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SENATE'S RATE BILL.

The Measure Differs Radically From the House Bill, and Will Go to Conference.

AN IMPRISONMENT PENALTY

The principal provisions of the railroad rate bill, as finally passed by the senate, are:

It authorizes the Interstate Commerce Commission, when complaint is made, to fix the just and reasonable maximum rate.

It requires five days' notice, a hearing and the concurrence of two out of three United States Circuit Judges before a temporary injunction suspending a rate shall issue.

It expedites rate cases by granting appeal from the Circuit Court direct to the Supreme Court.

It gives the Circuit Court full jurisdiction to review orders of the commission.

It classifies oil pipe lines, express car and sleeping car companies, and private car lines as common carriers and subjects them to the provisions of the act.

It prohibits the issuance of passes except to railroad employees and their families.

It prohibits railroads from engaging in mining coal on their lines.

It restores the imprisonment penalties for rebating, which were repealed by the Elkins act in 1893.

It requires full publicity of all railway books and accounts.

Ejectment Proceedings.

Henry Stutz, Mariano Aldaz, Juan Torres and Petra Torres de Baldinado go to Alamogordo next week to answer the complaint of the United States in ejectment proceedings.

The government has brought these proceedings in order to eject these parties from what is now a part of the Fort Stanton Marine Hospital Reservation. A few years since the reservation was extended, and the addition took in the homes of these parties, some of whom it is said, have continuously resided thereon for the past twenty years. The land is unsurveyed; hence the non-homesteading by the occupants.

Last Week of Court.

Today winds up the three week's term of Lincoln County District Court, and a busy one it has been.

The court has been in actual session seventeen working days, a part of which time was necessarily taken up in the organization of the two venires, but as soon as these were organized the machinery of the court was put in motion, and from the standpoint of the prosecution it has been a very successful term.

As reported last week, the grand jury returned 38 indictments. Six pleas of guilty have been entered, on charges ranging from carrying deadly weapons to murder, and six convictions had by jury.

The cases tried since last report are as follows:

- Refugio Munoz, larceny:
jury trial, verdict guilty;
sentence, 3 years, \$500 fine.
- Jose Sanchez, larceny:
jury trial, verdict not guilty.
- Leandro Hornelas, firing deadly weapon;
plea guilty;
sentence, one year.
- James Henley, assault with a deadly weapon;
jury trial, verdict guilty;
sentence, one year.
- Florencio Mireles, larceny;
jury trial;
disagreed, jury discharged.
- Saviniano Corona, larceny;
jury trial, verdict guilty,
sentence, one year.
- Celestino Vigil, deadly weapon;
jury trial, verdict guilty.
sentence, one year.

Angus Items.

There will be a grand celebration of the Fourth of July at Angus this year. The Citizens' Committee on arrangements is taking steps to make this the best celebration ever held in Lincoln county. A general subscription will be taken to defray all expenses, and all surplus will be placed in a permanent Fourth of July Fund for the future. A community dinner will be spread and all invited to dine. There will be no charge for lemonade and other refreshments, and no money-making schemes will be allowed on the grounds. An address by some prominent man in the territory is to be arranged for the afternoon, and sports of

HATS! HATS!

Just received a large and varied assortment of Men's Hats, all sizes, all shapes. Hats to suit everybody and at most reasonable prices.

OVERALLS JUST ARRIVED

Stock Salt, 200 pounds for . . . \$1.00
Rye Flour. 100 " " . . . \$2.00

CAPITAN MERCANTILE CO.

P. G. PETERS, PROPRIETOR.

all kinds agreeable to the committee will be provided for the day. A fine arbor will be an attractive feature, especially for the young. A full announcement will be made later. Angus invites her sister towns in the county to attend and have a grand social gathering.

Public spirit and good taste were nowhere better shown than at the large cemetery meeting which convened at Angus last Saturday. The men put the grounds in order and made a few needed repairs about the graves of the dear ones, while the ladies served a most inviting dinner. The young people are to be commended for the interest they manifested in this good work. The Angus cemetery is one of the best kept in the county, and the people seem to take delight in the commendable work of properly caring for the resting-place of their departed ones. The grounds are to be enlarged and a neat new fence is to be put up in the near future.

Mrs. M. J. Reynolds has been on the sick list, but is much improved.

Misses Zetta and Celesty Minter came up from Glencoe last Friday and attended the dance given at the Angus hotel that evening.

Mrs. F. A. Jones, of Eagle Creek, visited friends at Angus this week.

Mr. J. G. Riggle brought Mrs. Riggle and the children over from Capitan last Sunday.

A number from this locality have signified their intention to attend the meeting of the Tax-

AS heretofore stated, in regard to the Ivers & Pond Piano, I will give lowest prices and best terms of any agent west of the Mississippi.

I have just received a very beautiful instrument, which is subject to examination by any and all who are disposed to purchase, or are interested.

This piano was shipped, subject to inspection, before one dollar had been paid. We also prepay instruments to your nearest railroad station. Before you buy a piano, give me a chance to quote you prices and terms.

Call on or address me at Capitan,

J. W. Barrett

payers' Association to be held at Capitan Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. H. C. Harper came up from Glencoe for a short visit last Friday evening.

Mr. T. M. Brown is putting in a crop on the Long place.

Notice.

Parties who contemplate building or making ranch improvements, come and see O. L. Henry, Capitan. Will sell all or any one of the buildings now at Coalora. This is your chance to get lumber cheap.

O. L. HENRY,
Agt. Dawson Fuel Co.

WONDERS OF THE HUMAN MIND.

Traveler in His Dreams Is Carried Far and Fast.

A flash of light is not sluggish, sound travels rapidly, a bullet is no messenger boy, and an automobile which shoots a mile in twenty-eight seconds is moving along, certainly. When it comes to getting over the ground in a real hurry, however, to devouring distance in dead earnest, the dreamer marches proudly at the head of the procession. He makes the latest thing in the line of 150 horse power racing cars look like hay carts in a mud bank. A man sits in his chair after dinner and dozes; he awakes with a start and discovers, to his surprise, that he lost consciousness for exactly three minutes by the clock. Yet in those three minutes he journeyed from New York to Port Said, transferred himself to St. Petersburg, loitered in Paris and London, and sailed up the Nile. What is of greater importance in this connection, he journeyed leisurely, almost indolently; he stopped at various "points of interest" and examined them thoroughly; he met with annoying and amusing experiences on steamships and trains; he talked with acquaintances whom he encountered in foreign lands, and he told some of them precisely what he thought of them—there was genuine pleasure in that. A dreamer can put thousands and thousands of miles behind him in the short space of three minutes and lazily enjoy himself in his wandering. By comparison, the chauffeur, with his life in his hands, is a slow coach; and he must attend strictly to business; he can engage in no conversation or sightseeing.

The human mind is a wonderful vehicle. Some people in spectacles have analyzed it and think that they know what it is and what it can do. But they do not know and they never will know.—Providence Journal.

Mispronounced for Years.

"The English language is one that few of its users 'can have any luck,' as the slang phrase is," remarked a man the other day. "A young friend of mine, discussing politics, declared that one 'rigamee' went out and another 'rigamee' came in. Not until I thought of the word 'regime' could I imagine what he meant. Another mentioned some circumstance which he declared had filled him with 'chargin.' He mean 'chagrin.' I have a friend who suffered for years with 'insommonia,' not knowing that it was 'insomnia' all the while.

"I suspect that our mother tongue is the only one in the world which cannot be spoken by its own children. And if we, who are brought up on the language, cannot speak it, what can we expect from the foreigner?"—Kansas City Journal.

Jewels Highly Prized.

People who possess jewels have certain trinkets which they regard with almost superstitious affection. Sarah Bernhardt pins her faith to a necklace of old nuggets, a gift from the California miners, and the duchess of Orleans to a set of sapphires which belonged to Marie Antoinette. The sapphire is the queen's favorite stone. She wears as a brooch one of great size, given to her by the late duke of Coburg. But old Egyptian jewels are considered the most potent guardians of fortune. Mrs. St. John Brodrick owns Egyptian gems of priceless value. Mrs. Clarence Mackay has a weird carnelian necklace which hung once upon the neck of a daughter of the Pharaohs. Mrs. George Keppel wears a pendant of emeralds, the most beautiful in the world.

Strenuous Life.

Tom—"There goes a man who looks as if he had loved and lost."
Jack—"Well, he was once in love all right, and he both won and lost."
Tom—"Why, how's that?"
Jack—"He won the girl, but since their marriage he has lost about twenty-five pounds hustling for sufficient coin to liquidate her bills."

CUSTOMS OF THE MASAI

Sir Harry Johnston writes of the Masai, that African race which has been giving so much trouble to Germany of late: "The young men are all warriors, theoretically, between the ages approximately of 17 and 27. When in this stage they are known in their own language as el moran. They pull the head hair out to its greatest length, even sometimes twisting and plaiting fiber and string into their wool. The hair is then thickly coated with mutton fat and red clay and tied into perukes. All hair on the face and body is plucked out by iron tweezers. The skin is kept constantly lubricated with mutton fat mixed with red clay, but as a rule the body is not disagreeably oily, and this lubrication only has the result of giving a beautiful polish to their statuelike forms.

"As regards the body, there is probably no more beautifully formed type of man than the young Masai warrior.

The face is sometimes in keeping with the body, but more often has a rather brutal aspect. The Masai are not pure negroes, but obviously received a very long while ago a slight infusion of Hamitic blood from races dwelling to the east of the White Nile. While they are in the young-man-warrior stage the Masai live principally on milk and on blood drawn from the veins of living cattle. They also occasionally eat the meat of oxen, goats or sheep.

"When a Masai decides that he has had enough knocking about and has accumulated sufficient property on which to retire he decides to marry. This is usually about the age of 27 to 30. After marriage he shaves his head, or at any rate keeps the hair of his head very close cropped. He ceases to anoint himself with mutton fat and definitely ranges himself with the old men."

Never Scrub Linoleum.

Wash with tepid water and a small quantity of soap-powder. Rinse with clean water, and, when dry, rub with furniture polish.

Whales Once Land Animals.

Professor Boyd Dawkins says that whales once lived on land, and by long usage to swimming had their claws converted into paddles.

Laughter Aids Digestion.

Nothing else will take the place of good cheer and laughter at meals or any other time in the home. There is a vital connection between amiability and digestion—between good cheer and assimilation. Laughter is the best friend the liver has, and depression, or melancholia, its worst enemy. Numerous experiments have shown that mirth and cheerfulness stimulate the secretion of the gastric juices, and are powerful aids to digestion. Yet, knowing this, many of us sit as gloomy and absorbed at the table as at a funeral. In many homes, scarcely a word is spoken at meals, outside of requests for an article of food.

The meal hour ought to mean something besides supplying a mere animal function. The bell which calls the family to the table ought to be the signal for a good time generally, when all cares should be thrown off and everybody appear at his best. It ought to signalize the time for mirth and laughter. It ought to be looked forward to by the members of the family as the recess or nooning is looked forward to by pupils in school, as a let-up from the strenuous life.—Success Magazine.

"Didn't you see some beautiful scenery when you made the ascent of Pike's Peak?" "Yes, the scenery was all right, but I didn't like the climb it."

The Coffee Debate.

The published statements of a number of coffee importers and roasters indicate a "waspy" feeling towards us for daring to say that coffee is harmful to a percentage of the people.

A frank public discussion of the subject is quite agreeable to us and can certainly do no harm; on the contrary when all the facts on both sides of any question are spread before the people they can thereupon decide and act intelligently.

Give the people plain facts and they will take care of themselves.

We demand facts in this coffee discussion and propose to see that the facts are brought clearly before the people.

A number of coffee importers and roasters have joined a movement to boom coffee and stop the use of Postum Food Coffee and in their newspaper statements undertake to deceive by false assertions.

Their first is that coffee is not harmful.

We assert that one in every three coffee users has some form of incipient or chronic disease; realize for one moment what a terrible menace to a nation of civilized people, when one kind of beverage cripples the energies and health of one-third the people who use it.

We make the assertion advisedly and suggest that the reader secure his own proof by personal inquiry among coffee users.

Ask your coffee drinking friends if they keep free from any sort of aches and ails. You will be startled at the percentage and will very naturally seek to place the cause of disorder on something aside from coffee, whether food, inherited tendencies or something else.

Go deeper in your search for facts.

If your friend admits occasional neuralgia, rheumatism, heart weakness, stomach or bowel trouble, kidney complaint, weak eyes or approaching nervous prostration induce him or her to make the experiment of leaving off coffee for 10 days and using Postum Food Coffee, and observe the result. It will startle you and give your friend something to think of. Of course, if the person is one of the weak ones

and says "I can't quit" you will have discovered one of the slaves of the coffee importer. Treat such kindly, for they seem absolutely powerless to stop the gradual but sure destruction of body and health.

Nature has a way of destroying a part of the people to make room for the stronger. It is the old law of "the survival of the fittest" at work, and the victims are many.

We repeat the assertion that coffee does harm many people, not all, but an army large enough to appal the investigator and searcher for facts.

The next prevarication of the coffee importers and roasters is their statement that Postum Food Coffee is made of roasted peas, beans or corn, and mixed with a low grade of coffee and that it contains no nourishment.

We have previously offered to wager \$100,000.00 with them that their statements are absolutely false.

They have not accepted our wager and they will not.

We will gladly make a present of \$25,000.00 to any roaster or importer of old-fashioned coffee who will accept that wager.

Free inspection of our factories and methods is made by thousands of people each month and the coffee importers themselves are cordially invited. Both Postum and Grape-Nuts are absolutely pure and made exactly as stated.

The formula of Postum and the analysis made by one of the foremost chemists of Boston has been printed on every package for many years and is absolutely accurate.

Now as to the food value of Postum. It contains the parts of the wheat berry which carry the elemental salts, such as lime, iron, potash, silica, etc., etc., used by the life forces to rebuild the cellular tissue, and this is particularly true of the phosphate of potash, also found in Grape-Nuts, which combines in the human body with albumen and this combination, together with water, rebuilds the worn-out gray matter in the delicate nerve centers all over the body and throughout the brain and solar plexus.

Ordinary coffee stimulates in an unnatural way, but with many people it slowly and surely destroys and does not rebuild this gray substance so vitally important to the well being of every human being.

These are eternal facts, proven, well authenticated and known to every properly educated physician, chemist and food expert.

Please remember we never say ordinary coffee hurts everyone.

Some people use it regularly and seem strong enough to withstand its attacks, but there is misery and disease in store for the man or woman who persists in its use when nature protests, by heart weakness, stomach and bowel troubles, kidney disease, weak eyes or general nervous prostration. The remedy is obvious. The drug caffeine, contained in all ordinary coffee, must be discontinued absolutely or the disease will continue in spite of any medicine and will grow worse.

It is easy to leave off the old-fashioned coffee by adopting Postum Food Coffee, for in it one finds a pleasing hot breakfast or dinner beverage that has the deep seal brown color, changing to a rich golden brown when good cream is added. When boiled long enough (15 minutes) the flavor is not that of rank Rio coffee but very like the milder, smooth and high-grade Java, but entirely lacking the drug effect of ordinary coffee.

Anyone suffering from disorders set up by coffee drinking (and there is an extensive variety) can absolutely depend upon some measure of relief by quitting coffee and using Postum Food Coffee.

If the disease has not become too strongly rooted, one can with good reason expect it to disappear entirely in a reasonable time after the active cause of the trouble is removed and the cellular tissue has time to naturally rebuild with the elements furnished by Postum and good food.

It's only just plain old common sense.

Now, with the exact facts before the reader, he or she can decide the wise course, looking to health and the power to do things.

If you have any doubt as to the cause of any ache or ail you may have, remember the far-reaching telegrams of a hurt nervous system travel from heel to head, and it may be well worth your while to make the experiment of leaving off coffee entirely for ten days and using Postum in its place.

You will probably gather some good solid facts, worth more than a gold mine, for health can make gold and sickness lose it. Besides there's all the fun, for it's like a continuous internal frolic to be perfectly well.

There's a reason for

POSTUM

Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription

Is a powerful, invigorating tonic, imparting health and strength in particular to the organs distinctly feminine. The local, womanly health is so intimately related to the general health that when diseases of the delicate womanly organs are cured the whole body gains in health and strength. For weak and sickly women who are "worn-out," "run-down" or debilitated, especially for women who work in store, office or schoolroom, who sit at the typewriter or sewing machine, or bear heavy household burdens, and for nursing mothers, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has proven a priceless benefit because of its health-restoring and strength-giving powers.

As a soothing and strengthening nerve, "Favorite Prescription" is unequalled and is invaluable in allaying and subduing nervous excitability, irritability, nervous exhaustion, nervous prostration, neuralgia, hysteria, spasms, chorea, or St. Vitus's dance, and other distressing nervous symptoms commonly attendant upon functional and organic disease of the womanly organs. It induces refreshing sleep and relieves mental anxiety and despondency.

Cures obstinate cases. "Favorite Prescription" is a positive cure for the most complicated and obstinate cases of "female weakness," painful periods, irregularities, prolapsus or falling of the pelvic organs, weak back, bearing-down sensations, chronic congestion, inflammation and ulceration.

Dr. Pierce's medicines are made from harmless but efficient medical roots found growing in our American forests. The Indians knew of the marvelous curative value of some of these roots and imparted that knowledge to some of the friendlier whites, and gradually some of the more progressive physicians came to test and use them, and ever since they have grown in favor by reason of their superior curative virtues and their safe and harmless qualities.

Your druggists sell the "FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION" and also that famous alterative, blood purifier and stomach tonic, the "GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY." Write to Dr. Pierce about your case. He is an experienced physician and will treat your case as confidential and without charge for correspondence. Address him at the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., of which he is chief consulting physician.

"Did you tell the captain that you considered me a fool?" "No, I didn't tell him what I thought."

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LUCAS COUNTY.

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FRANK J. CHENEY.
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Census of Newspapers.

Following are statistics in regard to newspapers published in the United States at the close of 1905: Weeklies, 14,455; semi-weeklies, 499; tri-weeklies, 54; dailies, 2,215; total newspaper, 17,223. Periodicals published in the United States at the close of 1905: Monthlies, 2,710; all other periodicals, 552; total periodicals, 3,262; total newspapers and periodicals, 20,485.

"What means would you advise to put an end to hazing?" "Well, a shot gun, properly used, would put an end to the hazers."

TERRIBLE SCALP HUMOR.

Badly Affected With Sores and Crusts
—Extended Down Behind the Ears
—Another Cure by Cuticura.

"About ten years ago my scalp became badly affected with sore and itching humors, crusts, etc., and extended down behind the ears. My hair came out in places, also. I was greatly troubled; understood it was eczema. Tried various remedies so called, without effect. Saw your Cuticura advertisement, and got the Cuticura Remedies at once. Applied them as to directions, etc., and after two weeks I think, of use, was clear as a whistle. I have to state also that late last fall, October and November, 1904, I was suddenly afflicted with a bad eruption, painful and itching pustules over the lower part of the body. I suffered dreadfully. In two months, under the skillful treatment of my doctor, conjoined with Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, I found myself cured. H. M. F. Weiss, Rosemond, Christian Co., Ill., Aug. 31, 1905."

WOULD YOU PLEASE HUSBAND!

If You Would, Hesitate About Taking Following Advice.

Young Wife writes: "I am very fond of reading advice to newly married folks. Recently I saw a hint that every husband is gratified if he finds his slippers ready warmed for him when he comes home evenings. Please advise me as to the proper way to warm slippers."

Go to the cellar and get a hod of coal. You should have a slow fire going in the kitchen range during the afternoon. Rake the coals down to a level bed and pour in the hod of coal and open the drafts. When the stove-pipe shows red to the ceiling and the top of the range is a cream yellow, and is so hot that a drop of water will evaporate when within two inches of the surface, close the damper and wait until the range cools down to 365 degrees Fahrenheit. If you have no thermometer, borrow one from the neighbor. (It is a small courtesy, but one that will be appreciated if you suggest to your neighbor to bring her husband's slippers over and warm them on your range.) Put the slippers in the oven, close the door and go through the house, singing merrily to yourself. From time to time look at the slippers, turning them occasionally so that the heat may reach all sides of them. They are well warmed when the toes begin to curl. When this occurs, place them on the back of the range, covering them with a boiler lid. This will retain the heat. When you hear your husband coming up the steps, take up the slippers on a toasting fork and carry them to his den. Some practical housewives garnish with parsley, but this is a matter of choice.—Cleveland Leader.

Pointed Out Contingency.

Francois, head coachman to James Hazen Hyde, is of herculean proportions, for it is fashionable to have imposing, gigantic men for this office.

Francois, who has worked for W. K. Vanderbilt and Mrs. O. P. Belmont and who, by request, led the coronation procession of the Russian czar, was recently the guest of honor at a dinner of racing men.

The herculean Frenchman told at this dinner a story about a girl and a bookmaker.

"There was a girl," he said, "who went to the races and was attracted by the betting.

"She mingled in the crowd about the bookmakers. The excitement prevailing there communicated itself to her spirit. She approached a bookmaker and said:

"If I put a dollar on a horse and it wins how much do I get?"

"If the horse starts at 60 to 1, the bookmaker answered, 'you get \$61. If it starts at 20 to 1 you get \$21. If it starts at 10 to 1 you get \$11.'"

"The girl still looked puzzled. "But," she said, 'suppose it starts at 1 o'clock?'"

Maud Consented.

An absent-minded clergyman tells how once he was unconsciously responsible for helping a bashful lover. His mind was filled with a subtle theological problem when a neighbor's daughter passed in company with a diffident youth. His thoughts were interrupted as she called out to him: "Oh, doctor, we are just going for a ramble. Won't you join us?" "With pleasure. Do you want the ceremony in a church?"

The bashful lover was suddenly fired with an enthusiasm that four years of gnawing at his heartstrings had failed to arouse, and he fairly shouted:

"Yes, yes, and if Maud consents, the sooner the better."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Whist Players at Washington.

James K. Polk, a great-great-grandson of the President, is one of the champion whist team of Washington. His partner is Francis Nye, the assistant district assessor. A few evenings ago they defeated the champions of the House, Congressmen Bowie of Alabama and Lonsberry of Minnesota.

Where Life Is Held Cheap.

A New York contractor of prominence, according to Josiah Strong, recently told him that the killing of working men was cheaper than protecting them. The statement created a stir when made by Dr. Strong, who is president of the American Institute of Social Service, at the municipal art dinner.

"Nine men are killed every day in New York," he continued, "in accidents which are for the most part avoidable. Our city is becoming a veritable human shambles."

Coal mines and railroads, he said, were slaughter houses for the laboring men. Last year there were 2,500 accidents to laboring men that the public knew nothing about.

Peruna Is Exempt.

The internal revenue commissioner has decided that Per-na as now manufactured is exempt from internal revenue license.

The highest medical and pharmaceutical authorities in the United States have passed upon the product. It must be highly gratifying to the many friends of Per-na and the local commercial world that the product which has carried Columbus' name into all continents, again enjoys the same fixed status as any other recognized medicine.—Columbus Dispatch.

"I am told that you broke your engagement with Sarah because she got too fat. Is not that small business?" "No; I didn't want to be found guilty of bigamy."

Worth Knowing

—that Allcock's are the original and only genuine porous plasters; all other so-called porous plasters are imitations.

"If you could have your choice, what kind of death would you select?" "Well, I think I'd prefer to be petted to death by a pretty woman."

Lewis' Single Binder costs more than other 5c cigars. Smokers know why. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

A Los Angeles woman is charged with swindling Texas people out of \$20,000 on a silk worm proposition. And now the worm has turned and had her arrested.

A Spring Suggestion!

Take Garfield Tea in the morning or before retiring; its use insures pure blood and a natural action of the liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels. It has a beneficial effect on the entire system. It is made of Herbs.

"Is a bat a bird or an animal?" "Nayther; it's a brick that's broke."

Columbus has just landed. "Anything we can do for you, sir?" inquired the natives. "Yes. Kindly direct me to the nearest place where I can secure souvenir postal cards."

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Thousands of American women, however, have found relief from all monthly suffering by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as it is the most thorough female regulator known to medical science. It cures the condition which causes so much discomfort and robs these periods of their terrors.

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Women who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, bloating (or flatulence), displacement of organs, inflammation or ulceration, that "bearing-down" feeling, dizziness, faintness, indigestion, nervous prostration or the blues, should take immediate action to ward off the serious consequences, and be restored to perfect health and strength by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and then write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for further free advice. She is daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham and for twenty-five years has been advising women free of charge. Thousands have been cured by so doing.

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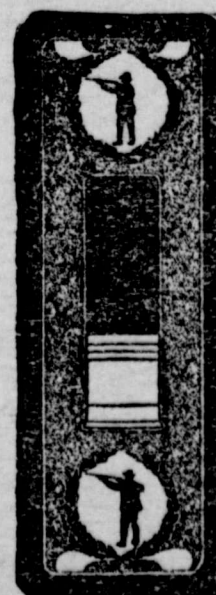
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The editor of the Sunnyside Sun, a veteran in New Mexico journalism, who established the Deming Headlight in 1881, and who has established nine newspapers in New Mexico since that time, the latest being the Sunnyside Sun which was established some months ago at the railroad camp near the Pecos river crossing of the Belen cut-off, says in his last issue: "After a long and very careful investigation this paper has been duly admitted for transmission through the mails as 'second class matter.'" The experience of Editor Curren has been the experience of many publishers since Edwin C. Madden has occupied the position of third assistant postmaster general. Perhaps there is no servant in the employ of the public more puffed up with his own importance than this same Edwin C. Madden. He spends much of his time in the effort to impress upon the minds of publishers that, instead of a matter of legal right, it is a great privilege to have publications admitted to the mails at second class rates. It will be interesting some day to read the newspaper eulogies on the late Mr. Madden.—The Eagle

Some objections have been made to having the assessor or his deputies visit residences for the purpose of ascertaining what property is held or owned by the residents thereof. We do not see any valid objection to such a course. It is the business of the assessor to ascertain the taxable property within the territory covered by him and in his efforts to do this he should be assisted by all property owners. Of course if a man has returned a couple of hundred dollars of household furniture when he has a couple thousand we can readily see why he would object to having the sacred precincts of his home invaded by a common assessor.—The Eagle.

The case of Senator Burton, of Kansas, has been affirmed by the higher courts, and the erstwhile senator will have to serve a term in prison. In the meantime, the

senate has taken the matter up, and Kansas will, for a time, have a vacant seat in the upper body.

President Roosevelt got inextricably mixed up in the rate bill, and in order to square himself had to call several senators and exsenators liars. This led to the production of a song, said to be very popular in Washington just now, entitled, "Everybody Lies but Roosevelt." sung to the tune, "Everybody Works but Father."

Baseball at Stanton.

A match game of ball will be played at Fort Stanton next Sunday afternoon between the Capitan aggregation and the Fort Stanton nine.

Meeting Called.

By direction of the executive committee of the Lincoln County Taxpayers' Association, the association is hereby called to meet at the school house in Capitan on Saturday, May 26, 1906, for the purpose of hearing the reports of committees and for the transaction of other business that may be brought before the association. Matters of considerable moment are to be considered at this meeting, and it is hoped that a full representation of the membership of the association will be present on that occasion. The hour for the meeting is fixed at 1:30 p. m. on the day mentioned.

JNO. A. HALEY,
Chairman.

Estray Notice.

On this the 18th day of April 1906, personally appeared before me, the undersigned Justice of the peace of precinct No. 9, county of Lincoln, territory of New Mexico, Milton Read, a resident of said precinct, who is desirous of estraying one horse, upon his oath deposes and says that one roan horse, with white face, about 13 hands high, about 12 years old, branded circle X on right hip, B4 on left hip and S on left thigh. Said animal has been ranging on and about his premises for over one year, and that he has made diligent search and inquiry for owner of said animal and failed to find any such. MILTON READ.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of April, 1906.

JNO. A. HALEY,
Justice of the Peace,
5-4 Precinct No. 9.

Sheriff Owen came through at noon today with prisoners for the pen at Santa Fe. Their names and sentences are as follows:

Salamon Aragon,	99 years;
Paz Otero,	99 "
Thomas Price,	3½ "
Refugio Munoz,	3 "
James Henley,	1 "
Abran Miller,	5 "
Celestino Vigil,	1 "
Saviniano Corona,	1 "
Leandro Hornelas,	1 "
Fred Emilio,	2½ "

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ONION SETS

Barbed Wire for sale at Welch & Titsworth's.

Geo. A. Peter was in Tuesday, and reported at Forest headquarters.

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Robt. Leslie was in Capitan Tuesday from his ranch on the Carrizo draw.

Court adjourned today, and all the court officials left for Alamogordo to prepare for United States court which convenes there Monday.

Star Brand Shoes are the best. They cost no more than the other kind: for sale by Welch & Titsworth.

Mrs. T. S. Anderson and "Buster" came up from El Paso on Monday's train, and will remain here during the summer, visiting with relatives.

L. T. Avent has received his commission as deputy game and fish warden. The policy of the administration is to make the territorial rangers deputies, as they will have opportunities for enforcing the game laws.

An almost new high grade piano with pianola attachment to be sold at 50 per cent of its original cost. For particulars apply to this office.

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G. B. Greer was down from Bonito a day or two this week on a business mission.

Old "Slim" went out to Parsons this week; and the way he will make the rock fly will be a caution.

Kansas stock salt 60 cts per cwt, at Welch & Titsworth.

Miss Selma Long came in on Monday's train from El Paso, and left next day for Parsons to join her mother

John L. Wiggins, manager of the Pittsburg Ore Reduction Co., who has been east in the interest of his company, is expected home today, and will begin mining operations soon.

Stetson hats, Welch & Titsworth.

The fruit crop is quite promising in Lincoln county this year. The apple trees that bore so heavily last year will not be so full this year, while those that were light last season will bear a full crop this season. This condition seems to be a natural one—the trees failing to bear two heavy crops in succession.

Salt your stock now. Stock salt \$1.00 for 200 lbs. sack. Peter's store.

A new firm has been organized, with headquarters at Nogal, consisting of Wm. S. Bourne and Geo. L. Dillard. The firm will devote its attention to prospecting, developing and selling mines, and handling timber lands in New Mexico, Mexico and Arizona.

Meadow Gold butter at Welch & Titsworth.

Arthur H. Cornell left this morning for El Paso, where he goes to meet Miss Agnes M. Cleverling and to whom he will be married on the 2nd of June. El Paso will be the home of the couple for a short time, but they expect to come to Capitan to reside later.

It has often been said that it is sometimes inconvenient to know too much, but the contrary has been true at Lincoln this term of court. B. F. Johnson, who lives in the Park, a short distance east of White Oaks, has been serving Lincoln county the past three weeks as a petit juryman, and was caught on every case tried at this term of court. He was not disqualified in a solitary case, not having acquaintance with the defendants and not knowing about the character of the charges. As a consequence, Mr. Johnson has led a strenuous life the past three weeks.

The cost of the term of court, just closed, has been about \$4,300, the clerk not having the exact figures when the News-man left Lincoln last night. This leaves a balance in the court fund, which, of course, includes the \$1,500 borrowed by the board of commissioners, of \$500. The change of venue cases to Alamogordo may exhaust this sum, which will be increased by the June collections, but if those cases do not come up for hearing it is possible that this county may have a short fall term.

Fl. Whiteman Dead.

Early Tuesday morning, in Alamogordo, M. Whiteman, an old citizen of this part of the territory, was found dead in the back end of his store, with a bullet hole in his head. A Winchester was near and the report is that the old man killed himself.

The deceased was quite an old man, and had lived in this section for many years. He was a merchant in White Oaks 25 years ago, and has also conducted a mercantile business in Roswell, where he yet has two sons engaged in business.

Judge R. P. Barnes passed through today from Lincoln, on the way to his home, Silver City.

THE CAPITAN NEWS

CAPITAN, - - NEW MEXICO.

The savant who says everybody is going blind because of electricity can't scare us worth a cent. We've seen about everything.

At least Washington should be made as much of a "model city" as is possible with frequent congressional sessions on the premises.

The feeling of Paris toward Jimmy Hyde is very cordial, says a cable dispatch. Any time Paris is cross with a man who has \$4,000,000!

Mark Twain insists that he knows veracity when he sees it a block away. Then why doesn't he cross the street and make its acquaintance?

Boni de Castellane says he is going to be good hereafter, unless, of course, he should have the luck to get his hands on some more money.

The Englishman who says that he can measure the one-seventy-millionth part of an inch can safely defy doubters to prove that he is only boasting.

The Chinese, even under Japanese leadership, are not yet ready to fight the foreign devil. A premature movement will land them in the chop suey.

A Pennsylvania woman drank caustic potash because her hair was turning gray. It did not restore the natural color, but she won't worry about it any longer.

A Boston man who discovered that he hasn't any bad habits to give up during Lent says that he won't be caught that way again next year.—Boston Globe.

The Japanese have begun to use beer instead of sake. This may not make them taller, but it is likely to necessitate their letting out their waistbands occasionally.

What has become of the old-fashioned editor who never used to fill a gap in one of his columns by asking "what has become of the old-fashioned" something or other?

The doctor who predicts that the world will soon go blind from the effects of electricity might give good testimony on the progressive softening of the brain from causes unknown.

Scientists claim that insanity is caused by microbes. If proof is wanted they can point to a large number of people who have grown crazy over microbes and others who are still going.

It has been decided that men may eat dinner at the big restaurants in New York without wearing evening dress. This is another important triumph for the advocates of personal liberty.

Speaking of human nature, the man who kicks the hardest about the increase of 10 cents a hundred pounds in the price of ice is generally the man who pays 15 cents for two ounces of it in a highball.

Now that Pierpont Morgan has paid \$50,000 for some Robert Burns manuscripts, the conviction of the average contemporary poet will be strengthened that all he needs to get good prices for his stuff is to be dead a hundred years.

A New York doctor says that skeletons should not be used in women's classes in teaching the principles of first aid to the injured. "Women," he declares, "are too feminine to see skeletons—it makes them nervous." And yet every woman has one.

GIRL QUARANTINES A SHIP

Did you ever hear how a slip of an army girl held up a ship for ten days in Manila? Well, she tells it herself. It seems that her father was commanding a regiment in the Philippines and her mother was in Manila. This girl went over to Hong-Kong on a trip, and a very enjoyable one it was. While there she received a cable from Mrs. Taft which said: "Bring me an 'amah.'" Now, an "amah" is a Chinese nurse girl. This young lady went out and engaged nine to meet her at the dock the day the ship sailed. She was a very wise young woman and guessed that most of them wouldn't show up.

Perhaps she had lived in Washington and learned how the faithful (?) colored servant promises five times over to come the next day at 9 o'clock and is never heard of again. When the ship sailed there was one Chinese woman out of the nine on hand and our heroine took her aboard as a maid, secured quarters for her and

all was lovely until the ship steamed into Manila bay. Then it was found that Chinese exclusion laws prevailed and the amah could not land. Moreover, Chinese cholera was suspected to be concealed about the amah and no one else could land.

"There we were," said the young lady, "out there in Manila bay and the whole ship load of people giving me and the amah 'hail Columbia.' I begged and pleaded with the officers to let me get off because I was missing several parties. I told them I had brought the amah for Mrs. Taft, but they said it didn't make any difference—the governor of the islands could not evade the laws. Well, they fixed it up some way. I think she came in as my personal servant or something. Anyway, after being held up ten days we were allowed to go ashore and the amah went to Mrs. Taft. But I tell you I was the most unpopular person in the orient for that ten days."—Buffalo Times.

POLICE TOOK NO CHANCES

"It's all in the point of view," said a downtown business man. "I was compelled to remain a little over time with my accountant in my factory the other evening, and at 8 o'clock we found the employes had taken the precaution to lock the door on leaving.

"The extra key was not on its accustomed hook, and for a moment it looked as if we would have to phone for a ladder from the firehouse to take us down from a second story window. Then it occurred to me to spring the front door open after drawing the bolts on its mate.

"Fortunately this was possible, as we have a double door. Then how was I to refasten the door to keep out thieves? I knew there wasn't a hardware shop open at that time of night, and I finally decided that it was the police station for mine.

"The sergeant behind the desk was kind and listened to my tale with patience; asked my name, my place of

business, what I was doing there at that time of night. All this I had already told him. I suggested that perhaps he might know where I could find a padlock.

"He found one in the cabinet behind him. A nice brass one with a tagged key attached. He fondled it a moment, and I, thanking him for his assistance, promised to return it the first thing in the morning.

"Guess you will," said he. "Jerry, take this lock down to this man's place, lock the door and bring the key back. In the morning you can come here and get this officer to let you in. Good night."

"Now, did he really believe my story or did he think I wanted that padlock for keeps? Do the police regard all of us as crooks until we prove ourselves honest?"

"Certainly I was thankful enough to get home without going into the ethics of the case."—New York Sun.

THE MICROBE MAKES LAMENT

I met a little microbe, 'twas the microbe of reform, and gazed upon the little thing that's raising such a storm.

"This is the hardest kind of work," the little microbe said, "and sometimes makes me wish I was just comfortably dead. I try to wake the people up and note the awful way in which the railroads in a year their tens of thousands slay; and sure they get excited when I sting them up, but blame! their enthusiasm leads them to reform the football game.

"Another lot of people I infected with the craze for the speedy reformation of the evils in their gaze. I thought they'd work like beavers to have lynching banned and harred, but instead they passed a measure that makes hazing rather hard.

"It is tough upon a microbe that is doing all he can to infect the keen

reformers with a love of fellow man. I am trying hard to bring about a better time for all, when trusts and grafts will languish and monopolies will fall; but all the worthy warriors I can sting into the fight devote their time and labor to setting trifles right. I want to make ice cheaper and coal bills not so great, so can I rest content with keeping libraries open late? And when the poor are crowded thick in airless rooms and dark, can I get satisfaction in the purchase of a park? Will the hounding of a woman who had trod the paths of vice bring breezes to the tenements when they raise the cost of ice? Is the prosing of the preacher and the slumming of the good reformer enough for families that lack the price of food?

"Oh, it's tough to be a microbe, when your task is to infect hearts with zeal for humans and with hate of graft and sect."—Chicago American.

IMPROVED HIS OWN WORK

It has always been the popular belief that as soon as a man invented anything somebody else at once improved upon it and reaped the greater benefit. A recent occurrence shows that the reverse is sometimes the case.

A young man in this city with a knack for inventing mechanical appliances recently patented an article which, it was universally agreed, would be of great benefit to railroads. The agent of a big corporation at once entered into negotiations with the inventor, who fixed an upset price of \$5,000 for his idea. For days they beat about the bush until finally the young man agreed to accept \$1,000. The money was paid over, the necessary papers signed and the agent left happily satisfied with his bargain.

A few minutes later a friend of the inventor entered the office and found him chuckling to himself as he bent over a drawing board.

"You seem happy," said the friend. "What's up?"

"I just sold my appliance for a thousand dollars and got the money cash down."

"A thousand dollars?" gasped the friend in surprise. "Why, I thought you expected to get at least \$5,000 for it."

"So I did," replied the inventor; "but while the agent was dickering with me all these days, I hit upon an improvement which will make the first affair worth about thirty cents by comparison. I'm working out the plans now."

A COLD BROUGHT IT ON.

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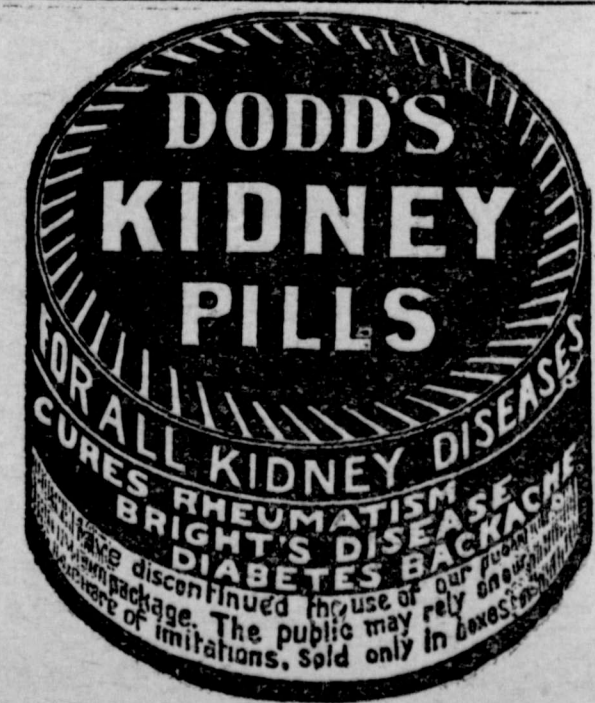
BLACK WOLF CUBS.

Seven of Them Born in City Park, Denver.

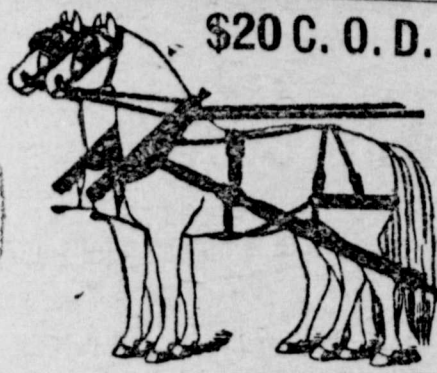
Black Jim, long the solitary bachelor of the wolf pack in the City park inclosure, who scorned the company of his kind, received congratulations yesterday. Jim is the proud father of seven very aristocratic and strong-lunged wolf cubs—his first children. Jim's mate, Nellie, one of the original gray wolves in the menagerie, has dug a warm hole underneath the long structure in the center of the inclosure, and here she is making her home with the new cubs.

Jim is a good father. All the animals admit it. He has scarcely left the top of the hole in which his family is resting since the happy event. And on the other side of the hole, watching with him, is Barker, the life-long enemy of Jim, with whom he has fought many a battle since the two have been placed together in the menagerie. Barker jumps up to help Jim whenever a curious bear noses his way towards the hole. The animal keepers are unable to account for this change of heart between Jim and Barker.

One thing about the new arrivals that is especially pleasing to the keepers is that all the cubs are black. The father is an extremely rare specimen of his race, and the seven children are all of his rare and high-born color.—Denver News.



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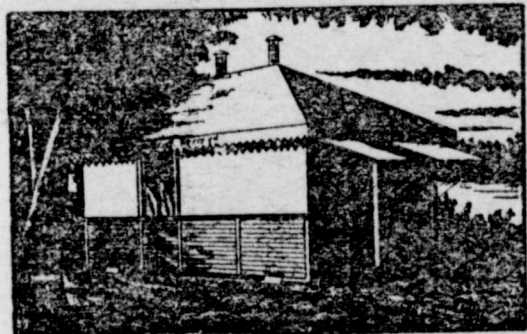
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"How long did these troubles last?" "For over two years. For four months of that time I was under the care of a physician, but his medicine did me no good. Meanwhile I learned of the cures that had been wrought by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

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THE DANCE OF THE SEAGULLS.

Why Does Their Rhythmic Tread Bring Worms to Surface?

"It is no uncommon sight to see gulls, or other birds, dancing or paddling upon the sand," says a writer.

"Curlews and most other shore-feeding birds do the same thing, the object being to frighten the worms from their retreat below, when they appear to be instantly swallowed up. But the really interesting part of the performance is—why should the worms be so frightened by the shaking produced in the sand as to come to the surface?"

"The inference, of course, is that they have a greater dread of some enemy beneath, whose approach they believe to be heralded by the vibration which his movements through it impart to the sand.

"When the angler wants to collect earth worms, in a place where it is not convenient to dig, he is accustomed to push a stick into the ground, and by moving that about impart a vibration to the soil around, which has the effect of forcing those worms within its influence to crawl to the surface. This is precisely the practice followed by the dancing gull and with the same result.

"But on land we are led to suppose that it may be an attack from a mole which the worm fears; while on the wet sands there are, of course, no moles to be dreaded.

"Are the worms thinking back, through a remote ancestry, to a time when they were dwellers upon dry land and were acquainted with the mole, or his forbears, or what is the true solution of the matter?"—Chicago News.

Money in Dead Flies.

The Southwark county court judge was astonished to learn that the four shillings for which a corn merchant sued a corn dealer was the balance of an account "for dried flies."

"What on earth do you do with them?" inquired Judge Addison.

"They are used in the making of chicken food," replied the plaintiff. He explained that a bag of eighty-one pounds of dried flies was supplied to the defendant at eight pence per pound, and according to the custom of the trade the gross weight was charged for.

The defendant contended that he ought to pay only for the net weight.

"You surprise me when you talk about eighty-one pounds of dried flies in bulk," said the judge. "Where do you find all these flies?"

"They are imported." "Where from?" "America."

The case was adjourned for further evidence.—London Chronicle.

A Short Cut.

"There goes a man," observed a steamship agent as he directed attention to a surly-looking individual who had just engaged passage for Europe, "whose efforts are devoted to constructing short cuts in business methods and in eliminating all time consuming men and their propositions from his busy existence. He is a man of very few words.

"Some years ago this gentleman crossed the ocean and had a very unpleasant trip. One morning a sympathetic passenger offered him a lemon, expressing a sincere wish that it would give him relief.

"The pale traveler seized the lemon, hurled it viciously into the ocean, and growled:

"This is a quicker way than the other."—New York Telegraph.

Demand for Labor.

Labor is so scarce in New Zealand that the government of that colony has asked its high commission in London to find in England and send out 1,000 laborers for the construction of a new railway in the North Island. Three years' work is guaranteed and inducements will be offered them to remain permanently. There is also great demand for agricultural laborers in western Australia.

It is said that grass flourishes on No Man's Land—but not grass widows, certainly.

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

HOW ANIMALS PLAY.

They Are as Sportive as the Children of Men.

The sense of humor in animals awakens very early. A ferret will play with her kittens, a cat with hers, a dog with her puppies. A mare will play with her foal, though perhaps seldom or never has any one seen a cow trying to amuse her calf nor any birds their young. If their mothers do not amuse them the young ones invent games of their own.

A flock of ewes and lambs was once observed in adjoining fields, separated by a fence with several gaps in it. "Follow my leader" was the game most in favor with this flock, the biggest lamb leading around the field and then jumping the gap, with all the others following in single file; any lamb that took the leap unusually well would give two or three more enthusiastic jumps or exuberant happiness when it reached the other side.

Fawns play a sort of cross touch from one side to the other, the "touch" in each case being by the nose. Little pigs are also great at combined play, which generally takes the form of races. Emulation seems to form part of their amusement, for their races always seem to have the winning of the first place for their object, and are quite different from those combined rushes for food or causeless stampedes in which little pigs are wont to indulge.

Racing is an amusement natural to some animals, and, being soon taught by others, becomes one of the most exciting pastimes. Many horses and all racing dogs learn to be as keen at winning as schoolboys.

Birds delight in the free and fanciful use of their wings. There is all the difference possible between the flight of birds for "business" and pleasure, and many kinds on fine days will soar to vast heights for pleasure alone.

"COFFEE JAGS."

The Doctor Named Them Correctly.

Some one said "Coffee never hurts any one." Enquire of your friends and note their experiences.

A Phila. woman says "During the last 2 or 3 years I became subject to what the doctor called 'coffee jags' and felt like I have heard men say they feel who have drunk too much rum. It nauseated me, and I felt as though there was nothing but coffee flowing through my veins.

"Coffee agreed well enough for a time, but for a number of years I have known that it was doing me great harm, but, like the rum toper, I thought I could not get along without it. It made me nervous, disordered my digestion, destroyed my sleep and brought on frequent and very distressing headaches.

"When I got what the doctor called a 'coffee jag' on, I would give up drinking it for a few days till my stomach regained a little strength, but I was always fretful and worried and nervous till I was able to resume the use of the drug.

"About a year ago I was persuaded to try Postum, but as I got it in restaurants it was nothing but a sloppy mess, sometimes cold, and always weak, and of course I didn't like it. Finally I prepared some myself, at home, following the directions carefully, and found it delicious. I persevered in its use, quitting the old coffee entirely, and feeling better and better each day, till I found at last, to my great joy, that my ailments had all disappeared and my longing for coffee had come to an end.

"I have heretofore suffered intensely from utter exhaustion, besides the other ailments and troubles, but this summer, using Postum, I have felt fine." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Restaurant cooks rarely prepare Postum Coffee properly. They do not let it boil long enough.

The Statehood Situation.

Washington, May 21.—The crisis in the statehood fight has been reached and unless the house conferees on the statehood bill speedily come to terms with the senate upon the measure, a strong effort will be made in the latter body to tack statehood for Oklahoma and Indian Territory onto an appropriation bill.

Senator Beveridge of Indiana, chairman of the conference and of the senate committee on territories discussed the statehood situation with the president today.

When he left the executive offices, Mr. Beveridge talked boldly of forcing the statehood bill to the fore as a rider. President Roosevelt would agree to this solution if decisive action cannot be had on the statehood bill itself. The zeal of Mr. Beveridge in behalf of statehood and his readiness to go to the length of sending it to the house as a rider is understood to be due to the fact that, if he does not act, Senators Foraker and Bailey will force the issue in this way. Senator Bailey let it be known, immediately after Speaker Cannon began obstructing the statehood bill, that if it should become apparent that the bill is in danger of dying in conference, he would offer it as an amendment to an appropriation bill. Senator Foraker today, being relieved from the necessity of devoting all his time to the rate bill, began inquiring into the statehood situation. The democratic senators and the republicans who agree with Senator Foraker upon statehood, have votes enough to pass the bill as a rider if need be. The conferees met today and on their adjournment it was announced that daily sessions will be held throughout this week. This is accepted as an indication that every effort is being made to bring about an agreement between the conferees. However, no compromise yet put forward on the vital proposition, carried in the house provision for New Mexico and Arizona as one state, is satisfactory to both sides.

Speaker Cannon and the house organization is willing to consent to what is known as the "First Foraker Amendment," which passed the last congress. This would submit the question of accepting a state constitution to the vote of the two territories, voting separately at the general election for state offices. It can be said definitely that the Foraker group in the senate will never agree to this. The Foraker amendment of this session provides for submitting at a special election the direct question to the

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Homestead Application No. 4027.
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico.
May 5, 1906.
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 E. W. Hulbert, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Lincoln, N. M., on June 21, 1906, viz: Ernest E. Wright, of Richardson, N. M., for the E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 11, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 12 and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 13, T. 7 S., R. 14 E.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
George A. Hunt, Henry A. Scott, William A. Yates, of Richardson, N. M.; George A. Peter, of Lincoln N. M.
5-11 HOWARD LELAND, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Homestead Application No. 1146.
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico.
May 5, 1906.
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 E. W. Hulbert, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Lincoln, N. M., on June 21, 1906, viz: Abner F. Mundell, of Capitan, New Mexico, for the north west quarter of Section 22, T. 9 S., R. 14 E.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
D. J. M. A. Jewett, George Smith, Thomas H. Moore, Ellen Mundell, all of Capitan, N. M.
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Notice for Publication.

Homestead Application No. 1108.
Land Office at Roswell, N. M., May 5, 1906.
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 E. W. Hulbert, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Lincoln N. M., on June 21, 1906, viz: John J. Neal, one of the heirs of William L. Neal, deceased, of Ruidoso, N. M., for the northwest quarter of Section 12, T. 11 S., R. 13 E.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Charles W. Wingfield, Fount A. Miller, Peter G. Hale, Nicholas Bastion, all of Ruidoso, N. M.
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people of Arizona—shall joint statehood with New Mexico be accepted? Senator Foraker will agree to a slight modification of this amendment. It is argued that a special election would be expensive and unnecessary. Mr. Foraker will waive the special election, but will require that the definite and distinct question of accepting statehood, unfused with other issues involving a state constitution or the personal ambition of candidates for state offices, be submitted next fall at the regular election for delegates in congress. This is

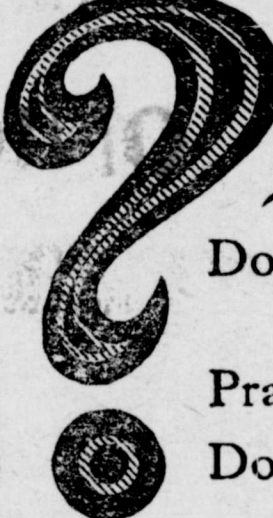
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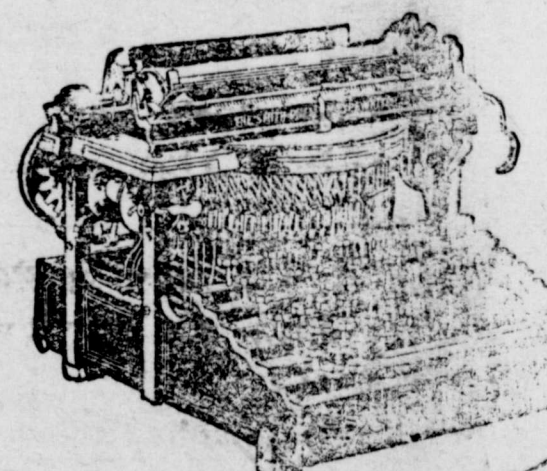
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the limit of concession to be expected of Mr. Foraker and his friends.

Rodey Receives a Judgeship.

The President, on the 15th of inst., appointed Ex-Delegate Bernard S. Rodey to a position on the bench of the Supreme Court of Porto Rico.

This action of the President will be grateful news to the republicans of this territory, as it removes from the political field a very disturbing element. While Mr. Rodey might not have been able to do any good for himself, he could have materially aided the democratic party to a successful issue this fall.

Aside from political reasons, there are countless good people in New Mexico who, while they may feel pleasure in the recognition by the President of Mr. Rodey's worth, will be sincerely sorry to see him leave us. The NEWS may be counted among that number, for while it has always opposed Mr. Rodey in politics, it has always recognized in him the sterling qualities of an honest man.

The Lincoln baseball team failed to put in an appearance last Sunday; so the match didn't materialize. A practice game, however, was played by the home team.