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Hillsboro is situated in the center of the great Hillsboro, Kingston and Black Range gold and silver country, and only 18 miles distant from the famous Lake Valley silver fields.

Sierra County Advocate.

Hillsboro is surrounded by a rich ranch and farming country. No snow and but very light frosts in winter time. Sunshine the whole year around. An abundance of water. Excellent schools. Fine churches.

HILLSBORO GOLD PLACERS. | P. J. BENNETT, Editor and Proprietor. | A TRUE FISSURE VEIN GOLD CAMP

DEVOTED TO THE MINING, RANCH, MERCANTILE AND GENERAL INDUSTRIAL INTERESTS OF SIERRA COUNTY.

VOLUME XIII.—No. 691. HILLSBORO, SIERRA COUNTY, N. M., FRIDAY, JUNE 21, 1895. THREE DOLLARS PER YEAR.

F. W. PARKER,
Attorney at Law and Solicitor in Chancery.
Hillsboro, New Mexico.
Will practice in all the courts of the Territory. Prompt attention given to all business entrusted to my care

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Neighborhood News.

GRANT COUNTY.

SILVER CITY.

From the Sentinel.

Died, in Silver City, June 15th, Virginia Newcomb Betts, aged 5 years and 9 months.

Bob Evans and family have gone to North Carolina, where they will in future reside. This change was rendered necessary on account of the failing health of Mr. Evans.

Postmaster Byron of Deming came up to Silver City last Saturday to visit Mrs. Byron, who is still confined at the Ladies Hospital, but is convalesing.

John M. Wiley returned from St. Louis last Sunday. He says there is no real significance in his returning on Sunday, but the facts are that Silver City possesses a certain attraction for him that no other place in the civilized world can. Of course he refers to the climate.

Dr. R. F. Stogall, formerly of Deming, will be united in marriage to Miss Maud LeNoir, by the Rev. Edward S. Cross, at the residence of W. Lee Thompson, on the Mimbres, next Wednesday evening. A large number of Silver City people will attend the ceremony.

Hugh McGregor, who for a long time was an inmate of the Grant County Charity Hospital, and more recently confined in the county jail, was sent to London, Canada, last Friday, where he will at once be put in the insane asylum. At the last regular meeting of the Board of County commissioners an appropriation of $100 was made for the purpose of sending him to some place where he could receive such treatment and care as his case demanded. Aside from the $100 ordered by the county, several of our citizens made up a purse of $35 to defray the expenses of Mrs. McGregor, who went with him.

Kingston News.

—Miss Anna Boyle left here Monday for Cripple Creek, Colo., to join her sister there.

—The 16 to 1 Dramatic Co. is busy rehearsing its play for the evening of July 3rd, at Hillsboro, and June 29th, at Kingston.

—Rev. Mr. Day has gone to California, to be absent two or three weeks.

—Mr. Cahill, our new postmaster, is anxiously awaiting his induction into Uncle Sam's service.

—George Ray says New Mexico is surer bread than Colorado, and that he won't try to get away again.

—A. Wohlgemuth and family started Thursday for Prescott, Arizona, on a visit to Frank Kleiner, well known here as the former proprietor of the 'Brewery.' Gus expects to be absent several weeks.

—Charles Kent went out to Freedom—John Bennett's place—last Monday, and since resting from the fatigue of the trip is slightly improving.

George Reay and Joe Bright returned from their trip to Colorado Tuesday. They took in Cripple Creek and other mining camps on their way.

Hermosa News.

—There have been several showers of late, which have caused the Rio Palomas, the Rio Seco o' Arroyo Frio, Live Oak gulch and Cobblestone gulch to run with water. The showers have fallen mostly between the Animas and the Palomas, and about six to seven miles east from the crest of the Black Range, so that Hermosa has had its share of the water.

—On Wednesday, June 12th, heavy clouds were noticed above Hermosa, with the rumbling of thunder like distant artillery, and about 11 o'clock a heavy shower of rain and hail descended. Before long all the gulches were pouring muddy streams into the Palomas, which was swelled to a small flood, carrying away the jig, puddling and sluice boxes of J. M. Smith, and washing away his accumulation of concentrates. The whole machine is a total wreck, and only pieces of it can be found strewed along the banks of the Rio Palomas for a distance of three miles. When the heavy jig tank was carried down stream, it struck the foot bridge which connects the Pelican mines with the Embolite and Palomas Chief mines, carrying it from its central support and throwing it into the torrent. The bridge was fastened at the shore end by wire ropes and was saved; the tank went bounding over the billowy stream until it came to the falls of the Rio Palomas at the Cloud mine, where it was tossed into the air by the violent rush of the waters over the precipitous rocks which form the falls and disappeared in the seething caldron below, whence it emerged much the worse for its plunge. It was then swept over the rapids below, tossed against the huge fragments of jagged rocks around which the torrent swirls and over which it plunges, until it was smashed to pieces and tossed out on the banks where the river widens, several miles below the falls. After the flood subsided Mr. Smith started down stream with a wagon to pick up the wreckage, and recovered some of it; but it is supposed some Mexican teamsters appropriated to their own use some of the planks and carried them off to Palomas town.

—"What is the matter with Ayers' sarsaparilla in Hermosa?" asked THE ADVOCATE last fall. Ayers' sarsaparilla is effecting all which is claimed for it, and is producing a good healthful, invigorating state in the body politic. Sometimes a patient gets beyond all remedies—especially at times of an eruptive epidemic—but care, attention and restoratives will produce their results, and a relapse is not feared. The result of the school board election was as follows: Ayers received all the votes cast; Baucus all but one, and Wheeler all but five. So our school board is Ayers, Baucus and Wheeler, with Ayers at the top of the pyramid.

NEVER-TELL.

GRAND CELEBRATION AT HILLSBORO, JULY FOURTH, 1895.

Programme:

Grand Parade, 9 o'clock a. m. Will form at foot of Main street, proceed west to 5th avenue, thence south to Broadway, thence east on Broadway to First street, thence to Union Hotel, where addresses will be made by Prof. Carleton, Richard Mansfield White, Hon. N. Galles and Hon. W. S. Hopewell.

Addresses to take place at 10:30 in Union hotel plaza.

At 1:30 Drilling Match, single hand, prize $10.00.

At 2 o'clock races will commence.

1st.—Pony race, 300 yards, all horses barred that have ever run on a track for money. Entrance fee, $1. 1st prize, $10.00. Entrance fee 2d prize.

2nd.—Horse race free for all one-quarter mile, first money $15.00. Entrance fee $5 second money.

3rd—Burro race, free for all, 1st money $2.50.

4th.—Ring Tournament. Entrance fee $1. 1st money, $10.00. Entrance fee 2d money.

5th.—Foot Race. All professionals barred. 1st money $5.00

6th.—Sack Race, for men. 1st money $5.00

7th.—Foot Race, for boys 12 years and under. 1st money $2.50.

8th.—Sack Race for boys 12 years and under. 1st money $2.50.

9th.—Greased Pig. To man who captures pig, $4.50.

The Black Range Cornet Band will be in attendance.

Marshal of the Day, L. Tressel.

A cordial invitation is extended to the patriotic citizens of every town and hamlet of Sierra County to come and participate in the glorious festivities.

A SLIGHT MISTAKE.

"Prof. Charlton, who taught music here for several months with indifferent success, is at Hillsboro. THE ADVOCATE says: It is the general impression that Prof. Charlton will be retained as principal of the Hillsboro public schools for the coming term.—San Marcial Bee.

This is all a mistake, Mr. Bee. Prof. Charlton, the music teacher, is at Lake Valley, and has not been in Hillsboro at all, though we learn that he intends to favor our town with a visit. This paper did not say that Prof. "Charlton" would probably be retained as principal of the Hillsboro schools. What it did say was that Prof. Carleton would probably be retained. Charlton and Carleton are two separate and distinct gentlemen. Sabe?

KEAN HONORED.

Says the Kingman, Arizona, Mineral Wealth:

'Kean St. Charles, publisher of Our Mineral Wealth, arrived yesterday morning from the west, enroute to the Memphis Silver Convention. Mr. St. Charles is going as a delegate selected by the citizens of his county. He is well known in New Mexico as a writer and miner of ability. He is well posted in the routine of silver conventions, having acted as an assistant secretary to the southwestern silver convention on two different occasions at El Paso."

Kean will make a good silver delegate, and his selection is very wise indeed. His many friends in Sierra county feel proud for the honor conferred upon him.

Output of Hillsboro gold mines for the week ending Thursday, June 20th, 1895, as reported for THE ADVOCATE:

	Tons.
Happy Jack	75
Richmond	85
Wicks Mines	100
Animas Peak and Cement mines	130
Catherine, Key West, Eldorado, Garfield and Bull of Woods	100
Total	490

Total output since Jan. 1, 1895,—12,838.

AS OTHERS SEE HIM.

"Hon. W. S. Hopewell, the energetic mining and cattleman of Sierra county, returned last night from Denver, where he took in the races and induced several capitalists to come down and look over the great prospects of Hillsboro and Sierra county generally. The visitors will be here in a few days. Mr. Hopewell stopped over here on business."—Albuquerque Citizen.

City of Mexico a Summer Resort.

Doubt it? It is a fact. Average summer temperature in the shade, 63 deg. The elevation (7,350 ft.) explains this apparent contradiction of going south in summer to get cool.

Join one of the excursions over Santa Fe Route to City of Mexico in July. Tickets on sale July 6 to 20 at about one cent a mile for round trip. Ask Santa Fe route agent for particulaas.

THE METAL MARKET.

Bar silver	66⅞
Copper	10 50
Lead	3 12½
Tin	13 00
Iron	10 to 12 53
Mexican pesos (El Paso)	53

Mines, Mills and Smelter.

Jim Stuck is doing assessment work on the Northern Belle claim, in the Placer district.

Charles Larson is driving a tunnel through his Gold Star claim to connect with his Scandia property.

Gentz & O'Kelly are taking out considerable ore at the Bull of the Woods these days. The vein in this property is widening out very perceptibly.

Belcher and Conaboy have taken a big drift contract on the Eureka mine.

Thurman has suspended operations on the old Copper Queen claim, for the present. Nothing of pay value was found.

The Bonanza mill is working on lease ore from the Richmond.

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Local Jottings.

Charles Myers got an overdose of powder smoke at the Wicks' mine Wednesday, and in consequence took a holiday yesterday.

Prof. James A. Long, of the normal school, leaves this morning for Colorado, where he will spend the vacation.—Silver City Eagle.

Persons raising small vegetables and cultivating flower gardens in and around Hillsboro suffer serious and annoying damages by loose cattle, horses and burros. This ought to be stopped, and it will be stopped, if any more complaints are made to the Justice of the Peace on this account. Owners of loose animals had better look a leetle out.

It is reported that S. H. Lucas, formerly a jeweler of this place, is making $3,000 a month out of a gold mine in California.—Silver City Eagle.

Charley Pennington has fitted up his bar in tasty style for the Fourth.

Dr. Given is recovering from quite a severe attack of sickness.

Judge Elliott left for a business trip to Silver City, Wednesday.

Horacio, the young son of Don Blas Chavez, fell from a fence the other day and broke his right arm.

Hon. N. Galles is on his way to Chicago and Minnesota, and will be absent from Hillsboro for several weeks.

Dr. Edmundson, of Kingston, was in town yesterday and made us a pleasant call.

Contractor Lewis put a syklight in the roof of the Union Hotel this week that makes the dining room both lightsome and pleasant.

Mrs. Louisa Gentz has returned from the ranch to reside in town for several weeks.

Miss Ethel Grayson's private school closes to-morrow, with speeches from the little ones.

A. Reingardt and J. D. Perkins are back from Lake Valley, after converting the school house there into an excellent store building for Keller, Miller & Co.

Maurice Berglin is preparing to renew operations on his Sterling claim in Ready Pay Gulch.

Mrs. J. A. Winram and daughter May left for Chloride Tuesday, to spend a week or two on their ranch.

Miss Mable Jones, after serving nearly a year as compositor in this office, resigned her position on last Saturday and will go to El Paso to work on a paper there. Her many friends wish her abundant success.

Will Kinsey is back from Las Cruces College, to spend his vacation.

To the delight of her very many friends, Mrs. A. A. Neal is steadily recovering from her dangerous sickness.

W. H. Wayland has gone to Bennett's ranch, in the Kingston mountains, to engage in the tanning business.

Mrs. G. B. Peers of Hermosa, who has been visiting in Hillsboro for a couple of weeks past, leaves for home next week accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Gus Duvall.

Miss Effie Bruton of Socorro will arrive here in a few days, on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Otto E. Gentz.

Judge Jno. R. McFie, who has been very ill for a week past at his home at Las Cruces, is able to be up and around again. This will be welcome news for the Judge's many friends throughout New Mexico.

From and after today, until further notice, THE ADVOCATE carrier system will be abolished and all papers for town subscribers put in the postoffice.

LA BELLE, N. M., ITEMS.

From The Cresset.

The first car load of ore ever shipped from La Belle goes forward next week. The shippers have authorized us to say that they are not playing any Howlet tricks, nor shipping country rocks.

Among the many shameless things hapening, upon the street none is more so than the habit of men and boys indulging in what they term the sport of tin canning dogs ninety nine out of every hundred dogs has more affection, honor principle, and manhood, about them than the wretch has, that would tie a tin can to his tail.

Two weeks ago a party from Midnight City accused us of not properly writing up the advantages of the govt. side. God help us if we are guilty after receiving such a splendid support from Anchor. We mean H. L. Thompson paid us a six months subscription in advance his time will soon expire leaving us without a single subscription on the govt. side. Midnight Caveresto, and Anchor, are great towns on paper.

Unfortunatly some difficulties has sprung up between the saw mill men of La Belle. Mr. Miller in a moment of undue haste, having with drawn from the firm of Miller Wells and Co. the business will here after be conducted by H. L. Pratt whose well known business ability and integrity insures to the people of La Belle a square deal in all transaction.

Reports have been circulated in Trinidad that the mines at La Belle were not panning out equal to expectation. We tried to trace the libel to its source, and we were not long in doing so. It appears that one of the Howlet Brothers shipped a quality of very common country rock from Comanche Creek broken off from a ledge most accessable another brother gets the returns abandons his hardware business and lets it go into the hands of a receiver. In order to more proffitably employ his time blacklisting La Belle, not with standing the best men and miners in camp advised and beged them not to ship this worthless stuff. We advise Howlets to go back to their original job raising potatoes, and leave mining to men with some sense.

The Rincon Weekly is owned by a number of the patriotic citizens of the junction town. When they started the paper they engaged a man by the name of Ford as manager. It seems that Ford could not stand prosperity and responsibility. He recently filled his tank with the usual antidote for Rio Grande river water and then took the trail of the gospel car which recently passed through the town. The Weekly missed an issue, but appeared last week, brighter than ever and without a "manager".

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FRIDAY, JUNE 21, 1895

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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Hillsboro, N.M., June 3rd, 1895.

The Commissioners met as a Board of Equalization, and for the transaction of other business. Present, Geo. R. Baucus, August Reingardt and Jose M. Apodaca, commissioners; Manuel Aragon, interpreter; Max L. Kahler, sheriff; and Thomas C. Hall, clerk.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following bonds were approved and filed:

C. M. Woodhouse, road supervisor Precinct 11.

James P. Mitchell, constable, Precinct 2.

Ordered, That Henry Chandler be and is hereby appointed superintendent of public schools to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of J. J. Aragon.

Ordered, That E. Grandjean be allowed the sum of $60 to be expended, as needed, on the roads between Hermosa, Fairview, Palomas and Cuchillo.

The report of J. C. Elliott, road supervisor Precinct No. 1, is hereby approved, and his resignation as such road supervisor accepted.

The following appointments were made, viz:

Wm. D. Reilly, justice of the peace, Precinct No. 6

P. H. McAughan, constable, Precinct No. 6.

The taxes of Allison Woodall were ordered rebated in full for the year 1893.

The following changes were made in the valuation of property for assessment for the year 1895, viz:

Wm. H. Alley, valuation of real estate raised from $976.12 to $1,883.12.

Michael Ash, value of real estate raised from $160 to $320.

William Cotton, value of real estate reduced from $770 to $570.

William Cotton, value of personal property reduced from $1,876 to $1,751.

Mrs. Ellen Endicott, value of personal property raised from ——— to $565.

J. M. Grover, estate of, personal property raised from $500 to $1,400.

Thomas Inglis, personal property raised from $1,545 to $1,745.

Thomas Inglis, value of real estate raised from $1,500 to $2,000.

T. T Lee, value of real estate raised from $200 to $420

Mrs. C. G. Meredith, value of personal property raised from $201 to $601.

Membres River Cattle Co., value of cattle raised from ——— to $2,100.

Membres River Cattle Co., value of real estate raised from $200 to $400.

Emma G. Morgans, value of real estate reduced from $860 to $670.

Emma G. Morgans, value of personal property raised from $6,278 to $7,178.

Ed. Patten, value of real estate and sheep raised from $211.25 to $395.

Allen Rickertson, value of real estate and sheep raised from $179.37 to $260.

Silver Mining Co., value of real estate raised from $350 to $8,850.

J. C. Stanley, value of real estate raised from $880 to $1,120.

Bloom & Webster, value of real estate raised from $1,200 to $1,350.

Blas Chavez, real estate raised from $500 to $700.

Mrs. Amelia Donohoe, value of real estate raised from $1,415 to $1,715.

James R. Fisk, value of personal property raised rrom $125 to $305.

Nicholas Galles, value of real estate raised from $947 to $1,247.

James P. Mitchell, assignee Hillsborough Mercantile Co., value of real estate raised from $1,675 to $2,075.

W. S. Hopewell, Hillsboro real estate raised from $1,665 to 1,865.

W. S. Hopewell, personal property value raised from $890 to $1,030.

SECOND DAY.

J. B. McPherson, value of real estate raised from $1,555 to $1,855.

C. C. Miller, value of real estate raised from $2,875 to $3,475.

C. C. Miller, value of personal property raised from $1,305 to $2,305.

Mrs. Nanette Miller, value of personal property raised from $20 to $50.

Mrs. Ngnette Miller, value of real estate raised from $390 to $490

James P. Mitchell value of real estate raised from $240 to $440.

Mrs. Amelia Meyers, value of real estate raised from $150 to $200.

F. W. Parker, value of real estate raised from $725 to $950.

W. C. Purple, value of real estate raised from $800 to $1,200.

George Richardson, value of real estate raised from ——— to $500.

Richmond Gold Mining Co., value of personal property raised from $1,500 to $11,500.

George Ross, estate of, value of personal property raised from $500 to $600.

C. R. Sherman, value of real estate raised from $200 to $350.

Sierra County Bank, value of personal property raised from $15,000 to $31,000

Smith & Bacher, value of real estate raised from $700 to $900.

J. E. Smith, value of real estate raised from $1,475 to $1,950.

Standard Gold M. & M Co., value of real estate raised from ——— to $8,500.

Standard Gold M. & M. Co., value of personal property raised from $1,911 to $3,200.

R. C. Troeger, value of real estate raised from $665 to $815.

Brush Heap M Co., value of real estate raised from ——— to $2,000.

Dominico & Marzo, value of cattle raised from $1,050 to $1,400.

The Allen Mining & Milling Co., value of real estate raised from ——— to $1,100.

Comstock Mine, value of real estate raised from ——— $1,000.

Geo. B. Hunsinger, value of personal property raised from $20 to $545.92.

Illinois Mining Co., value of real estate raised from ——— to $2,000

Kingston Sampling Works, value of house in Hillsboro raised from ——— to $100.

Lady Franklin Mining Co., value of real estate raised from ——— to $6,600.

Monarco Mining Co., value of real estate raised from ——— to $250.

Presciliar Owen, value of real estate raised from $425 to $545.

B H. Payne, value of personal property raised from $500 to $530

Elisha Ridenour, value of real estate raised from $750 to $850.

Sierra Land & Cattle Co., value of real estate raised from $5,762.50 to $13,175.

Sierra Land & Cattle Co., value of personal property raised from $100 to $325.

Casenero Baca, value of real estate raised from $292.50 to $350

Hijinio Chavez, value of real estate raised from $297.50 to $397.50.

George Heslin, value of personal property raised from $570 to $2,150.

W. S. Hopewell, value real estate Precinct 4 raised from $617.84 to $1,395.84.

Andrew Welsh, value of real estate raised from $260 to $400.

C. C. Wilson, value of personal property raised from $165 to $240.

Mrs. L. H. Worden, value of real estate raised from $650 to $890.

Mrs. L. H. Worden, value of personal property raised from $480 to $780.

Las Animas Land & Cattle Co, value of real estate raised from $20,889 to $38,122 37.

Las Animas Land & Cattle Co., value of personal property raised from $26,610 to $37,700.

J. J. Gonzales, value of real estate raised from $135 to $195.

Dona Terresa Torres, value of real estate raised from $100 to $200

Francisco Montoya, value of real estate raised from $100 to $470.

Merced Montoya, value of real estate raised from $650 to $760.

Merced Montoya, value of personal property raised from $1,454 to $2,053.

Burton Mossman, value of real estate raised from $260 to $750.

Gues C de Ledillos, value of real estate raised from $505 to $633.

Selso Cuellar, value of real estate raised from $200 to $300.

J. C. Kennedy, value of personal property raised from $875 to $2,375.

J. J. Bothwell, value of real estate raised from $200 to $300.

E. J. Doran, value of real estate raised from ——— to $125.

J. B Newman, value of personal property raised from $1,210 to $1,420.

G. B. Peers, value of real estate raised from $145 to $350.

Thomas J. Ross, value of real estate raised from $155 to $350.

Thomas J. Ross, value of personal property raised from $975 to $2,705.

J. C. Plemmons, value of personal property raised from $2,047 to 2,054.

J. C. Plemmons, value of real estate raised from 425 to 665 dollars.

Palomas Chief Mine, value of real estate raised from ——— to 760 dollars.

F. E. and Eliza Welty, value of real estate raised from 105 to 225 dollars.

F. E. and Eliza Welty, value of personal property raised from 650 to 1,150 dollars.

Whitmer Bros., value of personal property raised from 765 to 855 dollars

F. S. M. Blun, value of real estate raised from 1,895 to 2,555 dollars.

Simon M. Blun, value of real estate raised from 75 to 105 dollars.

Jacob Dines, value of personal property raised from 1,165 to 1,435 dollars.

Gus Duvall, value of personal property raised from 60 to 240 dollars.

Gus Duvall, value of real estate raised from 40 to 140 dollars

Silvester Goodenow, value of personal property raised from 620 to 1,180 dollars.

Mrs. C. Hearn, value of personal property raised from 1,315 to 1,440 dollars.

Mrs. C. Hearn, value of real estate raised from 1,265 to 1,635 dollars.

W. J. Hill Land & Cattle Co., value of real estate raised from 1,254 to 1,789 dollars.

Whitley & Ringer, value of personal property raised from 810 to 995 dollars.

Colossal Mining Co., value of real estate raised from ——— to 500 dollars

Benjamin Cook, value of real estate raised from 800 to 820 dollars.

Lorion Carson, estate of, value of personal property raised from ——— to 3,000 dollars.

Mrs. W. H. James, value of personal property raised from 250 to 270 dollars.

Midnight Mining Co., value of real estate raised from ——— to 500 dollars

Fred Newman, value of real estate raised from 250 to 370 dollars.

Newman & Musson, value of real estate raised from 200 to 395 dollars.

Red River Cattle Co., value of cattle raised from ——— to 10,500 dollars

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FROM OTHER SHORES.

MAJ. VON WISSMANN goes back to German East Africa as governor in place of Baron von Schele.

FROZEN milk is now imported into England from Holland and Sweden in rapidly increasing quantities.

LAKE TANGANYIKA'S latest mail weighed 400 pounds. It had to be carried from the coast over 1,000 miles on the heads of carriers.

A DRIVE of 340 yards was made by a Cambridge golfer lately. The carry was 240 yards, and the ball run thirty yards further.

TURNER'S painting of "The Trossachs" was sold in London recently for $3,000, and Landseer's original study of "Low Life" for $575.

F. C. BURNAND'S "Happy Thoughts" has been translated into French. The best the translator could do with the title was "Les Calembres Pensees."

M. ZULTAN DOSN, a Hungarian, has just been engaged as a leading tenor at the Paris Grand Opera. Like Jean de Reszke, he began by singing baritone.

CHINA'S emperor gets up at four o'clock to study English and Manchu before breakfast, which is at five. He makes up for it by going to bed at sundown.

A WOOLWICH cadet was recently killed by a racquet ball. He missed the ball on its rebound from the wall, when it struck him in the left temple, producing compression of the brain.

INTERESTING BITS.

PARIS has a warehouse the floors of which are of thick glass.

IN a pack of cards there are 635,013,559,600 different whist hands.

THE wearing of corsets by men is not uncommon in the British metropolis.

THE best brier wood for pipes comes from the borders of Italy and France.

THE tallest people in the world are the Patagonians; the shortest are the Laplanders.

DYSPEPTICS have found much relief by eating six apples a day—two after each meal.

OPALS, when first taken from the mine, are so soft that they can be picked to pieces by the finger-nail.

THE telegraph lines of the world aggregate 1,000,123 miles. America has more than half—548,852 miles.

IT has been proved, in Boston, that cats convey diphtheria from house to house, by frequenting sickrooms.

IN the last seventy years Russia has spent $1,777,000,000 in warfare, and 665,000 Russian soldiers have lost their lives.

BOSTON is to have a $6,000,000 hotel, with 2,250 rooms. The projectors state that it will be the largest in the world.

EGGS contain everything that is necessary to support human life, in the proper proportions, and in palatable form.

OLD BUT SPRY.

MME. MUHLING, who has translated many French dramas into German, celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of her birth in Berlin April 15. She is still hale and hearty.

MR. M. SCOTT, of Shieldsville, Minn., is a remarkable man. He is one hundred and three years old, works his own farm, reads without glasses, and is probably the oldest person in the world with a head of red hair.

JAMES CRUIKSHANK, now in his ninety-second year and very deaf, crosses the East river regularly every week day to his down-town office in New York and stays there usually until the close of banking hours, lunching at a favorite restaurant. He sometimes walks across the big bridge.

DR. WILLIAM ELLIOTT, of New Haven, Conn., who has just celebrated his ninety-seventh birthday, has lived under every president of the United States since John Adams, and under every governor of Kentucky except the first. He still leads a very active life and shaves himself twice a week.

THE LATEST.

CONVICTS on the International and Great Northern travel in special cars.

THE three counties of Knox, Athens and Fairfield, O., return a certificate that there are no cigarette dealers in them.

A BILL has passed the New Jersey senate which prohibits the holding of any election in the barroom of any hotel where liquors are sold.

THE hygienic congress at Buda-Pesth brought out the fact that there are four times as many men who stammer as there are women who are afflicted.

A SPECTROSCOPE detector by which one part of blood in a solution of 850,000 parts can be discovered has been invented by M. de Thierry. It will be of value in murder cases where the stains are very minute.

BILLIARD balls of cast steel have been made and used successfully at Stockholm. They are hollow and weigh about as much as the ordinary ivory balls. A lathe is used to turn them to perfect smoothness.

OUT-OF-THE-WAY PLACES.

GREECE stands lowest in point of wealth of all the countries in Europe.

A MADAGASCAR correspondent tells of four hundred pineapples being bought and delivered for a school picnic there for one dollar—four shillings.

IN the Loo Choo islands, though there are neither vehicles nor public lighting, the inhabitants have letter boxes and telephones.

HABITUAL topers are to be photographed in New Zealand towns. Each saloon is to have a gallery of them, and the proprietors who supply liquor to them are to be fined.

IN some parts of Japan at a wedding the bride, as a sign of her subjection, kneels and washes the feet of the bridegroom after he has trodden upon raw eggs.

A PARSEE sacred fire, which is burning in a temple at Leignic, Persia, is known to have not been extinguished since the days of Rapiboreth, who lived twelve centuries ago.

PERSONALS.

EX-PRESIDENT HARRISON'S fee in the Indiana will case is said to have been $15,000.

THE shah of Persia will not remain at a table on which salmon or lobster is placed.

PRINCE BISMARCK has been elected an honorary member of the General German Language union.

EDITOR MCCLURE says that Lincoln's manners lagged at the knee, but his knowledge of practical politics never did.

DR. VON STEPHAN, the head of the German postal service, has just celebrated his twenty-fifth anniversary as postmaster general.

GUSTAVE FREYTAG, the German novelist, died almost unnoticed in America, yet his "Debit and Credit" had immense vogue in this country about 1855.

CAPT. CHARLES KOHLER, a veteran of the Seminole war, died recently at Mariners' Harbor, Staten Island, of pneumonia. Capt. Kohler was born in 1820 in Philadelphia.

VICTOR HUGO sold his "Han d'Islande" for 300 francs. The manuscript of "Rose et Blanche," by George Sand and Jules Sandeau, was sold to the publisher for 400 francs.

CHIEF WHIRLWIND, a noted Cheyenne warrior, died near Fort Reno, O. T., the other night. The old chief was one of the most noted fighters of all the Indian bands until after the final treaty at Medicine Lodge.

THE AMERICAN INDIAN.

THERE are 5,201 Indians in New York.

THE Cherokees of North Carolina number 2,885.

THE word Esquimaux means "Raw Fish Eaters."

THE Indian reservations amount to 219,000 square miles.

THERE were 249,273 Indians in this country at the last census.

ALL the American languages are singularly lacking in abstract terms.

IN all Spanish America the Indians form the great mass of the population.

NO INDIAN tribe north of Mexico had domesticated any animal but the dog.

THE great temple of the sun at Cuzco, in Peru, was attended by 4,000 priests.

THE average height and weight of Indians are no greater than of other peoples.

THE only trading Indians, at the time of the discovery, were the Huron Iroquois.

AT the coming of the whites, tattooing was almost universal among the Indians.

THERE are few instances of full-blooded Indians entering the learned professions.

TREES AND PLANTS.

THE climate of Mexico is so varied that in that country can be raised any product of the tropics or the polar regions.

PERHAPS the largest camellia in existence is at Pilnitz Castle, near Dresden, Germany. The tree is about twenty-four feet high and annually produces about 50,000 blossoms.

THE "witch tree" of Nevada and southern California exudes or exhales a phosphorescent substance which makes every branch, leaf and section of its bark visible on the darkest night.

FOR many years green glass has been used for the roof of the Kew Gardens, London. A recent experiment with white glass demonstrated that the plants thrived much better with glass of this tint, and the green is to be discarded.

FACTS IN FEW WORDS.

OBSERVING barbers declare that men with heavy beards are most apt to be bald.

IT is not illegal to deface coins, but it is illegal to deface them fraudulently. The American flag may not be used lawfully as an advertisement.

THE breeches worn during the reign of Francis I. were often two and one-half yards in circumference and stuffed with bran or sawdust.

A SEAM in a coat or trousers is one inch; in underwear, two inches; in a sock, an inch; in a collar, half an inch; in shoes one-sixth of an inch; in gloves, a quarter of an inch; in hats, one-eighth.

RAILROAD FIGURES.

IT is said that at least 400 car fender patents have been taken out.

OF the 161,000 miles of railroad in the United States in 1892, 71,000, or nearly one-half, were west of the Mississippi river.

THE length of new railroad built during the year ended on June 30, 1893, was 440 miles, and during the next succeeding year 33 miles.

IN nearly all the American cities the street railway companies say that the rapidly extending use of the bicycle has hurt their business greatly.

DURING the past 12 years nearly 10,000 miles of narrow-gauge railroad have been either converted to standard gauge or abandoned entirely in the United States.

THE new shops of the Baltimore & Ohio and the yards to be built at Cumberland, Md., will be the most extensive in the country. The buildings alone will cover 650,000 square feet.

EVOLVED FROM GREAT MINDS.

IT is a great sin to swear unto a sin, but greater sin to keep a sinful oath.—Shakespeare.

NAMES, say an old maxim, are things. They certainly are influences.—Tryon Edwards.

WHERE all are selfish the sage is no better than the fool, and only rather more dangerous.—Froude.

WHAT thou wilt thou shalt rather enforce with thy smile than how it with thy sword.—Shakespeare.

IN matters of prudence last thoughts are the best; in matters of morality first thoughts.—Robert Hall.

HE enjoys much who is thankful for little; a grateful mind is both a great and a happy mind.—Seeker.

Hillsboro Gold Output

Value of Ore Produced During the Past Four Years:

1891—$253,000.
1892—$354,424.
1893—$458,388.
1894—$432,680.

"The Advocate's" Annual Statement, Compiled from Mill and Smelter Books and Accounts.

Output of 1894—26,225 Tons.

16,785 Ounces Gold.
112,500 Ounces Silver.
155 Tons Copper.

Average Value Per Ton of Output for 1894—$16.49.

In above statement gold is figured at $20 per oz., silver at 60 cents per oz., and copper at $190 per ton. The return certificates from smelters, mints and bullion buyers, giving gross contents of shipments, are made the basis for computation of ounces gold and silver, and tons of copper at these rates.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
Awarded Gold Medal Midwinter Fair, San Francisco.

The Past Guarantees The Future

The fact that Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured thousands of others is certainly sufficient reason for belief that it will cure you. It makes pure, rich, healthy blood, tones and strengthens the nerves, and builds up the whole system. Remember

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

Be Sure to get HOOD'S and Only HOOD'S.

Hood's Pills are especially prepared to be taken with Hood's Sarsaparilla. 25c. per box.

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PROPRIETOR
Livery and Feed stables,
HILLSBORO, N. M.

Gus Duvall
PROPRIETOR
Little Corner Saloon,
Hillsboro, N. M.
Walk in, gentlemen.

Glass of Ice Water on the side.

H. B. White
PROPRIETOR
Livery and Feed stable,
Donohoe's Corral,
HILLSBORO, N. M.

PRIVATE Boarding House.

Mrs. Otto E. Gentz and Miss Ada Lee have opened a private boarding house next to The Advocate office, for which they solicit a share of the public patronage.

IF you are dead,

Don't Wake Up On my Account. I want to deal with people now on earth,

Sit Down
ON HIGH PRICES
And Try Buying
for cash.

It will be a revelation to you, if you have never tried it with me on

Groceries.

Get my prices, my delivery wagon will do the rest,

I keep a full line of

Staple and Fancy

groceries and my prices are right.

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Will M. Robins.

Sierra County Advocate.

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Lucas County. }

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Frank J. Cheney.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.
[L. s.]

A. W. Gleason,
Notary Public.

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IF IN SEARCH OF A NEW SENSATION.

Try the effect of a mud bath at Las Vegas Hot Springs, New Mexico. Other forms of baths may be had there, all especially beneficial in rheumatic troubles and diseases of the blood. The cool, dry, tonic air of this resort is just the thing for tired nerves, and there is nothing so restful as New Mexico sunshine, especially when supplemented by such fine service as is given at the Hotel Montezuma, reopened June 20. This famous inn cannot be excelled anywhere in the South west.

Round-trip excursion tickets on sale to Las Vegas Hot Springs from principal points. Reached only over the Santa Fe Route. For illustrated pamphlet and a copy of "Land of Sunshine" address R. J. Jobson, Lake Valley, N. M.

SEE HERE.

Annual meeting of the National Educational Association, to be held at Denver, Col., July 5th to 12th, 1895. Rate for the round trip from Lake Valley, $31.80. Tickets will be on sale July 5th to 8th. Tickets to be used for return trip, July 12th, 13th or 15th. Arrangements can be made with joint agent at Denver for extension of time, by applying to him on or before July 16th.

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Shop between Murphy's Saloon and Robbins' store.

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GUN AND SABER.

Gray horses are considered stronger than brown ones, and hereafter only gray ones are to be used for artillery purposes in the Russian army.

Lieut. Bessier, of the French navy, has invented a compass which does away with a steersman, as the compass steers the vessel itself.

Brig. Gen. Thomas L. Casey, just retired from the regular army at the age of sixty-four, has for the last seven years had supervision of all the river and harbor improvements in the United States.

The sultan of Morocco likes to look on the faces of his foes—when they are dead. He lately received, at Fez, two cart loads of salted human heads, the remains of Bahauma rebels. They are to adorn the city walls.

Commodore Potter, the ranking officer of his grade in the navy, has just been placed on the retired list of the navy upon reaching the age limit of sixty-two years. He has been in the navy since February, 1850, having been appointed from Illinois though a native of New York.

Gen. John B. Gordon, who has been delivering his famous lecture in Arkansas and Texas, has had to content himself with four hours' sleep out of the twenty-four,—owing to the inroads made upon his time by old comrades, who insisted on keeping him up half the night to talk over the war.

Maj. Jed Hotchkiss, of Virginia, in a talk about the battle of Fredericksburg before the National Geographical society the other evening, expressed the opinion that the famous stone wall where the southern riflemen checked the advance of the Irish brigade was probably the scene of the greatest slaughter during the civil war.

FOR WOMEN'S WEAR.

Collars of ribbon and lace are in general use. The one object in making up these collars is to evolve some original idea either in shape, trimming or combination.

Gauze ribbon ruchings are very much liked for trimmings, especially in black on dark materials. There is nothing softer and prettier than a gauze ruching of black for the collar of a cape or a wrap.

Ribbon ruchings are made by plaiting two or two-and-a-half-inch ribbon in box plaits at one edge. This is set upon wide turned-over collars of velvet. Some of these collars have revers extending to the waist line, and the ribbon plaiting is graduated to about half its width as it extends down the front.

The use of ribbons is universal, and the variety to choose from is endless. Striped or brocaded gauze edged velvet ribbons, velvet-edged gauze ribbons, brocaded in velvet, and taffeta with brocaded stripes are among the novelties. The Dresden ribbons are growing more popular, and summer dresses of silk and wool will be profusely trimmed with them.

WORKS OF NATURE.

Specimens of snakes that are enemies of one another in captivity will coil up into their winter sleep in the same bundle.

Dew is not attracted by some colors. Place a yellow board beside a red one and a black one; while the yellow one will be covered with dew, the other two will be perfectly dry.

The Arctic fox changes the hue of his coat to note the change of season. In summer his fur is dark blue; as the cold weather approaches, the shade changes until in winter it is snow-white.

Prof. C. V. Riley thinks he has discovered satisfactory evidence of telepathy among insects—that is to say, a sixth sense, by which they are able to communicate ideas from one to another at great distances.

The snipe has a nerve reaching down to the tip of his bill. It is the only bird thus provided, and this contrivance illustrates the beneficence of nature in enabling the snipe to detect the presence of its food in mud and water, where the creature's eye is of no use.

SUBJECTS OF QUEEN VIC.

Mr. W. T. Stead, it is reported in London newspaper circles, has acquired a proprietary interest in the Echo, and will become its editor.

Gladstone's trip to the Riviera appears to have restored him to vigorous health. Some of his friends say that he has not looked better in several years.

Lord Rosebery and Mr. Balfour, Lord Elgin and Mr. Rhodes—the four men who between them guide and govern the British empire—are all under fifty years of age.

It is said that the duke and duchess of Fife still present in their daily life the interesting spectacle of a married couple who have not yet left their courting days behind them.

Viscount Valentia, who has just been elected to parliament from Oxford City in place of the late Gen. Sir George Chesney, makes the eighteenth titled member of the house of commons. One of them is a liberal.

FROM OVER THE OCEAN.

The sale of alcoholic beverages is controlled by the Swiss government. Last year it made over $1,000,000 by this monopoly.

The Russian crown was made by an old-time Genoese court jeweler named Pauzie. It was first worn by Catherine the Great. It is worth $6,000,000.

Ireland sent out 35,959 emigrants in 1894, 12,257 less than the year before. It is the smallest number recorded since 1851, when the statistics of emigration were first collected.

When a person is suffering from a contagious disease in Holland it is usual to announce the fact to intending visitors by tying a piece of white muslin or ribbon on the bell handle.

Thousands of people left Odessa at Easter time on account of a prophecy that the city would be swallowed up by an earthquake, falsely attributed to Father Ivan Sergieff, of Cronstadt.

MUSIC AND ART.

Paris has a new prima donna in Mlle. Lafargue, who has recently won a brilliant success as Desdemona in Verdi's "Otello," at the Grand Opera.

Several Egyptian harps have been recovered from tombs. In some the strings are intact, and give forth distinct sounds after a silence of three thousand years.

Mrs. Alice Shaw, the whistler, who was once all the rage in London and Paris, is now puckering her lips for the entertainment of the habitues of a Berlin music hall.

Eugene d'Albert, the pianist, has been appointed court kappellmeister at Weimar, the position once held by Liszt. He is the first musician of British birth to hold such an appointment in Germany.

Aubrey Beardsley is as odd in appearance as are his exaggerated drawings. He has red hair, which he wears a la Bretonne, and a face thin and pale. He is five feet nine inches in height and long and lanky to build.

Frederick Remington has excited enough interest to induce a photographer to make special carbon photographic reproductions of his troopers, cowboys and the like. Black and white effects are very well preserved by the process.

F. Hopkinson Smith, whose valuable collection of water colors was destroyed by fire in Milwaukee, will go abroad this summer, and expects to paint forty-nine pictures in fifty consecutive secular days, which will bring him an annual revenue of twenty thousand dollars.

PRESS PROVERBS.

A bald head is soon shaven.

The ideal husband is still a bachelor.

The strongest influence is always exerted at short range.

Affinity is the chief reliance of the divorce courts.

Justice is higher than law, in that it is retroactive.

It is always difficult to draw the line between weakness and willingness.

The unmarried woman is always in danger of becoming a youthful prodigy.

A man may do good work in the world and still continue to say: "I done it."

Everything that goes out with the tide doesn't necessarily come back with it.

A woman is never too old to marry; but she is sometimes too old to be asked.

Even if a man could read his own obituary it isn't likely he would recognize it.

Two wrongs do not make a right, but they often produce about the same effect.

Too many people are in the habit of using the conscience of others instead of their own.—Chicago News.

AT THE JEWELER'S.

"Grandfather's shoe buckle" remains a favorite design in silver fancies; and square-edged and oval stickpins and hatpins come in this pattern.

Lizard skin is still a fashionable leather, and the proper and costly caper is to purchase such skins entire, afterwards devising useful and pretty articles to be made from them.

The portrait craze has given an impetus to miniature rings and buttons; these last are particularly fashionable and effective when set in rhinestone and jet.

Cameos are again fashionable; and the handsome old shell cameo brooches, in white and tan, with quaint designs of overgrown roses or classical heads, are especially effective worn with almost any costume in brown or tan.

Moonstones continue popular, and are seen in brooches, buckles, stickpins and rings. This stone is most artistic set in silver; and a recent feminine fad is to purchase an uncut moonstone and have it mounted in some original design.

WORTH MANY MILLIONS.

Mrs. Fanan Stevens left an estate of $1,500,000. She made no charitable or public bequests.

It is said that Mrs. Hetty Green's one and only ambition is to make her son the wealthiest man in the world.

Miss Helen Gould receives so many begging letters that her postman has a notion of going upon a strike for more pay.

Cornelius Vanderbilt has paid $75,000 for a fireplace in his Newport residence. There seems to be no doubt that he has got money to burn.

John D. Rockefeller said not long ago that his great ambition in life is to accumulate $500,000,000. He made a good start toward it in the late oil flurry.

The wealth of the Rothschilds at present is estimated at £400,000,000, and is believed to have doubled within the twenty years past. It is figured that in seventy years more they will possess £15,000,000,000, an amount that can hardly be conceived.

SAYINGS OF GREAT MEN.

The true life of man is in society.—Simms.

The deeper the sorrow the less tongue it has.—Talmud.

Justice is the great interest of man on earth.—Daniel Webster.

Spy the land-finder, for you will be sure to find him lanky.—Horace.

What morality requires true statesmanship should accept.—Burke.

Strive to do thy duty; then shalt thou know what is in thee.—Goethe.

Great mistakes are often made like great cables, from a multitude of strands.—Hugo.

Good intention will no more make a truth than a good mark will make a good shot.—Spurstowe.

The men of action are, after all, only the unconscious instruments of the men of thought.—Heine.

In the works of man, as in those of nature, it is the intention which is [illegible] study.—Goethe.

Women and Snakes.

"Where are the snakes?" asked a pimply little blonde beauty of eighteen summers. "We want to see the snakes."

"We ain't got no snakes," bluntly replied the showman.

"What? N-n-no—why, Sally, he says they haven't any snakes! I thought they had everything."

"That's the way," muttered the swarthy man, giving the hyena a rap on the nose that made him wince. "Gloria is always after snakes. Show me a party girl with blue eyes as big as saucers and golden hair down her back, and she never seen no hin' had in the living world, and the first thing she'll ask for when she comes here is 'where's the snakes?' Fact! And show me an old maid what's afraid of a mouse and locks her door four times afore she looks under the bed, who always brings a whole raft of somebody's else's children to the show and fills 'em up to bust on peanuts and pink lemonade, and the thing she wants is snakes. And so the children want what she wants and cry for snakes. Snakes! What's a woman got to do a-wantin' snakes? That's what I want to know. You never hear of a man a-hankin' for snakes—not much!

"Keep a leetle farther away from the cages, ma'am, or you'll need a new bonnet, and maybe a head of hair to go wid it."—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Hereditary Needles.

Needles have never been supposed to be hereditary, but a recent case, reported by a physician of eminence offers undoubted evidence to the contrary. A lady accidentally ran a needle into her foot thirty years ago and it lay apparently dormant in her system for so many years that its existence was almost forgotten. In 1863 she was married, and a year after the birth of her infant daughter the needle made its appearance in the infant's shoulder. There could be no doubt that it was the original needle by which the mother had been attacked in 1863, for it was of a peculiar and now obsolete pattern, and the mother distinctly remembered that needles of that pattern were in use at the time of her attack. There could be no doubt that the infant inherited the needle from her mother and that henceforth physicians will expect to find a natural tendency to needles in the tissues. As it is asserted that people have died from needles, although there are very few such cases on record, the insurance companies will doubtless add to the questions which they put to candidates for insurance: "Did your father or mother ever swallow needles and, if so, how many, and of what kind—sewing, darning or carpet?"—Spare Moments.

How a Crowd Gathers.

"Ever see a crowd gather?" asked the man with chin whiskers, as he lit a cigar.

"Not can't say that I ever did."

"I thought not. The crowd was there when you came along. But I helped form this one."

"What did you do?"

"Stopped to admire a cute little shaver in a baby-cab. The child was playing with a small dog, and the two made a picture."

"But about the crowd?"

"Some ladies stopped to look at the baby, then some children to play with the dog. That made a gathering on the sidewalk, and others wanted to see what they were looking at, and there was soon a big crowd that couldn't see anything."

"Meanwhile you were obstructing the sidewalk."

"But you never saw a crowd dispersed as quickly."

"Policeman?"

"Not much! That baby wrinkled up its nose and began to cry. In two seconds there wasn't a soul in sight. The crowd had melted into thin air."—Detroit Free Press.

One Point of Difference.

"Yes, indeed," said the old man, thoughtfully, after his wife had delivered a dissertation upon the progress of the sex, "the new woman is vastly different from the old."

"I thought you would realize that in time," she returned, rather sharply.

"I have just been reading," he went on, "how girls used to be sold by their parents, and some of them brought fancy prices."

"But there's none of that now, thank heaven!" exclaimed the new woman, proudly. "Woman has asserted herself, and—"

"No, there's none of that now," interrupted the old man. "That's all past. A man does not buy a wife in these days."

"I should think not!"

"Certainly not. It's all changed; all changed. Now, he has to be paid to take her, and her poor, old father has to wreck his bank account to provide the dowry. Yes, I admit that the new woman, Marin—"

Then the door was slammed, as she indignantly left the room.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Another Application.

A certain schoolmaster occasionally compares achievements of his pupils with the work of noted men in their boyhood days, much to the scholars' disadvantage.

"Now, John, have you solved the problem?" asked the teacher, the other day.

"No, sir," replied the boy; "I can't."

"How old are you, John?"

"Sixteen," was the answer.

"Sixteen!" repeated the instructor. "Sixteen, and can't solve a simple problem like that? Why, sir, at your age George Washington was surveying the estate of Lord Fairfax."

The pupil looked thoughtful, but made no reply.

After the class was dismissed a classmate inquired of him if Washington ever did anything else remarkable when he was sixteen?

"I don't know," responded the boy, "he was a surveyor when he was as old as I am, and when he was as old as our teacher he was president of the United States."—Philadelphia Call

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

[Continued from 2d Page.]

Henry Stanley, value of personal property raised from 322 to 413 dollars.

C. M. Woolhouse, value of personal property raised from 175 to 215 dollars.

Henry Touisant, value of real estate raised from 3,455 to 3,855 dollars.

Laguna Valley Co., value of real estate raised from 66,619 to 111,032 dollars.

Wilson Waddington, value of cattle raised from 4,750 to 5,350 dollars.

Ironclast Mining Co., value of real estate raised from —— to 2? 0 dollars.

Keystone Mine, value of real estate raised from —— to 200 dollars.

Templar Mining Co., value of real estate raised from 75 to 550 4 dollars.

Virginia Mining Co., raised from —— to 500 dollars.

John H. Collett, value of personal property raised from 227 to 900 dollars.

A. C. McClintock, value of personal property raised from 450 to 750 dollars.

A. C. McClintock, value of real estate raised from $1,047.81 to $1,244.81.

J. J. Shriner, value of improved real estate raised from —— to 400 dollars.

J. J. Shriner, value of personal property raised from 1,875 to 2,475 dollars.

R. Edgecombe, value of personal property raised from 250 to 550 dollars.

Thomas Mahar, value of personal property raised from $475 50 to $517 50.

Thomas Mahar, value of improved real estate raised from 115 to 300 dollars.

THIRD DAY.

Ordered, That Walter Coolidge be rebated the sum of $3.57, tax of 1893.

Ordered, That the contract for the county printing be awarded to P. J. Bennett of the Sierra County Advocate for one year from the 1st day of July, 1895, his bid being the lowest.

Ordered, That the census of Precinct No. 2, as returned by R. C. Huston, be accepted, and it appearing that the population of said Precinct is only 478 persons, it is therefore ordered that the saloon license fee shall be reduced to the sum of $100 for the year 1895.

Ordered, That Encarnacion Rocha be rebated the sum of $165, valuation on house in Hillsboro, the same being double assessment.

The following R. L. D. licenses were ordered issued, on payment of fee to County Treasurer.

Lawrence E. Nowers, Hillsboro.
Louis W. Galles, Hillsboro.
Keller, Miller & Co., Hillsboro.
Gus Duvall, Hillsboro.
J. C. Plemmons, Hermosa.
J. C. Stanley, Lake Valley.

The following bills were allowed and ordered paid:

J. A. Carruth, binding, $4.
W. O. Thompson, printing, $49.31.
New Mexican Printing Co., assessment rolls, $16.50.
August Engleman, repairs on jail, $3.75.
C. C. Miller, office supplies, $12.90.
Keller, Miller & Co., jail supplies, $12.05.
J. J. Garcia, election judge Precinct 5, November, 1894, $3.
Philip Zoeller, election judge, Precinct 9, November, 1894, $3.
Thomas Mahar, justice peace expenses, Precinct 2, $2.60.
Feles Trujillo, justice peace expenses, Precinct 2, $4.
Henry Harris, justice peace expenses, Precinct 1, $5.44.
Perfecto Silva, justice peace expenses, Precinct 7, $6.50.
W. J. Johnson, justice peace expenses, Precinct 3, $6.09.
Alex. Maxwell, pauper aid, $36.
Manuel Aragon, interpreter Probate court, $20.

Ordered, That the Clerk be instructed to make and forward to the Secretary of the Sanitary Board an abstract of all brands recorded in Sierra County.

Ordered, That the Clerk issue the licenses as assessed, and deliver to the Collector for collection.

Adjourned to July 1st, 1895.

Geo. R. Baucus,
Chairman.

Attest:
Thos C. Hall, Clerk.

Neighborhood News.

SOCORRO COUNTY.

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From the Advertiser.

A Radcliffe is still suffering from the effects of the operation undergone by him for cancer.

Wake Williams is home on a vacation from the Colorado school of Mines. He looks as good natured as ever.

Last Saturday evening Mrs. Henson returned from a visit to her son Ed. in White Oaks. Ed., who has many friends here, has time since taken unto himself a wife, and is living in comfort.

J. Mack, who bought and moved the Brittenstein mill from Magdalena some time ago, and who has been looking over the country west of there, came in Sunday and will remain several days.

The Emma Mining & Milling Co. are now working on the foundation for their concentrator, and also tearing down the mill at Water Canon. They expect to have part of the machinery on the ground the first of next week.

Jake Sandrisser, better known in baseball circles of this city as "Sandy," is now in El Paso superintending a livery stable. He gets $5 a day and sits conveniently near a row of electric buttons, and the only mental strain he is put to is the determination of which button to touch. He calls it a soft snap.

The complainants in the case of Pino vs. Vigal brought action this morning before Judge Collier for the removal of J. J. Leeson as receiver of the property in controversy. Jim. says he can't find that little pile of $25,000, which complainants declare is buried on the estate, neither can he get the school house property back, hence the action.

Don't buy any meat from peddlers, unless you have unbounded confidence in the men. A short distance south of this city, and on the other side of the river, was recently found a place where nineteen burro heads, hides and the lower part of the legs, all of which had been buried, and it is common rumor that enterprising scamps have been peddling the meat in the towns along the river for veal. While the story may, or may not, be true, the only safe way is to buy your meat at a regularly established shop.

THE BLACK RANGE.

CHLORIDE.

From the Chloride Range.

Dick Thomasson left on Tuesday's coach for Cripple Creek, Col.

E. Payne is doing assessment work on the Free Coinage on Mineral creek.

Mrs. S. E. Corson, who has been quite ill for two or three days, is reported better today.

Dr. Blinn is working his Argonaut with good results. The Argonaut has between two and three feet of ore in sight.

A change of time occurred on the A. T. & S. F. on the 9th. No. 1 going south, arrives at Engle on same old time, 9:23 a. m. No. 2, going east, arrives at 3:42 p. m., ten minutes earlier.

There is a report in circulation that Henry Westerman and Eugen Knapp, once well-known residents of Chloride, have been killed by Indians down in Mexico. Whether there is any truth in the report we have not been able to learn.

Bob. Boulware, manager of Link ranch came in from over the range yesterday afternoon. He reports very little rain over there and that cattle are in poor condition. He left this afternoon for Hillsboro where he goes on company business.

The marriage of Miss Maude Richards and Harry Crawford is announced to take place at San Marcial next Sunday evening. The Black Range extends congratulations.

Light showers continue to fall, occasionally. The recent rains have brought forth good grass in the Black Range mountains and the cattle therein are reported doing very well.

Both Reed and Bonner report Indian signs along the crest of the Black Range. Reed saw the trail of three Indian ponies, two bare footed and one smooth shod, and Bonner while out trailing a bear which he had wounded crossed the trail of two Indians on foot. He followed the trail a short distance and then returned. The moccasin tracks were between the Dry and North forks of the Palomas.

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent.

It is an adage as old as Washington that "The President never hears the truth." As a rule your correspondent takes little stock in adages and maxims, but unless everybody else is getting the situation wrong the President isn't hearing the truth about the silver situation. Mr. Cleveland is being assured by every member of his party who visits the White House that the sentiment in favor of silver is on the wane in the south, and, with the echoes of that big silver convention at Memphis, participated in by some of the most prominent southern leaders of his party, still ringing through the newspapers, he accepts their assurances as true. It may be true that silver sentiment is dying out in the South, but it seems strange that hundreds of prominent men belongs to all parties who come to Washington, but do not call on President Cleveland, should have failed to make so important a discovery. The President is also being assured that Secretary Carlisle's efforts have made it certain that the free silver men will be defeated in Kentucky, and he will leave on his summer vacation with that belief. A few weeks will show whether he has been told the truth in that case; the silver men say no.

Quite a little flurry of indignation has followed the discovery that among the ninety-nine clerks dismissed from the Pension Bureau, in accordance with legislation enacted by the last Congress, was Miss Elizabeth N. Key, a granddaughter of Francis Scott Key, author of "The Star Spangled Banner." Miss Key has been a clerk in the bureau since 1881, has a fair record for efficiency, and is the sole support of her mother, who is blind. A strong effort is being made to secure Miss Key's reinstatement and it is believed that it will succeed, for notwithstanding the propensity of the average American to say, "there's no sentiment in business," everybody knows him to have a vein of sentiment in his nature, which once aroused thoroughly dominates his action for the time; and if the idea of turning out women descendants of the author of "The Star Spangled Banner" to starve, or to exist on the charity of the world, doesn't reach that vein of sentiment its outer coating must be growing dangerously hard.

Attorney General Harmon agrees with President Cleveland on the financial question, as Mr. Cleveland probably knew before he made him a member of his Cabinet. Speaking on the subject Judge Harmon said: "In the present situation it seems to me mere folly to talk about the free coinage of silver. The only way we float the silver we now have is by attaching an applied greenback to every silver dollar—or, in other words, by the government promising to redeem it with a gold dollar, if necessary, to keep the two equal. Of course there is a very narrow limit to the government's ability to do that, besides I know of no reason why it should do it. If there were free and unlimited coinage of silver the government could not keep the two metals on a parity very long, and the result would be, by the law of money, that has been settled from the time that man had money, the gold would all disappear and there would be only a silver basis." Needless to say the silver men do not agree with either the Attorney General's argument or conclusions.

A THIRTEEN CLUB.

New York Letter.

Thirteen men and women sat at seven tables at the St. Denis last night, discussed thirteen courses and pressed lips to thirteen kinds of wine. It was the annual dinner of the Thirteen Club, and the variety of liquids probably kept their courage up to the sticking point when they scanned the cough shaped wine card and eyed the ghastly decorations. As each guest entered he or she walked under a ladder, and just as the soup was served a big mirror fell from the wall and shattered to pieces. This made some of the ladies lose their appetites for a while.

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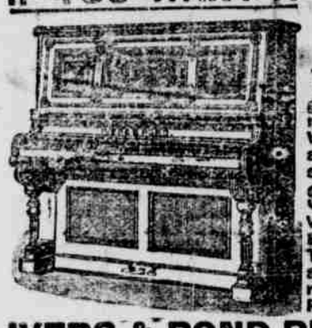

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