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THE NEW DISTRICT CLERK.

Judge Pope Appoints Wm. E. Martin to that Important Position.

Associate Justice William H. Pope has appointed William E. Martin as clerk and register in chancery for the courts of the Fifth judicial district of New Mexico. Mr. Martin's candidacy was earnestly supported by the governor, as well as by many prominent citizens throughout the territory.

William E. Martin was born at Fort Seldon, Dona Ana county, Feb. 16, 1867. He is the son of the late Captain John Martin, who was one of the pioneers of this territory in the '60's. In July 1889, the subject of this sketch was appointed deputy clerk of the Third district at Las Cruces under Judge J. R. McFie, then presiding judge of that district. In October '90 he was appointed clerk of the land office in that town. In '91 he was appointed official interpreter for the Fifth district by Judge Freeman. In '93 he was appointed interpreter of the legislative council. In '94 he was elected member of the house of representatives. In '96 he was elected member of the legislative council. In '98 he was elected mayor of Socorro. In '01 he accepted the position of chief clerk of the penitentiary. In '02 he was promoted to the office of assistant superintendent. He also served as chief clerk of the legislative assemblies in 1901 and '03.

In the various official positions which Mr. Martin has held since 1889, he has acquitted himself creditably. He is one of the best Spanish scholars in the territory, also a very fluent and forceful writer in both English and Spanish. As interpreter he has no superior. He resembles his father in being of sturdy character, loyal to his friends, true to his convictions and courageous, energetic and hardworking. He possesses every qualification to conduct the important office to which he has just been appointed.

His appointment will be received with great gratification by the older citizens of the Fifth district, and Lincoln county particularly, where he is well and favorably known, and recognized to be thoroughly fitted for the important office of clerk of the Fifth judicial district.

Leap Year Association.

An attache of the Carlsbad Argus lately found a dainty little minute book containing the records of the last meeting of the "Carlsbad Leap Year Association." It seems that the young ladies composing the club were of the mind that there should be concerted in favor of fewer old maids, and accordingly compared notes and drew up a list of subjects, with guiding notes for those who have not lived there long enough to know the parties.

A list of the bachelors is given in the Argus article, with the following key. As the names of some of the leading single men of Carlsbad are published, the article doubtless caused considerable amusement.

Appended is the key:—

1. Utterly hopeless.
2. Has apples; worth cultivating.
3. Poet; not likely to provide well.
4. Spoken for.
5. Easy; go after him.
6. Got the ring and anxious to use.
7. Will require much showing.
8. Hard to handle; be careful.
9. Has the price.
10. Worth saving.
11. Worth raising.
12. Has a good job; shy.
13. Good things; push them.
14. Will bear watching; fast.
15. Too gay.
16. Choice and easy.
17. Likes children and raffles.
18. Very anxious.
19. Reserved for Presbyterian girl.
20. Society bud; wary.
21. Gut und stark.
22. Not on the market.
23. Owns own farm.
24. Has furniture to start.
25. Too fond of freeze-out.
26. To be had for the asking.
27. Choice article and willing.
28. Got the dough; difficult to work.
29. Hard worker; fond of kids.
30. Waiting a chance.

From the list given, it is apparent that the young women of Carlsbad have their plan of campaign pretty well mapped out, and that they have studied carefully the plans and specifications of the game. The result will be watched with interest by the feminine population of New Mexico.

Jim is Dead.

"His shaggy coat, his ears, his collar,
Proved him the gentleman and scholar."

Jim is dead. Jim was Bill Brewer's pet retriever and badger drawer. His dead body was found at the rear of Pfaff's saloon yesterday morning stiff and stark. A postmortem revealed that death was caused by poison, but whether the deadly potion was procured in the saloon or the drug store, or whether taken with suicidal intent, there was no evidence to show. Charley Watson took charge of the remains, placed them in a rude coffin and interred them. Jim was everyone's friend. He came of good family and was highly respected. He will be missed not alone by his canine acquaintances, but by the children with whom he loved to frolic.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

In the District Court, County of Lincoln,
Territory of New Mexico.

No. 1430. Assumpsit.

The Hendrie and Bolthoff Manufacturing and Supply Company, Plaintiff.

Vs.

Eagle Mining and Improvement Company, a corporation, Defendant.

BY Virtue of an Execution issued out of the Fifth Judicial District Court of the Territory of New Mexico, within and for the County of Lincoln, in the above entitled cause, upon a judgment rendered therein on the 4th day of August, 1903, against the above-named defendant, for the sum of Five Hundred and Twenty dollars and forty-seven cents together with costs of suit, I have this day levied upon all the right, title, interest and claim of said defendant Eagle Mining and Improvement Company, a corporation, of, in and to the following described real estate to wit: That certain mining claim known as the "Hopeful Mine" situated in the Bonito mining district, Lincoln County, Territory of New Mexico, which said mine was patented by the United States to Reat C. Parsons on August 3rd 1892, and was duly recorded in the records of Lincoln County, in Book D at pages 521 to 524 inclusive, on the 15th day of October 1895. Said patent being designated in the records of the General Land Office, as number 652 A, and 652 B, said Hopeful Mine containing twelve acres and three-hundred-and-eighteen one-thousandths of an acre, to which record, reference is hereby made for a full description of said "Hopeful Mine" and said patent and the description of said mining claim contained therein, are made a part hereof.

All the title and interest of one Eugene S. Parsons in and to said Hopeful Mine, was conveyed by him and his wife to the said Eagle Mining and Improvement Company, on the 2nd day of June 1902, by a deed recorded June 11th 1902 in the records of Lincoln County, in Book U at pages 98, 97, to which record reference is also made for a full description of said mining property, and said deed and the description of said Hopeful Mine contained therein, are also made a part hereof.

Public notice is hereby given that I will on the 29th day of February 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the Court House in the town and county of Lincoln, sell at public auction for cash, all the right, title, interest and claim of said defendant Eagle Mining and Improvement Company, a corporation, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment together with interest and costs, to the highest and best bidder.

There will be due upon said judgment on the day of sale, the sum of \$546.62, together with the costs of sale.

R. D. ARMSTRONG,
Sheriff of Lincoln County, N. M.

Dated January 21st, 1904.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

In the District Court, County of Lincoln,
Territory of New Mexico.

No. 1431. Assumpsit.

The Hendrie and Bolthoff Manufacturing and Supply Company, Plaintiff.

Vs.

American Gold Mining Company, a corporation, Defendant.

BY Virtue of an execution issued out of the Fifth Judicial District Court of the Territory of New Mexico, within and for the County of Lincoln, in the above entitled cause, upon a judgment rendered therein on the 4th day of August, 1903, against the above-named defendant, for the sum of Seven Thousand Four Hundred and Twenty-one Dollars and Eighty-six cents, together with costs of suit, I have this day levied upon all the right, title, interest and claim of said defendant, American Gold Mining Company, a corporation, of, in and to the following described real estate, quartz mill and mining machinery, all situated in the Nogal Mining District, Lincoln county, Territory of New Mexico, to-wit: All that certain mine and premises known as the Rockford lode mining claim, being mineral survey number 637, embracing a portion of sections 13 and 24 in township 9 south of range 11 east, N. M. Meridian; also all that certain mine and premises known as the Clipper lode mine, being mineral survey number 638, embracing a portion of section 24 township 9 south range 11 east of N. M. Principal Meridian, also all that certain mine and premises known as the Cashier mine, being mineral survey number 639, and embracing portions of sections 13 and 24 in township 9 south of range 11 east of New Mexico Principal Meridian; the said Rockford mine, the said Clipper mine, and the said Cashier mine being fully described in a certain warranty deed, conveying said mines, dated October 25th, 1902 and made by Augustus Schinzing and his wife, Clara Schinzing, to the American Gold Mining Company, a corporation, which said warranty deed was recorded in the records of Lincoln County, in book U at pages 439, 440 and 441, on December 18, 1902, to which reference is made for full descriptions of said Rockford, Clipper and Cashier mines, premises and real estate, and said warranty deed and said descriptions are made a part hereof.

Also, mineral entry No. 7, being the area embraced in the mineral claim and premises known as the "American Mine," being a portion of section 14 in township 9 south of range 12 east of New Mexico Principal Meridian, designated in the records of the U. S. General Land Office as Lot 495, said lot extending 918 and 75-100ths linear feet in length along said American lode vein, said lode mine claim as entered and patented embraces six (6) acres and 19-100ths of an acre according to the official survey thereof; which said records of the U. S. General Land Office contain a full description by metes and bounds of said patented lot, number 495, embracing said American mine premises, and the same is referred to and made a part hereof for a full description of said premises.

And also, the steam pumps now in the main working shaft of said American mine, steam hoist and air compressor used in said shaft, also one 15-stamp quartz mill complete, including steam boilers and engine, used to operate the same, and known as the American Mine Stamp Mill; the same being situated about one hundred yards in an easterly direction from said main working shaft, and also the trestle work, track and cars used to convey the ore from said mine to said quartz mill.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I will, on the 29th day of FEBRUARY, 1904, between the hours of TEN O'CLOCK, A. M., and FOUR O'CLOCK, P. M., of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the town and county of Lincoln, New Mexico, sell at Public Auction, for cash, all the right, title, interest and claim of said defendant, American Gold Mining Company, a corporation, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, together with interest and costs, to the highest and best bidder.

There will be due upon said judgment on the day of sale the sum of \$7,695.61, together with the costs of sale.

Dated January 21st, 1904.
R. D. ARMSTRONG,
Sheriff of Lincoln County, N. M.
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HUMOR OF THE DAY

A Postscript.
A little St. Paul girl had a very large family connection to pray for, and one night when she arose from her knees her mother said:
"Why, Edith, you forgot grandma!" She got right down on her knees again and said:
"Oh, God, wouldn't that give you cold feet! I forgot grandma!"—C. M. B., in Lippincott's.

Very Similar.
Roderick—"What in thunderation are those Indians singing. I can't make any sense out of it."
Van Albert—"College songs, probably."

After the Proposal.



She—Do I make myself plain, Mr. Ergent?
He—Well, I might say you're not as attractive as you were.

The Horrible Example.
"How is it business has so much improved in the side show?" asked the man from the main tent.
"I started the 'living skeleton' to smoking cigarettes," replied the hustling manager.
"I don't see why that should draw people."
"Yes; every mother takes her boy in and points out the horrible example."—Philadelphia Record.

Too Bright.
"Dat wuz mighty poor comfort dey give Br'er Thomas on his sick bed," said Brother Dickey.
"What dey tell him?"
"Preacher tol' him dey wuz a bright prospect ahead of him."
"En what he say ter dat?"
"Tol' em dat what wuz a-worryin' er him—it wuz so bright it wuz blazin'."—Atlanta Constitution.

Pertinent.



Helen—And why do you love me, George?
George—Er—why—because you are not like other girls, for one reason.
Helen—Who were the other girls?

One Girl's Scheme.
Lucille—Myra is certainly a schemer.
Marguerite—Because why?
Lucille—Because her age is 29, and she makes the nine upside down so it will read 26.

Date of His Downfall.
Kind Lady (pityingly)—How long, my good man, have you been a tramp?
Tramp—Madam, ever since I bought United States Steel.—Life.

PE-RU-NA PROTECTS THE LITTLE ONES

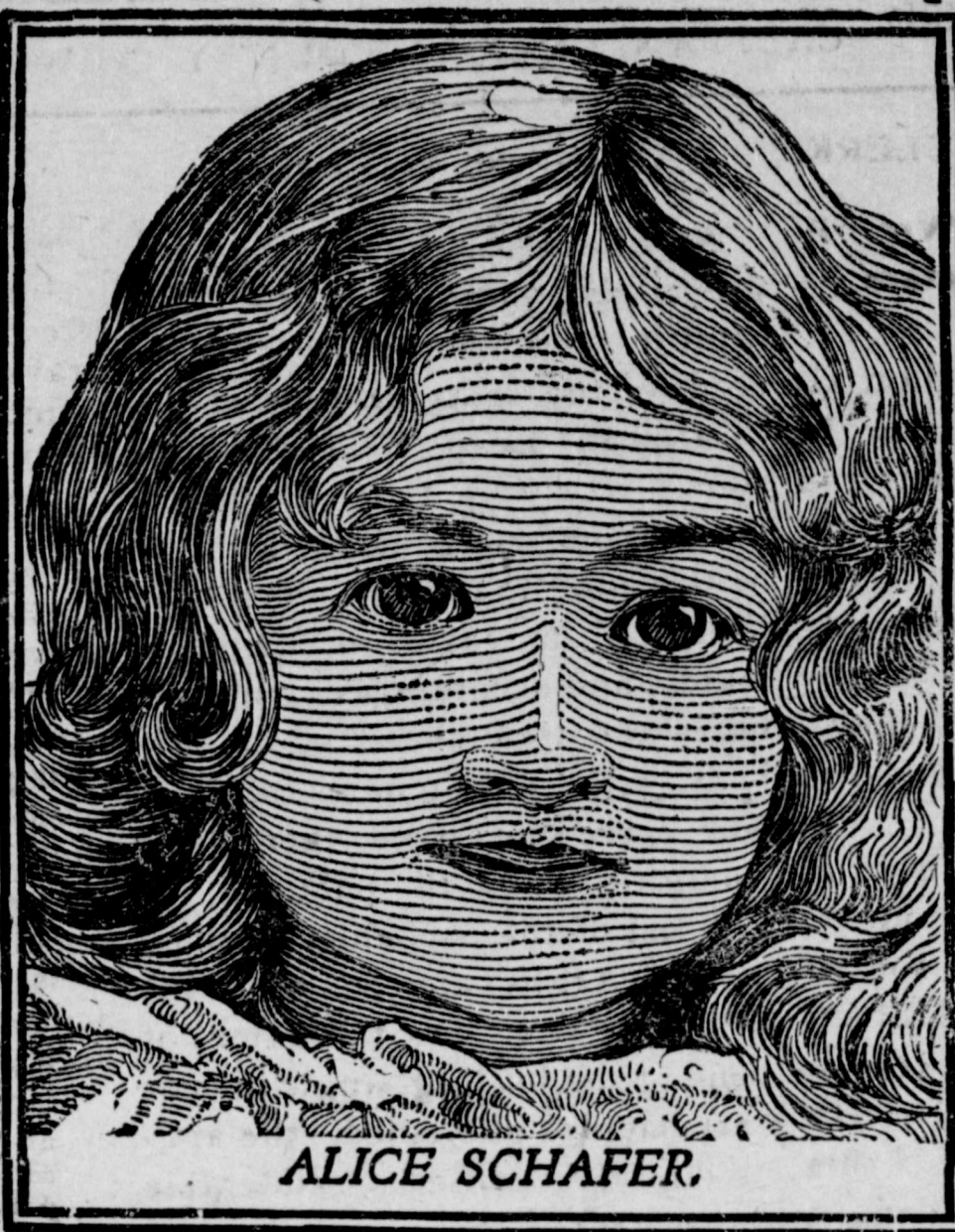
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ALICE SCHAFER.



ANNA R. BROWN

Mrs. J. M. Brown, Dunne-gan Springs, Mo., writes:
"My little daughter three years old was troubled with a very bad cough which remained after an attack of catarrhal fever. She has taken one bottle of Peruna through which she has obtained a complete cure. She is now as well and happy as a little girl can be. When our friends say how well she looks I tell them Peruna did it."
In a later letter she says: "Our little daughter continues to have good health."



Mrs. Schafer, 436 Bope Ave., St. Louis, Mo., writes:
"In the early part of last year I wrote to you for advice for my daughter Alice, four years of age. She has been a puny, sickly, ailing child since her birth. She had convulsions and catarrhal fevers. I was always doctoring until we commenced to use Peruna. She grew strong and well. Peruna is a wonderful tonic; the best medicine I have ever used."
"I was in a very wretched condition when I commenced to take Peruna. I had catarrh all through my whole body, but thank God, your medicine set me all right. I would not have any other medicine."
"Peruna cured my baby boy of a very bad spell of cold and fever. He is a big healthy boy fifteen months old. I have given him Peruna off and on since he was born. I think that is why he is so well. I cannot praise Peruna enough. We have not had a doctor since we began to use Peruna—all praise to it."—Mrs. Schafer.

Be Sure to Have Pe-ru-na on Hand During the Inclement Months of Fall and Winter.

Croup, capillary bronchitis, and articular rheumatism are the special banes of childhood. These all alike result from catching cold.
One child catches cold and scares its mother into hysterics by having croup in the dead of night.
Another child catches cold, develops a stubborn cough that will not yield to ordinary remedies. The parents are filled with forebodings.
Still another child catches cold and develops that most fatal malady of childhood, capillary bronchitis. The doctor is called, pronounces the case pneumonia, and if the child is lucky enough to live it has developed weak lungs from which it may never recover.

And yet another child catches cold and articular rheumatism is the result. Ankles, knees, wrists and elbows become suddenly swollen and painful. A long disastrous illness follows. The child may live and become convalescent, a miserable invalid of valvular disease of the heart. All these mishaps are the direct result of neglected cold. Peruna is the safeguard of the family. If a child catches cold, Peruna should be used immediately.
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If you do not receive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.
Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

Pe-ru-na Kept in the House for Five Years.

Mr. Albert Lietzman, 1596 Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, Ill., writes:
"I am only too glad to inform you that I am feeling splendid and have never felt better in my life. Through the advice of a friend I tried Peruna, and am glad to say it cured me to perfection. I began to tell a friend about Peruna the other day and I had no sooner commenced than he told me his folks have kept Peruna in the house for the last five years. I am sure I wouldn't be without it. Mother also uses it to keep herself in good health."

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In the Night

"My dear, marriage has its humorous side," writes a cheerful young matron who is visiting in New England. "Not only that, but it is also useful as a means of discipline."

"I think you never knew—in fact, for some years I took particular pains that nobody should know—about what happened the first time George and I came east together. It was practically our wedding trip, because we hadn't gone away anywhere just at first and I really hadn't had time yet to get accustomed to George's little ways. Oh, it was nothing; only on the first night we spent at the hotel in New York he dreamed that the horses were running away and that he'd got to save my life, and so what did the dear boy do but seize me bodily and throw me out of bed! You know how strong he is.

"Well, that's in the past. I can speak of it with perfect calm, but this thing I'm going to tell you now happened only six weeks ago. I wonder if it's funny? See what you think.

"You remember, we came up here to Portland from New York by water. We thought it was going to be such a nice little sea voyage, but it turned out cold as Greenland, and then, just as we got off Point Judith, there was a fog that made it dangerous to move in any direction; so there we lay for eleven hours waiting for it to clear. Waiting! That's a passive, restful word. What we did was to stay there and be churned.

"Talk about seas! Did you ever know a sea that came from all directions at once and bumped up in the middle at the same time? Words couldn't tell you! The boat was full of people who had crowded on for a short trip, without dreaming that they would be out long enough to need

staterooms, and they were simply strewn all over the cabin floor.

"Well, we just went straight to bed. Of course we had no notion of sleeping, but we thought discretion was the better part of valor. George managed to get into the upper berth and I tumbled into the lower. You see, I didn't dare take my hands off a little box of hand-painted teacups that I was carrying to Aunt Maria, and every time I was tossed back and forth in my berth I tried to keep that from striking anything, which made it a busy season.

"Oh, how sick I was! And cold—and such a headache—and frightened to death every minute for fear something would crash into us—and not a second of rest—just one everlasting motion from all ways at once! Well, in the midst of it all George went to sleep! How he could do it is beyond me. Maybe, being so heavy, he wasn't thrown around quite so much. Anyway, I heard him snore.

"The next minute the end of everything seemed to come. Our suit cases, that we had been foolish enough to leave unlatched on the bench at the side of the room, gave a mighty jump and the water pitcher rose up out of its rack and I was lifted up off the bed at the same instant. I remember first being pounded against the wall at the back of the berth, and then bouncing forward away over the edge, and down—down on the floor in the midst of hard things with sharp corners—brushes, combs, bottles, a broken pitcher, ice water and goodness knows what!

"And George! Please try to imagine my feelings, when, instead of leaping to my rescue on the instant, George poked his sleepy head over the edge of the berth and growled out: "Mary, what on earth are you getting up for?"

A Jamaican Wake

The peasants of Ireland are not the only people who "wake" a corpse. The practice is as common among the negroes of Jamaica, in the West Indies, but they are more generous than the Irish; they give the deceased two wakes instead of one.

The first wake is held on the first night after death, the second on the ninth night, when the ghost is supposed to hover around the house and require propitiation.

The wake starts with a procession of the mourners to the grave, where a white cock is sacrificed to make the perturbed spirit rest. Then they return to the house, light a number of candles and fortify themselves with immense quantities of rum and food.

One after another the mourners yell at the top of their voices to the ghost they imagine to be present, telling him how much they loved him and what an excellent man he was. Hymns are sung, and then the spirit is supposed to be placated and the mourners are free to have a good time.

A feast, or "eating match," follows, and most of the guests get drunk on strong "estate rum," which is practically proof spirit. Boisterous games are played, and favorite native songs, such as the following, are sung:

Naval Officer Buys Pew.

Commander F. A. Miller, U. S. N., has purchased pew No. 118 in the historic St. John's church, Washington, from a Philadelphian, paying him \$1,000 for it.

Pensions Increase.

The pension issue last year was the largest in ten years; the issue for the first quarter of the present year exceeds the same period last year by 25 per cent.



Mrs. Weisslitz, president of the German Womans' Club of Buffalo, N. Y., after doctoring for two years, was finally cured of her kidney trouble by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Of all the diseases known with which the female organism is afflicted, kidney disease is the most fatal. In fact, unless prompt and correct treatment is applied, the weary patient seldom survives.

Being fully aware of this, Mrs. Pinkham, early in her career, gave careful study to the subject, and in producing her great remedy for woman's ills—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—made sure that it contained the correct combination of herbs which was certain to control that dreaded disease, woman's kidney troubles. The Vegetable Compound acts in harmony with the laws that govern the entire female system, and while there are many so called remedies for kidney troubles, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the only one especially prepared for women.

Read What Mrs. Weisslitz Says.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—For two years my life was simply a burden, I suffered so with female troubles, and pains across my back and loins. The doctor told me that I had kidney troubles and prescribed for me. For three months I took his medicines, but grew steadily worse. My husband then advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and brought home a bottle. It is the greatest blessing ever brought to our home. Within three months I was a changed woman. My pain had disappeared, my complexion became clear, my eyes bright, and my entire system in good shape."—MRS. PAULA WEISLITZ, 176 Seneca St., Buffalo, N. Y.

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"I doctored with several good doctors, but they did not help me any. I took, in all, twelve bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, five boxes of Liver Pills, and used three packages of Sanative Wash, and feel like a new woman, can eat and sleep well, do all my own work, and can walk two miles without feeling over tired. The doctors tell me that my kidneys are all right now. I am so happy to be well, and I feel that I owe it all to your medicine."—MRS. OPAL STRONG, Dalton, Mass.

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In his last message to congress President Roosevelt said: "So far as they are available for agricultural, and to whatever extent they may be reclaimed under the national irrigation law, the remaining public lands should be held rigidly for bona fide home-builder, the settler who lives on his land, and no one else."

A meeting of the territorial democratic central committee will be held at Santa Fe, on Wednesday, February 17, for the purpose of fixing the time and place of holding the territorial democratic convention to elect six delegates to represent New Mexico in the national democratic convention to be held in St. Louis on the 6th of July, to nominate a candidate for president.

Tucumcari is bound to keep up its reputation for excitement. The latest reports from that section are to the effect that Tucumcari and vicinity is a second edition of the Klondike, and that gold nuggets ranging in size from peas to goose eggs are being picked up there. Wonder what next? It has been several months since a killing occurred there.

Associate Justice W. H. Pope of the Fifth judicial district, whose term of service as judge of this district has already been marked by many official acts, which have been endorsed by the public, has appointed W. E. Martin as clerk of his court. Mr. Martin is well and favorably known in this county, he having been official court interpreter under Judge Freeman from '91 to '93. He is a man of large attainments, well qualified to conduct the important office to which he has just been appointed, and his numerous friends in this county are well pleased, and joins with the NEWS in tendering him congratulations.

Chattel Mortgage Sale.

WHEREAS M. L. McReynolds, as party of the first part, did on the 7th day of September, 1903, for value received, make, execute and deliver to W. C. McDonald, party of the second part, his certain chattel mortgage of that date, with power of sale, whereby he conveyed to the said W. C. McDonald, the following described goods and chattels, to-wit:

One bay horse, branded — on left hip; One sorrel horse, branded 11 on left thigh; One brown horse, branded R on left jaw and 8 on left shoulder; One black horse, branded SLY on left shoulder; One sorrel horse, branded OV on left hip; One sorrel mare, branded OV on left hip; One brown horse, branded JB (connected) on left shoulder; One bay mare, branded double diamond on left hip; One gray horse; branded

on left shoulder; one bay mare, branded WB on left hip; one sorrel horse branded

on left hip; one sorrel horse branded

on left shoulder; one two seated hack, one open surrey, one double buggy, one single buggy, three sets double buggy harness, one set heavy harness, one single harness, two saddles, stable, corral and sheds on lots 31 and 32 block 19, Carrizozo, New Mexico, and all tools, fixtures and furniture, &c., in and about the houses and sheds on lots 31 and 32 block 19, Carrizozo, New Mex., which said chattel mortgage was filed for record in the office of the Probate Clerk and ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln county, New Mexico, on the 9th day of September, A. D., 1903, and duly recorded in Book F of Chattel Mortgages, page 117, which said Chattel Mortgage was given to secure the payment of \$492.31 with interest there on from September 7th, 1903, at the rate of 12 per cent per annum until paid, with 10 per cent on amount unpaid, as attorney's fees.

And whereas, default has been made in the payment of said indebtedness and there is now due as principal and interest thereon the sum of \$412.58.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the power of sale in said chattel mortgage contained and by virtue of the default in the payment of the said indebtedness, I, W. C. McDonald, mortgagee aforesaid, hereby give notice that I will, on Saturday, the 20th day of February, 1904, at 2 o'clock p.m. at the Livery Stable in Carrizozo, Lincoln county, New Mex., offer for sale at public auction and sell to the highest bidder for cash, the property herein before described, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the indebtedness and the costs of said sale.

Dated January 20, 1904.
W. C. McDONALD, Mortgagee.
First pub jan 22

Notice of Suit.

No. 1486,
In the District Court of Lincoln County, within and for the Fifth Judicial District of the Territory of New Mexico:

JACKSON-GALBRAITH COMPANY }
vs.
G. M. RAINS. }

The defendant, G. M. Rains is hereby notified that on the 19th day of January, 1904, a suit by attachment was commenced against you in the District Court for the County of Lincoln, Territory of New Mexico, by Jackson-Galbraith Company, for the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-eight Dollars and Three Cents, balance due upon a verified account for lumber sold and delivered to you, at your special interest and request, by said plaintiffs, and for a more complete statement of plaintiff's demands, reference is made to their complaint now on file in said court; and also that an attachment was issued in said cause, and on the 21st day of January, 1894, all of your right, title and interest in and to Lot Nine in Block Sixty-four, in the town of Capitan, Lincoln county, N. M., as the same appears on the map and plat of said town, was levied on by virtue of said attachment, and unless you enter your appearance in said suit on or before the 14th day of March, 1904, being the first day of the second week of the regular March term of said court, judgment by default therein will be rendered against you, and your property sold under said attachment lien to satisfy said judgment.

This the 22nd day of January, 1904.
J. P. DODSON, Agent for Jackson-Galbraith Company, Plaintiffs.
Joseph Hall, Capitan, N. M., att'y for plaintiffs.

Notice of Forfeiture.

To George Carl, Alamogordo, N. M.
You are hereby notified that I have expended One Hundred Dollars in labor and improvements upon the Yellow Jacket lode claim No. 1; also on Yellow Jacket No. 2; also on Yellow Jacket No. 3; also on Crown Point, and also on Olger, all lode claims situated in White Oaks Mining District, Lincoln county, New Mexico, as will appear by certificate filed in the office of the Recorder of said county, in order to hold said premises under the provisions of sections 2324, Revised statutes of the United States, being the amount required to hold the same for the year ending December 31, 1903.

And if within ninety days from the date of this notice you fail or refuse to contribute your proportion of such expenditure as co-owner, your interest in said claims will become the property of the subscriber under said section 2324.

HENRY BITSCH.
White Oaks, N. M., Jan. 22, 1904.

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Form for Publication.

Forest Lien Selection No. 5016.

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

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

Southeast quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section Eight, in Township Eleven South, of Range Thirteen East, N. M. P. M., New Mexico,

and who now substitutes in lieu thereof the following described tract, viz.:

Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section Eleven, in Township Nine South, of Range Fourteen East, N. M. P. M., New Mexico.

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

HOWARD L. LAND, Register.
First pub jan 8, '04.

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Opposite Depot Carrizozo.

If you want a new dress, a new suit of clothes or an overcoat, or in fact anything in the way of wearing apparel, go to the Southwestern Mercantile Company, at Coalora, N. M.

Local and Personal.

John Grayson made a flying trip to the county seat this week.

Robert Bourne of the Nogal mesa was doing business in Capitan this week.

Newt Kemp, and old subscriber, was in town this week and renewed his subscription.

E. W. Peeples of Little Creek, has secured the contract of hauling coal to Fort Stanton.

Miss Beulah Grey returned on Monday from an enjoyable visit with relatives in El Paso.

T. L. Foster, of Roswell, deputy mail contractor, spent several days this week in Capitan.

Mrs. Silas May and baby have been seriously ill the past several weeks, but are rapidly convalescing.

There were several important cases before Justice of the Peace B. L. Blanchard of Lincoln this week.

A new postoffice has just been established at Meek, with T. B. Meek, postmaster. Meek is a growing settlement about thirty-five miles from here.

Quite a large number of people in this vicinity are suffering from colds, not a few of which complain of throat trouble caused, no doubt, by inhaling fine particles of dust.

The "gentle zephyrs" peculiar to Capitan were much in evidence this week. On Monday morning a storm came up from the southwest which lasted all day. The wind developed into a hurricane, and was followed by an extremely cold wave.

Jim Henley of Nogal was re-arrested this week for the murder of Frank May, and taken before Justice of the Peace Blanchard at Lincoln for preliminary hearing. The defense took a change of venue to White Oaks, where the case will be tried before Justice H. B. Tompkins.

The K. P.'s held one of their most pleasant meetings Saturday night. Several candidates in waiting were duly initiated into the mysteries of the order. Arrangements were made to give a grand ball in the school building on February 17, invitations to which will be sent out in due time.

Ilisilio Torres and Carpio Lobato, Mexicans from Coalora, were arrested for carrying and discharging firearms. Both defendants denied either discharging or having a gun in their possession on the occasion stated in the complaint. They gave bonds to

appear before the grand jury. Lobato is the man who killed another Mexican in the upper town last summer.

Antonio Besant, a coal miner, who had his back broken by a body of coal falling on him while at work in the mines at Coalora last summer, died in the hospital on Monday evening. The deceased had been bound in a plaster cast since the accident, and bore his misfortune with courage considering there was only one chance in ninety of even his partial recovery. Interment took place Tuesday, and was under the auspices of the I.O.O.F., of which he was a member.

Captain George Curry returned last week from Washington. He left Sunday afternoon for San Francisco, from whence he will embark, on February 2, for Manilla. He will travel from there by river steamer to the island of Mindanao, of which he has been appointed governor. Before leaving Capitan he called at this office and ordered the News sent to him, as he wishes to keep posted on the movements of his friends in Lincoln county, and learn something in general of doings in the territory.

February 14 will be Valentine's Day, after which, for seven weeks, a truce is popularly supposed to exist between the masculine and feminine genders. Therefore, this being a leap-year, the single ladies are expected to get a move on, and pop, propose, catch, trap, rope, corral and brand any masculine maverick they may happen to run on to. But the game laws are very strict, and does not allow even a lady to brand or have in her possession more than one "critter," at the same time, leap-year or no leap-year.

Monday and Tuesday nights were the coldest of the season. There has been no snow so far this season in this neighborhood, although Sierra Blanca ("Old Whitey,") has donned her winter mantle of the immaculate, and is not likely to discard it before the early summer. Considering the lack of moisture, live stock in this county is in fairly good shape, but if we do not get snow or rain soon stock will rapidly decline from now on, and the spring will find them in poor condition. Old timers, however, who are familiar with the weather conditions in this section, predict snow in abundance before many days.

If there are any bright and handsome young ladies in the east who are anxious to take advantage of leap-year, there are a large number of bachelors in Arizona who are timidly standing

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We have just received a large shipment of
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Hay, Grain and Flour in Carload Lots
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Paints and Oils. Harness, Saddles, Wagons and Farm Implements
Also, Fine Whiskies and Cigars.

Highest Prices Paid for Produce.

around waiting for lightening to strike them. This is no advertisement. It is on the dead level. —Phoenix Enterprise.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

CARRIZOZO.	
Leaves Carrizozo	7.00 a.m.
Arrives at Capitan	12.00 p.m.
Leaves Capitan	1.30 p.m.
Arrives Carrizozo	6.30 p.m.
LINCOLN.	
Leaves Capitan	12.30 a.m.
Arrives at Lincoln	4.00 a.m.
Leaves Lincoln	4.30 a.m.
Arrives at Capitan	8.00 p.m.
RUIDOSO.	
Leaves Capitan	12.30 p.m.
Arrives at Ruidoso	6.00 p.m.
Leaves Ruidoso	6.00 a.m.
Arrives at Capitan	12.00 a.m.

Chase & Sanborn's coffees are the best. For sale by Welch & Titsworth.

Notice.

In Probate Court, Lincoln county, New Mexico,
Special Term, January 23rd, 1904.
Francisco Gomez, Judge.

In the Matter of
The Estate of Jasper N. Coe, deceased.

To All Whom it May Concern:
TAKE NOTICE—That I, Edw. J. Coe, was duly appointed administrator of the above estate on the 23rd day of January, 1904. All persons are notified who have claims against the said Estate of the decedent to present the same to said Administrator within the time prescribed by law, January 22nd, 1905, or the same will not be considered.

Edw. J. Coe,
Administrator.

January 23rd, A. D. 1904.
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250 Tons first class Baled Alfalfa.
Can deliver to any point in Lincoln County in lots of One Ton or over.
Write or call for quotations.
J. J. JAFFA, Lincoln, N. M.

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

THE CAPITAN NEWS

CAPITAN, - - - NEW MEXICO.

King Peter of Serbia is beginning to hope that some of his subjects really mean it when they say, "Long live the king."

The news of the death of the composer of "Silver Threads Among the Gold" is a reminder that he outlived his song.

Were there no automobile chauffeurs in the neighborhood, that Princess Alice was obliged to elope with a coachman?

A treasury expert declares that a paper dollar lasts five years. Funny we never seem able to get hold of any of that kind.

Mr. Carnegie talks about watered stock with all the calm of a man who never ventured into finance without his overshoes.

When a man gets brain fag he sends marked copies of the paper containing items about it to the society leaders in Newport.

Austria and Russia are going to send another ultimatum to Turkey. They do this every little while just to keep in practice.

It is supposed, of course, that the New York man who paid \$5,000 for an ear had no friends, Romans or countrymen to lend him theirs.

The butler of a Chicago editor stole about \$200 worth of furs from his employer. We editors are growing more careless about our butlers every day.

Parisians have been rudely shocked by the fatal termination of a duel with swords. Unquestionably the coroner's jury will return a verdict of accidental death.

"Brilliant and impulsive people," said a lecturer on physiognomy, "have black eyes, or if they don't have them they are apt to get them if they're too impulsive."

The Vanderbilts and a few western families are forming a new smart set in New York. Western families who wish to get in will have to apply early, though.

New York society women who have taken to using rouge may have reflected that in their cases the adage, "beauty unadorned adorned the most," does not apply.

The latest is the cat language. When the cat has eaten the canary, however, it conveys the information by merely exhibiting a contented expression of countenance.

With inspiration born of a love of the beautiful, the Hartford Post says: "On these frosty mornings a red necktie and a rosy-cheeked girl make an attractive combination."

The Westminster Gazette refers to "an after-breakfast speech" by Mr. Morley. Has it become customary for the hitherto deliberate Briton to go out speech-making before buttoning his collar?

As a young man has been arrested for stealing a kiss, the case furnishes timely warning to young men to put such valuable articles back right where they found them before the police arrive.

A lawyer has just been killed in a duel in Paris. We have been afraid for a long time that if French gentlemen persisted in keeping up this dangerous amusement somebody would eventually get hurt.



"I'm the gent wat wus the 'miner from the North Pacific Coast'—Yas—that's me! An' it's true I had the million, putty near, that is—almost—

An' they said the 'game was easy'—so I confidently came, An' o' course I didn't understand that I would be the 'game'!

"They ketched me long o' Copper, an' they ketched me long o' Steel; Some sez the fault is Morgan's—some talks a lot o' Weil— They teched me up fer margins, an' they swiped me hard-earned-cash— An' I drifted from th' Waldorf t' the place the gals yells 'Hash!'

"I wus long o' Steel at 40; 'averaged' it at 35; Put some margins up at 30; buyed again at 25; At 15 they teched me gently—I wus nearly busted then— But they still kep' talkin' 'margins'—so they sol' me out at 10!

"I hev borrowed \$20—an' I'm goin' back out West, Where a feller buys his counters and then fares jest like the best: I'm goin' t' found a Stock Exchange, er p'r'aps a gamblin' dive, Er some other decent callin', with a chanst t' keep alive!"

—C. M. Keyes, in New York Times.

Poetry of Motion

For rhythmic and unerring surety of motion, commend me to three sturdy fellows boring a hole in a piece of rock. Maybe you have never watched ledgemen drilling rock, so that you cannot exactly realize the physical skill necessary to do this thing, the long practice of hand and eye required for it.

One man sits upon the rock which is being drilled and holds with his hands, between his knees, the drill which is to pierce the rock. Two companions stand above him and relentlessly raise and let fall their heavy hammers upon the drill's head at a hair's breadth from his fingers.

A deviation of a fraction of an inch would mean a broken wrist or a maimed hand to this man. He does not seem to think of it, or of the ponderous hammers crashing through the air over his very head. Before each stroke of the hammer descends he has to turn the drill in the hole, so that the stroke will not bear twice in the same place, for the hole must

be bored round in order to insert the dynamite stick. The perfect accord, the perfect rhythm of the motions of the three, has a fascination.

Were they machines, these men could not keep stricter time in this unending turning of the drill under the ceaseless falling blows. It is music, rude and primeval if you will, but music to an ear alive to musical tempo and rhythm. Who knows but it was this harmony of successive falling blows, of measured, repeated blows upon resounding stone, which first awoke primeval man to the musical value of sounds reiterated at stated and fixed intervals? I thought these things as I listened to the flawless tempo and rhythm achieved by my three ledgemen, tempo and rhythm seldom maintained by modern "executants," too recklessly fond of the tempo rubato. I thought these things, and there was no prehistoric gentleman around to rudely contradict my surmisings on the awakening of music in the primeval soul.—Lowell Citizen.

No Honor in Thieves

A maxim which for years has been received with respect which it does not deserve is the maxim which says that there is honor among thieves.

It is the opinion of Chicago detectives, both of the men who work for the city and the men who are attached to private detective agencies, that there is no honor among thieves that immunity from punishment will not buy. The detectives find that the rule that a criminal, whatever his faults, is always true to his friends is more honored in the breach than in the observance.

The police records show that the great majority of criminals that are arrested, not "on the spot," as the police say, but after the crime has been committed are betrayed to the police by other criminals. The informing gentry are called "stool pigeons" or "pipes." The "stool pigeon" is not in use so much as he used to be. There was a time when almost every detective of consequence had upon his private pay roll criminals who did little to earn their money except to betray their fellows. The "pipe" has no connection with the criminal hunters except in isolated cases. Then he would as soon carry his information from one detective to another. He

works by the job. The stool pigeons worked by the year.

The large number of cases in which criminals turn state's evidence and sacrifice their friends to their own safety leads the attorneys in the state's attorney's office to believe that honor among thieves is a custom which, if it ever really existed, is dead and gone. In Chicago there are many criminals who, while they are not doing felonious work themselves, are helping the police catch their fellows. These are the things that make the police and the prosecuting lawyers think that the honor among thieves maxim should be laid on the shelf.

U. of W. Anniversary.

The University of Wisconsin will celebrate next June the fiftieth anniversary of its commencement, during which time the newly-elected president, Charles R. Van Hise, will be inaugurated.

Drought Forces Purchase.

Australia has, as the result of last year's drought, bought since January 7,000,000 bushels of wheat, or its equivalent in flour, from the Pacific coast, and 1,000,000 bushels from New York.

BABIES GETTING SCARCE.

Episcopal Bishop of Indiana Sounds a Note of Alarm.

Episcopal Bishop Francis of the diocese of Indiana declares that the shortage of babies in the church is alarming, and that the homes of wealthier members of the church in Indiana have an average of only about one child to the family.

"Women in the finer homes of the country do not want babies nowadays," said the bishop to-night. "We have a constantly increasing number of adult baptisms, but the baptism of infants is decreasing. This is not because they do not have their babies baptized, but because there are fewer babies. The 'Living Church Annual,' the Episcopal almanac for the year, just published, shows how alarming is this shortage of babies in the church. The number of baptisms of infants has decreased 50 per cent in fourteen years. This is in the face of an increase of communicants.

"Not only is there a shortage of babies in our church, but all over the land, in the wealthiest homes. It appears like a repetition of the career of France."

A Western Woolgrower.

Newcastle, Wyo., Dec. 21.—There is a man in this place who claims that no one need suffer with backache, as he has proven in his own case that it can be completely and permanently cured.

His name is S. C. Holst, and he is a stock raiser and woolgrower.

"I was shearing sheep at the time the first pain came on," says Mr. Holst. "I was so bad for two years afterwards that I could hardly sit down, and when once down it was almost impossible for me to get up again.

"I tried all the medicine I could hear of and several doctors without help, not even for a moment. I used Dodd's Kidney Pills and they made a new man out of me. I felt as if there was new blood in my veins. I am as stout in the back as a mule and can lift and work as hard as I please without an ache or pain in any part of my body.

"It is now over a year since they cured me and I can say there is not a healthier man in Wyoming than I am, and before using Dodd's Kidney Pills there was not a more complete physical wreck in the whole country than I was."

Mac—They say Penny is very mean. Jack—Yes, he never offers to treat people until he hears they have taken the pledge.

Good Track, Good Trains, Good Time.

In each of these the New York Central is not surpassed, as thousands will attest. Travelers between the West and the East will find it to their advantage to use the New York Central which, in point of time, equipment, roadbed, dining car service and scenic attractions is first among the railroads of the world.

Send a 2-cent stamp to George H. Daniels, General Passenger Agent, Grand Central Station, New York for a copy of the Illustrated Catalogue of the New York Central's "Four-Track Series."

Rodrick—The paper says there are microbes clinging to the straps in the street cars. Val Albert—H'm! I never knew microbes were so much like human beings.

Pise's Cure is the best medicine we ever used for all affections of the throat and lungs.—Wm. O. ENDSLEY, Vanburen, Ind., Feb. 10, 1900.

There is one class of man who should appeal strongly to teetotalers. The pawnbroker is always ready to take the pledge.

Try me just once and I am sure to come again. Defiance Starch.

"Have you ever made bread before, Marie?" "Oh, yes; I made it for my father, until his doctor made me stop."

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

It is the person with a fiery temper who is most easily put out.

W. N. U.—DENVER.—NO. 52.—1903.

When Answering Advertisements Kindly Mention This Paper.

Model Time-Table Folders.

Model time-table folders, which are superior to any time-table folders ever printed, have been issued by the New York Central's passenger department. They are Numbers "29" and "30" of the famous "Four-Track Series" and both are literary gems and compendiums of railway travel. General Passenger Agent George H. Daniels has incorporated various suggestions made by bright people, and he has tried to include in these folders all that could reasonably be put into such books.

They are worth a prominent position in every library, and on every business man's desk.—From the Buffalo Commercial.

Nature often lets a genius in on the ground floor, but necessity compels him to dwell in the attic.

FITS Permanently Cured. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. Send for FREE \$4.00 trial bottle and treatise. Dr. R. H. KLINE, Ltd., 951 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

The ostrich may be stupid, but who doesn't envy him his stomach when Thanksgiving and Christmas come around?

Defiance Starch is put up 16 ounces in a package, 10 cents. One-third more starch for the same money.

"How is your daughter getting on with her music?" "Very well," answered Mr. Cumrox. "She has gotten along so far that when I ask her to play anything I like she looks haughty and says, 'The idea!'"

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

"Well, my little man, what are you going to give your little brother for Christmas?" "I dunno. I gave him the measles last year."

You never hear any one complain about "Defiance Starch." There is none to equal it in quality and quantity, 16 ounces, 10 cents. Try it now and save your money.

He—Madeleine, darling, could you, O, could you marry a poor, penniless lawyer? She—Oh, yes, I could, but I'm not going to.

Don't Rent a Farm—Buy!

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

Union Pacific Holiday Rates.

Between all stations in Colorado, the Union Pacific will sell tickets Dec. 24, 25, 31, and Jan. 1, at rate of one fare for round trip. No tickets sold for less than 50 cents, however. Tickets good for return up to and including Jan. 4, 1904. See local Union Pacific agent for full particulars.

He—Madeleine, darling, could you marry a poor, penniless lawyer? She—Oh, yes, I could, but I'm not going to.

The secret of the popularity of Baxter's "Bullhead" 5-cent cigar is revealed in one word—"Quality."

A poet writes that he is willing to pay something extra if his verses are inserted next to advertising matter.

Rheumatism's Killing Pain.

Left in quick order after taking 10 doses of Dr. Skirvin's Rheumatic Cure, in tablet form. 25 doses 25c. postpaid. DR. SKIRVIN CO., LA CROSSE, WIS. (W. N. U.)

"Why don't you go to work?" "Mister," answered Meandering Mike. "de work I've done thinkin' up answers to dat question is somethin' terrible."

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

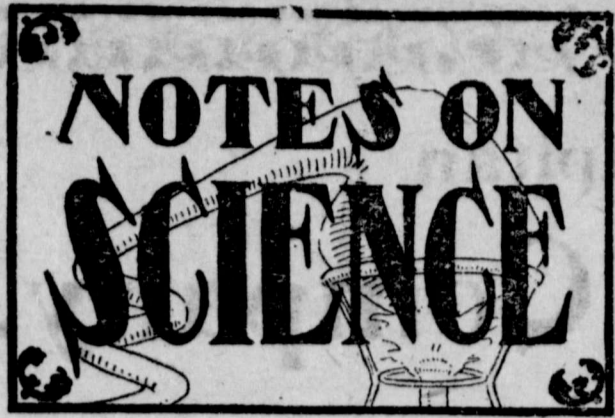
Defiance Starch is guaranteed biggest and best or money refunded. 16 ounces, 10 cents. Try it now.

If the wolf had any sense he would hang around the rich man's door.

Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Price 25c.

"Time and tide wait for no man," quoted the first dear girl. "Yes," sighed dear girl the second. "and that's where they get the bulge on us."

A smile of satisfaction goes with one of Baxter's "Bullhead" 5-cent cigars.



Novel Folding Boat.

One of the necessities of a vacation spent on an inland lake or stream is a good boat, which is light enough to be transported about without hiring a dray every time the camping place is changed, and yet strong enough not to collapse when in actual use. The canvas covered boat is, of course, the one to be preferred for light work, but the majority of people seem to feel that, owing to their extreme lightness and skeleton framework, they are hardly to be relied upon. It would add not a little to the feeling of safety were the strengthening devices shown in the illustration made use of in the construction of boats of this class. The arrangement consists of a pair of central members, to each end of which are hinged curved arms. The pointed ends of the latter are fitted with sleeve openings, in which are in-



Device to Prevent a Collapse.

serted the spring ribs attached to the stem and stern of the boat. The picture shows the operation of inserting these ribs in the sleeves and springing one of the braces down into the bottom of the boat. When once in place they not only stiffen the craft from stem to stern, but also offer considerable pressure on the ribs which bear the cross-strain when the boat is in the water. To fold the boat it is necessary to exert considerable pressure on the central sections, which must be elevated and the motion reversed to withdraw the end ribs from their places in the sleeves.

The inventor is Ira G. Perring of Kalamazoo, Mich.

Wind Driven Generators.

For more than two years two small factories, one near Leipsic, the other near Hamburg, have been satisfactorily driven by windmills, which are also used as a means for generating electricity for lighting purposes. Elektrotechnischer Anzeiger states that the windmills have a diameter of five meters and five and one-half meters, respectively, and are mounted on the roof of the works. To insure reliability, the wind wheel itself has no moving parts, the speed regulation being obtained by turning the windmill so as to vary the angle under which the wind impinges upon the sails, which are built of steel sheets. This is performed by a small auxiliary wind motor, and is said to be done so quickly and accurately that the voltage of the dynamo remains practically constant throughout the range of ordinary wind pressures. An automatic switch cuts out the battery connected in parallel with the dynamo as soon as the wind falls below a certain point. In one of the cases mentioned the battery may be divided into two parallel groups when it is necessary to utilize unusually low winds.

Electricity in Egypt.

Nearly every city in the interior of Egypt is now lighted by electricity. The telephone systems of the larger cities are being extended, and electrically propelled boats are soon to ply the Nile. The system of electric railway lines is also being greatly extended, until now a visit to the land of the Pharaohs no longer necessitates journeys on camels across stretches of barren waste dangerous for man and beast.

A Land of Pure Delight.

When one considers the usual trials through which a new nation is born—the seven years' struggle of the American colonists for independence, the ten or twelve years' wars of the Spanish-American republics, the eighty years' agony of Holland, the centuries of fighting in Switzerland—one must congratulate the republic of Panama upon the downy softness of its cradle. "We have all the credit we could ask—it is in fact unlimited," says Don Frederico Boyd, of the Panama commission. "We will not need a navy nor in fact an army. The army will be disbanded."

Happy Panama, with no burden of militarism or debt, with a government of three men that did not need to be made but "just grew," with unlimited credit, and with protection against evil-disposed persons from a benevolent uncle who not only settles all the military and naval bills, but chucks in a present of \$10,000,000 out of pure kindness of heart!

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by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Lady—Begging must be hard. Tramp—It is, lady. This is the sixth time I have had to eat soup to-day.

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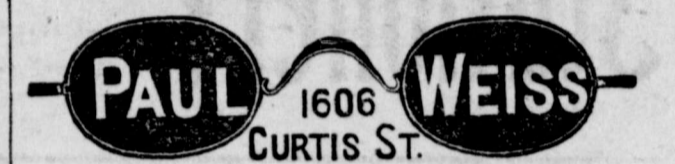
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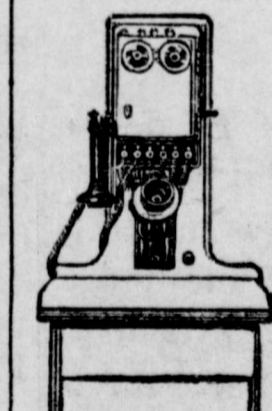
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Mr. Franklin was here for a few days last week looking over the camp and preparing to build a concentrator for his company.

Mr. Hatfield is preparing to sink 100 feet deeper on one of his claims which will give him the the depth of 200 feet.

The camp is quiet on account of the extreme cold, and there is not much expected to be done before spring when it is hoped we will have a boom.

Mrs. Talbot, the wife of our merchant, has been very sick for the past week but is now on the

road to recovery.

The weather has been so warm and dry there has been quite a lot of sickness here, something like the gripe.

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

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the U. S. Commissioner at Lincoln, New Mexico, on February 20, 1904, viz: Robert A. Orr, upon Homestead application No. 4274, for the n¹/₂ se¹/₄, sw¹/₄ ne¹/₄ and se¹/₄ nw¹/₄ Sec. 13, Tp. 7, S., R. 14 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: W. A. Yates, and H. A. Scott, of Richardson, N. M.; Kirk E. Jacobs, of Capitan, N. M.; and E. E. Wright, of Richardson, N. M.

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STATEMENT OF THE Condition of the Exchange Bank, White Oaks, New Mexico.

At the close of business, December 1st, 1903.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$63,412.95
Overdrafts	163.62
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures	1,578.04
Cash and Sight Exchange	46,862.28
	\$112,017.89
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock	\$30,000.00
Undivided Profits	5,838.15
Deposits	74,153.36
Due Other Banks	2,026.38
	\$112,017.89

I, Frank J. Sager, Cashier of the above-named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANK J. SAGER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of January, A.D., 1904.

EUGENE L. STEWART,
Notary Public.

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