousand times better than prophetic. Speaking or writing twenty-five years ago of the "menace "Tell us quick, you tantalizing which, in the prospective development of her resources, America offers to the commercial pre-eminence of England," "I asked Willie and probably will, wrest from us that book of engravings. Pretty soon we stance, the strongest means the best. rather puzzled-all the more so prob- of all employed; because her service

At the Gates of Night.

Night; The one where shadows crosp, And inliables come crooming low, Full-threated, soft and deep; Where twilight reaches forth her arms To all by Day oppressed, And juils them into happiness, Serene upon her byeant

And from that gate, all dark and cool,
The night road stretches far,
By palaces of sweet content,
Where many dreamings are;
Where blind may see and dumb may

speak, And sad ones laugh and sing, Where hungered ones may drink and

The pauper be a king.
All through the Night the good road grees,
O'er valley, plain and steep;
Along its sides, in grandour, rise
The cluddle of sleep.
And many things there he that sooths
And comfort us, and bless—
But best of all, the blossom fair

Of rich forgetfulness, The other gate that guards the Night-The one that ends the way-

to forth into the day. And though we fear the fees of Day With hittorness and dread, We know that through the weary hours. The first gate is ahead. -Baltimore American. Longest Days of the Year. The longest day of the year at New

nineteen; at Tornea, Finland, twentyand a balt. Japan to Make Armer Plate, Japan has ordered a complete are





Tom, dear," said Mrs. Newlywest the other evening just as they were about to loave the house for the theater, "I've left my fan on the dressing case in my room, and I can't go without it. Won't you run up and get it, that's a dear?"

Tom went up three steps at a time, A moment later his voice was heard awfully sharp for a man who has been married but three months.

"Why, yes, it must be, dear. Look in the upper drawer in that long

blue box in the left-hand corner. Don't muss things all up. Is it there?" "No, it inn't." "Oh, it must be. Look good. Found it?"

"No, I haven't." "Well, don't get cross about it. Maybe I left it on the bed. Is it there?" "No. I'll be-"Tom! If you can't do a little favor for your wife without awearing about

It, you needn't do it at all. Look in the second drawer of the dresser in that pink box. Is it there?" "No, it isn't, and I knew it wasn't before I looked!"

"You didn't know anything of the sort! Do find it some place. We're late now. Maybe it's on the mantel. I know I laid it down some place while I tied my bonnet. Is it on the mantel?"

"No, it is not on the mantel. I'll be eternally-" "Tom! If you don't stop, I'll take off my things and stay at home! If you'd look for the fan instead of prancing around you'd find it. See if it is in

my bonnet box. Sometimes I drop it in there. Found it?" "Found it?" snarled Tom, jeeringly. "Talk about a needle in a haystack! It's nothing compared to a-" "Tom Newlywed! Just as sure as you speak that way again I'll stay at

home. Look on the chairs and the table and-what are you doing up there, anyhow? Upsetting chairs and kicking over things and growling like some wild animal. I'd be ashamed, I suppose I shall have to come up and hunt for the fan myself, tired as I am. Can't you find it?" "Find nothing! A man might as well hunt for the north pole or Capt.

Kidd's treasure or some particular grain of sand in the bottom of the sea, us to look for-"There, there! Stop making such a pitiful spectacle of yourself. If I were a man, I'd be a man! Look in the closet-oh, here's the fan. I declare if

it hasn't been lying here on the hall rack all the time. I remember now that I laid it down when-Tom Newlywed! I'd be serving you right if I didn't go a step with you. Using such language! Come on I suppose you'll snarl and sulk all the way down town." And he did .- New York Times.

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## That Wonderful Baby.

"One is never too young to learn," thought a certain mother of a precocious Laby, and so forthwith she began to look upon her two-year-old prodigy as susceptible of the highest culture if properly developed. The first practical demonstration of her theory was when she undertook to teach the baby an ebject lesson, using bright-colored illustrations of impossible animals to accompany and elucidate the text.

"And now," she said, turning the leaves of the picture book, "this is a chicken. See the pretty chickie? What does chickie do for baby? Chickie lays a nice fresh egg for baby's breakfast every morning."

And baby gurgled and cooed and worked her arms and legs ecstatically over the information. "Then here is the doggie," said mamms. "Nice doggie barks bow-wow-wow

for baby," whereupon baby exhibited a few ide-apart white teeth in appreciation of doggie's accomplishments. "And the horsic tales baby for a ride; and the cow goes moo-moo, and gives baby a nice glass of fresh milk to drink," and so on through the whole category of animals, domestic, and wild, several times, until from the really wise and intelligent expression in baby's face the mother felt sure all the in-

tricacles of the animal kingdom had been mastered. That evening a visitor called-a rival mamma-and baby was brought in ed and exclaimed over by both fond parents.

"Isn't she lovely?" said the visitor, thinking of her own baby's charms. "Oh, not lovely," explained the proprietor of the baby, modestly, "but she is cunning. I want you to hear her tell you about the animals. She knows them all. It is really wonderful what a memory that child has. Look, darling, see the pretty picture!" and she opened the book confidingly at the chicken. "What is it, darling? Tell the lady what it does for baby,

Baby gurgled joyously. "Horsie," coped baby; "lay nice fresh egg for baby's bre'fug." "Oh, isn't she smart?" said the polite visitor, but the fond mamma said

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not a word.

Not the Smallest. In a certain Pennsylvania village where there is out one trolley car, and that a novelty, the handsome young citizen who is its conductor is regarded as common property by his friends the passengers. Men, women and children are as neighbors to him, and this sometimes gives rise to a picturesque con

fusion of his public and private functions. He is asked for the loan of fares as often as a country postmaster is asked to advance stamps, and although he is expected to run his car by schedule, he is also expected to hold it quite ten or fifteen minutes on those frantic occasions when a belie is behindhand with her toilet for a solree at the other end of town. Tender infants are put into his arms to be delivered at their destination, and trustful old ladies board his vehicle with requests to be taken to regions where no track has ever been surveyed.

But it was a lady riding with three children who took him the most deeply into her confidence. Receiving from her a dollar bill for fares he asked:

"Is this the smallest you have?" "No," she replied, with a mother's smile, "I have one six months old at

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#### He Used Diplomacy.

A certain gushing lady took her four-year-old daughter to a photographer The little one could not be made to sit still. The camera-man was as nice and suave as he could be, called the child all the sweet, endearing names he could think of, while using every device of gentle persuasion to make the little wriggler keep still. Finally he turned to the despairing underer and said: "Madam, if you will leave your darling alone with me arfew minutes, I think I can succeed in taking her lovely face to perfection."

The mother withdrew for a short time. Soon the photographer summoned her back and exhibited a highly satisfactory negative. When they reached home, the mother asked: "Nellie, what did that nice gentleman say to you when I left you along

with him?" "Well, he thaid," lisped Nellie, "'if you don't sit sthill, you ugly, squint eyed mankey, I'll thake the life out of your trembling careath.' Tho' I that very sthill, mamma!'

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# What It Might Be.

One hot afternoon in July a traveler stopped at a farmhouse and asked for a drink. A country girl, bare-footed and sun-bonneted, passed him out a dipper and said: "There's the well." He was evidently inclined to indulge in a little rural flirtation, and after

making all the known varieties of "sheep's eyes" at her over the edge of the dipper he made bold to inquire:-"What might your name be, miss?" "Well," she said, in a matter-of-fact tone, "ef I can convince young Smiler. that it's about time to come down to business, it might be Mrs. Mary Jane Smiler before next sinter. At present it ain't nothing but Mary Jane Simp-

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Is This True, Girls?

kins."

A young man fell in love with a certain young lady. She was the first on whom he had ever turned his affection, and he was not quite certain how to act while in her company. He wrote to a valued friend, explaining everything, and asking for a few hints on eliquette, particularly as to when to York is fifteen hours; at London, six, stand and when to sit down in her presence. Among the advice which he received was the following: "It is considered had form for a gentleman to sit down first while calling

on a young lady, but under certain circumstances he has to." United the state of the state o

Askal Chin, in Tibet, is the lake which lies at a greater height than any other in the world. Its level is 16,600 feet. The lowest is the Dead See, 1,750 feet below sea level.

THE BETTER HALF. One of the fluent books about the firigated West is "The Conquest of Arid America." It is now epticely out

of print, but, fortunately, permission was given to reprint the best portion of it in a fifty-page pausphiet, called "The Better Half of the United States." Every western man ought to read this and send it to easiero friends. For a copy with other literature about the aunhy San Luis valley, send four cents in stamps to Zeph Chas, Felt, 102 Boston building, Denver, Colorado.

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The name of the President has been premiumoed in fourteen different ways all of them errous. The current pronunciation is "Hourveit."

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## BITS OF INFORMATION

A dove once lived twenty-five years in a cage.

Europe has 33,000 births and 24,000 donths daily.

Crowd was the old English name for a fiddle or violin. Berlin, Berne and Rome will be connected by telephone.

Carp are said to live hundreds of years, and pike are also hardy old

Quarantine was first established against infectious diseases in the tenth

If you take the salt out of sea water you deprive it of one-thirtieth of its

The microbe of consumption has been known to remain alive on a book There are \$70 newspapers in Japan. Thirty years ago there were only

The hardest of all metals is iridium, used to tip gold pens. It costs about

New England makes nearly 60 per cent of the boots and shoes made in this country.

The fisherman catches the terrapin with a pair of tengs on the eastern shore of Maryland.

During the South African war 4,000 Germans are said to have fought against the British.

Some 2,000 discoveries of illicit stills were made in Ireland during the year ending March, 1901.

Japan's first statue in memory of a woman was unveiled recently at Shijo-Nawate, near Kioto.

Owing to the fall of the Campanile the pigeons of Venice have flown away no one knows whither. Over 30 per cent of the able-bodied white population in Rhodesia served in

the various operations of the war. Experiments are being made to the end that the tedious washing of photographic plates may be unnecessary.

United States Consul Daniel S. Kidder reports that there is a good field for the automobile trade in Algiers.

Since 1879 France has spent \$120,000,000 on canals. Plans are on hand for spending another 20 millions in the same way.

Obsolete stamps and postcards to the value of \$11,000,000 have just been destroyed in Berlin by order of the German postal authorities.

Corea has been swindled out of millions of dollars by eighty fraudulent fax-gatherers. Sixty of these have been caught and put to death,

"Robinson Crusoe" was the first novel with illustrations ever published. This was in August, 1719. The illustration was a map of the world.

If this globe were cooled to 200 degrees below zero centigrade, the atmosphere would become Hquid, and form a sea of gas about 350 feet deep.

The existence of large coal mines in the district of Antwerp, in Belgium, has now been proved, coal having been reached at the depth of 600 feet.

After eating every green thing in the neighborhood swarms of locusts have taken complete possession of all the houses & two Algerian villages. There are only 800,000 white people in British South Africa, and at the

beginning of the war there was a deficiency of women amounting to 70,000. Australia has the largest duck farm and the largest incubator in the world. The incubator has a capacity of 11,440 ducks' eggs, or 14,080 hens'

There is being erected on the little island of Juan Fernandez, home of Robinson Crusoe, a large building for the preserving of fish, lobsters and about "Deflanca Starch."

Remenyl says: "Genius is the power a man has to kindle his own fire." and save your money. Nonsense. It is genius that enables a man to lie in bed while someone else

Gen. Besozzi, commanding the Rome garrison, has retired eighteen officers because they wore stand-up collars with their uniform, the regulations not providing for such articles being worn.

A fox is dainty as well as crafty and prefers the tongues of lambs for food. He has been seen to chase sheep until they, on becoming tired, hang the most delicate skin. At any drug stors, out their tongues, which he then tears off and eats.

Lake Huron holds the record among lakes of containing over 3,000 islands. The area of Lake Huron is 20,400 square miles. Its largest island is over 1,000 square miles. Lough Erne, in Treland, has 360 islands.

A new and secret system of automatic anti-collision signals has just been tried in Switzerland, and the results are said to have been in every way satisfactory. The plan is to be adopted on the Swiss railways.

actually giving up tobacco, because "Americano women no smoke." Physicians who have been making strong efforts to redeem those districts

in Italy that have long been practically uninhabitable on account of malaria have gone back to a wholesale dosing of the infected population with quinine, The "Neue Freie Presse" (Vienna) states that the Morgan Shipping

Trust has addressed a lefter to the Austrian council of Industry, in which it offers to build ships for the Austrian trade and to work the ships when built. There is a movement in Paris to erect a monument on the battlefield of

Creey to the blind King John of Bohemia, who was killed while fighting on the side of the French, and whose crest has ever since been known as "The Prince of Wales" feathers."

On the blind King John of Bohemia, who was killed while fighting on the ogy, stratigraphy, physiography and volcanism will receive attention. Dr. G. H. Girty, paleontologist, will be associated with Mr. Hill in the work.

A gigantic saw fish was recently caught in the Carimata Straits, not far from Singapore, by the steamship New Guinea. It was 27 feet in length, and the saw, which has been presented to the Melbourne Museum, was 41/2 feet long, I foot in width,

The Manitoba crop bulletin gives the areas under the different crops as follows: Wheat, 2,039,940 acres; oats, 725,060 acres; barley, 329,790 acres; flax, 41,200 acres. The figures show a total increase in the area under grain crops of 223,149 acres,

It is calculated that no fewer than 103 persons committed suicide by throwing theraselves off the beifry of St. Mark's, Venice, which caused a sensation recently by its fall. The last case happened in 1888, after which the windows and gallery were protected.

Admiral Borresen and Commander Rosenguist, of the Norwegian pavy, have both been sentenced by court-martial to twenty days' imprisonment and | the contents of one bottle of St. Jaa fine of £20 for having shown negligence in recent naval maneuvers, whereby the ironciad Eldsvold went ashore.

Paper has a great future before it. Its possibilities are almost countless.
From his hat to his boots, so thinks the "Paper Maker," the coming man will record." St. Jacobs Oil is sold in 25 cts, and 50 cts, sizes by all druggists. has proved them to be good rivals of the porcelain article.

Probably the most curious European oath is administered in Norway. The witness raises his thumb, his forefinger and his middle finger. These signify the Trinity, while the larger of the other fingers is supposed to represent the soul of the witness and the smaller to indicate his body.

The latest invention is a brick laying machine. It does the work of nix or seven skilled bricklayers, and costs \$500. The inventor is a Canadian. The new machine is adapted only to plain work, and can lay from 9,000 to 12,000 bricks a day. Two men and a lad are required to operate it.

The value of the coal mined in Japan is almost equal to that of all other plusrals combined, it varies from the hardest anthracite to peat, but the quality is usually inferior to that of American coal. Modern machinery and methods have been introduced in the operation of many mines.

"Do you know that woman?" "I have a the standing workers in window glass manufacture. At the present Japan imports some £125,000 worth of window glass per amount, and the present Japan imports some £125,000 worth of window glass per amount, and the standing equalitation with her." The specied that the locally manufactured article will be about 50 per cent It has been decided by the Japuese Diet to establish a model factory, or

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A Jerseyman has just died from a rare skin disease known as pemphigus vulgaris. This is one skin game that has not reached the West, where susceptible people are principally affected by chuckus-luckus, three-cardus montens and crapi-

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Study of the Trans-Pecos Region. Robert T. Hill of the United States Geological Survey, who was receptly gent to Martinique to investigate the eruption of Mount Pelve, will be engaged this aeason in an investigation of the Trans-Pecos region of Texas, Arizons, and New Mexico. The region is one of unusual interest, and its gool-

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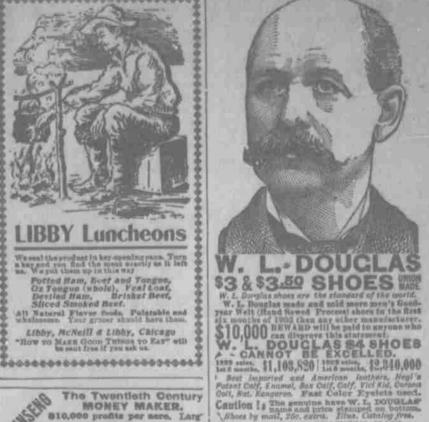


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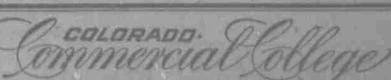
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Have you registered? The hotels are doing a rushing busiees this week.

Tomorrow, (Saturday) is the last day for registering. W. A. Collins of Largo was in the

county-seat this week. Lawyers have been plentifuly in evi dence during this week.

John Earl of the La Plata was an Aztec visitor this week. C. H. McHenry of Farmington was in

Aztec Thursday on business. Assessor D. J. Donovan of the La Plata was in town this week. M. W. Hunt of the La Plata was over

o Aztec yesterdsy on business. Dr. O. C. McEwen of Farmington was county-seat visitor Thursday. R. C. Prewitt of Farmington speat

No matter where several days in Antec this week, Frank W. Blackmer of Cedar Hill spent several days in Aztec this week, You can keep your savings account with this 'The foundation for John Green's new Bank and it will earn 4 per cent. interest for building to Autec is fast nearing com-

pletion If you are not registered you can not Business and Personal Accounts Solicited vote, attend to it. Tomorrow is the for our descriptive pamphlet. Safety last day,

Mise Bessie Hickman of Flora Vista was the guest of Mrs. Joe Prewit Thursday evening.

Rosendo Martinez was over from the La Plata Thursday attending to busi-

ness matters. Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Beck of Farmington were Aztec visitors Monday returning Tuesday.

00000000 H. W. Brown who is a recent arrival here has been assisting Wm. Gillam in his shop this week.

D. J. Kennedy one of Farmington's

real estate agents was in Aztec Wednesday on business, Lafe Henry came down from Cromo,

Colo., yesterday to purchase hay for his cattle this winter. REPAIRING.

Dr. J. A. Duff came up from Farm-Special attention to bicycle repairing. lugion Saturday to attend his professional engagements here.

Mrs. R. G. Norris who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McCoy, departed for Bayfield Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jarvis have moved down from the mountains where they have had their cattle on ssummer range.

Arthur Lamberson returned Saturday from Lead City, South Dakota, where he has been visiting relatives for the past month.

Chas. Carter and family returned Saturday from Chatanoga where he has been this summer. He will spend the

winter in Anted. Mrs. Jos Psewitt, assisted by Misses Bessie Hickman and Pearl Pendleton

entertained the court officials at dinnet Wednesday ovening. John Edwards and Barnet Enicker

GEORGE TRICK FUR- booker left Saturday for the mountains. where they will spend several days

hunting and trapping. The dance given by the Rebekah Lodge at the Opera ball in Aztec Tues day evening was well attended and a

neat sum was realized. Lo D. Moore was called down from Eureka the latter part of last week by the illness of his little child. It is now under fair way to recovery.

Mrs. Cole and son, Freq of Monts Vista, arrived here Saturday and will look over the country with a view of ocating. They will spend the winter beres

Williams and W. L. Paddack are among the prominent citizens of La Plata, who are attending court in Aster this

The little black boar that has been raiding the crops on the McIntosh and Chubb ranches was killed last week by Frank Cooper on the ranch of A. R. Springer.

W. J. Wright made a trip to Durango Saturday returning home Monday, He was accompanied by his son, Juswho took the train Monday for Denver where he will go to school this winter.

The court officials arrived from Do rango and Santa Pe Sunday. The party comprised Judge John R. McFie, Cherk A. M. Bargore, Ciatriet attorney Abbott. laterpreter Joss D. Sens and C. Y Safford of stanographer:

Is, Weish, one of San Juan county's bi-time auttlers came over from Largo Tumday avoning and reported the wurveying core twelve mi'es up Largo Can on. He also carried a telegram to be

The bass and supper given at the Presbyterian church in Autec Thursday evening was a decided success. financially, and a large sum was -raised to be applied toward scaling the church and thereby make it more comfortable for winter. A large crowd was present from various parts of the county. A splendiu programme of music and songs by visiting and home talent was render-

at Santa Fe and who will soon arrive in

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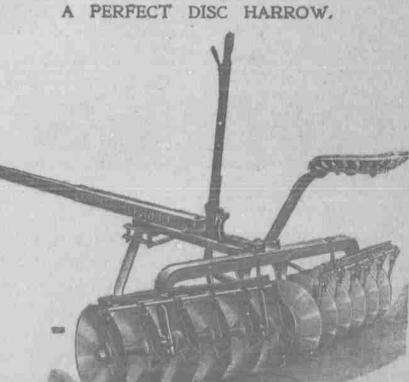
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