PORTALES, NEW MEXICO, SATURDAY, JUNE 25, 1904.

AID BY VLADIVOSTOCK SQUADRON AND CONSTAND FIGHTING ON LAND

June 16th, made it almost imlible for one to keep minutely ined of the movements of the bel-

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ents. is censorship was broken by the rtant events resulting in a Japvictory on the Liao Tung peninand when a successful sortle had made by the Russian Vladivosquadron. As it was evident that sian force had been dispatched arass General Oku's rear and him in his operations against Arthur, the Japanese, instead of errow part of the Liao Tung Pesent some three or four divisorth to attack the Russians. The ment took place at Vafangow, and not far from Foo Chou. seems to have begun on when the Japanese began armies maneuvered for position. taken the offensive and attemptthe Japanese right, ery arm, was marked. The artil- mand of Admiral Togo. arm of the Japanese in each of During the past week no naval enthree great fights has given them counters have occurred between war itly still sticking to the old re-

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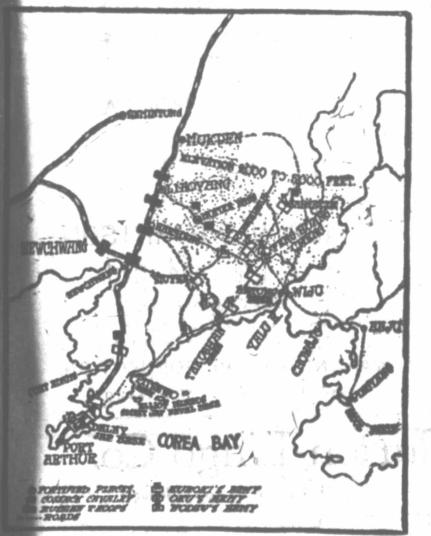
following is a summary of war and Mukden are afraid that General wa for the week ending Saturday, Kuroki will move to their rear and cut-e 18th: he rigid censorship over dispatches exerting themselves to stop this by the seat of war for several days making strong intrenchments to the east of Muklen.

The Japanese near Vafangow are following the retreating Russians with a part of their forces, probably 20,000, while the remainder, probably 20,000, have stopped at Vafangow ready to reinforce their pursuing force if necessary. A Japanses force from General Kuroki's army is undoubtedly marching to intercept General Stakelberg. This move is made, probably, with the hope that General Kuropatkin will send such a number of troops south from Lino Yang as to weaken himself at for the Russians to attack those places, in which case General in their entrenchments across Kuroki wil attack the main Russian positions at Liao Yang and Mukden, and in case he can get in the Russian rear Kuropatkin's army will be enveloped on three sides, south, east and north eighty-five miles north of Port by a superior Japanese army, in which case the Russians will either have to literally cut their way out, whip Kuroki, be annihilated or surrender. The the Russian force. This two last seem most probable, as Kuntinued on June 14th, when rold, with the 40,000 Japanese troops in the vicinity of Vafangow, must have me 15th the Russians seem to over 220,000 men, while the Russians have not to exceed 180,000 that can be brought to bear. The Russian position however, they were unable to in Manchuria is considered more criti-The Japanese, meanwhile, had cal at this time than ever before. In ed a number of troops, prob- the vicinity of Port Arthur, due to retwo divisions, on the Russians' inforcements which have been poured and on June 15th the main st- into the Japanese lines during the last was made and the Russians rout- week, General Oku has probably 50,000 Again the excellent information men in addition to those sent north. he Japanese as to the enemy's The siege is being vigorously pushed er and position was shown to be by land and sea, probably with success ate and that of the Russians de as liberal preparations in men and Also the factical handling of guns have been made, while the fleet apanese troops, especially their co-operates from the sea under com-

erwhelming advantage, due to its vessels. The Russian Vladivostok icy and handling. In each in squadron, with three fast cruisers and e the Japanese artillery has been some torpedo boat destroyers, has made all pieces available a successful raid and has sunk two of ght into action at the earliest pos- the best Japanese transports, loaded moment, while the Russians, ap with many tons of supplies, and with a loss of life of approximately 1,000 men. aftillery notion, have their bat. These transports were encountered by scattered, and a good many the Russians near the Oki islands. which might have been brought which lie between the straits of Shiheld back. Also from a strate- monoseki and Korea. Due to dense fogs tandpoint the Japanese in each prevailing in these parts, the Japanese gement had put more men in a squadron under Admiral Iriu has been place than their opponents, thus unable up to this time to intercept ing out the saying of one of our them. The transports sunk were each United States commanders that of about 6,000 tons displacement, and egy was getting "the mostest men are said to have belonged to the Japanese Toyo Kisen, Kaisha Steamship e situation on the Liao Tung pe- Company. The raid of the Vladivostok ila and Manchuria is thought to be ships has been one of the most daring t as follows at present: General acts of the Russians since the beginelberg, with probably 25,000 or 30,- ning of the war. As soon as the develnen, after being defeated at Va- opments on the Liao Tunk peninsula w, is retreating northward, ex- and Manchuria will permit, the Japang to be attacked at any time on nese will undoubtedly send a force to lank by a detachment of General Possist bay to isolate Vladivostok and ki's troops. Reinforcements are March to Harbin. In anticipation of sent to General Stakelberg from this move, the commanding officer at Yang by General Kuropatkin to Vladivostok has ordered all non-comagainst his possible annihilation. batants away. As affairs stand now, it

MAP OF THE THEATER OF WAR.

while the Russians at Liao Yang looks dark for the Russians.



other Transport Sunk.

June 20.-The Japanese vostok fleet off Oshima last miral Skrydloff: ay morning. The island of The Izumi was retiring to was carrying 108 passencrew took to the boats Russian fleet was sighted. ser Gromobol signaled for to approach. They complied ere taken on board and conreen the decks over night. morning the non-combatants sed and sent aboard the vessel Unko, which brought

ports Moetly Escaped.

June 20 - The transports ichi and Izumi were the only rhauled by the Russians. thirteen transports in and trait of Korea the morning Sinking of Transports.

St. Petersburg, June 20.-Emperor Izumi, which was reported Nicholas has received the following disfew days ago, was sunk by patch dated June 19th from Vice Ad-

"On June 15th our cruiser division situated near and northwest encountered in the strait of Korea a stern entrance of the Tsu- Japanese transport steamer from the south in the direction of the Japanese coast, which was visible on the horizon. The vessel proved to be the Izumi with troops on board.

"On the expiration of the time given those on board to lower boats and leave the ship, permission to do which was taken advantage of by part of the crew, the transport was sunk by our guns. "Shortly afterward two more transports were sighted to the southeast.

They proved to be the Hitachi and the the former with troops, and the latter carrying coolies, horses and a railway plant. The transports refused to surrender and at the end of the period granted those on board to take to the boats, the two vessels were sunk by

torpedoes and shells. "The losses on the three transports, nd the Hitachi were caught the tonnage of which aggregated about as fortunate that only the 15,000 tons, consisted of a portion of pentioned were overtaken the troops and crews, a large quantity of war material, and the rails sy plant,

REPUBLICANISM

IN THE NATIONAL CONVENTION

First Day's Work at Chicago.-Chairman Root's Tribute to McKinley and Hanna, Falchanks Ro ceives an Ovation.

Chicago, June 22 - Without a disturbing element to impede smooth operation, the first day's program of the Republican national convention yesterday was carried out like clockwork. Not a jarring sound was heard, not a false step was taken.

It was an assembly of non-combative delegates which carried into effect without the thunderous demoustration usually attendant upon political conventions, a purpose that had been clearly defined.

An organization was perfected preparatory to the adoption of a platform and the making of nominations in the succeeding days of the convention. From the quiet yet unmistakable eathusiasm provoked by Senator Fairbanks' arrival at the Coliseum, his nomination for vice president is but little less assured than the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt for President.

The keynote to the campaign of 1904 s sounded by Elihu Root in his speech as temporary chairman. His address was a review of the accomplishments of the present administration and a defense of Republican policles in general. When that had been delivered and the various working committees dispatched to their labors, the business of the first day's session

was completed. Another picture was presented by the opening day so different from the customary convention scenes as to attract marked attention. It was the failure

of the delegates and the spectators to warm to the spirit of the occasion, Mention of President Roosevelt was responded to with hearty, though not prolonged applause. The lack of contest, eliminated the necessity of enthusiasm, and the mild character and rather listless hand clapping which was the greeting given impartially to national figures of the party was all, probably, that could be expected under the circumstances.

The lack of public interest in the conention was evidenced by the large number of spectators' seats vacant. Seats at former Republican conventions have unusually brought a premlum. To-day speculators offered them but there were few takers, and as the hour approached for the convention to assemble they sold them for a song. The wilderness of vacant seats was in the gallery and on the mezzanine floor where not more than two-thirds of the chairs were occupied. The first floor well filled. The picture was one of good order, where sergeants-atarms and policemen were not needed.

The crowning feature of the decorations is a painting of the late Senator Hanna which hangs directly over the platform and occupies the most conspicuous position in the Coliseum. Something of the magnitude of this painting may be realized when it is said that its surface is as great in square feet as the combined surface of the sixty large pictures of the President. President Roosevelt, however, was as prominently shown to the delegates in a heroic painting spectacularly unveiled on the chairman's platform at the conclusion of Mr. Root's speech, a climax that brought a prolonged out-

burst of enthusism The incident which is destined to live long after the spasmodice demonstrations have been forgotten occurred during Mr. Root's tribute to President Mc-Kinley. The temporary chairman spoke of the late President's administration of power, his gentleness of character and those qualities so beloved by the Nation and in that connection, said

feelingly: "And with McKinley we remember Hanna.

A hush almost oppressive spread over the 7,000 or more persons present. The speaker had paused expectantly. As he started to resume the full force of the tie stretched between the two greatest of recent political heroes went home to the delegates. The applause started and in a sympathetic wave was carried to every part of the great hall. The demonstration was unlike any that had preceded it or came after. An indefinable dignity was attached to the demonstration, which seemed foreign to a political gathering.

The Fairbanks boom for the vice presidency flourished unrestricted-during the convention proceedings. impetus was gained when the Indiana delegation entered the Coliseum and, led by the two senators. Mr. Fairbanks and Mr. Beveridge, proceeded down the aisle to their seats near the stage. The ovation given Senator Fairbanks was greater than was received by any of his distinguished colleagues.

Portland Mine Reopened.

Victor, Colo.: June 22 .- The Portland mine is working as usual, but with a non-union force. Yesterday morning when the whistle blew there were fully 200 miners on hand, and many of them were old employes, who were given preference. It was thoroughly understood that in returning to work the Western Federation of Miners was barred, and all the men were understood to have renounced allegiance to that organization. The committee of citizens and military were present at the mine, and those who went below were reported entirely satisfactory to Manager Kurle and the committee. No union affiliated with the Western Federation of Miners will in the future be recognized at the mine.

Guns Raise Dead Bodies.

New York, June 22.-By the use of dynamite and heavy guns fired by men from the Sound battery, scores of bodies were brought up from the bottom around the shores near North Brother island yesterday. From sunrise to sun-set the searchers along the beach and in the boats gathered in 112, bringing the number of bodies recovered to date to the appalling total of 845. Of these 700 have been identified and

the missing still are approximated at something more than 300. L'any of the bodies last found never

will be identified because of the changes that have taken place during the week they were under water.

NEW MEXICO NEWS SUMMARY

Governor Otero began the eighth year year of his administration as governor of New Mexico June 15th, and received

many congratulations. The Rio Hondo Reservoir Users' Association, capitalized at \$240,000, filed incorporation papers at Santa Fe. Headquarters at Roswell.

Judge John R. McFie has received

his commission as aide-de-camp of Gen. John C. Black, commander of the Grand Army of the Republic, The American Rubber Company has filed incorporation papers at Santa Fe. Capitalization is \$200,000. Headquar-

ters are at Tucumcari, Quay county. The Artesia Telephone Company capital, \$25,000, headquarters at Artesia, Eddy county, has filed incorporation papers with the territorial secretary.

A petrified human leg was discovered on top of a vein of coal in the Kutz mine at Monero and was shipped to Leo Hersch of Santa Fe. The curiosity will Le placed with the New Mexico exhibit at the St. Louis Exposition.

The Public Utilities Company has filed incorporation papers at Santa Fe the capitalization being \$100,000. The incorporators and directors are: William A. Finley, Matthew S. Groves, William J. Barber, James O. Cameron and Fred F. Doepp.

Governor Otero has appointed W. H. Greer of Deming a member of his staff with the rank of colonel of the New Mexico National Guard, vice A. Greig of Chicago, Illinois, formerly of Alamogordo, who tendered his resignation on account of removal from the

J. C. Holsinger, expert of the forestry division of the Department of Agriculture, will make an examination of the trees and grasses of the townships in Sandoval and Rio Arriba counties, recently withdrawn from public entry, for the purpose of creating the Jemes forest reserve.

Mrs. J. S. Duncan, wife of one of Nev Mexico's best known legislators and public men, died June 16th after an illness of more than a year. She had spent many months traveling in a vain search for health. She returned to her home from a Kansas few days before her death.

St. Michael's College at Santa Fe cele brated its fifty-first annual commencement June 20, every part of New Mexico, Arizona and Texas being represented in the audience. The following are the graduates: Lorenzo Flores, Alfredo Valdez, Camile Mignardot, Juan Alarid, 'edro Ortiz and Federico

On July 1st a scientific expedition of en members will leave Santa Fe to explore the cliff ruins and cave dwellings of New Mexico, Colorado, Arizona and Utah. for the purpose of mapping and photographing them and furthering their protection and reservation into national parks, Dr. Henry Mason Baum vill be the director.

The Socorro company recently incorporated to build a railroad from San Antonio to Carthage, the coal fields of Socorro county, commenced active construction at San Antonio on the 15th inst. The Socorro Telephone Company is pushing a line between these points which will connect the camp with their system in Socorro.

A. S. Greig of Chicago, formerly of Alamogordo, writes Governor Otero that he has been compelled to relinquish work on his million-dollar sanstorium project at Alamogordo and has turned over his interests to Dr. Martin of Buffalo, who is in a fair way of successfully completing it. It is to be built for the accommodation of wealthy sufferers from tuberculosis.

The Board of Land Claims adjourned sine die at Santa Fe June 15th, after passing a resolution in memory of Henry J. Easton, for many years the official crier of the court. It made a recommendation that the papers and records of the board be kept at Santa Fe instead of being sent to Washington in order to be more convenient to the bar and litigants in the Southwest,

The oldest bell in America, the "Maria Josefa," which for hundreds of years hung in the parish church at Algodones and only recently was purchased by Governor Otero and brought to Santa Fe, was shipped to the St Louis Exposition on the 17th inst. It will occupy a prominent place in the New Mexico building. The bell weighs 200 pounds and was cast in Spain A.

Governor Otero on the 15th inst. received a message from Col. Clarence P. Edwards, chief of the insular bureau of the Philippine Islands, saying that he will send an inspector to New Mexico in a few days to inspect forty horses at Deming, gathered for shipment to the Philippine islands. Governor Otero is working to open a new market for New Mexico range horses. The horses will be shipped from San Francisco on the transport Dix and will be accompanied by a New Mexico cowboy.

An Albuquerque dispatch of June 14th says: Word was received here today to the effect that the Mesilla valley of the Rio Grande was drenched for three hours by a heavy rain fall, While it came late in the season the small valley farmers will be able to raise a late crop. This rain breaks the drouth of a year, which has done much damage to that section of New Mexico. This section of the Rio Grande is also in need of rain, and the overhanging clouds of almost every day the past week would indicate a big rain soon will come.

An Albuquerque dispatch of June 6th says: Delegate Bernard S. Rodey returned to-night after the winter and spring in Washington. He was given a reception at which his friends extended congratulations on his fight for statehood. Mr. Rodey said to-night that he believed the joint statehood bill for the admission of New Mexico and Arizona as one state would be passed early in the short session by the Senate. He gave it as his further for statehood in any other form for the next generation. Rodey is here to make his fight for renomination and reelection in the fall campaign. It is said

Railway Companies Incorporate. Two companies have filed incorporaion papers for the building of a railroad from San Antonio, Socorro coun-

ty, to the coal fields at Carthage, in the same county. One is the San Antonio & Eastern Railroad Company, incorporated by Charles H. Elmendorf of American Valley, Socorro county, and James T. Fitch, Sidney P. Allen, James E. Wilson and Wynne W. Allen of Kansas City, Missouri, who are also directors. The capitalization is \$240,000. The railroad is to be twelve miles long. The principal place of business is San

Antonio, Socorro county. The other is the New Mexico Midland Railway Company. The incorporators are: Delos A. Chappell of Denver, Henry M. Daugherty of Socorre, Richard C. Hills and Frederick W. Whiteside of Denver and J. Taylor Moore of Hastings, Colorado. This road is to be fifteen miles long. The principal office of the company is to be at Santa Fe, but the headquarters are to be maintained at Denver. The directors are: Delos A. Chappel, Denver; Harry M. Dougherty, Socorro Richard C. Hills, Denver; Thomas Pattison, Hugh McGwin and G. L. Olin, Gallup; George W. Bowen, Frederick W. Whiteside, Denver; J. Taylor

Moore, Hastings, Colorado. The capital stock of the company is \$500,000. It is believed that the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company is back of this last-named company, while the A. H. Hilton coal interests are backing the former. San Antonio is situated on the Rio Grande river and the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway, fifteen miles south of Socorro.

The Santa Fe Railway Company has constructed a spur into the Carthage coal fields, but abandoned the spur several years ago. The Carthage coal fields are now important producers having produced 30,000 tons last year

Killed by Stock Thieves.

An Albuquerque dispatch of June 15th says: Searchers have found the dead body of an old ranchman, G. W. McComber, and there is unmistakable evidence that he was murdered. He was seen last on May 31st and a few days ago several neighbors, who had business at his place, called and could not find him. Six young calves were dead and other cattle, and the horses were dying from starvation. Officers were informed and yesterday afternoon the decomposed remains of the ranchman were found partially hidden hind a pinon log. His head had been shattered in, and about twenty yards away was found a pin stick covered with blood and clots of hair. The body was buried where it was found. Officers are of the opinion that Me-Comber had taken his stock to the spring for water and on returning to his house was met in the mountains and assaulted.

A desperate gang of stock rustlers reside in the neighborhood of Manzano mountains, where the accomber ranch is located and officers believe that McComber lost his life in attempting to defend his spring of water from being jumped or used by these rustlers. That section of the country is very dry and water is greatly needed

Hondo Reservoir Approved.

Official news was received at Rosell on the 18th inst. by Reclamation Engineer W. M. Reed, from acting Chief Engineer A. P. Davis at Washington, in regard to the Hondo reser-The government has approved the building of the reservoir and from

this time on the work will be rushed The reservoir will be built twelve miles from the city and will irrigate an area of 10,000 to 12,000 acres of land. Since 1893 Engineer Reed has been actively engaged on this project. The proposed cost of the reservoir will be \$275,000, and the work will be let in six separate contracts.

The news that the building of the reservoir is a certainty is regarded at Roswell as the best that has ever been printed affecting the future prosperity of the entire Pecos valley.

It means that Roswell will have an rrigated area behind it that will support a large and prosperous city. It means that two new railroads will be built into the city in the near future and that the Pecos valley lines will build a handsome depot here. It means that Roswell will soon double its population, its business and its prosper-ity. The news that the Hondo is a certainty is the talk of the city and the people are rejoicing.

McComber's Death.

An Albuquerque dispatch of June 8th says: An American ranchman in the city to-day says the reason that G. W. McComber was murdered was because of his violent temper and the fact that he suspected those he came

in contact with of being stock thieves. Whenever he saw anybody looking at his cattle he would go to them, and, without provocation, curse them, calling them cattle thieves, and accuse them of attempting to steal his stock. He did not fear either Americans, natives or Indians, and had quarreled with his neighbors indiscriminately, He was warned on several occasions certain desperate characters would not stand his accusations, but he ignored the warnings.

McComber was beaten over the head with a heavy pinon stick by the murderer. The dead ranchman went to the Mangano mountains from San Angelo, Texas. He was a native of Wisconsin and served during the Civil War in the Sixteenth Wisconsin infantry. He was partially paralyzed, the result of wounds received during the war. His murderer has not been apprehended.

says: Frank H., Dodge, an old veteranopinion that there would be no chance and a native of Maine, who lived in re- a good many years to come than be cent years in Pojosque, was found dead last night on the outskirts of the city. A wagon and two burros belonging to Republican leaders. At this time the rado. The remains will be given a military interment in the National cemeliary interment in the National ce of age and a native of Dixmont, Maine, cur territory feel that way."

COURT OF LAND CLAIMS.

Holds Its Last Session and Ceases To Exist.

The United States court of private land claims met for its final session at Santa Fe June 14th in the court room of the federal building. On the bench were Chief Justice Reed and Associate Justices Sluss, Stone and Murray, Justice Osborne being absent. other court officials present were United States Attorney Matthew G. Reynolds, Clerk Ireneo L. Chaves, Stenographer Francisco Delgado, Interpreter Eusebio Chacon. Kirchner and Deputy United States

Marshall George A. Kaseman. There were also present Judge James H. Reeder of Hays City, Kansas, formerly clerk of the court; Judge William H. Pope, formerly assistant United States attorney of the court, and L. F. Parker, Jr., at one time stenographer of the court and now mayor of Vinita, Indian Terri-

L. F. Parker, Jr., was admitted to practice before the court upon motion of Mr. Reynolds, his to be the honor of having been the last attorney so admitted before the court went out of existence

The survey of the San Miguel Del Bado grant was approved by the court. The grant is situated in San Miguel county and consists of ten tracts; the total area being 5,024 acres. The claimants are Julian Sandoval, et al

The survey of the Santa Teresa grant in Dona Ana county near El aso, was approved. The grant covers 8,478 acres. M. R. Pendell et al. are the claimants.

In the Refugio Colony grant, con sisting of two tracts of land in Dona Ana county, with a total area of 11, 524 acres, the claimants objected to the confirmation of the survey made by deputy United States surveyors because the bed of the Rio Grande, in 1852 the eastern boundary of the grant, was not accurately surveyed. court overruled the objection and con-

firmed the survey. The closing scenes of the session were impressive. Addresses were made by United States Attorney Mat thew G. Reynolds of St. Louis, John Ha Knaebel of Denver, Solicitor General Edward L. Bartlett of Santa Fe Judge William H. Pope of Roswell, Judge J. H. Reeder of Kansas, Chief Justice Joseph R. Reed of Council Bluffs and Justices Murray of Tennessee, Stone of Denver and Sluss of Wichita, Kansas,

In the New Mexico district 282 cases were filed during the thirteen years' existence of the court, twelve of which trict. Of these 231 grants were con-These grants contained 34, firmed. 653,320 acres, of which 1,934,986 acres were confirmed and 22.718.254 acres were folected.

In the Arizona district twenty cases were filed, including the twelve transferred from New Mexico, and of these one was tried in New Mexico, leaving nineteen cases filed. These cases in volved 837,679 acres, of which 116,539 acres were confirmed and 721,134 refeeted

Three cases were filed in the New Mexico district for money judgment against the United States for patented lands within confirmed grants. Two of them were rejected, but in the case of Jose Chaves and Gallego et al. vs. the United States judgment was ren dered for the claimants in the sum of \$573.62 for 410.90 acres of land. Fiftyseven grants were appealed to the Supreme Court.

Deported Miners Welcome. Governor M. A. Otero received the following telegram from the New York

"Will you kindly wire the Times your views on the proposed deports tion of citizens of Colorado to New Mexico and what measures the territorial government will take to prevent. this course?

The governor replied as follows: "My view is that no difference should be shown between capital and labor in their respective positions so far as the law is concerned. New Mexico has no objection to any citizens who respect our laws and we are well able to uphold them under any and all conditions. If the deported citizens from Colorado conduct themselves in a law abiding manner they will be welcome; if not, they are coming to a poor place, as the laws of this territory will be upheld without regard to consequences so long as I am governor. We will not, however, tolerate dictation from any source, and those wishing to work will receive full protection under our laws."

Deming Feara Water Famine. The citizens of Luna county are roused over the project of the Mimbres River Water Company to tap the underflow of the Rio Mimbres in the Florida plains and to pump from 5,-000,000 to 10,000,000 gallons a day to El Paso for domestic and irrigation purposes in that Texas city. . The city Deming and surrounding country gets its entire water supply from this underflow, and the fear is expressed that if so large an amount is pumped. for El Paso, all wells will run dry and the city of Deming and surroundings be ruined.

An injunction will be asked for and the matter carried to the United States Supreme Court if necessary with the territory of New Mexico and the state of Texas as probable parties to the suit, as the law governing subterranean streams with well defined courses is the same as that governing surface streams, and the people of southwestern New Mexico claiming prior right to the underground Mimbre

Governor Brodie of Arisona was a caller on President Roosevelt recently. Governor Brodle says: Arizona, Democrats and Republicans A Santa Fe dispatch of June 18th with New Mexico. The fact is, we would rather do without statehood for forced into an alliance which we do not wish or desire. We feel that we are entified to statehood just as we stand, him were found near his remains. He but we hope that Congress will not give has a sister living at Durango, Colo-

ROZENE MEEKER

WINS HER CASE AT GREELEY

Jury Finds that She is Entitled to the Property Conveyed to Heroman by Her Mother.

nyer, June 22.- A Greeley dis patch mys. The Meeker case is end ed. The jury brought in a verdict last night in favor of the defendant in the case of Arvilla D. Meeker and Ralph Meeker against the er and sister Rozene. The plaint recover deeds to the var ought to le Meeker estate which they alle were ob d mother attracted atten and in this care but also the Bast, where he history of the ending of Union colony as the settlement of the town of Greeker N. C. leeker and the story of the massers of "Father" Meeker by the indians at White River, the captivity of "Mother" Meeker for twenty days, is well known. The verdict was a special one. It was given in answer to three questions propounded by Judge Bennett to the jurors and on which the counsel based their final

pleadings, Calleria M. Ovid Plum acted as foreman of the jury and to the questions, brought in the verdict as follows:

To the first question, we, the jurors, answer 'Yes'; to the second question.
'No'; to the third question, 'Yes.'
The first question was: Were the deeds executed by the plaintiff, Arvilla D. Meeker, on January 14,1904, execut ed by her pursuant to an agreement or understanding had prior thereto with the defendant, Rozene Meeker, that such deeds should be executed before

the plaintiff died? (Answer, yea.)
Question No. 2—Did the defendant.
Rozene Meeker, exercise any coercion. fraud or undue influence upon her mother to procure the execution of the deed made January 14, 1904? (Answer

No.1 Question 3-Was the plaintiff, Arvilla D. Meeker, at the time of the exicution of this deed on January 14, 1904, in such mental condition that she fully understood that she was conveying away her property and assented thereto? (Answer, Yes.)

The arguments of the case were listened to with much interest. Joseph Swing, counsel for the plaintiff, laid great stress on Rozene's ill treatment of her mother as brought out by the witnesses for the plaintiff and in the testimony of "Mother" Meeker. He re-ferred to the statement of "Mother" Meeker in which she said she never intended Rozene should have all the property. He called attention to Mrs. Meeker's weak physical condition when she signed away the property, which transfers she has now no of making. He referred to Rosene promise, which he alleges was made in the following terms, and if her mother should ask at any time for the return of the property she would recon-

vey it to her. Charles Tew; counsel for the defense, argued that Rozene's treatment to her mother had always been kind and con-siderate, as shown by witnesses, all of whom were reputable citizens. He told of the heavy manual work which the defendant had done for twenty years to aupport her mother, referred to Ralph Meeker as the prodigal son who not only wanted the fatted calf but the whole herd. He said the brother never found cause of complaint of the daughter's treatment of her mother in the last (wenty years, until after the property had been transferred. The counsel spoke of J. M. Freeman, a well known Greeley attorney who has acted as adviser in the Meeker family for twenty-five years. Mr. Freeman ex-plained and showed Mrs. Meeker the deeds before she signed them to Ro-

Long Compliments New England Chicago, June 22. John D. Long, former secretary of the navy, has been the guest of honor and the principal speaker at the Bunker Hill day banquet of the New England society. Mr. Long paid a glowing tribute to President McKinley, giving him the credit for the inauguration of the administration's colonial policy, and dwelt on his serious views regarding the responsibility of the head of the government to all the people, irrespective of class or affiliations.

Chiefly his address was directed to the work done by New England for the rest of the country, by her men, her? money and her education. He paid a compliment to the women of New England by saying that the stability of the early settlers and their energy

in building up a new nation was due

to the Puritan wives, who made perma-

nence of settlement a necessity

zene, which she said she wanted to de.

Tricentennial Celebration. . Annapolis, Nova Scotia, June 22.— The celebration of the 300th anniversary of the landing or Beur de Monts (June 21, 1604) in this country, where he founded the first European colony in British North America, and the sec-ond on the continent, was begun here yesterday, the first event on the program being an international military demonstration in the old French fort in which sailors from French and United States warships took part with the British tars and the local militis The warships in port included the British cruiser Arladne, the United States cruisers Detroit and Topeka the French craiser Troude, and Cana dian vessels. All the ships were gully dressed in bunting and throughout old town the colors of three count were generally displayed.

The Fourth at St. Louis. St. Louis, June 22,-The Pourth July arrangements made by the officials of the World's Fair contemplate clipse any celebration ever he the United States soon ment to Someters I In Press Ohio Bourke Cockran of New York Senator John W. Daniels of Wh

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JOSH E. MORRISON

H. F. JONES, DR. J. S. PEARCE,

J. B. CRAWFORD. Arch, New Mexic E. C. PRICE,
Floyd, New Mexico ond Precinct.

missioner Third Precinct, DR. W. H. MONTGOMERY, For County Surveyor, J. D. HURLEY,

Floyd, New Mexico. The Republicans nominated a losing national ticket at Chicago,

The negro convention, which meets in St. Louis, July 6, is expected to nominate for president Booker T.

Washington and - well, his very intimate friend for vice president. The national Republican committee ousted six white members from Louisiana and substituted in lieu thereof as many negroes. The My whites are now in a rage and

threaten all kinds of direful happen-

ings as a result. It was promised at the territorial Republican convention that Roosevelt county would pile up a substansial Republican majority this fall, but we opine that this will not be she only Republican pledge broken this fall.

Roosevelt county Republicans are in a quandary as to whether or not to put a ticket in the field. There appears to be a difference of opinion between the leaders. Monsieur F. F. Boucherri and Von Her Leckliter as to ways and means of overcoming an eight hundred majority with sixty-three votes.

The Republicans have met in national convention and have selected their standard bearers for the coming campaign and, with the exception of securing the ratification of the Roosevelt county leaders, Monsieur Boucherri and Herr Lecklfter, their labors are over for another four years.

The "Law and Order Thugs," of Colorado, who have been so indus triously deporting and imprisoning finacent miners, recently, at the solicitation of the mine owners and the "Citizens' Alliance," released a self-confessed train wrecker, by name Mckinney. The cowardly brute had pulled the spikes from the railroad rails in order to wreck a train load of soldiers en route to the seat of trouble, and confessed that it was his purpose to lay the blame upon the miners. He was a detective in the employ of the mine owners.

The Russo-Jap war does not attract half as much attention in Washington as the battle royal between the Washington Post and the 25c, 50c, \$1.00 For sale by Pearce & sound money parades? How can skin, foul tongue, offensive breath commissioner of pensions. The paper says: "Commissioner Ware furnishes quite superfluous proof of his unfitness for public office in a time of acute campaign emergency, "charges that he is granting old age pensions with lightning speed, in close districts, and adds: "there is not a hadow of a doubt that Commisser Ware is using this public fund sely as the chairman of the camaign committee administers the tions placed at the disposal of the party for purely party pur- I was laid up for four months with poses." Mr. Ware denies, vecifercely goes for his hip pocket, and from a hair-trigger vorelary that tinges with blue the Dobbs.

Such a cyclone of invective and frony has not shaken the umbrageous foliage of Washington ior

Every boy is a different boy. Boys are chuck full of life that must find plenty of room for action. Boys are not Paris dolls, nor are they mahines that need only the intelligent care of an attendant. No, boys are hilariously and recklessly alive from scalp to toenail. Nevertheless, we trolle and fun of boyhood into the manly character of maturity. I know a good many boys in Portales now, and I wonder if they have as good times as I had when I was a boy. For the boys' sake I regret that woods, hills and creeks are scarce here. Of course, I had what thought was a deal of hard work when I was a boy-there was the

garden to weed, the chores at the stable, errands to run, baby sisters to wheel, books to study and the organ to practice. Strange as it petition he sent in to the president may seem to some boys and girls in and waited for an answer in the this country, I had to obey my par-, ante-room. The answer he got was ents or there was serious enough in the shape of a detective, who artrouble. But what good is a boy rested him on a charge of insanity anyway that won't allow himself to and had him taken to police station be subject to the authority of his No. I, where, he says, he was detained

swim, so my father, who couldn't fused to say anything more than learned, and I got so I could swim under water with my eyes open. Did you ever dive into the swimming he did not care to have his family on? At a camp once in Michigan, under the circumstances indicated. at a lake, we found an old Indian dugout cance—it was a very tippy cance-but I learned to paddle it tolerably well without upsetting very often. Once at a lake the boys held a long fishing pole under water to help me crawl down to the bottom, and when I came up in a hurry thumped my head on the bottom

of the boat. Now boys, I have been wondering if we couldn't find a place somewhere around Portales to go camping where we could have enough fun to last a week or so. What would be the matter with getting up an Indian powwow and having scouts, hunts, battles, treaties, etc. JOHN MEEKER

Southwestern Irrigation Association.

The next meeting of the Southwestern Irrigation Association will will be done." meet in El Paso on Tuesday, November 15th to Friday the 18th inclusive. The association is anxious to make the coming congress equal to, and superior, if possible, to any former you in heaven. We sympathize with congress. The results from these the bereaved. neetings are far reaching, and people iving in the southwest should heartily cooperate with the movement. 1rrigation is one of the most prominent questions before our people and one that should receive the study and work its importance demands. The Herald suggests that the farmers' club take up this question at its next meeting and arrange to have a representation at the meeting.

Women's Olub-

The Women's Club met June 22nd, at the home of Mrs. Leach The attendance was very good. Two visitors were very cordially welcomed. Mrs. Wooding and her daughter, Mrs. Burnett. The next meeting will be at Mrs. Lindsey's; leader, Mrs. White. The program is as follows:

The Care of the Baby. The Management of Sick Children, Mrs. Voiles. Nursing Contagious Diseases, Care of Room, Mrs. Pearman Healthful Foods and the Preparation of Some,Mrs. Oldham. Mrs. Neer Diet for the Sick. Infection and Infecting of Wounds, With the History of Vaccination Miss Tyson. Demonstrations of bed-making, bandaging, years.

baking, etc.,.... Mrs. White and Assistant. The ball at the W. O. W. hall last Friday night was well attended and veryone who participated seemed to enjoy themselves immensely. Refreshments were served in the hall and were liberally indulged in. The music was all that could have been

Oroup. which sometimes extends to the small doses of Ballard's Horehound Syrup and apply Ballard's Snow

Notice to Teachers.

Roosevelt county will be held at Portales for two weeks, commencing August I5. Every one who intends to teach the coming year should at once lay plans to attend. F. E. GORDON, Superintendent

Cheerfully Recommended for Rheumatism. O. G. Higbee, Danville, Ills., writes, Dec. 2, 1901: "About two years ago rheumatism. I tried Ballard's Snow sticulates and rages. He Liniment; one bottle cured me. I can cheerfully recommend it to all suffering from like affiction." 25c,

omambient air. The Post vio-star brand shoes are better. For sale only by Warren, Foosbee & Co.

Probably no action of the president duce he so thoroughly demonstrated his desire to change this republic inte curred at the White House some two weeks ago and which is now made public for the first time.

The incident in question was nothing more nor less than the arrest as a lunatic of a man who went to the White House for the purpose of protesting against the retention of Congressman J. W. Babcock as chairman expect the boy to emerge from the of the Republican congressional committee, because of certain facts wnich

he was prepared to prove. The name of the man thus dealt with, according to Congressman Baker of New York, who vouches for the whole story, is Andrew O. Nash. On March 26 Nash, who was a friend of the late Senator Hanna, and who is now engaged in deting contract work for the postoffice department, went to the White House with a petition in which allegations were made against Babcock. This from 1 p.m.untill 8 p.m. In the mean-In the summer there were the time he was examined by two physiwoods to explore and the chestnut clans, F. P. Vale and C. C. Marbury, hunts. Mother wanted us to know both of whom pronounced him sane, how to swim but was afraid for us | and at the hour indicated he was reto go in the water till we could leased. Drs. Vale and Marbury re swim, would sit on the bank to fish that they had examined the man. us out if we got drowned. But we This they admitted without reservation. Mr. Nash says that he did not wish the story to become known, as hole with a good sized straw hat learn that he had been arrested, even No newspaper mention of the matter was made untill ten days or two weeks later.

Since that time it has been frequently referred to in the press, and Congressman Baker has made a strong speech concerning it. There has been no denial up to this time.

OBITUARY.

Dr. J. S. Pearce and Mrs. J. S Pearce's little son, who was born May 31, remained in the home just a few days, yet his parents were much endeared to him. The 18th of June God saw fit to call his spirit home. Why pluck the tender flower so much cherished?" the loving hearts Of the County Commissioners of cry out. But the sad moments bring the thought, "God doeth all things well." and we bow beneath the heavy burden and humbly say: "Thy

Baby voice calling, O mother, for thee; Beautiful darling, the light of the home Taken so early is beckoning, "come." Farewell, little one, till we meet

H. A. COVINGTON.

Preparing for Hard Times.

The locomotive fireman of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad recently invited the officers of the road to dinner. Percy R. Todd. one of the vice presidents of the road. is reported to have said during the course of his remarks:

"I want to say that there are many indications now that for the next few years hard times are ahead. Business is faling off everywhere. It would be well for your committee to remember that and to reckon with t in asking cousideration of claims from the company."

If, as Mr. Todd says, the indications point to hard times, what is going to become of the prosperity argument which the Republican party has been employing so diligently? IfMrs. Curtis. business is falling off everywhere, how are they going to whoop it up for the full dinner pail? It will be noticed that he does not say that the hard times will last a few months (during the campaign), put he predicts hard times for the next few

The press dispatches report a large number of men discharged during the last few months, and we are told that clerks are being discharged in New York because business to dull. What can all this mean? Did not the people buy prosperity at an enormous price? Did they not elect a Republican administration for the express purpose of getting prosperity? Did they not turn down free silver, reject tar-Is a violent inflammation of the iff reform, swallow imperialism and mucous membrane of the wind pipe, risk private monopolies just for prosperity? When a man sells his birthlarynx and bronchial tubes; and is right for a mess of pottage he ought one of the most dangerous diseases to be careful that the pottage does of children. It almost always comes not get away. It looks as if the Reon in the night. Give frequent publican leaders were unable to deans Commoner.

Presbyterian Church. June 26, Children's Day exercises at the morning service. The children are prepared to take partin a special program and cordially invite the entire congregation and general public to witness the exercises. Evening subject, "A Common Faith." JOHN MEEKER, Pastor.

All taxes for the year 1903 unpaid July 1st, 1904 will be advertised for judgment and sold immediately, as required by law. W. J. HORNEY, Collector.

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PROCEEDINGS

Roosevelt County.

Proceedings of the board of county commi sioners of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, at a meeting thereof held at the office of the clerk of the board on the 15th day of June, 1904, pursuant to adjournment, Present, W. O. Oldham, chairman; R. Hicks and B. Blankenship, commissioners; W. E. Lindsey, clerk. Claim of First National bank of Portales

for rent on office of the collector and sheriff for months of January, February, March.... \$ 18 00 Allowed and ordered paid. Claim of Robert Hicks, return tax to er-

error, allowed and ordered paid 10 46 Claim of W. K. Breeding, express and stamps, ordered paid. Claim of J. M. Harrell, repayment of taxes, account of error, ordered paid 11 84 Claim of Aaron Ragsdale, justice of the peace costs, ordered paid ... Claim of W. E. Lindsey, drawing and re-

cording deed to block 16, Portales, to commissioners, ordered paid. Claim Donohoo Mercantile company

Allowed and ordered paid Clrim of F. L. Chambless, constable, jected laim Portales Times company, publish-

ing poll tax notices, ordered paid 3 00 laim Portales Herald, publishing notices, etc. ordered paid Claim Geo. W. Baker in re care of Reeves poor person, ordered paid at \$25.00, conditioned that that amount be accepted in full as to the county.

salary J. M. Hervey, district attorney, January, February and March... Ordered paid.

Order to pay July, first installment interest on county bonds, subject to sufficiency of funds laim W. K. Breeding, commission on as-

sessments, territorial collections, order on territorial auditor approved, 51 56 laim W. K. Breeding, commission on assessments, county collections, ordered

Claim Donohoo Mercantile company, supfor sheriff, ordered paid The following bills of W. W. Odom, sheriff

allowed and ordered paid: Bill March 7, 1904, in re Tucker Bros....\$124 80 Bill Mach 1st, 1904, in re Jack-Bill April 4, 1904, in re Jack-

son, et al 32 25 Bill April 4, in re Jackson.... alance wild animal bounty, claim of A. Rauntree, ordered paid

At 2 o'clock, p, m., the board, sitting as a coard of tax equalization, considered and approved tax schedules for the year 1904. There being no further business the board adjourned to meet in regular session July 5, 1904. W. O. OLDHAM, Chairman

W. E. LINDSRY, Clerk.

Indigestion.

With its companions, heart burn flatulence, torpidity of the liver. liver the goods sold. How can men constipation, palpitation of the out of employment be expected to heart, poor blood, headache and Liniment externally to the throat. wear yellow hats and march in other nervous symptoms, sallow they be expected to hurrah for the and a legion of other allments, is at Republican party with the trusts once the most widespread and deraising prices and discharging men? structive malady among the Ameri-Verily, the Republican party will can people, The Herbine treatment have a rocky road "if the next few will cure all these troubles. 50c years hard times are ahead." -Bry- bottle. For sale by Pearce & Dobbs.

NOTICE.

\$10 Reward will be paid for the recovery and delivery to undersigned of one bay mare and colt. Mare about 14% hands high, no brand, white spot in forehead. Colt, bay yearling, rope around neck, mane sheared close, left shoulder badly cut by wire.

L. A. HALL, Portales, N. M.

Notice to Stockmen. Por pasture adjoining town see Blankenship & Co.

BAILBOAD TIME TABLES.

Pecos Valley and Northeastern. SOUTH BOUND.

No. 201-Passenger, arrives...1:15 p.m NORTH BOUND. No. 202—Passenger, arrives...3:00 p.m

AT AMARILLO.

Fort Worth and Denver City. NORTH BOUND No. 1-Passenger, leaves.....I1:07 p.m No. 7—Passenger, arrives... 8:30 a.m.

SOUTH BOUND. No. 2—Passenger, leaves..... 5:20 a.m No. 8—Passenger, leaves...... 7:20 p.m Trains 7 and 8 now run through

SECRET SOCIETIES PORTALES LODGE NO. 26, A. F. & A. M. meets in Masonic Hall, over First National Bank, Saturday night, on or before each full moon. Visiting brothers welcome.

P. W. PRICE, W. M.

H. E. JOHNSTON, Secretary HAMILTON CAMP NO. 17, WOODMEN OF the World, meets every Monday evening Woodmen Hall, over Bank of Portales. Visiting Woodmen cordialy invited.

W. M. Cox, C. C.

G. W. CARR, Clerk. PORTALES LODGE NO. 14, A. O. U. W. Meets first and third Tuesday nights of each month. Visiting brothers welcome.

J. B. KNIGHT, M. W.

G. E. RAGLAND, Financier. CHURCH DIRECTORY.

Presbyterian eaching service each Sabbath at 11 and § p. p. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Ladies Aid Tuesday afternoon, Prayer and bible study Wednesday at 8 p. m. The pastor lives in first house by the church.

M. E. Church-South. Sunday school every Sunday at 10 o'clock. Preaching every Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and at 8:30 p. m. Epworth League at 7:45 p. m. Prayer service every Wednesday evening at 8:30 Pastor can be found at the parsonage neas the church.

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LOCAL and PERSONAL

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The primaries over, let's set to and make it unanimous. Will sell whisky cheap, leading was crowded with people tention

brands, McEnight & Pylant, Millinery to go at cost until Forof July at Warren, Fooshee & Co.

The Herald wants good live correspondents in Bethel and Floyd. Everybody and their friends are invited to help us celebrate the Fourth.

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and fancy for sale by Burton-Lingo company. See Portales Furniture store for

furniture and coffins. Ed. J. Neer,

last Friday. "Doc" Jameson has just received a shipment of the famous Beil Springs remember the first Sunday in July is

creamery butter. Postoffice Inspector A. P. Smithers made our postmaster his accustomed visit Thursday.

Thursday, on business.

Mrs. E. S. Whitelaw, who has been suffering with a very severe case of measles, is now convalescent.

What suits the majority should a purely Democratic principle.

The "Palace of Sweets" serves all he society soft drinks and also the

Baseball Players and Poot Bacers! Louis J. Kruger, ex-champton long distance foot gacer of Germany and Holland, writes, Oct. 27th, 1901: During my training of eight weeks foot races at Salt Lake City, in April last, I used Ballard's Snow Liniment to my greatest satisfaction. Therefore, I highly recommend Snow Liniment to all who are troubled

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the high espans in which the young urth | people are held in Portales. Every one will join the pastor of the Methodist church in wishing them through life. 3, H. MESSER.

M. E. Church South.

Sundayschool at 10. Preaching at New dress goods and waist goods 11: subject, "Success and Failure." arriving weekly at Warren, Fooshee Epworth League at 8:30 p. m. Preaching at 9; subject, "Citizen-Our merchants are unanimous in ship." Saint and sinner alike are reporting an increase of business in invited to attend our church. Don't fail to go to church this Sunday. J. H. MESSER, Pastor.

Baptist Church.

Sundayschool, 10 a. m. Come to Sundayschool service and bring your neighbors and your neighbors children and get literature first of quar-Mrs. Meeks, wife of the agent at ter. Subject, 11 a. m., "Let the the new cold storage plant, arrived | Word of Christ Dwell in You Richly." Subject 9 p. m., "Seeing Christ," We ask the mambers of the church to the regular time to take the Lord's Supper and be present.

H. A. COVINGTON, Pastor.

A snap-Quarter section of deeded Mr. A. W. Rockefeller and wife, of and four miles from Portales. For country. Contains letters written Broncho, Texas, came into Portales sale cheap. See Knight and Trank- by farmers, stockmen and fruit rais-

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rillo and all intermediate points. "back east," to do missionary work suit the individual. Majority rule Some new phones for local service for the Southwest? Regular substill on hand. See mo.

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NOTICE-J. F. Tompkins and U.R | nighty recommended as an educator, Credit have dissolved partnership and Mr. Tompkins has taken in Spot Cash as a partner in the barber busi

When vigiting hoswell it will be made pleasant for you by stopping were whiten in holy wedloca, the fact that the large Methodist church mass cenial landlady. In the Southwest it is the Drummers' Retreat

and Home of the Stockmen. Once a guest always a guest when visiting this enterprising city of Roswell.

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> Men engaged in the promotion of industry and enterprise should not miss the opportunity of visiting the Portales draw, where est nattral advantages ever offered tion. Thousands of acres of rich a tin tube filled with sand. soil, inexhaustible supply of fresh water at an average depth of 20 feet, flowing water at 300 feet. Where

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ounty;" Our teachers of Roosevelt titute will commence Augormal inwill continue two weeks ust 15 and duct our normal, He se, will con-

having conducted and instructed in ten or more institutes in Kansas and Oklahoma. The usual examination will be held at the close of the normal, The following branches are service last Wednesday evening, Mr.

Elmer Jesseph and Mas Annie Childs at the Shelby Hotel, under the manwers united in holy wedlock, The agement of his Bucy, who is a close of the South government, physics, algebra, soology and botany. For a second grade certificate: arithmetic, geog-

> mar, history, physiology, elementary pedagogy and penmanship. F. E. GORDON, Superintendent.

raphy, orthography, reading, gram-

Agent B. F. Pearman says his country residence is fast nearing completion and that ere many days elapse he will be a full fledged farmer. We can conceive of no better amusement than witnessing B. F. taking his first lesson in extracting the lacteal fluid from the udder of a whitefaced bovine.

A patent fire extinguisher grafter was operating in Portales Wednes- his son. Rev. Meeker has been at- Lanson Terrell they can investigate the great-day and Thursday, but found it up-tending the general assembly at hill work separating the people from Buffalo, New York, which was the in the direction of successful irriga- their money on so flagrant a fake as fortieth anniversary of his gradua-

> Portales about one month ago, has taken some land and erected a fine five-room farm house, stables, cor- labors for many years to come. He rais, outbuildings, etc., and now has is an agreeable and entertaining his family here and comfortably fixed in their new home. Mr. Thompson is a successful far mer and stock raiser and will make a success in Roosevelt county.

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"Doc" Jameson entertained a merry crowd of ladies and sentlemen at his parlor macery last Monday night.

Martin Hamilton left on the north bound train. Thursday evening, for Kansas and other places, on a pros-Young man! Let us fix you up with a summer suit. Our stock of

clothing is complete.-Warren, Foo-Get ready for the Fourth of July! Our stock of dress goods and gents' furnishings can't be beat .- Warren,

Fooshee & Co. J. R. Ormond, of Roswell, representing the Singer Sewing Machine Company, was in the city this week, calling on delinquents.

Miss Pearl Smith, who has been teaching school at Pexico, vi-...ted a few days in the home of Sheriff Odom this week.

. Inureday for home with his .sty, who have been on a visit to Greer county, Texas. Judge T. C. Hunt, of Texico, was a Portales visitor Wednesday. He re-

left here " ... mbs, of Mexime, Texas,

membered the Herald office for a nice order for job printing. "Not How Cheap, but How Good," is the motto of the Herald Printery. No good business man

will tolerate poor printing. Dr. J. S. Grover, of Jacksboro, Texas, is here for his health. Dr. Grover thinks he can see a marked improvement in his condition since

his arrival. E. S. Whitelaw has accepted the ritorial law makes the . Our ter- agency for the Singer sewing maof teachers compulsory, attendance chines, for Roosevelt county, and if

terview him. Owing to sickness in my family, I have been compelled to give up my shop work, but will be pleased to

meet all my friends and patrons a MRS, L. E. REEVES. Sheriff W. W. Odom won the saddle which was raffled this week. The saddle was a fine one, highly ornamented with silver, and was

valued at \$100.00. Congratulations. w. w. Newsome has purchased a building and moved it opposite the Livery, Feed & Sale Parlor Grocery, where it will be remodeled. Mr. Newsome will soon open up a first-class cafe in the new

the Methodist church will purchase the exclusive stand privilege for the Fourth and dispense all kinds of temperance drinks, ice cream, cakes, pies, lunch, etc.

Rev. B. C. Meeker, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Florence, Arisons, and father of Rev. John Meeker, pastor of the Portales Presbyterian church, arrived in Portales Tuesday for a three days' visit with tion from Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey. Mr. Meeker J. W. Thompson, who arrived at is well preserved for a man of his years, and demonstrates no inclination of laying down his pastoral find a warm welcome at Portales.



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A great sensation is promised when ; she will make from the witness stand Mrs. Lawrence Phipps, wife of the against her millionaire husband will Pittsburg millionsire, answers in turn the tide of affairs and result in court to his suit filed against her in Denver for divorce.

Mrs. Phipps, who charges that her husband stole away from her by force her two daughters and took, them with him to Denver, where they now are, declares that she will make a at \$20,000,000. His wife was Miss bitter fight to regain possession of ber children.

The children, under an order of the married six years ago. The family es-Denver courts, are temporarily in trangement is laid to A. Hart McKee. charge of their father, but Mrs. the wife's cousin, who recently went Phipps says the sensational charges | abroad on the same steamer with her.

J. D. ROCKEFELLER'S WEALTH.

Enarmous Amount of Money His, or Under His Control.

News that John D. Rockefeller has succeeded in starting a \$2,500,000,000 worth and how much money does he

control? Well informed gossip has credited him with a fortune of \$1,000,000,000. He is the chief stockholder of the Standard Oil Company. He has a controlling interest in more than half a dozen other corporations of enormous land youngster, remarkable even in a dividend earning capacity. In addition he has heavy minority interests in nearly a score of other rich enterprises. According to financiers Mr. Rockefeller has controlling interests in the following corporations:

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\$1,070,\$88,500,00 He has heavy minority interests in inited States Steel, Colorado Fuel and ron, United States Leather, Consolidated Gas, International Harvester, New Yor Central, Pennsylvania, Missouri Pacifi Wisconsin Central, and others. Among the officers of all these

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corporations the name of John D. Rockefeller figures only once-as president of the Standard Oil Compauy. In Missouri Pacific, Colorado Fuel and Iron, and American Linseed stocks the name of John D. Rockefeller Jr. stands in the directorate as the representative of the father. William Rockefeller is another name probably to represent his brother's interests on occasion. No one may guess how many names of confidential cierks do service in this capacity.

MORGAN'S COAT OF ARMS.

Financier Credited With Remark Both

J. Pierpont Morgan is gifted with a great deal more of humor than is generally known. Not long ago, while in London, he was introduced to a lady who made some pretensions to peer-"Pardon me," said this lady, belong?" "Oh, we are an independent branch," replied Mr. Morgan, slyly, "but we date back to the Norman kings." "Ah, then you have a coat of arms?" Mr. Morgan dug down into his pocket and brought forth a shining American \$20 gold piece. "This," he said, "is our coat of arms; a few other families have adopted the same emblem. But." he continued confidentially, "we are gathering them in as fast as possible."

Not a Practical Politician. Senator Depew addressed Yale stu dents a few days ago, his subject being politics. His speech was pitched in a high key, and some of his auditors took note of this fact. "That was a beautiful speech, senator," said a reckless junior in the evening. "But we feel ourselves incapable of applying your theories to actual life. Won't you give us a footnote-something. senator, if you please, on practical politics?" But the Roman-featured statesman answered only: "Good Lord! That's not in my line. You should call on the highest living authority-Thomas C. Platt."

For Inexperienced Draughtsman. An apparatus which makes it possible to draw in perspective mechanically, without previous training, is the invention of a Swiss, who names with hair lines to show its center and a crayon pencil are hung with a universal joint so that they move together. The draughtsman holds the pencil in his hand and moves it over the paper in such a way as to make the intersection of the hair lines in the telescope follow the outline of the object to be copied.

Seeds Sprouted Inside Squash. A Guilford, Me., man split open a onash which was as fair and sound on the outside as when harvested. He nine of diamonds. Upon the back of was surprised to find that the seeds had sprouted, each sprout bearing a minature of Frances Howard, duchess well developed lest.

Great Frenchman's Youthful Hobby. Jules Verne, the great French novelist, had a peculiar hobby as a small boy. This was to construct nests at the top of high trees and spend whole days in them.

GORMAN AS SENATE PAGE.

her being given absolute control of

Lawrence C. Phipps is a nephew of

Henry Phipps of the billion-dollar

steel trust. The nephew was form-

erly treasurer of the Carnegie Steel

Company and his fortune is estimated

Genevieve Chandler, daughter of a

former governor. The couple were

Youthful Prank of Statesman Recent

ly Brought to Light. Workmen engaged in moving some hangings in the supreme court room mining combination naturally evokes in the capital at Washington recently the question. How much money is he discovered the name, "Arthur P. Gorman." cut in one of the marble columns. In 1852 the present supreme court room was the senate chamber, and Arthur P. Gorman had just been appointed a senate page. This work with his penknife indicates assurance on the part of this 13-year-old Marysenate page boy, and senate page boys as a class fear neither men, princes nor potentates, nor do they respect any power other than the sergeant at arms. But few of them deface the capitol with their penknives in quite such conspicuous fashion. Ar-127,500,000,00 11,250,000.00 1,172,500.00 4,926,000.00 thur P. Gorman at 13, however, evidently intended to miss no opportunities to leave an impression of his presence behind him. He is said to have been no paragon as a page boy, but a very ordinary, active, mischievous youngster.

HOW MAKAROFF MET DEATH.

Japanese Knew His Method of Sail-

ing, and Laid the Trap. A letter from Moscow to the Landon Telegraph says: "Admiral Makaroff, unaccustomed to maneuver a large squadron in so difficult a place as Port Arthur, frequently had such slight mishaps as collisions of ships, which, fortunately, entailed no serious consequences. Finally he drew up and stereotyped a plan of maneuvers, according to which ships had to form in line of battle outside the harbor, each one taking up a specified place, and from this arrangement he never departed. The Japanese, noticing this uniformity, anchored a contact mine in the position assigned to the Petropaylosk and in this way the disaster was brought about. A few minutes before the catastrophe an officer twice requested the admiral to seek for contact mines, but he was told to mind his own business. third time and Makaroff ordered him them. to go away immediately under threat of punishment.

RELIGION AND THE LAW.

One Effect of Enactment of the Massachusetts Legislature.

At the Columbia university commencement. luncheon Dean Van Amringe, who presided, referred playfully and under his breath, between courses, to the fact that the Massachusetts legislature had granted the right to the Young Men's Christian association to confer the degree of bachelor of laws. "Too bad that 'Ben' Butler did not live to know of it," he observed. "It would have been a pleasant reflection to him that the bay state always first in public virtue, should recognize the connection between religion and law." "Precisely so," rejoined his neighbor. "And now it is possible to place on a Boston tombstone the words, 'Here lies a lawver and a Christian,' without going to the trouble of putting two men into one grave."

Helen Gould's Fame Widespread. Miss Helen Gould seems to be world famous. While at the "city of Jerusalem," in the world's fair grounds at St. Louis, the other day, one of the it the perspectartigraph. A telescope | party with which she was asked the Nazarene guide, Saffouri, if he had ever heard of Helen Gould. "Oh, yes," he replied. "She is a great American woman, a philanthropist and a Christian." "Where did you hear of her, in Palestine or in America?" Saffouri was asked. "In Palestine, many, many times, and in America since I came over," he said.

> High Price for Playing Card. Twelve thousand dollars has just been paid for a single playing card, a It Holbein had painted an exquisite of Norfolk.

> > Windows in Vans.

In future all vans in London must have a window on each side of the driver so that he can see what is be-side him as well as what is in front of him.

TOO HARD TO DIGEST.

Italre and Died. For pecking a valuable diamond from an earring belonging to Mrs.
Frank Paul of 5541 Arch street, a pet canary bird paid the death penalty.
Mrs. Paul had placed the bird cage on a sitting room table and was encouringing the canary to warble for ome visitors when the little creature ate the unusual repast. The earof the cage and within reach of the canary. The bird examined the jewel for some time, and after arriving at the conclusion that it was a worm of some rare species, pecked at it and swallowed the atone in a gulp. The loss of the diamond in this manner caused a sensation in the Paul family, and every one planned out one scheme after another for recovery of the jewel. The bird was not in the least embarrased by the rich diet adopted, but while the hostess grieved it sang merry songs of joy in all the bird languages. Finally Mrs. Paul decided to send for a physician. She did not wish to lose her pet, and still less her diamond, so she intended to ask the doctor to perform a surgical operation on the bird. While Mr. Paul was on his way for the physician the canary died suddenly from acute indigestion.-Philadelphia In-

THE GOAL OF ALL.

Two God's Acres Surrounded by the Strife for Existence. These two God's Acres, says a New York writer, referring to St. Paul's

and Trinity churchyards in the lower part of the metropolis, are just now, in their beautiful spring-green dress, with age-brown trimmings, among the loyeliest spots in New York. Turn aside, stranger, and rest there a moment. Step out of the whirl of the Grand Canon of Broadway and cool yourself on an ancient tombstone. Some of those shades are 300 years old. In the midst of death they are in life, but their silent slumbers are not disturbed by all the noise and rattle of the busiest street in the world, nor by the crash-crash of the elevated railroad, the thumping of whose wheels causes the ground to shiver and the solemn vaults to echo. Fresh tulips are peeping up. The trees are leaping into leaf. What a place for reflection! Above, the deep dome of heaven. Below, the mortal remains of immortality. On all sides-north, east, south and west-the hot struggle for existence. The mad mob of human miserables, crowding each other even for breath, can look between the pickets of the iron fence and see the end of all. The goal is in plain view. Stop, my brother, and ask the question, "For what am I living?"

The Brave Little Man. All torn but sweet, is the old straw hat,

As it hangs on the rack in the hall.
There's mud from home on the two little
shoes
Where he played on the hills last fall;
There's dust on the kite, and the little
stick horse
Stands still as ever he can,
Listening, perhaps, in the corner there
For the voice of the brave little man.

There never a song of bird, nor bloom There's never a song of bird, nor bloom Of rese that blows in the spring. Nor shout of boy, nor gleam of sun But where some tears will cling. There's never a flash of the evening star On the hearthstone's fireside. Of winter night but will bring some tears For the brave little man that died.

Kind friends they were; we kiss them for And tay them out of sight—
The two little shoes, the torn old hat,
The litle stick horse and kite;
And down in his pocket a rusty nail,
A bit of chalk and string.
A broken knife, an alley or two.
Oh, the birds, the bloom and the spring!
And the star of God at morning's song.
Noostime and twilight tide. Noottme and twilight tide. One sweet little face, some tears will

For the brave little man that died.

-- Leslie's Magazine.

Modulate Your Voice.

One man has said: "Shut me up in a dark room with a mixed multitude and I can pick out the gentlefolk by their voices." No matter what your voice is, you can improve it by learning to modulate it. High-pitched, strident voices are sharply criticized, and haughtily, "to which Morgans do you The officer repeated the warning a it is quite within our power to change

In the compass of every voice there are three registers-the middle or throat, the lower or chest, and the upper of head. The use of the middle pitch for talking is very desirable, but the voice should be trained to slide up and down, varying with the emotions; low when the mood inclines toward seriousness, and higher when it becomes tinged with excitement. An interesting speaker constantly changes his pitch; not abruptly, but with ease and skill; and the greater range one has the more certain he is to get and retain the pleased attention of listeners.

Radium and Cancer.

Dr. Darier of Paris, describes a case of cancer of the face which, through application of radium, had been rendered painless. Similar results have how he manages it. been obtained by other noted experts. He has also found quick and painkilling effects of radium in certain diseases of the eye. The influence of radium upon the motor-nerve centers he considers of still greater im-pertance. In two cases of nervous spasms-which occurred three to four times a week-weak radium preparations were applied to the temples for two to three days, when the spasms ceased. In a case also of presumptive inability of motion, caused by nervous debility, radium effected a complete cure within three daysprobably, however, through suggestion. In actual facial paralysis of entirely new origin radium effected a cure in one day.

Increased Use of Electricity. An excellent illustration of how electricity is superseding steam in many quarters is found in a contract recently awarded by the Empire Shipbuilding company, of Buffalo. This company has decided to use electric power to pump out its floating dry docks in the Erie basin. The motors to be constructed will work the pumps much faster than the steam engines formerly in use, it being estimated that the docks can be cleared in two and one-half hours' less time. To acmotor will be located on each of the two docks, and the electricity will be supplied by a cable laid along the bottom of the basin.

It is taking the place of all others.

The Brown Book of Boston says there are but \$0,000 handsome men in the country. We did not think there were that many of us. complish this a thirty-five horse power

The Center of Population. Henry Marr, a farmer, who lives near Columbus, Bartholomew county,

Indiana, is the center man of the population of the whole United States. The ensus bureau has found that the exact center of population at the census of 1900 was in latitude 39 degrees 9 minutes and 36 seconds north, longi-tude 85 degrees 48 minutes and 54 seconds west. If a person is desirous of visiting the spot, a better idea of its location can be got by asking most any resident of Columbus. Almost invariably the answer to such a question will be: "Five miles southwest of Columbus in Hen Marr's barn lot." The center was recently marked by a mon-

Cause of Leprosy.

Leprosy has been investigated by Jonathan Hutchinson, the great English pathologist, in all parts of the globe where it prevails. He finds nothing to justify the idea of contagion, as attendents in lepor hospitals do not contract the disease, nothing like an epidemic is ever known, and even trans mission from husband to wife is rare. He attributes the disease to decayed or badly cured fish-not to any excessive use of fish in good condition.

Strong Language. Fredericksburg, Ind., June 20 .- Rev. Enoch P. Stevens of this place uses strong language in speaking of Dodd's Kidney Pills and he gives good reasons for what he says:

"I can't praise Dodd's Kidney Pills too much," says Mr. Stevens. "They have done me so much good. I was troubled with my kidneys so much that I had to get up two or three times in the night and sometimes in the day when starting to the waterhouse the water would come from me before getting there. Two boxes of Dodd's

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An Old-Time Democrat.

Daniel Hunt of Ridgway, Orleans county, N. Y., 91 years old and has voted a straight Democratic ticket for the last seventy years in the same precinct. He claims to have exercised the right of suffrage 122 times, missing but one election, and that on account of sickness, since attaining his ma-

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IMMENSE TOBACCO PURCHASE.

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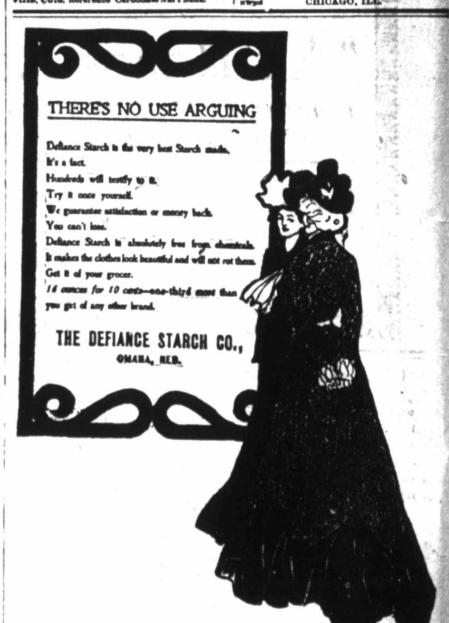
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