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Report of Proceedings of County titioners, however, include the old mail road the matter and having heard the prayers of W. Commissioners.

Proceedings of the Hon. Board of County Com- as in duty bound shall ever pray." missioners of the County of Lincoln, at a regular term thereof, held at Lincoln, N.M., on Monday, 4th of January, 1904.

Present: Hon. Sipio Salazar, chairman; P. L. Krouse, member; S. C. Wiener, member; Leslie Ellis, probate clerk; I. N. Analla, interpreter.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved. Minutes of last special meeting read

Now comes Sipio Salazar and tenders his resignation as chairman of the board, and moves that P. L. Krouse be made chairman, which is seconded by S. C. Wiener.

Now, comes H. B. Hamilton, jr., and files petition, protesting against the establishment of change the county public road, leading from the road described as follows: Road runs through R. A. Hunnicutt's land s1/2 se1/4 sec 26 and nw1/4 of ne % of sec 35; thence through Wm. Hunni- Emerson, and by so changing the road the same cutt's land, set of nw4 sec 35; thence through James E. Cree's land net of set sec 34. thence through J. R. Bond's place. set of set of sec 34, and nw4 of ne4 of sec 3, tp 10 s, r 13 east, and thence to intersect with old Nogal road. which said road was established at the October 1903 meeting of this board. Now, therefore, the val." above order creating said road is hereby rescinded, and February 4, 1904, is the date set by the board to hear petitions and protests in regard to the establishment of the above named road, and the clerk is ordered to forward to Jas. E. Cree, et als, the following notice, to-wit:

To James E. Cree, Angus, Mexico.—In the matter of the re-opening of the old road through the Cree pasture, and also the making of a new road in section 24 tp 10 s,r 13 east, wherein your property interests are affected.

"You are hereby notified to be and appear before the board of county commissioners at their office in the town of Lincoln, county of Lincoln, on the 4th day of February, 1904, then and there to show cause, if any you have, why said roads ould not be opened by order of this board

Witness the hon. board of county commissioners and the seal of the probate clerk, this 4th day of January, 1904.

P. L. KROUSE, chairman.

Attest-Leslie Ellis."

Now comes I. O. Weticore and files the following petition:

"We, the undersigned citizens and freeholders do hereby petition that the hon. board give us the following described road: Leaving the Nogal road about 200 yards above Thomas J. Kyle's house; thence in a northeasterly direction to nortaline of southeast quarter of ne4 and sw4 of nw4 sec 6, tp 9, range 14 east, this being the sec tion line between land of J. P. Sanders and Steve Ramon; following that line due east to artesian well owned by the New Mexico Fuel company; thence on their land in an easterly direction to oalora postoffice. and from there to Capitan postoffice, this being the route now traveled by the mail. We give the following reasons for wishing this road established as a county road:

The New Mexico Fuel company will give a right of way for a county road over this route without cost to the county. With the exception of traveling on the section line between the land of J. P. Sanders and Steve Ramon, the route is on government land, excepting land owned by W. M. Murray and leased by I. O. Wetmore, over which he will give the right of way without cost to the county. This is the route that the mail now travels and has traveled since the mail was carried overland.

The distance is between two and three miles shorter than the old road which is sought to be re-opened."

Now comes L. Shelly and files the following

'The undersigned, your petitioners of precinct 9. in the county of Lincoln, hereby petition your hon. board for the establishment of a public

road as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the town of Coalora in sec 4. tp 9 s, r 14 east, thence southeasterly about one mile to an intersection with the old mail road from Fort Stanton and Capitan to Nogal, in the Eagle Nest canon in sec 8, same township; thence by said old mail road and on present location through sections 8 and 7 in said township and in townships 9 and 8 s of r, 18 east to the town of Nogal.

The only piece of new road desired is that from Coalora about one mile to the intersection with the old mail road in Eagle Nest canon. Pe-

from the intersection named to Nogal, because the same has been closed by private parties without visible authority. And your petitioners

And after due consideration the board did appoint H. F. Jones, of Capitan, to view said proposed roads and make his report on same, as to the probable cost, inconvenience, benefit, &c., said H. F. Jones to first make affidavit that he will faithfully and impartially perform the said duties as road viewer. And the said H. F. Jones is further ordered and instructed to make his report on or before the next term of this board. which term will be held at Lincoln on the 4th of February, 1904.

Road Petition from Citizens of Nogal.-Now comes petition as follows to-wit:

"We, the undersigned, ask your hon body to Nogal to Parsons, for the reason to-wit: Because the said road traverses the tillable land of H. will be made straighter and shorter. Said H. Emerson will do the work on the road gratis and made it as good or better than the old highway is at present. Leaving the road for the inspection of the road supervisor of this precinct, and to be made a permanent change upon his appro-

Laid over till Feb. 4, 1904.

TREASURER'S REPORT. To the Hon. Board of County Commissioners

of Lincoln County, N.M. I have to report the following balances in the

	various funds as	follov	W8:				
	General County I	fund				\$3273	1
1	Court Fund	-				4616	
	School Fund					2253	8
	Interest Bonds					2939	-
	C. H. & J. R. F.					1485	
	Wild Animal Bou	und			1078	:	
	School District N	lo. 8 s	pecial	levy		724	:
		12	**			26	-
		28				3	1
	" "	20	**			5	1
	Precinct fines					74	
	Chaves County In	ndebt	edness			1018	1
	Normal Institute					1	1
	John Pheler Esta	ate				44	;
	Assessor's Fund	-				571	,
	Various school di	istric	ts -			6366	1
	And said report			board	appi	roved.	
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cancellation as follows:

Interest Bonds Fund an	ounting to		\$632	10
Gen. Co. Fund-Warran	ts amting to		2343	16
School Fund-Warrants	amount's to	0 -	204	60
R'ds & Br's Fund-			105	85
Ct Ho & J rep fund-	"		281	95
Wild Animal Bo fund-	44	-	3	00
Assessor's fund-			124	00
Court fund	**		70	00
School district No. 8, sp	ecial levy-			
coupon 20 Bond 20			15	00
Sch Dist No. 20-Coupon	4 Bond I		30	00
Sch Dist No. 28, special	levy-Coupe	ons 5		
Bonds 4 to 24 inclusive	, \$15 each \$3	15 00)	
Coupons 6 bonds 1 to 15	, \$15 each 2	225 00)	
Interest on delinquent		6 6		

Respectfully submitted, E. W. HULBERT, County Treasurer. The above report was approved.

	School	Warrants	Cancelled.			
Dist No 1-	-Warra	nts amou	nting to		\$898 8	3
Dist No 2		"			79 2	2
Dist No 4		"	•		121 (0
Dist No 5					49 (0
Dist No 6					130 7	7
Dist No 7					80 (0
Dist No 8					673 3	3
Dist No 10)		16.00		142 (0
Dist No 1	1				246 (0
Dist No 12	2	4 .			180 (J
Dist No 13	,				117 8	3
Dist No 16	6	"	44		150 (0
Dist No 1	8	"	"		10 2	2
Dist No 20	,	•	"	-	170 7	Z
Dist No 27					53 9	9
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Dist No 4		ii ohi		•	210 8	
				THE REAL PROPERTY.		

Now comes H. B. Hamilton, jr., and files petition on behalf of Francisco Gonzales, constable, praying this hon board for fees in the case of the Territory vs. James Burleson et als., said Francisco Gonzales claimed to have demanded the papers in the case of W. F. Blanchard, J.P., but said papers were served by R. D. Armstrong, sheriff. And the board being well advised in

F. Blanchard and H. B. Hamilton, did order the said fees paid to R. D. Armstrong.

Report of - Box, road reviewer, approved. Bond of road supervisor S. T. Gray approved. Bond of Manuel Jiroz, road supervisor prect. No. 6 approved.

The following butchers' bonds were approved: A. W. Purcella, J. R. Simpson, T. C. Jacobs, T. Brandon, H. K. Roundtree, L. B. Norton and

All official bonds were examined and probate clerk is ordered to give a new bond, owing to the death of J. N. Coe, one of his bondsmen.

Board adjourned till one o'clock. Board convened at 1 p.m. All present. Report of S. T. Gray, road reviewer, filed. Reports of Geo. Kimbrel, Geo. W. Barrett, J.

P.C. Langston, Santiago Gonzales, Manuel Gonzales, Jose Cordoba, Teofilo Salas, W. F. Blanchard, road supervisors, approved. Report of W. B. Puckett, road supervisor, laid over as same was not required by law.

The following road supervisors were appointed for 1904: Florencio Chavez, prect 1; Martin Sedillo, prect 2; Antonio Ramiriz, prect 3; Geo. Kimbrell, prect 4; H. B. Roberts, prect 5; Manl. Jiroz, prect 6; Jos Ross. prect 7; S. T. Gray, prect 9; J. P. C. Langston, prect 8; C. W. Wingfield, prect 10; Ed. Pfingston, prect 11; Geo. W. Barrett, prect 12.

Court adjourned till Tuesday morning. Court convened at 9 a.m. All members were

Resignation of W. H. Sevier, constable, prect. 9, approved.

Petition of citizens of prect 6 praying for the appointment of George Sena, justice of the peace, approved

Bill of C. F. Goddard, justice of peace, of Ancho, returned for report.

The following bills were allowed and ordered paid: Jose Cordoba, road supervisor, \$7. Teofilo Salas, j p fees, \$15.10.

George W. Barrett, road supervisor, \$43.35. J. P. C. Langston, road work, \$44.05. Santiago Gonzales, \$47. Manuel Gonzales, road work, \$35. S. T. Gray, road work, \$43,20.

Geo. Kimbreel, road work. etc., \$176.65. A. T. Roberts, services as constable, \$47.25. R. D. Armstrong, feeding prisoners, \$127.50. Report of R. D. Armstrong, licenses collected,

R. D. Armstrong, supplies for county, \$17.50. R, D. Armstrong Robt Brady, services as jailer, \$150. E. W. Hulbert, salary as dep dist clerk, \$60. E. W. Hulbert, stationery, etc., \$25.40. F. Gomez, salary as probate judge, \$50. P. L. Krouse, salary as commissioner, \$60. Sipio Salazar, \$50. S. C. Wiener, \$55.70. W. H. H. Llewellyn, salary dist atty, Robt Hurt, com on taxes, \$425.60. Robt Hurt, com on licenses collected, \$28. E. J. Coe, salary as school supt, \$119. Eagle Printing Co., \$133. Mae Gilmore, examination of teachers, \$15. Lincoln T. co., supplies, \$167.65.

Aragon Bros, supplies: \$4.35. Moeller & Co., supplies, \$6.20. Jackson Galbraith co, lumber, \$27.35. Aragon Bros, lumber, \$12,40. W. W. Slack, lumber, \$43.70. Abel Mirabel, conveying ballot box, \$3.20. L. J. Mundell, repairs on courthouse, \$10.30. Geo. W. Peppin, repair on jail, \$7.00. The following bills were allowed and ordered

H. B. Pray, bill for \$6, allowed \$2. Wm McGee, constable fees, \$6. Lute Jennings, services as constable, \$9.75. Robert Brady, interpreting in j p. court, \$6. B. J. Baca, interpreting in probate and comrs

Severo Gallegos, interpretor in j p court, \$4. Bill of S. F. Mathews, prosecuting Benito Apo-

daca et als. not allowed. W. M. Eidson, services as j p, \$39.15. Wm. Brady, interpreting in j p court, \$34. Acacio Gallegos, services as deputy sheriff. \$292.10.

Wm. Sevier, services as constable, \$11.75. Robt Brady, witness fees and mileage, \$6. B. F. Gumm, commission \$11. Joe A. Gumm, commission on tax, \$2.15.

W, F. Blanchard, j p, \$28.50.

Porfirio Chaves, comm'n, ex-assessor, \$79.80. Jas Burleson, services as constable, rejected.

Refugio Torres, Jas Burleson, services as special officer, \$12.10, allowed \$7.25.

Juan Peppin, A. Rogers, setting glass in courthouse, \$3. L. J. Mundell, work on courthouse, \$218, to be paid when work is finished.

I. N. Analla, interpreting in commission, \$9. W. R. Ellis, painting court, \$175.

Board adjourned till 1 p.m. Board convened at 1 p.m. All members pres-

There not being sufficient money in the Wild Animal Bounty Fund to pay all bills in full, 75

per cent were paid as follows: Jim Latham, \$15. Juan Peppin \$9. M. S. Goodin, \$48. J. B. Burrill, \$13,50. A. W. Schawzer, \$33.35.

W. J. McAdams, \$111. Jose Serrano, \$15. Louis Mundell, \$15. W. C. McDonald, \$793.50.

West Purcella, \$7.50. T. C. Archuleta, \$1.85.

T. W. Watson, med attendance on prisoners, A. M. Richardson, j p, for \$12%0 allowed for

Dr. T. A. Cooper, postmortem exam. and witness fees, \$200, allowed \$100.

Dr. T. W. Watson, expert testimony, \$25, S. T. Gray, spe officer, \$21.75, allowed \$10.80. D. H. Moeller, interpreting j p court, \$2.

M. M. Gabarra, interpreting in j p court, \$2. Paz Torres, witness fees, \$3. Board adjourned till Wednesday morning.

Board convened Wednesday morning at 9 a.m. All members present. It is moved by S. C. Wiener that the treasurer be instructed to transfer bonds Chaves county indebtedness, and place same into Interest and

Sinking Fund, which said motion was seconded by Sipio Salazar. Bill of Porfirio Chaves, commission on licenses collected, \$326.60, rejected for the reason that

the same had been paid to H. Lutz, ex-treasurer. Antonio Tenorio, mileage and witness feee, Leslie Ellis, interpreting in j p court, \$10.

Leslie Ellis, services as clerk, postage, &c., \$141.80. R. D. Armstrong, sheriff's fees, \$84.95.

Fran Gonzales, services as constable, \$5.20.

E. C. Watson. services as special officer, \$4.15. L. B. Walters bal on inquest held in December, 1903, \$5.60.

B. H. Moeller, supplies for County. \$28.38. allowed \$27.75. Geo. W. Peppin, work on courthouse, \$175.

L. J. D. Ballejos, services as constable, \$20.38, allowed \$18.25. J. L. Goodall, services as special officer, \$9.50

allowed \$4.20. Bernardino Gomez, services as special officer. \$9.25, allowed \$4.15.

For the benefit of residents of Precinct No. 2. San Patricio. the following boundary lines are established, to-wit: Precinct No. 2, San Patricio shall be constituted as follows: Sections 19 to 36, inclusive, Tp. 10 S R 16 east; Sections 31 to 36 inclusive and south half of Sections 25 to 30, inclusive, Tp. 10 S R. 17 east; Townships 11, 12 and 13 south of range 16 and 17 east, and shall be bounded as follows: Beginning at the corner to Sections 13, 18, 19 and 24, Tp. 10 S of R 15 and 16 east. Thence east along section lines six miles or thereabouts to corner to Sections 13, 18, 19 and 24, Tp. 10, S of R, 16 and 17 east. Thence south along range line between ranges 16 and 17 east one and a half mile to west qr sec corner, sec 25, Tp. 10 S of R 16 east. Thence east on line of qr sec corners six miles or thereabouts to west qr section corner, sec 25, Tp 10 S R 17 east. Thence south along the range lines 191/2 miles or thereabouts to the southeast corner, Tp 13, 8 R. 17 east. Thence west along township boundaries 12 miles or thereabouts to the southwest corner Tp 13, S R 16 east. Thence north along range line between ranges 15 and 16 east 21 miles or thereabouts to the point of beginning.

No further business appearing the board adjourned till the 4th day of February, 1904.

Location notices, mining deeds, bills of sale, quit claim deeds, etc. for sale at this office.

Star Brand Shoes are the Best. For sale by Welch & Titsworh.

THE CAPITAN NEWS

NEW MEXICO. CAPITAN,

According to a dispatch Japan may force the czar's hand, but what it really wants to look out for is his

It is announced in England that Alfred Austin has written another tragedy. Does this mean another poem?

Even the sedate historic muse may well grin when she sets down the fact that Wos y Gil has been deposed by Jiminez.

After this no ducal wedding should be puiled off in New York without ambulances and patrol wagons in attendance.

A Chicago man has been choked to death by a doughnut. The only part of the doughnut that it is really safe to eat is the hole.

English lords come to this country so hungry for love that they won't marry anybody who has less than a million to feed it on.

Obviously there are no Americans in the Constitutional club of London. The earl of Dunraven has just been elected to membership.

King Peter of Servia wants to borrow \$20,000,000. If we were in Pete's place we'd hate to be found in Servia with that much money.

Even the rich can't have everything to please 'em. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., is disappointed because the new addition to his family is not a boy.

A Michigan schoolma'am has been awarded \$30,000 damages for breach of promise. It hurts when a Michigan schoolma'am's heart is fooled with.

That Chicago father who says his 7-year-old boy "needs outdoor exercise" with a shotgun appears to forget that the birds also need a little outdoor play.

Those sun spots came just in time to get the blame for a lot of things from which people in various parts of the country would like to shift the responsibility.

Spain would have been willing to furnish deserters from her own navy to supply a marksman for every gun on every United States warship at Manila bay and Santiago.

An expert killer of cockroaches has taken a contract to rid the vessels in the navy of those insect pests. Might not swearing be banished from the navy by calling in an expert profanity killer?

If ever there was a work of supererogation it is the effort of certain well-meaning persons in Missouri to educate the people up to the knowledge that the flesh of the 'possum is good to eat.

It is authoritatively announced from Rome that no object of artistic or historical value was destroyed or even injured by the recent fire in the vatican. Here is occasion for universal congratulation.

What could be more pathetic than the experience of the girl in New Jersey who is still receiving letters daily from her lover in the Philippines, whose death was announced by cable two or three weeks ago?

The Chicago Record-Herald, with presumably unconscious humor, publishes comparative statements from weather department tables in order to prove that Chicago is not the "windy" city. There is wind-and "wind."

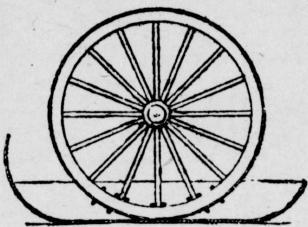
WORK OF INVENTORS

NEW IDEAS THAT ARE OF PRAC TICAL VALUE.

Combined Wheeled Vehicle and Sleigh --- Improved Shoe Lacing Device-Convenient Heater That May Be Placed Over Gas Jet.

Runner for Wheeled Vehicles.

How well the old resident remembers the time when we had summer in the summer time and winter when it was due, which lasted until spring; and with what pleasure he tells of the cold weather and good sleighing for weeks in succession! But whether it is the destruction of the forests to build our houses and serve other purposes, or from some other cause, we do not seem to have good winter weather for very long at a time, and sleighing and skating are soon de-



For Changeable Weather.

stroyed by a thaw. In Canada and some portions of this country this is not the case, and when a farmer or teamster puts up his wagons and gets out his sleighs for the first snow he has fairly good assurance that he will not have to change again until the spring thaw. But in a vast area of the country the man who drives may find himself riding through mud in a sleigh or slipping over a snowy road in a carriage, and it is to meet just such occasions as this that the invention shown in the picture has been designed. A set of sheet iron shoes is provided, with steel runners, and perforated at intervals for the insertion of bolts. When there is a fall of snow the driver has only to put the shoes on the wheels and bolt them in position, and he is ready for a sleigh ride, with no worry over what the future state of the weather may be. The shoes are light enough to be carried in the wagon when not in use, and should prove a great convenience to the man who has to drive every

The patentees are Samuel J. and John D. Phillips of New York city.

Improved Shoe Attachment.

It is not at all uncommon for a shoe lace to break at an inopportune moment, when one is in a hurry to catch a train, or has something important to attend to, instead of at an hour when there is plenty of time for repairs. The accident is not to be wondered at, when it is remembered that the lacing hook has two sharp edges over which the string is drawn at a sharp angle, and the movement of the foot saws the lace over these



Prevents Wear of the Strings.

edges at every step. A simple but effective arrangement to prevent this wear is that shown in the picture, consisting of a series of flattened rings, which are secured to the hooks in place of the laces themselves. The latter are inserted in the rings, which, having no sharp edges, and presenting only a rounded surface in contact with the string, wears the latter very

little, if any. It is probably no more difficult to lace the shoe with these rings than in the old manner, and a decrease in the number of broken strings is sure to follow.

The inventor is George W. Johnston of Dorchester, Mass.

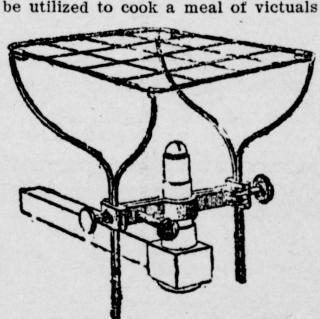
New Paper and Wall Coating.

In a new German composition for coating or impregnating pasteboard and similar material for roofing and other purposes similar to our tar and felt papers a combination of resins and fats is used. This material is also applicable for applying directly to the walls of buildings, and in a recipe recently given by our consul general at Coburg the following proportions are recommended: Colophony, 60 parts; neutral yolk, 25, and 5 parts each of carnauba wax, linseed oil and magnesium oxychloride. The material under treatment is immersed for about ten minutes in the fused composition, and is then passed through heated rollers. Its value as a non-conductor of heat and cold and its imperviousness to liquids render it a valuable addition to the list of building mate-

Cleaning Agent from Filth.

Soap for sewage sludge is an extreme example of by-product economy reported in the Zeitschrift of the Austrian Society of Engineers and Architects. The process, briefly stated, is as follows: Dosing the sewage with sulphuric acid, heating to 100 degrees Centigrade, compressing into cakes, drying and treating with benzine, which latter dissolves out the fatty matters. The fats recovered by distilling off the benzine are of a slightly yellow color. Thus has science not only provided a way to dispose of sewage, but has actually transformed it into a cleaning agent for household

Convenient Little Heater. The oil or gas stove which cannot



Attached to the Gas Burner.

while heating a room has little place in the system of economics. Many a lamp flame and gas jet have produced good cups of tea, coffee or chocolate to accompany a frugal lunch prepared and eaten in a small room by those too poor to afford "square" meals on all occasions. This class of economists will probably see the merit of the burner attachment recently designed by a California inventor, and shown in the accompanying illustration. It has a clamping arrangement which grips the burner-tube and supports the standards depending from the flat wire screen at the top. These standards are adjustable by loosening tne screws in the clamping member, and may be regulated to correspond with the size and heat of the flame issuing from the jet.

George W. Brunner of San Francisco, Cal., is the patentee.

New Vocation for Women.

The German press reports that a new vocation has been found for women on account of the use of the X-rays in hospitals. Courses of lectures for the instruction of X-ray nurses will soon be commenced at Berlin. These women will serve only as nurses of patients treated by Xrays, and as assistants in the use of this recently discovered healing agent, which service is of a very delicate nature and one requiring great Bishop Encourages Matrimony.

The bishop of London has introduced a novel method of popularizing matrimony among the humbler worshipers. The bishop, though a bachelor himself, believes in early marriage. Among the working classes the socialistic bishop is fairly worshiped. Many youths visit him and discuss the choice of a wife. The bichop's advice is usually followed.

The bishop has met many successes recently as a matrimonial agent. In order to celebrate them he has been giving a series of little dinner parties in his house in St. James square to the happy couples. The brides come in their wedding gowns and the bridegrooms in their best Sunday suits. The couples feel a trifle embarrassed at first by the magnificence of the bishop's mansion, but the bishop soon places them at their ease. Owing to the bishop's dinners many matches are being made in order to obtain invitations to his dinners.

Don't Rent a Farm-Buy!

Colorado farmers can get good irrigated land, best of water rights, splendid crops, and pay about the usual rental for the use of the land. In three years they'll own it clear. The best chance to get a good farm ever offered in the state. Write to-day to The Colorado Bureau of Immigration. Zeph Chas. Felt, president, Majestic building, Denver, Colorado.

"Mamma," queried little four-year-old Mabel, "was papa related to us before he married into our family?" "Certainly not, dear," was the reply. "Oh, then we just adopted him, didn't we, mamma?" continued the small miss.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contains Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists. Price 75c per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Slim-What do you think of our new tenor singer? Trim-Oh, he's a howling

The mildest tobacco that grows is used in the make-up of Baxter's Bullhead 5-cent cigar. Try one and see.

"You should cast your bread upon the waters," said the good old parson. "I did once," admitted the young wife, "but it sunk."

Insist on Getting It.

Some grocers say they don't keep Deflance Starch. This is because they have a stock on hand of other brands containing only 12 oz. in a package, which they won't be able to sell first, because Defiance contains 16 oz. for the same money.

Do you want 16 oz. instead of 12 oz. for

same money? Then buy Defiance Starch. Requires no cooking.

"You poor boy; here's a penny for you. Now stop crying."
I was crying for." "Yes'm; that's what

When You Buy Starch buy Defiance and get the best, 16 oz. for 10 cents. Once used, always used.

Towne-I understand he married a cold half million dollars. Browne-Yes, but it was colder than he expected. She won't let him handle a cent of it.

"It beats all" how good a cigar you can buy for 5 cents if you buy the right brand. Try a "Bullhead."

Artist-What a beautiful place this is! I suppose you came here for the view. Old Lady-No. I wasn't consulted. I was born here.

I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. Thos. Robbins. Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900.

"The woman who picks out a husband because he is a good dancer." said the breakfast cynic. "is on par with the man who picks out a wife because she can make fudge."

All Up to Date Housekeepers use Defiance Cold Water Starch, because it is better, and 4 oz. more of it for same

"I Cannot Sing the Old Songs," warbled the young woman at the plano. But this was small relief, for the new ones she sang were even worse.

Smoke Baxter's "Bullhead" 5-cent cigar.

Professor—The three elements are fire, water and air. Each is separate and distinct from the other. Student—Yes, but fire-water and hot-air usually go to-

the door and looked perplexedly back into the crowded shop.

"By George," he said, "if that doesn't stump me."

"What does?" asked a friend who happened along in time to overhear Johnny's puzzled soliloguy.

"That girl at the complaint desk," said Johnny. "She is a marvelous creature; she is, indeed. I was thrown down here Monday and bought some things-socks, neckties and the like. I ordered them sent. They did not come. I came down Wednesday and complained. The girl said they would be sent. She lied. They were not sent. I came to-day to complain again. The girl saw me before I got to the desk. 'Oh, Mr. Boyle,' she said, 'your packages have just been found. They were sent out this morning-Mr. John Boyle, No. 125 Blank Street. That is right, isn't it?' Now," added Johnny Boyle, "I consider that most extraordinary."

"Oh, I don't know," returned the friend, whimsically. "I daresay she couldn't have done it in many cases. You must bear in mind, Johnny, old boy, that that phiz of yours is rather remarkable itself. You have, you know, a very distinctive style of beauty which enables people to remember you where the rest of us commonplace fellows would be forgotten."

"Ah, I say, now," murmured Johnny Boyle in deprecatory accents, but he continued to ponder his friend's complimentary phrases, and when he got home he propped the mirror up in the best light the room afforded and studied his face attentively. To thus survey his own lineaments was | "Ah!" said Johnny, thoughtfully. not a novel occupation for Johnny New York Times.

Johnny Boyle stopped just outside | Boyle. He did it every day. There was one place in the windowsill where the looking glass fitted in particularly well, and before that spot Johnny Boyle planted himself for the space of fifteen minutes every morning before going to work and gazed into his own melting brown eyes and brushed his crinkly brown hair and heavy brown mustache, which curled up toward his classic nose so bewitchingly.

The next morning Johnny Boyle's contemplation of his pleasing visage was interrupted by undignified giggling and irreverent remarks directed at him from the window across the air shaft.

"My," said one voice. "Ain't he a beaut?"

"Don't let him hear you say that," returned the other voice. "He's got the big head bad enough now. He stands before that glass for half an hour every morning primping worse than any woman. I get sick and tired of seeing him."

Johnny Boyle was so angry that he could not see straight, but not withstanding his impaired vision he caught a glimpse of one retreating figure that seemed familiar. On his way out he gave the janitor's wife half a dollar.

"Who lives in Flat 3 C?" he asked. The woman told him.

"Have they a daughter?" he asked. "A girl that wears a big bunch of blue ribbon in her hair?'

"No," said the woman. "She is not their daughter. She just boards with them. She works downtown. She is at the complaint desk at the S. & H. store."



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The United States mails are carried | York and travel northward to Alaska. then down the coast to California and take ship to Manila and follow the lines of travel to Hongkong, to Singapore, to Canton, to Tokio, to Vladivostok, to St. Petersburg, to Vienna, to London, to South Africa, and finally to South America, touching on the way at several Pacific and South Atlantic islands and thence back to his starting point, he could travel a distance several times greater than the circumference of the globe. If he ordered his mail forwarded to him, and left correct address behind at each place, the letters would dutifully follow him and finally be delivered to him in New York a few days after his own arrival there. All that he would have to pay extra for this remarkable journey would be a dollar or two in tolls, which would represent the charges for forwarding exacted by some of the countries through which it passed. There is in the postoffice department at Washington the envelope of a letter which traveled in this way 150,000 miles, and another which came safely through a trip of 125,000 miles. Both are marked and stamped in a way to baffle any except a very expert decipherer of puzzles.

Wanted His Share.

Jonah and the whale were parting company, when the latter remarked: "I suppose you intend to write an account of your experience with me."

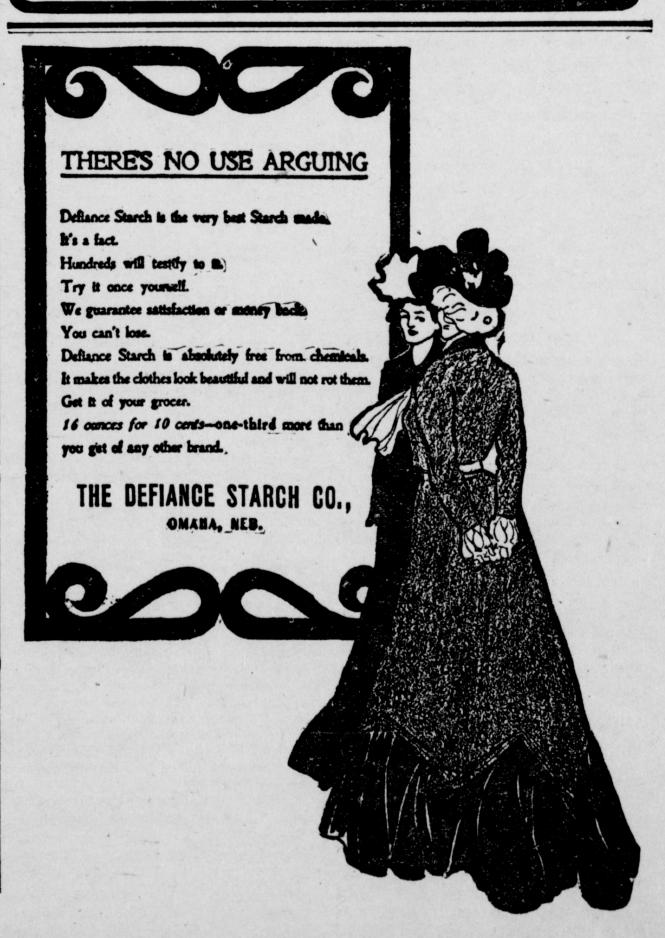
"I certainly do." replied Jonah. "Have you any objections?"

"None at all," said the whale, "but I want you to remember that I shall expect my share of the proceeds. I have given you lodgings for some

three days free of charge, and I have been a sort of collaborator in furnishing material for the story. I shall, therefore, expect you to send me a check upon the publication of your article."

Unique Wedding Memento.

A New London, Conn., man presented his wife with a deed to a cemetery lot as a present on the thirteenth anniversary of their marriage.



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TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

The Road Question.

We publish the following in reply to a letter which appeared in a previous issue of this paper, in justice to Mr. Shely (who thinks the caps fits him). The News admires fair play and justice in all things, and thus affords Mr. Shely a similar privilege to that given "A Traveler." About the merits or demerits of the case we known not, but would suggest that the parties interested submit their grievance to arbitration.

Editor Capitan News.

Sir: In your issue of January 1, appeared a letter. signed "A Traveler," commenting on the merits of the roads connecting Capitan, Coalora and Nogal. I wish to say, in reply, that the allegations contained in that letter are untrue, and without the shadow of foundation, and the writer, I believe, knew'them to be untrue when he wrote them. His reason for doing so is quite plain. I have lived in the Oso Canon for three years and four months, and there was no sign of a road ever having been there at that time, and "A Traveler" knows this to be true, but for personal reasons, seeks to influence public opinion, while hiding behind a fictitious signature. And further, to my certain knowledge there was no road through Oso canon nine years ago.

A. L. SHELR.

Lincoln Laconics.

Circus in town on the 9th and 10th.

The County Jail now has five boarders.

Gregorio Jiron, who is insane, of property and sale. was put in charge of Pat Gomboa by the board of County Commis-

sioners until the advent of the District Judge.

Mrs. Lary Dow has gone on an extended trip east.

Mrs. Paz Torres has returned from a trip to Nogal.

B. H. Moeller Jr. celeurated his 2nd birthday on the 7th.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mundell died of pneumonia last Thursday.

The Court House repair work is now finished and the place looks much better.

R. Michaelis while on a trip to Corona lost his fancy team of horses and up to date has not recovered them.

Buy M. W. Hodkins' gloves at Welch & Titsworth's.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION issued out of the Fifth Judicial District Court in and of the Fifth Judicial District Court in and for Lincoln County, New Mexico, dated the 2nd day of December, 1903, in a cause therein pending wherein Paul Mayer is plaintiff and American Gold Mining Company is defendant, in which cause judgment was rendered on the 9th day of September, 1903, I have levied upon the following goods and chattels as the property of said defendant, to-wit:

210 pieces of Steel I rails, various lengths, 10 to 20 feet long.

1 lot of Ore, about 50 tons.

15 pieces square mining timbers, 6x6 inches, various lengths.

2 steel ore cars.

2 pieces of Iron piping, 11/4 ins., 20 feet long.

3 large Ore buckets. 4 kegs Track Spikes

3 kegs Track Bolts.

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14 pieces of Steel for "Y" on track.

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4 pieces of 4 inch piping, 5 feet long.

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The amount due on said execution on the day of sale will be \$1775.14, together with expenses, fees, commission and costs of advertising, care

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Forest Lieu Selection No. 5016.

U.S. Land Office, Roswell, N.M. December 30, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that William E. Moses, whose postoffice address is Denver, Colorado, who on December 31, 1901, made application to select under the act of June 4, 1897 (30 Stats, 36), the following described tract:

Southeast quarter of the Nor hwest quarter of Section Eight, in Township Eleven South, of Range Thirteen East, N. M. P. M., New Mexico.

and who now substitutes in lieu thereof the following described tract, viz.: Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section Eleven, in Township Nine South, of Range Fourteen East, N. M. P. M., New

Within the next thirty days after the date of first publication hereof protests or contests against the selection on the ground that the land described, or any portion thereof, is more valuable for its minerals than for agricultural purposes, will be received and noted for report to the Commissioner of the General Land Office.

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Local and Personal.

Mrs. Silas May and baby have been quite sick this week.

trip to El Paso this week.

Miss Beulah Gray has gone on a visit to friends in El Paso.

Albert Hall and family of Coalora have gone to Arizona.

Dr. Walsh of Parsons was a visitor in Capitan this week.

The high winds have departed and are new moving eastward across the country.

Rev. Dr. Chalmers Dyke of Fort Stanton will hold church service at 3 p.m. next Sabbath, 17th instant, in the school house.

William Burns, general manager for Henry Pfaff of El Paso, was checking up accounts in the Capitan and Coalora houses this week.

The bondsmen of Burt Roland, a former defaulting postmaster at Capitan, made good his shortage this week to Inspector Smithers of the postoffice department.

E. B. Welch, of El Paso, is visting Geo. A. Titsworth this week Mr. Welch owns one of the largest furnture houses in the southwest, and has interests in Capitan also.

George Kimbrill, a prosperous farmer and justice of the peace of of Picacho, while in Capitan this week, called at this office and deposited on our desk four ounces of the "root of all evil." He is marked up on our books a year in advance.

Excelsior lodge No. 5, I.O.O.F. at their last meeting installed the following officers: W. A. Golder, N.G.; Thomas Gale. jr., V.G.; Wm. Golder, Rec. Sec.; William Gale, Per Sec.; Thomas Gale, sr., treasurer. This lodge, although scarcely a year in existence has 69 members.

J. M. Rice of Parsons met with an accident and narrowly escaped serious injury. While driving a spirited team, the reins became entangled with the lower part of the collar, one bridle came off, and the team bolted down a steep incline, throwing the occupant. As a result, Mr. Rice received a severe shaking up and injury to the knee, which will take several weeks to right.

The wind storm of the past week was pronounced the worst that visited this section in a great many years. The dust was carried along in dense clouds, and deposited in drifts several feet deep in many places. The storm lasted four days, during which outside work was suspended. There are few buildings in Capi- members of it.

tan proof against a whirling sand storm, such as prevailed during the past week in Lincoln county.

W. F. Peacock, the prospector, Guy Herbert made a business has returned to the Bonito from Roswell, and is now developing his claims in that district. While in Roswell he interested the redoubtable Jerry Simpson, formerly of Kansas, in his mining property, and it is probable that the distinguished politician will visit Capitan one of those days and infuse some life into the mining business of Lincoln county. If we could get Mary Ellen Lease or the warlike Carrie Nation interested in our mining resources, Lincoln county would then surely become famous.

> The county commissioners will; hold a special meeting on February 4th for the purpose of settling the road question, and all those having anything to say on the matter should attend the meeting and lay their opinions before the board, and enable that body to settle the road matter right. This thing of petitioning the board to open and close the same roads every year or two. is becoming too general, and is a large expense on the county.

At the late meeting of the county commissioners, Scipio Salazar tendered his resignation as chairman of that board, and in doing so proposed the name of P. L. Krouse, which was seconded by S. C. Wiener, and carried. P. L. Krouse is one of the most levelheaded men in the county; he is intimately acquainted with the needs of the county from one end to the other-a man of strong individuality, who will take the initiative in what he considers right and is not slow in raising his voice against what he considers wrong. A man with "backbone" to say and do what he thinks for the best interests of the people, earns the respect of all parties, and such a man, we believe, is P. L. Krouse.

On last Saturday evening Myrtle lodge No. 19, K. of P., held a a public installation of officers for the ensuing term. Although the weather was disagreeable, quite a large number attended to witness the ceremony connected with the innstallation of officers, and seemed highly pleased with its impressiveness. The Socrates Leaves Capitan literary society contributed in a no small degree to the entertainment by rendering a very nice programme. All spoke in high praise of the many commendable features of this order. It fosters the common brotherhood of man. looks after the orphans and widows of deceased members, and all men are bettered by becoming

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Wicks-Yes?

Hicks-Yes, although he admits the returns are small as yet.

Wicks—Well, that sounds natural. You might call that "success with small fruits."—Catholic Standard and Times.

This Is Common.

Fuddy—Don't you know it is the worst thing you can do to read in the car?

Duddy—It may be bad for the eyes, but it is very restful to the legs. So long as a man keeps his eyes on his paper he doesn't have to see the woman who wants his seat.—Boston Transcript.

In Boston.



Mrs. Beanlets—Will dear little Waldo stop here like a good boy while I go inside?

Waldo—I have already "stopped," mamma. I will stay here, however.

Thought He Was Baby.

Towne—Popley's baby is old enough now to sit up and take table food.

Browne—How do you know?

Towne—I sat next to him in the restaurant to-day and when he got his plate of cold corned beef he absent-mindedly cut up some of it in small bits and passed it over to me.—Philadelphia Press.

To the Point.

Ascum—I don't know whether your head over the article about Col. Lushman's death was printed the way you intended, but it was a good one.

City Edittor-Let me see. What was it?

Ascum—"Has fought his last 'bottle.'"

In the Boarding House.

"Age," remarked the philosopher, "is a great softener. It makes one more tender."

"If that's the case," remarked the nervy boarder from the foot of the table, "I wish this chicken had been a few years older when they killed it."

Monuments of Woe.

"Did you notice Mr. Jones' new teeth?" asked Mrs. Sharpeye. "I never saw anything so ghastly. They look like grave stones."

"Yes," said Miss Sinnie Cal. "I presume he had them placed in memory of his lost ones."

Perhaps He Was.

"Who was that young man hugging you last night?" asked the girl in the new fall hat.

"Oh, he is a book agent," responded her chum.

"Looked to me more like a press agent."

Light Indeed.

"And after the elopement," he whispered tenderly, "we will go to light housekeeping."

"Lighthouse keeping!" she echoed innocently. "Then all we'll need will be a big lamp."

For Better or Worse.

Madge-Why in the world is he marrying Miss Oldgirl?

Marjorie—Perhaps he is paying off one of those freak election bets.—
Town Topics.

FOOT BALL LOSSES.

Summary of Dead and Wounded of the Last Campaign.

A Chicago dispatch says that nineteen lives were lost on the foot ball field during the season of 1903. One boy was driven insane from injuries. Thirteen players were disabled, some of them being disabled for life. The number of minor but painful accidents goes into the hundreds and the list of the severely injured is also necessarily incomplete.

The feature of the year's tabulation is that it shows serious casualties were practically confined to untrained players. No member of any of the first-class elevens was killed or permanently disabled. One Yale player and one Harvard player suffered a broken leg. No player in any of the teams of the "Big Nine" in the West was the victim of any hurt worse than a wrenched shoulder, a bruised head, a sprained knee or a turned ankle.

In consequence of the injuries sustained by their players several of the minor schools have foroidden the game of foot ball. Two towns—Columbus Junction, Pennsylvania, and Greenfield, Ohio—have stopped the sport as the result of petitions circulated by parents

Bright's Disease Cured.

Whitehall, Ill., Dec. 7.—A case has been recorded in this place recently, which upsets the theory of many physicians that Bright's Disease is incurable. It is the case of Mr. Lon Manley, whom the doctors told that he could never recover. Mr. Manley tells the story of his case and how he was cured in this way:

"I began using Dodd's Kidney Pills after the doctors had given me up. For four or five years I had Kidney, Stomach and Liver Troubles; I was a general wreck and at times I would get down with my back so bad that I could not turn myself in bed for three or four days at a time.

"I had several doctors and at last they told me I had Bright's Disease, and that I could never get well. I commenced to use Dodd's Kidney Pills and I am now able to do all my work and am all right. I most heartily recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills and am very thankful for the cure they worked in my case. They saved my life after the doctors had given me up."

When Bilson, who is a homeopathist and believes that like cures like, was told by an osteopathist that something was the matter with his bones, he went and took another rib.

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"Are you blind by nature?" asked the charitably-inclined citizen. "No. sir." candidly replied the beggar; "I'm blind by profession."



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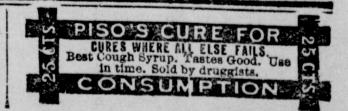


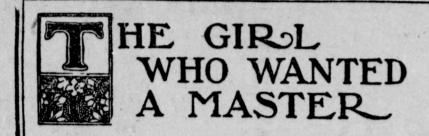
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a vague longing to be controlled. Hers was the woman heart that craved the word of authority now and then; and yet she had gone through some twenty years in a world where all sorts of words abound and had not met that kind. She knew just where the trouble lay. She had been shielded from it—unwisely, foolishly—by a too tender family of male relatives. She had been kept out of her right, as it were. When she merited rebuke she got only gentle remonstrance; and when she needed to be led, she was followed instead, sometimes far in folly.

But now that she had come to the city to earn her living, she meant to change that. Her brother was away from home on a business trip and did not know her plans.

Fate and a want ad led her to the establishment of Mr. Barney Blevins, and a red-haired youth led her on into Mr. Blevin's own office. It developed that Mr. Barney Blevins had increasing outside interests and that he wanted some one in his office as confidential clerk. He thought she would

"And cheek up the cash registry," he explained. "And watch the others, the cheats! Watch every one of them. And-I hope you're honest," he shouted suddenly. "Are ye honest, eh? Well, about how honest, now-what's the very lowest price for your honesty?"

The week passed slowly by. The girl watched the others and saw many things, but she kept them to herself. Somehow it seemed difficult to lay them before Mr. Barney Blevins. The cash came short every blessed night; and grins-quiet, ghostlike grinswent the rounds when the confidential clerk squared things each time out of her little purse.

On Saturday Mr. Barney Blevins arrived early at the office and called his employes before him. It seemed to be a weekly custom. He began at the top of the line and went impartially along telling them things in vigorous language. "You're a dirty thief!" he roared to one. "You think I don't see things with my eyes. Hand over that change you took from the register. Give it to the girl thereshe's the honestest one in the bunch. Quick for you." And to another: "You're awful' scared I'll fire ye, ain't ye, now-eh? Just don't you worry! stairs.-Philadelphia Ledger.

From her childhood the girl had felt | I'll keep ye, and I'll work ye, and the girl and me'll watch that you don't thieve us. See?"

When she got to the boarding house that night, late, hungry, tired, she was ushered into the dim parlor, and there she saw a manly figure standing very stiff and quiet. She knew it well. She had more than once stamped her foot at this same manly figure and said, "No! No! No!" to its soft and gentle pleading. Now she stood silent before him. The man's eyes were stern and his lips were drawn into a straight, hard line. He said:

"Go to your room. You will please go to your room and wash your face. Pour the water from the bowl and do not throw the towel on the floor. Put another hat on. Get a wrap. Do not forget a clean handkerchief. Be sure to lock your trunk. Be back here within ten minutes."

Meekly she obeyed. In the big hotel dining room the severe-looking man opposite her ordered dinner without a word of consultation. He ordered as for a child, and very humbly she ate what he served to her. Then he called a cab and they drove to the theater. After the play he led the way to a supper room. He made light conversation, and now and then smiled, but he ordered things without parley. She wondered whether she might mention that lobster always made her very ill; but she did not

It was very late when he left her inside the hall of her boarding house. He turned and looked back at her. She seemed very small and wan, and he came back and put his hands on her shoulders, and when she looked up he was smiling, but he tried to

"The voice of authority?" he said, musingly. "That is what your letter to your brother said. Well, it is all right. That can be arranged. All you have to do is to say 'Yes' at the right place in the service; I'll tell you when. You shall never have to think again."

She was very tired and very sleepy. She clung to him ignominiously while she said: "I'll do anything you s-s-say. Th-th-thank you. But don't ever ask me if I'm honest-and don't b-b-bully me, and I can't b-b-bear to b-be b-b-bossed."

And she fled up the dark, dingy

COLORADO CAVES

Located on Beaver Creek, Near Florence, Colorado-Now Being Explored by Professors in Florence Schools-Curious Engravings Are Found.

About seven miles northeast of Florence, close to the mountain range and in the vicinity of what is known as Glendale, close to Beaver creek, are two caves of the paleolithic period. They are situated upon a ranch owned by a farmer named McLean, and were only visited by competent judges a few days ago, says the Florence correspondent of the Denver News. These two, Prof. E. A. Kenyon of the science department of the Florence high school, and Superintendent Durfee of to make the trip from the many vague ly to be a lot of soft coal. and wild rumors as to the appearance of the caves and of what they consisted. These caves extend into the Dakota sandstone to an unknown distance and are very extensive, the roofs being but ten feet high, but the area so far unknown.

The entrances to these caves have been filled for years with sand that Baxter's "Bullhead" 5-cent cigars. has washed in from the small creek that passes the opening, but recently interested parties have excavated sufficiently to allow of an unobstructed entrance into them.

The excavations made enable one to see a portion of the walls, which are covered with curious engravings, which for the most part run horizontally. These scratches are of considerable depth and are highly polished, their surfaces being much harder than the surrounding rocks, so that in places where the wall has crumbled away these marks stand out an inch or more.

The earliest settlers have no recollection of these caves, and the ravine which passes the opening has been traversed for years. Mr. McLean has resided on this ranch for twenty years and there has not been a flood that reached near the level of the flood deposit in the cave during all that time. flood deposit is shown by its fine laminations, and other matters. Oxford Hotel. nations and other marks of stratifi- Denver. One Block from Union cation. Judging from the number of laminations (they run up into the thousands and give evidence of repeated floodings) and the rarity of floods that reach as high as the laminations extend, the time that has elapsed since the caves were inhabited is of great length, running back hundreds of thousands of years.

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Singing the Last Hymn

The sacred day was ending in a village

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golden glowing west, then hastened to their dwellings for God's blessed boon of rest.

But they looked across the waters, and a storm was raging there; fierce spirit moved above them-the wild spirit of the air; it lashed and shook and tore them

till they thundered, groaned and boomed: And, alas! for any vessel in their yawn-

ing gulfs entombed! Sad and anxious were the people on that rocky coast of Wales,

Lest the dawns of coming morrows should be telling fearful tales, When the sea had spent its passions, and should cast upon the shore Tangled wreck and swollen victims, as it had done heretofore.

With the rough winds blowing round her, a brave woman strained her eyes, And she saw along the billows a large vessel fall and rise.

O, it did not need a prophet to tell what the end must be. For no ship could ride in safety near that shore on such a sea.

Then the pitying people hurried from their homes and thronged the beach. for power to cross the waters and the perishing wreck to reach!

Helpless hands were wrung for sorrow, tender hearts grew cold with dread, And the ship, urged by the tempest, to the fatal rock-shore sped. "She has parted in the middle! Oh, the half of her goes down! God have mercy! Is his Heaven far to

seek for those who drown? when next the white, shocked faces looked with terror on that sea, Only one last clinging figure on a spar was seen to be.

Nearer the trembling watchers came the wreck across the wave, the man still clung and floated, though no power on earth could

save. "Could we send him a short message?

Here's a trumpet; shout away."

'Twas the preacher's hand that took it, and he wondered what to say.

Any memory of his sermon? Firstly, sec-ondly? Ah, no! There was but one thing to utter in that

awful hour of woe.
So he shouted through the trumpet,
"Look to Jesus! Can you hear?"
And "Ay, ay, sir!" rang the answer o'er the waters loud and clear.

Then they listened: "He is singing 'Jesus, lover of my soul." the winds brought back the echo, "V'hile the nearer waters roll." Strange, indeed, it was to hear him, "Till the storm of life is past," Singing bravely from the waters, "O, receive my soul at last!"

He could have no other refuge, "Hangs my helpless soul on Thee; Leave, ah leave me not"-the singer dropped at last into the sea;

the watchers, looking homeward through their eyes by tears made "He passed to be with Jesus in the singing of that hymn.'

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Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the United States Commissioner at Lincoln, New Mexico, on January 18, 1904, viz: Millard F. Davidson, upon Homestead application No. 2083, for the Lot 3, SE's NW's and S's NE's Sec. 5, I. 2 S., R. 14 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz: J. H. Steele, of Richardson, N. M. Chas. Spence, of White Oaks, N. M.; D. W. Glenn, of Ancho, N. M. and Wayne Van Schoych, of White Oaks, N. M.

NO. 18.

United States Land Office,

Roswell, New Mexico,

Notice is hereby given that

William S. Peters, whose post-

mine or vein, bearing gold and

other metals, with surface ground

six hundred feet in width, situ-

ated in Jicarilla Mining District,

Lincoln county, New Mexico, and

described by the field notes and

plat on file in this office as survey

No. 1174, in Township 5 S.,

Range 12 E., New Mexico Princi-

pal Meredian. Said survey No.

1174 being described as follows,

to-wit :-

November 3, 1903.

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Notice for Publication.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, January 6, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the U. S. Commissioner at Lincoln, New Mexico, on February 20, 1904, viz: Robert A. Orr, upon Homestead application No. 4274, for the n½ se 4. sw½ ne½ Loans and Discounts and se¼ nw¼ Sec. 13, Tp. 7, S., R. 14 E.

Overdrafts

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: W. A. Yates, and H. A. Scott, of Richardson, N. M.; Kirk E. Jacobs, of Capitan, N. M.; and E. E. Wright, of Richardson, N. M. HOWARD LELAND, Register. First pub jan 15-6t

MINERAL APPLICATION MINERAL APPLICATION NO. 19.

United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico. November 3, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that William S. Peters, whose post office address is Angus, Lincoln office address is Angus, Lincoln county, New Mexico, has this county, New Mexico, has this day filed his application for a day filed his application for a GEO. L. ULRICK patent for fifteen hundred linear patent for fourteen hundred and W. C. McDonald feet of the Buckeye State Lode seventy-eight and nine-tenths linear feet of the Eureka Lode mine or vein, bearing gold and other metals, with surface ground five hundred and ninety-seven feet in width, situated in Jicarilla Mining District, Lincoln county, New Mexico, and described by the field notes and plat on file in E. E. BURLINGAME & CO. this office as survey No. 1169, in Township 5 S., Range 12 E., New Mexico Principal Meredian. Said survey No. 1169, being described as follow, to-wit:

Beginning at cor. No. 1, whence the ¼ corner on the S. side of Sec. 34, T. 5 S., R., 12 E., bears S., 11 degs. 6 mins. W. 8943 5 feet. Thence N., 52 degs., 11 mins. W., 581 feet to cor. No. 2. Thence N., 40 degs. E., 1478.9 feet to cor. No. 3. Thence S., 52 degs. 11 mins: E., 597 feet to cor. No. 4. Thence S. 40 degs. 40 mins. W., 1481 feet to corner No. 1, place of beginning. Con-

The adjoining claimants, so far as known, are: On the East, the claimant. On the Southwest, Argonaut Lode and Buckeye State Lode, William S. Peters,

claimant. HOWARD LELAND,

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The adjoining claimants, so far taining 19.991 acres. as known, are: On the North, Eureka Lode, William S. Peters, claimant, and on the West, Ar- Apex lode, J. D. Brotherton, gonaut Lode, Peters & Price, claimants.

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