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A FATAL ACCIDENT.

Five Lives Lost in an Ohio Railroad Collision.

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 17.—At 7:10 this evening, as the Glendale accommodation, bound for Cincinnati, was leaving the station at College Hill junction, the Chicago vestibuled train ran into the rear of the accommodation.

There were three passenger cars on the Glendale train, containing about seventy-five persons.

The locomotive of the Chicago vestibuled train ran half way through the rear car of the accommodation, piling the passenger cars in a heap and setting them on fire. At present writing four persons have been taken out dead from the wreck.

The wounded are now on their way to this city, where they will be taken to the hospital. The number of fatalities and injuries, considering the completeness of the wreck and the number of passengers, is reported to be comparatively small. Several persons were rescued fatally injured.

Bob Stevenson, baggage master of the vestibuled train, was badly hurt and died shortly after being placed in the patrol wagon.

The body of John Wilson, superintendent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, has been identified as one of those burned up.

The engineer of the vestibuled train is seriously hurt.

THE AFRO-AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Resolutions Setting Forth its Objects—Officers Elected.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—At the convention of the Afro-American League to-day the committee on resolutions reported the following resolutions, which were adopted:

The objects of the league are to protest against taxation without representation. To secure a more equitable distribution of the school funds in those States where separate schools exist.

To insist upon a fair and impartial trial by judge and jury of our peers, in all cases at law wherein we may be party.

To resist by all legal and reasonable means, all mobs and lynch law, whereof we are the victims, and to insist upon the arrest and conviction of all such offenders against our legal rights.

To resist in courts the tyrannical usages of railroads, steamboats and other corporations where we are concerned.

Other articles were adopted providing for the establishments of local and State leagues and the holding of State conventions.

The constitution was adopted after a lengthy debate, as was also a lengthy address to the public which "earnestly protests against all forms of violence as never justified except in self-defense."

The Blair bill was endorsed.

Professor Price was elected president of the league. He is president of Livingstone school in Salisbury, North Carolina. Thomas Fortune was elected secretary and T. C. H. Jackson, a Cincinnati lawyer, treasurer.

Adjourned sine die.

Walker Blaine Dead.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Walker Blaine, Examiner of Claims of the State Department and elder son of Hon. James G. Blaine, Secretary of State, died at the family residence at 8:30 o'clock this evening of acute pneumonia, superinduced by an attack of grippe. He has been ill only a few days, and his death is a sudden and severe shock to the unusually large circle of friends, who were not aware that he was dangerously ill until this morning.

He was not feeling well all last week and on Friday he became much worse and was compelled to take to his bed. The Secretary gave a dinner party on Monday night to a number of people prominent in official society and Walker Blaine was feeling so much better that he sat up for some time chatting with the guests and contracted an additional cold which settled on his lungs and developed into acute pneumonia last night. This morning his condition was so alarming that immediate relatives of the family were hastily summoned home by telegraph. He was delirious most of the day, with an exceedingly high temperature and painfully labored respiration.

Walker Blaine graduated from Yale College in 1876, and studying law received his diploma from Columbia College, New York, in 1878. In 1881, while Garfield was on his death-bed, he sent for Walker Blaine and appointed him third assistant Secretary of State, saying he appreciated his ability and desired to show it. After serving in this capacity very acceptably for nearly a year he was appointed on the Alabama claims commission, where he served with great credit from 1882 to 1885. On the advent of the present administration he was appointed solicitor of the State department, a position which he has always filled with great credit and capability.

Jumping Onto England.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—The western nations of Europe have at last one object upon which they can agree, and their newspapers are unanimous in abusing England for bullying Portugal. Whether this is due to a surviving sympathy among the Latin nations, or because it is a perfectly safe subject to dilate upon now that England has gained her point in Africa, is not apparent. It was to be expected that most of the Portuguese cities would make some demonstrations, but Spanish and even French papers have echoed the cry of "bully" and "pirate" in a most surprising manner, and the majority of the Italian journals only refrained from joining them at the request of the government.

SIERRA SNOWS.

The Greatest Railroad Blockade Ever Known.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 21.—The prospects are that the great snow blockade on the Central Pacific will be cleared to-night or to-morrow.

There is now three feet of snow on the ground at Colfax, while at Cisco the country is covered to a depth of fifteen feet on the level, and in drifts the snow is three or four times as deep.

Last evening the Central Pacific opened its road to five dead engines near Champion Spur. A rotary plow was pushed by eleven engines and snow thrown fifty feet on either side of the track. One hundred and fifty snow shovelers engaged in digging a trench were surprised and completely buried by snow from the plow. They were badly scared, but the only injury sustained was a ducking.

Heavy slides and drifts are reported between Truckee and Boca. A rotary plow is clearing the road to Blue Canyon, and during the night it is expected to clear the track to the two imprisoned passenger trains between Blue Canyon and Alta.

Over 11,000 snow shovelers and workmen are on the mountains to-night. Truckee is cut off from all communication with the outside world, but this is true of all mining and other towns in the Sierras.

A passenger named E. A. Sandford died of pneumonia, superinduced by an attack of grippe, and was buried by men on snow shoes at Truckee yesterday, it being impossible to break a road to the cemetery. Most of the passengers in the two trains near Blue Canyon are well provided for. Among eastern passengers on the imprisoned trains are C. E. Waugh and J. D. Mason, of Denver. At Dutch Flat many houses have been crushed by snow but no lives lost.

Snow shoes are the only means of getting anywhere.

The damage to fruit trees will be considerable. Should the snow go off with rain damage to the valley will be immense.

In addition to the imprisoned trains near Blue Canyon two east-bound passenger trains are snowed in near Shady Run. The railroad people are doing everything possible to make the passengers comfortable.

John J. Jennings a New York newspaper man, who came out to meet Nelly Bly in San Francisco and escort her to New York, was caught in the blockade. He made the journey from Blue Canyon to Alta on snow shoes and then rode on an engine to Sacramento, where he arrived this morning, and took a special train and met Miss Bly at Lathrop.

On the Oregon road passenger trains bound to and from Portland are still stuck in the deep snows of the Siskiyou range.

The Civil Service Commission.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 20.—The House committee on reform in the civil service met to-day to hear arguments on the resolution introduced recently by Representative Ewart to investigate charges against the Civil Service Commission, and the bill introduced by Representative Houk, of Tennessee, to repeal the civil service law and regulate and improve, classify and properly apportion the offices and employes of the public service of the States and Territories.

Mr. Ewart spoke briefly, citing the charges which prompted his resolution. The charges in substance are that one Campbell, a brother-in-law of Commissioner Lyman, gave prepared self-examination papers to a person in charge of an institute in Washington, which prepared applicants for examination; that Mr. Lyman, knowing the above facts, promoted said Campbell; that clerks were appointed without any examination whatever; that the law had been utterly disregarded in other particulars.

Mr. Houk advocated his bill to repeal the law and improve the service by a new method of appointments.

Frank Hatton, editor of the Washington Post, said that the charges had been published because he believed them true, and that they could be substantiated.

Aiding Wyoming.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 17.—The Senate committee on Territories has decided to recommend the passage of bills to create the State of Wyoming and to organize a Territorial form of government for Oklahoma.

The committee decided that inasmuch as a case is now pending before the Supreme Court involving the constitutionality of such a test oath as is required by the constitution adopted by the people of Idaho, affecting the Mormons, the bill for the admission of Idaho as a State should not be acted upon definitely until the Supreme Court rules upon that question.

Death in an Awning Post.

NEWBURGH, N. Y., Jan. 20.—This morning a man stopped his horse in front of Parson's shoe store on Water Street and tied the animal to an awning post and went away. A few minutes later the horse touched his nose to the iron post and fell into the gutter like a log. Thomas Dawson ran to help the horse, but no sooner did he place his hand on the animal than he (Dawson) fell dead. Thomas Saltz, who saw Dawson fall, hastened to his assistance and took hold of him to lift him up, but received a terrible shock, and he, too, dropped to the ground as if dead. He subsequently recovered, as did the horse.

BY TELEGRAPH.

The woods of Maine are full of gray wolves this winter.

A Cincinnati man died last week in a fit of sneezing.

The Prince and Princess of Wales intend visiting this country next spring.

Minneapolis preachers have commenced a crusade on Sunday newspapers.

The editor of a paper in the City of Mexico has been sent to jail for defaming Patti.

There are said to be 2,200 negroes in Oklahoma and more arriving every day.

The reports of the intended abdication of the Emperor of Austria are officially denied.

A sardine trust is being formed in London and the price of sardines has already advanced.

The Stewart will be as last been settled. Judge Hoar retains the lion's share of the estate.

The well-known mining machinery house of Fraser, Chalmers & Co., has been gobbled up by an Irish syndicate.

The will of W. D. Key was admitted to probate in Philadelphia on the 15th. All the property is left to wife and four children.

A round million of parrot chickens are marketed in Chicago every year and they are not all killed inside the city limits either.

Nellie Bly, the New York World's correspondent reached San Francisco Tuesday, sixty eight days from the time she left New York.

Fred W. Smith, late receiver of the United States land office, Tucson, Arizona, has been found a delinquent to the extent of about \$28,000.

Rumors are in circulation that Secretary Blaine contemplates resigning from the Cabinet as a result of grief felt at the death of his son.

The New York newspapers are making strenuous efforts to raise enough money to complete much-talked-of Grant monument.

A man charged with being a Pittsburg alderman has been found guilty in that city and been sentenced to the penitentiary for a year and a day.

A St. Louis burglar went to sleep the other night while picking the residence of a citizen and awoke some time later to find himself a cire.

Influenza in a severer form prevails among the officers and men of the American squadron now in the Mediterranean. There are 180 cases on the Chicago.

The engineering project that is making a railroad survey through the Colorado Canon have been heard of. As late as Christmas everyone well and in good spirits.

Sidney Dillon, a new of the Hon. Sidney Dillon of Newark, accidentally shot and killed himself out hunting on his farm, ten miles west of Omaha last week.

The deepest snowfall known fell in the Sierra Mountains within the past two weeks. Railroad ice has been almost suspended and this level stock has been enormous.

Miss Caroline Jammerer, the Philadelphia music teacher who sued Clements Mueller of New York City for \$100,000 for breach of contract of marriage, has obtained a verdict of \$12,000.

The Senate comes on Territories has ordered recommending the passage of the bills for a state of Wyoming and to organize territorial form of government for Omaha.

The *Figaro* says Portugal has complained to Prinsmarck that Great Britain has violated Berlin treaty. She therefore asks that inference be conveyed to discuss Af affairs.

The steamer Nland from Antwerp reports having an iceberg 200 feet high and 600 feet long on January 13, in latitude 63 degrees, 18 minutes; longitude 43 degrees, 02 minutes.

The Secretary of the Treasury has transmitted to the letters recommending an increase in the limit of the cost of public bill as follows: Los Angeles \$250,000;ramento \$150,000; Carson City, Nev., 30.

The New Orleans city council by the enactment of an ordinance has prohibited smoking pipes cars. As the custom has been in force from time immemorial, the city's action is looked upon as a novel infon in the way of municipal legislation.

The State Asybr the Insane at Worcester, Mass., seriously damaged by fire Saturday et. All the inmates were removed in strough amid much excitement. The cause was the carelessness of an attendant in throwing burning paper about.

Secretary Nobl decided that a married woman can timber land entries, or purchase same in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington, provided inclusively shown that the entry is her own use and benefit, and not for benefit of herself and husband joint.

CONGRESSIONAL.

THURSDAY, JAN. 16.

SENATE.—Mr. Hale, from the Census Committee, reported adversely the bill to require the superintendent of the census to ascertain what percentage of the people own their farms, the number of farms under mortgage and the amount thereof.

Mr. Morrill, from the Finance Committee, reported a concurrent resolution requesting the Secretary of the Treasury not to make a new lease of the islands of St. Paul and St. George in Alaska, for the purpose of taking furs thereon, and to postpone all action in relation thereto until after the 20th of February, 1890. Passed.

SENATE.—The bills reported from committees and placed on the calendar were the following: Establishing a customs collection district to consist of the States of North and South Dakota; for the removal of Indian prisoners in the East (Geronimo's band) to Fort Sill, Indian Territory.

HOUSE.—The entire session was occupied by discussion over the site for the World's Fair. Considerable bad feeling was engendered, the debate showing that the matter stood Chicago against the field. Pending a vote the House adjourned.

FRIDAY, JAN. 17.

SENATE.—Mr. Mills, of Texas, introduced a bill to extend the trade and commerce of the United States and to provide for full reciprocity between the United States and Mexico. Referred.

Mr. McKinley, of Ohio, called up his motion to table the motion to reconsider the vote by which the House yesterday refused to substitute the resolutions reported by the committee on Rules as amended by adoption of Mr. Cannon's resolution, for the original resolution which was referred to the committee.

The motion to table the motion to reconsider was agreed to, yeas 145, nays 124. The question then returned on the adoption of the original resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That a special committee of nine members be appointed by the Speaker, to be called a general World's Fair Committee, to which shall be referred all matters relating to the proposed celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the discovery of America, or World's Fair of 1892.

The resolution was adopted—yeas 144, nays 142—Mr. Springer, of Illinois, changing his vote from the negative to the affirmative in order to enter a motion to reconsider.

The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the bill to organize the Territory of Oklahoma.

MONDAY, JAN. 20.

SENATE.—Among the petitions presented and referred were the following: From the American Federation of Labor in favor of a service pension to all surviving soldiers of the late war; for the repeal of the limitation on arrears of pensions; for free coinage of silver; for a law to prohibit speculations in grain and other farm products.

Among the bills reported from committees and placed on the calendar were the following: To provide for the admission of the State of Wyoming into the Union; to provide temporary government for the Territory of Oklahoma.

Mr. Pasco addressed the Senate on the paragraph in the President's message regarding elections. He was replied to by Senator Chandler. A short executive session was then held, after which the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.—The Speaker appointed the World's Fair committee as follows: Messrs. Chandler of Massachusetts, Hitt of Illinois, Bowden of Indiana, Helms of New York, Frank of Missouri, Springer of Illinois, Hatch of Missouri, Wilson of West Virginia, Flower of New York.

On location for the fair the committee stands for Chicago, Hitt and Springer for St. Louis, Hatch and Frank for New York, Bowden and Flower for Washington, Bowden and Wilson.

The chairman is satisfactory to all contending parties, and no committee to be the interests of any particular city.

The following bills and resolutions were introduced and referred:

Mr. Bitterworth of Ohio—Calling for information concerning an industrial conference to be held in Berlin; also, defining options and futures and imposing a special tax on dealers therein.

Mr. Morrow of California—To prohibit absolutely the coming of Chinese into the United States.

By Mr. Springer of Illinois—A resolution providing that on Thursday, the 23d instant, the clerk shall call the roll of members, and that the speaker shall indicate his choice for the location of the World's Fair. If no place shall receive a majority of all the votes cast, the roll shall be repeated until one place shall receive a majority of the votes cast. The speaker shall report a bill locating the fair at the place selected, which bill shall be privileged and shall be considered from day to day until disposed of. Referred to the special committee.

TUESDAY, JAN. 21.

SENATE.—The bill adversely reported on January 16, from the Census Committee, to ascertain what percentage of the people own their farms, the number of farms under mortgage and the amount thereof, was taken from the calendar in order to give Mr. Berry, who introduced the bill, an opportunity to state the grounds of his opposition to the report and why the bill should be passed.

Mr. Platt, referring to a statement made by Mr. Berry as to eastern manufacturers loaning money to western and southern farmers at large rates of interest, took occasion to say that the idea that eastern manufacturers had accumulated large profits and were loaning money to farmers was an entire mistake.

Mr. Berry varied somewhat his original statement, and said that trust companies and corporations in New York and New England had representatives in all southern and western States trying to loan money to farmers on farm mortgages.

Finally, after further discussion, the bill went over without action till to-morrow.

The Senate then passed the Senate bill granting to the State of California 5 per cent. of the net proceeds of cash sales of public lands of the State; the Senate joint resolution granting authority for the removal of the Apache Indians and their families from Alabama to Fort Sill, Indian Territory; the House bill to amend the act to enable the city of Denver to purchase certain lands for cemetery purposes; two Senate bills setting apart tracts of land to be used as cemeteries by the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Central City, Colorado, and by the Alvarado Cemetery Association, of Georgetown, Colorado; the Senate bill creating three additional Land Offices in Colorado. After an executive session the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.—A long wrangle took place over the question as to whether the present House was bound by the rules of the previous House or not, and it was finally settled in the negative by a strict party vote.

STRANGE IDEAS.

What a Great Many People Believe About the Moon.

Supposed Effects on the Mind and on Many of the Ordinary Affairs of Every-Day Life—Superstitions as Old as the Human Race.

Speculations concerning the nature of the moon, or the extent to which it influences terrestrial phenomena, are not confined to astronomers and other men of science who tell us that it is a dead planet devoid of atmosphere and water, for many unscientific people think it consists entirely of the latter, not to mention others who are inclined to the superstition that chalk or green cheese may enter largely into its composition, says the London Graphic.

In fact, according to a Wiltshire legend, there was once a farmer's wife who, seeing the reflection of the moon in the river, thought that it was a cream cheese and endeavored to fish it out of the water with a rake. Perhaps it was as well for this worthy diame that her efforts were not crowned with success, for it is recorded that on one occasion:

AN UNFORTUNATE DONKEY.
Having been suspected of swallowing the moon while drinking from a river, was tried in due legal form, and, on being found guilty, had its body ripped open in order that the useful planet might be liberated, once again to shine upon the world below.

Witches are thought to have more or less influence over the moon, and the heathen Chinese considers it to be, like the sun, a favorite article of diet with certain mischievous dragons, who are supposed to swallow it and thus produce eclipses. Whether the digestive powers of one of these voracious monsters would be equal to the occasion, however, has never yet been satisfactorily proved. Possibly the sun or moon, taken in a raw state, might produce dyspepsia; but the Celestials lose no time in making such hideous noises as may be calculated to impress the dragon with a sense of his iniquity and cause him to disgorge his strange meal with as little delay as possible.

THE MAN IN THE MOON.
The Canadian Indians tell their children that if they point at the moon their fingers will be bitten off. Some of the tribes of North America believe that there is a frog in it, and the Hindus can see on the moon's face something very like a hare; but among ourselves the popular legends have fixed upon a man and a dog as its sole inhabitants. The man in the moon is generally supposed to have been consigned to his present abode as a punishment for gathering sticks on the Sabbath—the idea, it is said, having probably originated from the reference in the Book of Numbers to a man who was stoned to death for a similar offense.

The potency of lunar influence in worldly matters was at one time almost universally acknowledged, and even now many of the errors and superstitions connected with the moon still hold their ground, among the rustic population of the country. Not only is the restless ocean governed by the pale luminescence of night, but a kind of tidal arrangement was supposed to exist in the bodies of animals, their marrow and brains fluctuating with the increase and waning of the moon. It is a popular belief that the rays of the latter, falling upon a sleeping person, cause his face to become distorted, and, as some aver, even deprive him of his senses; in fact, lunatics were so named from their supposed susceptibility to lunar influence, and "moonstruck" is a common term for a state of mental aberration bordering on imbecility. It is still commonly supposed, as it was in the days of the Romans, that the violence of madness increases with the moon and decreases as the latter is waning, the worst paroxysms occurring when the planet is at the full.

One sometimes meets with the superstition that when the moon comes in and goes out on a Sunday seed planted during that month will not grow. Hair, it is said, should be cut at the new moon, otherwise it is liable to fall off; corns, on the other hand, should be cut during the waning of the moon, in order that they may gradually diminish and ultimately disappear. There are also many similar superstitions, the general idea in them being that anything which may be done before the full moon is productive of increase or growth, the contrary being the case if the moon be waning.

WEATHER SIGNS.
Some savages imagine that a fresh moon is created every month, and it may possibly have been a somewhat similar idea that has caused the new moon to become the subject of the numerous customs and superstitious fancies which one not unfrequently meets with.

It is customary with country people to bow or courtesy to the new moon, and by some it is also supposed that a wish made at such a time will be gratified. It is held too, that the money in one's pocket should be turned for luck. To see the moon through glass, however, is considered unlucky. When the moon is on its back, that is to say with the horns of the crescent pointing upward, it is thought by some to indicate frost. Sharp horns of the new moon are supposed to presage wind; and when the outline of the entire planet can be traced it was in Scotland looked upon as a sign of bad weather.

HE WANTED ASSISTANCE AND GOT IT.
The trustees had just begun the business of their monthly meeting, and Deacon Smith had the floor, says the

New York Evening Sun. They were legislating for one of South Norwalk's most prosperous churches. Two of the members had late business engagements in the city, and Deacon Smith's shop on the main street, near the station, had been chosen for the meeting this month for the sake of convenience. The deacon was well under way when the outer door was seen to open slightly, and he paused to note the cause of the interruption.

Connecticut is famed* for the extensive variety of its tramps, and one of a most interesting type now appeared. His entrance into the room was made in a thoroughly original manner. When the door was sufficiently ajar to admit of his head it popped in on the astonished deacons, surmounted by a most dilapidated hat, and complimented by a smiling face and full, ragged beard.

"Gentlemen," he began, "your pardon for disturbing you, but I am very sick."

He paused after this announcement to note the effect.

"I went to the doctor," he soon continued, "and he gave me the pills—see, the pills," and he held up to view a small bottle which he held in the palm of his hand.

"He said take the pills, three after each meal, and I would like very much to have some assistance."

"Well, why in thunder don't you take your pills, then, and not come bothering here!" interposed a deacon who was becoming tired.

"Gentlemen," replied the tramp, with much unction, "I can not take the pills; I have no meal."

He got that meal.

Spent Two Fortunes.
In the Hoffman house last night, says a New York Star man, I met James Johnson, who has been out in Denver superintending a mine. While we were talking a sooty-looking man of stalwart frame came up to him and begged the loan of a dollar. He got it and turned away, when Johnson said to me: "There goes the wreck of two fortunes. That man was at work for us five years ago as a miner, when he got word that a relative had died and left him a fortune of about \$100,000. He quit the mine and came east. He spent his money in less than eighteen months and drifted back to Denver, broken down in health and the most most sorry, abject-looking specimen of humanity you ever saw. He had sown the seeds of consumption, and I assisted on going into the mine again and we gave him a place. Instead of dying, as we expected, he recuperated, became strong again, and in the course of a year was quite a new man. Just about a year ago I was standing by the mine office when he came out to meet a lawyer, whom I knew and who had sent for him. The lawyer's mission was to tell him that he was for a second time an heir—this time to \$53,000. 'For heaven's sake,' he exclaimed, 'have I got to go through that again?' It was a queer speech but prophetic. He's broke again, as you see, and wants me to take him back to the mine. I guess I'll have to do it, but was there ever before such a foolish spendthrift?"

His Time Had Come.
The most remarkable specimen of the fatalist which ever came beneath the writer's knowledge, says the Washington Post, was old Uncle Davy, an aged house servant in South Carolina, who had fallen by the vicissitudes of war from the proud position of mah-jah-domer to Kunnel Robert Trent, said, "to the humble lot of owning himself and choring around the house of Maj. T."

"Uncle Davy could break crockery. The fragile ware would somehow slip through his trembling black fingers and dash into a hundred fragments on the hard pine floor."

"There, Uncle Davy, that makes the fourth plate this month," his mistress complained. "How can you be so careless?"

"Uncle Davy ain't keerless, Miss Carrie. Bress yo' heart, Uncle Davy neiber bruk nuffin in his life. Dis yer plate time come, dass all. Hit time war come, Plate mus' die; you mus' die; Unc' Davy die sometime, 'spose—heaben know when; eberyting has ter die. Plant die, chicken die, cow die. Dis yer earf die. Eberything die 'cep' God. Don you tek on 'bout wain lil' sarser. Unc' Davy neiber drun bruk it tall. Hit jes' die nat'ral, lak'er Chrischen. Hit gone strel to heaben. Plat got soul, fer sho."

Misplaced Zeal.
"I was once sent to attend a man who had taken laudanum," said a doctor. "I hurried to the place and found the would-be suicide being walked up and down the room as fast as they could walk by two friends of his. As they put him down in a chair for me to treat him one of them remarked: 'awful glad to see you, doctor; we've been walking Jim up and down for an hour and a half. It's been terrible hard work to keep him alive all this time.' I made a slight examination, took my hat, and started to go, when one of the pedestrians said: 'What's the matter, Doc; ain't you going to give him anything?' 'He's been dead for an hour,' I replied, and left."

The French Way.
They executed a murderer in France, the other day and a Paris paper records the fact that "he went to his death without a word." Later on it observes that "certain people had their sympathies aroused because he was deaf and dumb."

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 30, 1890.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

- Sheriff, D. C. NOWLIN, Lincoln.
- Probate Clerk, GEO. TERRY, Lincoln.
- Assessor, L. W. NEATHRELL, Lower Pecos.
- Treasurer, G. R. YOUNG, White Oaks.
- Sup't. of Schools, F. H. RICHMOND, White Oaks.
- Probate Judge, FRANK ROMERO, Lincoln.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

- First District, M. CROSSLIN, Lincoln.
- Second District, T. W. HENLEY, Nogal.
- Third District, A. GREEN, Seven Rivers.

THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

- Composed of Lincoln, Sierra, Dona Ana and Grant counties, with headquarters at Las Cruces.
- District Judge, HON. JOHN R. MCFEE.
- District Attorney, C. C. WADE, Las Cruces.
- District Clerk, A. L. CHRISTY, Las Cruces.

TERMS OF COURT.

Dona Ana.—Second Mondays in March and Sept. Lincoln.—Third Mondays in April and October. Sierra.—First Mondays in May and November. Grant.—Third Mondays in February and August.

LAND OFFICE.

The land office for the district to which Lincoln county is attached is situated at Roswell, Lincoln county, N. M. The officers are: Register, JOHN H. MILLS. Receiver, FRANK LESNET.

PRECINCT NO. 7.

- G. M. DAVIDSON, Justice of the Peace.
- C. C. PERRY, Deputy Sheriff.
- R. H. DICKSARHO, School Directors Dist. No. 13.
- A. H. WHEATSTONE, School Directors Dist. No. 13.
- PAT. F. GARRETT, S. Directors S. Dist. No. 7.
- W. H. H. MILLER, S. Directors S. Dist. No. 7.
- A. E. LILES, S. Directors S. Dist. No. 7.

**Signal Service, United States Army.
METEOROLOGICAL RECORD.**

WEEK ENDING JANUARY 25, 1890.
PLACE OF OBSERVATION: Garrett's Ranch, five miles east of Roswell, N. M.—Latitude 33 degrees 24 min.—Longitude 104 degrees 24 min.

TEMPERATURE.	
DATE.	SELF-REGISTERING THERMOMETER.
	5 A. M. P. M. MEAN.
19	47
20	25
21	24
22	32
23	27
24	32
25	32
26	32
27	27
28	27
29	27
30	31
Mean	31.3

Highest Temperature, 52.
Lowest Temperature, 17.
Total Precipitation, 0.
Frost—21, 22, 24 and 25.
Mean Temperature, twice daily, 35.4.
Maximum and Minimum, 20° to 52°.
M. A. UPGON, Voluntary Observer.

Delegate Joseph of New Mexico, has introduced a bill to aid the Hudson Springs Irrigation company in New Mexico.

We do not know what company this is or where it proposes to operate, but we oppose any national aid to individual concerns. If the government is to appropriate money to reclaim any of the arid region let it be to the territory and not to corporations.

Speaker Reed has announced himself as heartily in favor of doing everything possible to redeem for agricultural purposes the arid lands of the west. It is pleasant to know that so influential a man in congress is on our side in the matter, and it would also be pleasant to know that some practical steps were being taken to utilize all this abundant sympathy we are receiving in the shape of legislation. Water storage and irrigation will pull New Mexico out of the hole.

Las Vegas Optic: Col. J. W. Dwyer, of this territory, is evidently convinced that the cattle interest can never again take the commanding place as a source of wealth that it occupied throughout the west prior to the disastrous decline in prices. He is himself one of our largest cattle owners and the following from him in the Denver Field and Farm has a significance worth thinking about: New Mexico must now become an agricultural country. The great cattle ranges are being broken up and in a few years irrigating ditches will run where cow paths were in the years when I first went to the territory.

An adjourned meeting of the Bar Association was held at Santa Fe Monday the 20th inst., at which Mr. Hewitt of White Oaks introduced a resolution praying congress to create one or more judicial districts in the Territory. The resolution was referred to Messrs Elliott, Catron and Field, a committee appointed to report on the same at the adjourned meeting Monday 27. We are anxious to see the committee report favorably, for we need a new district in this part of the territory very much.

The people of Lincoln, Chaves and Eddy counties want a new judicial district carved out of their section, and a fifth judge appointed. If not, why not? The section referred to is a rapidly growing one; legal business is on the increase there; the judges of our district and supreme courts are overworked and can not dispose of the rapidly accumulating business as quickly as public policy and the interests of litigants deserve. Why should there not be a 5th judicial district created in New Mexico?—New Mexico.

It is probable that the irrigation enterprises on the Pecos and Rio Grande, and the climate of those sections will give four products in which New Mexico will be distinguished, alfalfa, grapes, fruits and olives. Alfalfa seed has a great value in commerce for the product of a purple dye made in France, which adds to the market value of this grass for feed. It is the opinion of the agricultural bureau officials, from experiment already made, that the olive will flourish abundantly in the Pecos and Rio Grande valleys. It will be a very profitable crop.—Stock Grower.

Communicated.

We very willingly publish the following letter from Ozanne & Co. In regard to the matter therein, we do not think any person can find fault. Let our business men arrange with Ozanne & Co, and relieve them of a responsibility they have no right to carry, and they will get their express without delay. In this connection we wish to say we hope next year to have this enterprising stage company to operate in this town, the business of Roswell demands a responsible and rapid transportation company to and from the railroad and this is without doubt the best of the kind in south east New Mexico:

We desire you to correct an impression which seems to prevail among the business men of your prosperous town in regard to express matter, and to have said correction made through your paper.

All express for Roswell is held at Lincoln, until consignee has been duly notified and instructions sent to our agent at Lincoln how to forward said express, because we received information that any express matter delivered to the buck board outfit which should fail to reach the consignee we were to be held responsible for the same, and look to the buck board outfit for recourse, which means, after having performed our duties in delivering all express for Roswell promptly to the Roswell mail line at Lincoln we were to be held responsible for their action and in case said express should be lost or destroyed we would not only lose our charges but the advance charges and also be held responsible for the value of said express instead of the buck board outfit. When we heard what was expected of us we promptly advised our agent at Lincoln to hold all Roswell express at Lincoln and notify consignee promptly, and I think it we are not mistaken we also notified Mr. Smith Lea, the reason why such instructions had been given. It has been our great desire to extend to the business men of Roswell every favor within our reach, but they cannot expect that we should assume any risk beyond our limits, we have said and repeat it here that if any of Roswell business men desire to have their express go forward without delay they must assume all risk between Lincoln and Roswell, and in case any express package should be destroyed or lost we are to receive our pay for all charges owing between Carthage and Lincoln, and when we can show by the receipt of the mail contractors between Lincoln and Roswell that said express has been delivered in good order on these terms, the express can go forward promptly and settlement made on the first of each month, and any person not personally known to us should send their request through a well known responsible firm of Roswell, such as Jaffa, Prager & Co., or Poe, Lea & Cosgrove, and their matter will be promptly attended to also, we feel we have many friends in Roswell and we are anxious to extend to them anything in our power, that can be of any benefit to them personally or to your section of country.

Truly Yours
OZANNE & CO.

The Balance Against Brown.

From the Las Cruces Register. W. D. Harlan, inspector of land offices, has just completed an investigation into the accounts of James Browne, executor of the U. S. land office at this place which has occupied several weeks. The officials of the land office are not prepared to state whether Browne is a defaulter to the government, but advices have been received from parties who have paid Browne money and have not been given receipts, showing that he is behind about \$3,000.

Receiver Dolan has been directed to prepare a statement of the amounts so far as known, and submit it to Mr. Browne advising him that if it is not paid within a reasonable time suit will be brought against his bondsmen.

Inter State Water Rights.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The senate select committee on irrigation and reclamation of arid lands held a session last evening. Major Powell, director of the United States geological survey, explained by aid of maps the drainage areas, arid region, artesian well districts and localities, and at some length elucidated his views on local irrigation districts in connection with drainage areas of the region. The major read to the committee a bill drafted by him which provides for the topographic and hydrographic survey of the arid region, and for the segregation of the same into irrigable, pastoral and timber lands, the two latter to remain the property of the United States for the use of the people of the irrigation districts. The bill provides for federal control over inter state waters and the formation of water districts under control of the states and territories.

If, as Professor Blount, of the Colorado agricultural college, says, alfalfa pasture non-irrigated will not cause bloat in cattle or sheep, the circumstance is worth knowing. It will be better to grow less feed on the acre and have it less dangerous to stock. This is the one great dread of green alfalfa.

The Fastest Girl in New Mexico.

From the Las Vegas Optic. It can be said with perfect truth and propriety, and without any impeachment whatever of her modesty and moral worth, that, during her brief stay in New Mexico, Miss Nellie Bly, the fair globe trotter of the New York World, was the fastest girl in the territory. She crossed its western border yesterday afternoon, and passed over its northern line into Colorado hours before daylight this morning, thus traveling about 500 miles in less time than any other lady ever did before in New Mexico. For this reason she was the fastest girl in the territory while she was with us. Her special train, consisting of an ordinary coach and a Pullman, left Albuquerque last night at 9:30 o'clock and reached Wallace, thirty-seven miles distant, at 10:30, left Wallace at 10:34 and reached Las Vegas at 1:20, distance ninety-six miles, a large part of the way being over the steep grades of Gloria mountain, stopped just two minutes in Las Vegas to change engines and left here at 1:22, arriving at Raton, 111 miles distant, at 3:58, stopping four minutes at Springer to take water, four minutes at Dorsey to put a new lamp in the headlight and delayed two minutes at Otero by having to pull through a side track. Stopped two minutes at Raton to change engines, leaving there at 4 o'clock a. m. and arrived at La Junta, distance 105 miles, at 6:43. This speed is something wonderful, when it is considered that it was made over the mountain division of the Santa Fe, necessitating the crossing of two great ranges of mountains, and it is doubtful if better time was ever made on a transcontinental road all things considered. The distance from here to Watrous, twenty miles, was made in twenty minutes; from here to Springer, seventy miles, in eighty-eight minutes, but the crowning triumph of speed was made between La Junta and Dodge City, a distance of 202 miles, made in three hours, or a little more than sixty-seven miles an hour. What road east or west can beat it? George Johnson, in charge of engine 553, hauled the train from here to Raton, with Charley Trussell as conductor, and Trainmaster Rain also aboard, the two latter going through to La Junta. Accompanying Miss Bly was Mr. Jennings, of the staff of the New York World, a remarkably bright journalist, who joined her at Lathrop after tremendous hardships in crossing the Sierra Nevada on snow shoes, the Central Pacific trains being hopelessly stuck in the snow. Miss Nellie was wrapped in maiden slumbers when she passed through Las Vegas, but the Optic has learned the following concerning her: She is a sparely made young lady, of much vivacity; not exactly handsome, but with so much intelligence in her features that it more than compensates for the absence of mere beauty. She is about twenty-five years old, and is enjoying the trip hugely. In fact, she took the trip as recreation, after months of arduous work in New York journalism, which had almost fagged her out. She passed her rival, Miss Bisland, somewhere on the ocean, near the straits of Malacca, is intensely anxious to beat her to New York, and feels sure that she will do it. Miss Nellie has preserved no notes of her tremendous trip, except about two pages of figures and foreign names, jotted down in a note book. All the innumerable facts and incidents of her tour around the globe, she preserves in her nimble little head, and at this moment, while her train is speeding through Kansas, she is writing a four column letter to the New York World, which will be telegraphed to that paper to-night. The train is averaging about fifty miles an hour all through Kansas, and will reach Kansas City early to-night. The Santa Fe road has responded superbly to the extraordinary demand made upon it for fast running in this case, and amid the crowding memories of her great trip, doubtless the fair traveler will retain a vivid recollection of the seemingly magical swiftness with which she was whirled through the vast solitudes of the far west, over the great Santa Fe system.

Mr. C. B. Eddy, the energetic manager of the great irrigating company operating in the Pecos valley, New Mexico, was in Las Vegas last week. He reports that the immense ditches of the company are about completed and the water will soon be turned on the thousands of acres of fertile land lying under them. There is no more favorably located or attractive body of land in America than is to be found in the Pecos valley. The climate is incomparable and water abundant, and the intelligent efforts now being exerted for its development will result in its transformation in a few years from a barren plain into the garden spot of the southwest. Already the company is receiving thousands of inquiries from prospective settlers, and many are now on the way to that favored land. There is ever indication that when the canals are in full operation there will be witnessed in that section a more rapid growth than has ever marked any section of the southwest. The Santa Fe, Rock Island and Denver & Fort Worth railroads have surveyed routes through the valley to El Paso and Albuquerque.—Stock Grower.

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All Wrong.

The following is from the Western Liberal, published at Lordsburg, N. M.: Mrs. Amy A. Parker of Roswell, New Mexico, was in the city the first of the week, en route home after nursing her son back to health. Mrs. Parker told the Liberal something about the big ditch companies which are doing such a wonderful work on the Pecos river. The companies will undoubtedly bring a large body of valuable land under cultivation and so add much to the wealth of New Mexico and of the world, but from the indications are that the companies will have pooled every man who lives under the ditches and takes water from them. The present indications of the companies are but an indication of the future that is being done in the country. The men are all pulling in the same direction, and at the stores it is money on them, and fancy prices are being put on everything. The entire country is being brought into a state of ruinous disrepair, and the company who can quit work to the company he is working for or to.

We do not know whether Mrs. Amy Parker gave the information of the Roswell event he has it whatever in the party treat their in currency or cash and pass it of Roswell for addition to that a great deal of money is still doing Mexico, has not a word as "Poor" and has applied. We are American citizens, not of New Mexico, we do not care for a company of our own. I can say to you that.

A message was received this morning from Washington appointing of the Las Cruces confirmed by the resignation of the commissioner, to take the office of the commissioner, and is to leave us so soon as Lincoln county citizen.—Rio Grande.

Miss Alice Seigner, the president's stenographer, is a maiden of "rare and refined" qualities. She is able to take shorthand dictation at the rate of 200 words per minute. Her spelling is said to be absolutely perfect, and with an industry that is not to be equaled in this territory, has been appointed to the position of stenographer by the president.

Delegate Joseph changed his Maryland address to No. 130, Maryland avenue, northeast.

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Notice for Publication. (Timber Culture, Final Proof.) UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Roswell, N. M., Dec. 29, 1889. Notice is hereby given that Frank H. Lea of Roswell, N. M., has filed notice of intention to make final proof before Register and Receiver at Lincoln, New Mexico, on Saturday the 8th day of February, 1890, on timber culture application No. 48, for w 1/2 nw 1/4 and nw 1/4 nw 1/4 and the nw 1/4 sw 1/4 of section No. 11, in township No. 11 s range No. 24 east. He names as witnesses: W. H. Miller, F. P. Lea, R. H. Dannaheo, A. H. Wheatstone, all of Roswell, N. M. 6 FRANK LESNET, Receiver.

Notice for Publication. LAND OFFICE AT ROSWELL, N. M., December 28th, 1889. 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 Register and Receiver at Lincoln, New Mexico, on Saturday the 8th day of February, 1890, on timber culture application No. 48, for w 1/2 nw 1/4 and nw 1/4 nw 1/4 and the nw 1/4 sw 1/4 of section No. 11, in township No. 11 s range No. 24 east. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Bernard Clave, Fred Vorwerk, David Jeffries, George G. Reeves, all of Lower Pecosco, Lincoln county, New Mexico. Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant. 6 FRANK LESNET, Receiver.

Notice for Publication. LAND OFFICE AT ROSWELL, N. M., December 24th, 1889. 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 Register and Receiver at Roswell, N. M., on Saturday the 31st of February, 1890, viz: Nathan Jaffa, for the sw 1/4 sec 9 or s 1/4 sec 11 or s 24 east, and sec 9 or sec 11 or s 24 east. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Chas. Perry, Wm. S. Praeger, Campbell C. Fountain, Leslie M. Long, all of Roswell, N. M. Allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant. 5 J. H. MILLER, Register.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

—J. J. Cockrell is down from Lincoln attending to legal business here.

—W. T. Booth went to Nogal Tuesday, on business in the interest of the firm of Booth & McDonald.

—Mrs. Frank Lesnet came down from Lincoln, Monday, to visit with her husband, the Hon. Receiver.

—L. Hale, the fruit tree man from Rudivoso, is again among our farmers and others selling trees for spring planting.

—Wm. Grey seems to be kept quite busy in his new business, orders for harness and saddles are coming in very satisfactory.

—Justice of the Peace Fred Joyce went to Lincoln to take the oath of office and file his bond, when he returns he will be a full fledged esquire.

—Lieut. Scott, wife and daughter, came down to Roswell Monday evening from Fort Stanton. They will spend a week or more in our little city.

—Mr. James Ferril, of the Diamond A ranch, is in town again. He says he and Sutherland have concluded to build their brick block in a short time.

—Fred Higgins of Lincoln, spent several days in town the latter part of last week. We learn that he is figuring on buying Mr. Fountain's saloon business here.

—Fountain and Boon have moved their meat market to the new building of Barnett and Fountain, where they have things arranged neat and convenient.

—McPherson & Biggs, the mill men, have combined with A. M. Robertson & Co. and pooled the lumber business. The result is the price is advanced to \$40 per thousand.

—Mr. Rathburn, a Las Vegas man, and traveling salesman for a Chicago shoe house, visited Roswell on a business trip last week. Mr. Rathburn makes regular trips to this place.

—W. M. Needham one of Lincoln's business men was in Roswell last week, looking after his interests near town. He has an interest in land under the Lincoln ditch up the Hondo.

—The dedication of the Masonic hall and the installation of the new officers of the lodge, will take place at the hall on February 8th. All visiting brethren in good standing are invited to be present.

—Gross, Blackwell & Co's. salesman, Mr. O. Erickson, was in town looking after the interests of his firm last week. We are told he bought for the house Fred Roth's flock of sheep, consisting of from seven to nine thousand.

—The hotel foundation is nearly completed and is a good job. There can be no question about it holding the building. The stone are being cut for the range work and sills out of lime stone and they will make an everlasting job.

—Browne & Manzaneros Co's. salesman, W. A. Robinson, visited the Roswell merchants this week. He was accompanied by S. Rubel, who represents O. L. Houghton's wholesale and retail hardware house of Las Vegas.

—W. H. Cosgrove, our postmaster, has rearranged his postoffice so that it is now roomy and neat. New metal lock boxes have been put in and the open boxes enlarged and the number increased. It is now a very convenient arrangement, certainly a great improvement over the old.

—William Watson, Esq., ex-editor of the White Oaks Interpreter, and a whole-souled, genuine gentleman, has our gratitude for kindness shown us while in that city a few days ago. We was sick and in distress and he took us up to his house where we was attended by as tender care as any woman could give.

—Carter & Martin started five trail wagons loaded with goods to their branch house at Roswell on Thursday morning. We see by the Roswell paper that they are going to have an elegant store in all of its appointment if we judge by the puff given the carpenters doing the work.—Amarillo Champion.

—G. M. Davidson & Co. have discovered a ledge of gypsum rock west of town, from which they have burnt a kiln and produced a beautiful white cement that may be made into floor or decorating tiling, trimming for brick buildings, material for sidewalks as smooth and hard as marble; it also makes good roofing material.

—McPherson & Biggs are dickering with Mr. Daniel, our leading contractor, to join them in putting up a planing, door and sash mill in Roswell. We are told that their negotiations are nearly closed and the mill will be built this spring. We hope so, for it will save much to the country if all the mill work for building can be done at home.

—Hon. J. H. Mills still is in poor health he was confined to his bed a few days recently, stomach and liver trouble is the cause. On Sunday his friends became alarmed and concluded to call Dr. Maus, post surgeon at Fort Stanton, who arrived in Roswell Tuesday evening to consult with Dr. Skipwith in the case. It is thought the Captain at this time is a little better but still in a very critical condition.

—Mr. McClelland returned to his home in California last Monday morning, after a thorough looking over this valley. He says he will be back here in a very short time to secure a place; he thinks, although greatly in love with his home, Santa Clara valley, that the Pecos is the finest country anywhere in the irrigable west. So it is, and the day is not far distant when the world will be singing her praises.

—Nathan Jaffa and G. A. Richardson returned from Eddy and Seven Rivers Sunday night. They spent several days looking over that country and are of course greatly pleased by the appearance of it, and especially by the push and energy there is displayed by Hon. C. B. Eddy in the management of affairs down there. Mr. Richardson says "If they can make a Colorado Springs of Eddy they could by the same management make a Denver of Roswell."

The Court House Grounds.

Considerable talk has been indulged in by a good many people lately in regard to the ground where on the new court house is to be built. Many people are of the opinion that it is not solid enough to make a safe foundation for the building.

A few days ago Mr. Hunt began to haul in the rock for the wall, when it was discovered that the ground was so soft that the wagon would sink down to the axle, and the hauling had to be stopped; this renewed the talk about the insecurity of the foundation and we understand there is some feeling more or less ill in regard to the matter. We wish to say this, and we believe every sensible man in the county will indorse it: Now that this present site has been accepted by the commissioners for the court house, we think, unless for some very good reason, it should be built thereon. We believe everybody feels grateful to Captain Lea for the gift of the ground and would be disappointed if it was concluded to be not practicable to build the court house and jail there. So far as any jealousy is concerned it exists only in imagination.

The question of a secure foundation for a large building is always a serious one, and there should be no doubt in this case about that. The thing now for the commissioners to do, since the question has arisen, is to thoroughly and scientifically investigate the matter, and if after such investigation a doubt still remains do not allow the buildings erected there. We have still such confidence in our commissioners as to believe they will do that which is best in the manner of appropriating the people's money.

As we go to press we learn that the sub-contractors are instructed to go to work on the court house, and that as the center of the block is not solid enough to build on the house is to be set on one corner of the court house square. We protest against the building being done until the question of foundation is settled. If the walls of the building crack after they are up, the peoples \$30,000 will have gone a glimmering.

SOUTH PARK.

The City of the Dead Established and Laid Off.

The action of the Board of Trade in the matter of establishing and laying out a new cemetery for Roswell, was an excellent move, and has resulted in our having a beautiful piece of ground two miles south of town set apart for that purpose. The selection is on school section 16; the ground is under the Lea-Cockrell ditch, from which the cemetery association receive water to beautify the site, which is in every way a very beautiful one. It is inclosed by a strong fence with posts eight feet apart, with a six inch board at top and bottom and four strands of wire between, it will turn stock effectually and preserve the enclosure from desecration. L. M. Long was employed to lay off twenty acres of the ground into lots and streets and make a plat and directory of the same. He has done so, and we think it the handsomest arrangement we ever saw. The ground is laid out in the shape of a Maltese cross with a large circle near the center; this circle has been purchased by the masons of Roswell and vicinity and they will at once begin improving it. The balance of the grounds will be sold to families and individuals. A neat and attractive cemetery takes away some of the terrors of the grave, and we hope to see this one improved and beautified until its beauty will become enchanting.

Communicated.

I noticed your little item concerning my future welfare, in your valuable paper, and cannot help but tender you my sincerest thanks.

Eddy is on a steady boom now, real estate has increased from 400 to 600 per cent in value, and everything points to a bright future. Eddy has a considerable amount of houses, brick as well as frame, considering the short time of its existence. It seems to me though, that the Roswell brick is far superior to the brick they are burning here. I met Mr. Garrett this morning, his and Mr. Brent's livery and feed stable, (brick) will soon be finished and will be one of the finest buildings of this kind in the territory. As no whiskey is sold in town, there are any amount of tents in a certain distance from Eddy, where one can get drunk at his pleasure. As to me, I've received a situation as commissary clerk from Mr. H. V. Clarke who is head clerk and book keeper of Messrs W. C. Bradbury & Co.

Please send me your paper to Eddy, care H. V. Clarke. I shall pay you the two dollars subscription at the earliest opportunity. With best regards to you and all the boys I remain
Respectfully Yours,
WM. KATZENSTEIN.

Olive Culture.

The business of olive growing is only in its infancy in California, but gives promise of a prosperous future. Some idea of the possibilities of the olive may be gathered from the statement that Spain has 3,000,000 acres in olives; Italy, 2,250,000, and France 330,000. There are in Tunis over 4,000,000 trees, and Algeria has 3,000,000. In a very few years this country will make an equally good showing, for their is money in the business of growing them, the demand for the berry and its oil being almost illimitable.

It is thought olives will grow as well in the Pecos valley as in California and will some day be a source of great income to us here. We recommend that some of our farmers who are planting trees should plant a few olives to try them and demonstrate whether or not they will do well.

The New Mexican Plant.

The New Mexican Printing Company has an extensive and valuable business plant at Santa Fe. Their book bindery department is as complete as any place of the kind in the west; they do all kinds of blank book work, and we are bound to say their work will compare favorably to any eastern or western work we have ever seen. The job department of the New Mexican is large and complete; they are prepared to do the finest book or ornamental work; in fact, the New Mexican establishment is much larger and better than we expected to see, and is certainly the most extensive and complete establishment of the kind in the territory.

Quarantine in New Mexico.

Gov. L. Bradford Prince, of New Mexico has issued a proclamation of quarantine on account of pleuro-pneumonia against the state of New Jersey, the counties of Kings and Queens, New York, and the foreign countries of Great Britain, Ireland, France, Germany and Belgium. All cattle, before entering New Mexico, must be inspected at Trinidad, Colorado, El Paso, Texas, or Clayton, New Mexico, in order to ascertain where they have been the last six months past.

Alfalfa Seed.

Anderson & Sutherland, the famous alfalfa seed growers of Colorado, have five car loads of alfalfa seed ready now for the market all of their own raising. Address at Rocky Ford, Colorado. 7-30d.

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"Oh! where shall rest be found!"
The worn-out mother sighs;
Trousers to mend and stockings to darn,
Dishes to wash and butter to churn,
While my back feels to break, and head and heart burn,
And life is a constant friction."
The Summer came and went,
The matron no longer sighs;
Elastic her step and rounded her cheek,
Work seems but play, life is now sweet,
And the change was made in one silver week.
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As an invigorating tonic, it imparts strength to the whole system. For overworked, "worn-out," debilitated teachers, milliners, dress-makers, seamstresses, "shop-girls," housekeepers, nursing mothers, and feeble women generally, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the greatest earthly boon, being unequalled as an appetizing cordial and restorative tonic. Contains no alcohol to inebriate; no sugar or syrup to derange digestion; a legitimate medicine, not a beverage.
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Stranger—Can you direct me to a dentist who administers gas? Citizen—No, but I can direct you to a barber who does.

Kissed Another Man's Wife.
"You scoundrel," yelled young Jacob Green at his good neighbor, Brown. "You kissed my wife upon the street, I ought to knock you down."

"That's where you're wrong," good Brown replied. "In accents mild and meek; 'I kissed her, that I've not denied, and I did it because she looked so handsome—the very picture of beauty and health. What is the secret of it?' Well," replied Green, "since you ask it I will tell you; she uses Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription—it is the only remedy for the delicate derangements and weaknesses of females, sold by druggists, under a positive guarantee of giving satisfaction in every case, or money paid for it returned."

For biliousness, sick headache, indigestion, and constipation, take Dr. Pierce's Pellets.

"Come where my love lies sneezing—sneezing th' unhappy hours away."

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Influenza
Now so prevalent and known in Europe as La Grippe is not a common cold as many suppose, but in connection with a cold its ravages are more serious. It is a fact worthy of note, that Allen's Lung Balm will quiet the irritation in the throat and bronchi, cure the cough, and give the patient great relief. All medicinal dealers sell the balm at 25c., 50c. and \$1 a bottle.

Nothing hurts a dude so much as the finding of himself in the soup when he thought he was in the swim.

Nearly every article sold is cheapened in cost of production, at expense of quality. Dobbin's Electric Soap is exactly to-day what it was in 1858, absolutely pure, harmless and uniform. Ask your grocer for it. Look out for imitations.

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VANDERBILT'S FIRST BOAT.

Some Good Stories of the Founder of the Family of Millionaires.

The reading given last week by Mrs. Coventry Waddell at her Stuyvesant Square home served to bring out many interesting new anecdotes of Commodore Vanderbilt. Mrs. Waddell's friendship with the founder of the Vanderbilt family was life-long, and her recollections of the great money-getter are of a nature to cast a strong light upon his personality. The following story illustrative of his energy and push in early youth was told.

It is a well-known fact that for years Commodore Vanderbilt sailed a "perrianger," and it took daily a cargo of green groceries to the New York market. The shrewd way in which he became skipper of his first craft is thoroughly characteristic. It seems that at the age of sixteen "Neilly" had developed a strong affection for rowing, sailing and other water sports. An old Staten Island fisherman had a sail-boat which he offered to sell for \$100, and "Neilly" thought that if he could only become the owner of this particular boat he would indeed be happy. He hadn't the money, however, and as a last resource, applied to his mother.

"Neilly," she said, "you see that eight-acre lot out there," pointing to an unpromising-looking street front.

"Neilly" said he did. "Well, if you will plough, harrow and seed that lot you shall have the \$100."

"Neilly" induced several boys of the neighborhood, by promises of jolly excursions, to turn in and help him. In a week they had the job done, and the \$100 was paid over. "Neilly" then beat the owner of the boat down to \$95, and purchased the craft at that price. The Commodore to the end of his days never ceased to regret that on his first sail he broke a hole in the boat's bottom that it cost \$5 to repair.

Mrs. Waddell once remarked to the Commodore, "I dare say, many wealthy New-Yorkers would be happier if they had pockets in their shrouds, in which they could carry to the next world the wealth they accumulate in this."

"Ah, no," replied Mr. Vanderbilt. "If shrouds had pockets the strife and turmoil on Wall street would be increased fourfold."

At one time while living on Staten Island, the Commodore had an exasperatingly balky horse. He never could be sure that the brute wouldn't stop in the middle of the road, and he often walked in preference to taking chances with the animal. One day he started out and had driven only about half a mile when the beast came to a dead halt. An energetic laboring, backing and sawing had no effect and the Commodore turned around and went home. He got a bag of lump sugar and again started out, leading the horse and feeding him a lump at every few steps. This he continued until the place where the horse balked was passed, after which he got in and had no difficulty in driving to his journey's end. In telling the story to Mrs. Waddell, he said: "I have tried the same course of proceeding with women and it has always proved effective."

A Desirable Qualification.
Commanding Officer—So you want to marry Private Malone's widow? She is old enough to be your mother! Surely a smart young fellow like you could find a nice young girl who would take you?

Private T. Atkins—Young girls is well enough, sor; but I likes my dinner 'ot, and I noticed Private Malone always had 'is dinner 'ot, so I 'opes as you'll give me love, sor.—Judy.

A Tramp Steamer.
The tramp steamship Marlborough, from the Philippine Islands, a vessel of many misfortunes, was seized by United States Deputy Marshal Myers, at Philadelphia, on a claim for \$48,000, preferred by Ira Bursley, of New York. It is claimed that the master of the Marlborough was negligent in not having sufficient fuel on board, necessitating the burning of a part of the cargo of sugar.

A Midnight Baking.
The batch of dough set on the hearth to raise by an Erie County, Pennsylvania, housewife, raised so effectually that it aroused the family, as the dish which had been placed over it rolled on the floor. The lady, in order to save the "batch," got up in the middle of the night and baked her bread.

Foaming Maine Hunters.
If you would gaze on an example of superb disgust, find the Maine hunter who thought he fired at the shining orb of a ferocious wildcat and afterward discovered that he had filled a tomato can with shot-holes.

A NEW SCHEME.

The Latest Journalistic Device to Get Rid of Dead Beats.

A big, red nose, followed by a little red man drifted into this office yesterday and proclaimed—the man, not the nose, proclaimed—that he was a journalist prepared to accept a position. It is one of the peculiarities of this class of journalists that they never seek a position; they always coax around for an opportunity to accept one. Since our office is heated by steam so that we don't have to fetch up coal, and since we do not etch our engraving plates with human breath, and since we do not happen to have any editorial department that requires an expert knowledge of preserving bodies in alcohol, we could think of only one position at present requiring the services of this trained and experienced journalist. At just that moment we did not happen to have anybody going around the world in eighty days for us, so we advanced a dime to this professional moulder of public opinion and instructed him to set out in a due northerly course and see how much time he could consume before getting around the globe to this office again. We mean to keep abreast of the times in journalistic enterprise if it robs us of the intoxicating pleasure of this great man's society for the rest of our natural existence.—Washington Post.

In the Black Maria: Tags—"Wot makes you sit up so kinder stiff an' unsoosable?" Rags (loltily)—"Why, I ain't no common bloke, I ain't Mr. Vangoulerbilt had me arrested for beggin'!"

A Broad Hint: Landlord (to departing guest)—"I trust I may rely upon your recommending my establishment?" Guest—"I don't happen to have at this moment a mortal enemy in the world!"

Druggists report this fact with reference to **La Grippe**, that wherever the epidemic prevails, the sales of Allen's Lung Balm increase. (Of course they do.) Every one knows that this excellent remedy will quiet the irritation, causing easy expectoration and cure the cough attending this most distressing disease. Be sure to ask the druggist for Allen's Lung Balm. Sold at 25c., 50c. and \$1.00 a bottle.

Frost bites this winter are not so much to be dreaded as mosquito bites.

THEY HAVE THEIR MONEY.
The Names of the Fortunate Fifteen in the Lottery Partnership.

Oswego, N. Y., Palladium, Jan. 2.
Mr. B. D. Houghton has been engaged during the past few days in presenting \$1,650 to each of fifteen Oswegoans who were so fortunate as to be implicated in a partnership on Louisiana State Lottery tickets. The following are the lucky investors: J. M. Chesney, Chas. McDowell, W. J. Rasmussen, Chas. R. Lewis, Jules Wendell, J. A. Southwick, Geo. W. Harman, Albert Fitzgerald, Obediah Wiley, Alonzo Adams, H. Churchill, David Wright, Theo. Warden, Aaron Colton, Gilbert Cooper.

The lucky ticket was No. 35,961. It drew the fourth capital prize of \$100,000 in the December drawing, of which \$25,000 fell to the Oswego gentlemen, they holding one-fourth of the ticket. Mr. Houghton sent the lucky ticket for collection on Thursday 19th, and received the money the following Friday week. This is the second similar draw. The occurrence greatly stimulated the local trade in lottery tickets.

Sam Jones' daughter has eloped. He should find no fault. She and her lover are only holding a protracted meeting.

Any man or woman who is afflicted with nervous or general debility, kidney complaint, vital weakness or any other chronic or lingering complaint, should send to Dr. J. Z. DYE, Buffalo, N. Y., for a copy of Health Helper, free.

A Cleveland paper calls the influenza "a fad." It is now time to ask of Russia: "Fad are you giving us?"

If afflicted with Sore Eyes, use Dr Isaac Thompson's Eye Water. Druggists sell it. 25 cents.
"Jay Gould," says an inaccurate financial editor, "is on record as having made \$5,000,000 in as many years."

An Extended Popularity. Brown's Bronchial Troches have for many years been the most popular article in use for relieving Coughs and Throat troubles.

Funny, isn't it, that no marriage ceremony is a success unless there is a hitch in it somewhere.
When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria, When she was a Child, she clung to Castoria, When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria, When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

The Challenge, published at Denver, is an aggressive, wide-awake Prohibition paper. Send for a sample copy. Subscription only \$1.00 a year.

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Don't be frightened. The house isn't haunted. It's only the hired man getting the furnace ready for the fall campaign.

It is simply wonderful how a good thing gets known and appreciated. In the public school examinations now they ask the small boys: "Who was the first man?" "Adam." "The first woman?" "Eve." "Who was the 22nd president of the United States?" "Grover Cleveland." "What is the specific cure for pain?" "Salvation Oil."

The moral coward is a man who cannot do anything original without begging the world's pardon for running off the track.

Any person sending his address to Robert J. Wallace, principal of BUSINESS COLLEGE, University of Denver, 14th and Arapahoe Sts., Denver, Colorado, will receive a very useful article, bearing our advertisement.

A Denver paper tells of "a woman who whipped a dude." She should have "taken one of her size."

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