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## Watch this Space for Bargains!

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### REPUBLICAN PANIC COME HOME TO ROOST.

From New York Evening Post.

People are beginning to write to the newspapers to ask if this is to be known as the "Roosevelt panic." That is comparatively unimportant. The certain and significant thing is that it will be known as a republican and high tariff panic. Protest as republicans may, they will be held responsible. And it will be not only poetic but political justice that it should be.

Out of their own mouths, the Republican party and the Dingleyites will stand condemned. They fixed the standard by which they cannot escape being judged. In the party platform of that year, they referred to the panic of 1893, and the hard times following, squarely to charge up the entire accountability to the party in control of the national government. Not one word did they utter about the hand of the Lord having been heavy upon the country in crop failures; not a syllable was admitted about the unwise fiscal measures, and the dishonest silver legislation, for which the

Republican party was directly responsible, and which all impartial students of the time agree had a great deal to do with the financial disturbances that came later. No; everything was charged up to the imbecile government. It was the Democratic administration which the Republicans fervently alleged in 1896, had "precipitated panic" and "halted enterprise." And the political inference was stated with merciless logic. "Every consideration of public safety and individual interest demands that the government be rescued from the hands of those who have shown themselves incapable of conducting it \* \* \* and shall be restored to the party which for thirty years administered it with unequalled success and prosperity."

Now, what are the Republicans going to do when the Democrats hand them back their poisoned chalice? What, above all, are they going to say about the tariff as an infallible and magical creator of wealth and guarantor of prosperity? A great emergency has come, and the high tariff is seen to be of no avail whatever.

It was to keep us all rich and prosperous. If any man talked about laying a rash revising hand upon it, he was to be denounced and squelched, as President Roosevelt was, lest even to question the supernatural virtues of St. Tarifa might cause her to withdraw her favor, when we should all be miserably ruined.

It is, in fact, an extraordinary feature of this period of apprehension and panic that no mortal man has, to our knowledge, thought of the protective tariff as of any help whatever in the time of trouble. Yet if there is a word of truth in what has been said by republicans all these years, the tariff is the first thing everybody should have been turning to in the crisis. Is it not high customs duties which keep wages high and everybody employed, make the trade balance favorable, and stuff the banks with money? So we had fondly believed. At the first alarm, however, the republicans dropped their tariff fetich. They had not even the consistency of the worshippers of Baal, who stood by their idol even when it did not seem to be doing its work

well. What we should have witnessed these past few weeks, if republicans had writ their prosperity annals true, was a loud demand for a higher tariff as our only salvation. As in 1896, the republicans should have imitated the prophets of Baal, cried aloud and cut themselves with knives and lancets, and from morning until noon called out "Oh, Tariff, hear us." One reason they did not, may possibly have been that they feared lest some free trader Elijah might stand by and mock them: "Cry aloud; for he is a god; either he is talking, or he is pursuing, or he is on a journey, or peradventure he sleepeth, and must be awaked." But Baal was a respectable object of worship compared with the tariff.

Of course, sensible republicans have never believed a thousandth part of the nonsense about the tariff as our sole hope and stay. They have thought of it as a clever political dodge to dilate on their party as the only one that can make the nation prosperous by means of protective taxes, and have only hoped that their good

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## THE CAPITAN NEWS

CAPITAN, - - NEW MEXICO.

It costs the government \$35,000,000 a year now to distribute the mail to the farmers, but remarks the Topeka Herald, it is worth the money.

The New York woman who has been living with a bullet in her brain has more or less excuse for shooting off her mouth, as she has been doing of late.

That Brooklyn widow who weighs 525 pounds and is still growing, should look around soon if she expects to find a man who thinks she is worth her weight in gold.

Prince d'Abro of Egypt says that in his country people are slow to anger and never strike until some one strikes them first. How in the world do they ever get up fights, then?

In Boston the tribe of Sullivans has increased to such an extent that it now ranks next to the Smiths in the city directory. A few Emersons still reside there, but they don't occupy as much space as formerly.

Emperor William, while attending army maneuvers, is living in a portable asbestos house. The kaiser has been regarded as a "warm" proposition, but no one imagined his caloric had reached such a high degree as that.

Huge sums of money were carried through the streets of New York recently in an open wagon and without protection. Crooks will feel like suing the authorities for damages for not letting them know about it until next day.

A girl says she is not acquainted with a man who met her on the street car and claimed her as his wife. This is a rapid age, but at that no man should marry a woman who isn't acquainted with him without telling her anything about it.

Capt. Roald-Amundsen, being a wise person, will have his polar bears thoroughly broken to harness before riding them to the north pole. Also he should require with each bear a written guaranty that it would not eat man meat under any circumstances.

A lawyer in a New York police court testified that he had never done anything wrong in his life. And yet, up to date, he has not received an offer to go into vaudeville or had a bid for the National museum or Smithsonian Institution as one of the greatest of all living curiosities.

New Orleans and Galveston both meet the ships that bring in immigrants with a brass band welcome. If this doesn't turn the tides southward it is likely that something substantial, like 40 acres and a mule to every head of a family, will be added to the glittering inducements.

Dr. Wiley says: "If we admit as a physiological fact that an animal should live four times as long as its period of growth, the time may come in the far future when the average length of human life, instead of the exception, will be three-score and ten." Then life insurance rates can be reduced.

Walter Wellman will be jeered at for making a second failure of his projected airship journey to the pole, but as he very justly observes, it was not suicide he contemplated, but actual discovery of the pole, and when it looked like one more than the other, how many of his critics, asks the Chicago Daily News, would do otherwise than stay on solid ground?

# THE SHOE

By N. W. JENKINS

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Capt. Amyas Dare, of the Fifth United States cavalry, was east on furlough, after three years of frontier service. At this time he cherished a passion for photography; he had brought his friends innumerable pictures of Indians, coyotes, cliff-dwellers, and gila monsters; he went about with a kodak in his pocket and accumulated souvenirs of his holiday, destined to adorn the walls of his shack in the barracks, on the Arizona border.

One fine June morning he left New York for Washington, making himself comfortable in a parlor car, with a stack of books and papers beside him. By some fatality, he was dressed that morning in full uniform.

Presently, looking across the pages of his newspaper, he became aware of a beautiful young woman, seated at the open window on the other side of the car.

The girl looked up from her book; the captain, ashamed to be caught staring, at once dropped his eyes, and their gaze rested full upon that peerless foot.

Flesh is but grass. The captain whipped his kodak out of his pocket and, under cover of his newspaper, sighted it at the distracting object. An instant, and all would be well. But in that instant the girl stirred.

"Don't move!" cried Amyas, forgetting himself. "Don't move your foot!"

She sprang up, but the kodak had clicked shut; the impression was taken.

"I have it!" he exclaimed, in the moment of triumph. "Thank you very much!"

"You have what? A photograph of me?"

"Not altogether," he explained, innocently, "merely a picture of your shoe."

The young woman turned indignantly toward an elderly gentleman, who had now come forward. He had bristling white mustaches, and a haughty and forbidding appearance.

"Papa!" she exclaimed, "this person has insulted me."

"The particulars, Daphne!" said papa, with an ominous, steely glance at the culprit.

A whispered conversation followed; then Daphne subsided into her seat, holding her head high.

Her papa confronted the captain. "Sir," he said, "you have insulted my daughter."

"Nothing," declared Amyas, with his best bow, "could have been further from my intentions."

"How, sir? Hadn't you the impudence to try to take her photograph?"

"Oh, but I didn't."

"Don't attempt to trifle with me. You tried to photograph her—"

"Shoe. Well, I did. But there was nothing personal about that. Nobody could possibly identify it as hers. I regarded it merely as a beautiful object of—ah—art, or nature, or—"

"Be silent, sir. Of all the impudence—but, bah! I see you do not understand these things. I will come to the point. You have insulted my daughter. I demand satisfaction."

"Very good, sir. I am on my way to Washington. I stop at the Ebbitt house. Send your friend to me; I will be glad to accommodate you. Here is my card."

"H'm! Glad to stand up and shoot at me, after affronting my daughter! I dare say. I am not such an ass, sir, as to engage in a ridiculous duel with a young swash-buckler. I shall have you tried—court-martialed—for conduct unbecoming an officer and a gen-

tleman. A gentleman—taught? I will take your card now. Here is mine."

And he handed it over. I read:

HON. EVERARD ST. CYR.  
British Legation.

Soon after the train arrived in Washington Daphne's papa was in the office of the war department, preferring charges against Capt. Dare, while Daphne's too enthusiastic admirer, in his room at the Ebbitt house, was developing the film of his latest snap shot.

As he proceeded to do so, he remarked, rather pensively: "I suppose I did wrong, and there will be old Nick to pay, but was I to miss an opportunity like that? The picture will be a gem."

Subsequently, he was placed under arrest and confined to his quarters at the hotel, to await trial by a military tribunal.

One morning, who should call on him but Daphne, darkly veiled, and accompanied by her maid, who looked a modish duenna in her Frenchified, black garb.

Daphne had been talking to a mutual friend, a brother officer of Dare's, and this conversation had led her to look more leniently upon Dare's offense. He was a brave, single-hearted, high-toned fellow, the friend had said; singularly inexperienced in the ways of the world, and, where photographs were concerned, scarcely responsible for his actions. In this case, his error might be visited with severe punishment—even his dismissal from the service. Daphne had vainly endeavored to persuade her papa to withdraw his charges. And now—would the captain give her the unfortunate picture, that she might at once destroy it?

Amyas sighed deeply; however, he brought out the picture, beautifully developed and inclosed in an envelope. He gave it to Miss St. Cyr, who gave it to her maid to carry.

The officers appointed to act upon the case of Capt. Amyas Dare, charged with "conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman," had met, received all the evidence collected, and were about to make their final decision.

Bound to the strictest justice and impartiality, they did not propose to let any feeling of sympathy for the accused influence their verdict. They had the dignity of the service to uphold, with all its immortal traditions; and Dare's conduct had been in the last degree inconsistent with these. An unfavorable verdict seemed imminent; when, to the surprise of all, the captain, who had had very little to say in his own behalf, asked that a witness be summoned. It was supposed that all available testimony had been gathered. But Dare explained that the only real witness for the defense was the ankle photographed on the fatal occasion.

A short discussion followed, which ended in dispatching a messenger to the St. Cyr residence a few blocks away.

The messenger returned in haste, and with a grin handed Hon. Everard's reply to the officer whose address it bore. It was a defiance, pure and simple, of military tribunals in general and of this one in particular. It contained an absolute refusal, in language more forcible than polite, to send Miss St. Cyr's ankle.

What was to be done? The officers conferred together, and one of them

undertook to call on Hon. Everard, and use his persuasions.

He soon returned, discomfited; and Amyas, feeling fate against him, was obliged to waive the appearance of his witness.

He had nearly given himself up to despair, when the door softly opened, and a trim little veiled woman entered. It was Ceasarine, Daphne's maid. She held in her neatly gloved hands a dainty little box. She looked about her for an instant, then laid it in the hands of a gray-haired colonel, the oldest officer present.

The colonel untied the cord that secured the box, and removed the wrappings, one of silver paper and one of tissue. He reverently drew forth—the ankle—and placed it on the table before him. All came forward to inspect it. No one spoke.

It was a wonderful ankle. In a few seconds it had cast a spell over the entire company.

The colonel was near-sighted. He adjusted his glasses and bent a little lower over the object of interest.

The silence was broken by the voice of Capt. Dare.

"Gentlemen, I ask you—looking at this shoe, with Her foot in it, was I to blame?"

"Colonel," said the youngest member of the tribunal, rising, "have you ever read 'Ninety-Three?'"

"Perhaps I have," said the colonel. "If so, I don't remember it. What of it?"

"Only this: I am going to emulate Sergt. Radoub. If any man, with eyes in his head and a heart in his body, could preserve entire sanity while looking at—That—court-martial me! Dismiss me from the service!" And he sat down.

"Capt. Delgarde for acquittal," said the colonel. And, one after another, the remaining officers gave the verdict "Acquittal;" lastly, the gray-haired colonel himself.

Amyas breathed once more. "Vive ces Messieurs!" said Ceasarine, softly.

L'Envoi.

Married, at the British embassy on the 20th of December, 18—, Daphne, only daughter of Hon. Everard St. Cyr, to Amyas Dare, captain—th, United States cavalry.

ARE WORLD'S FINEST STABLES.

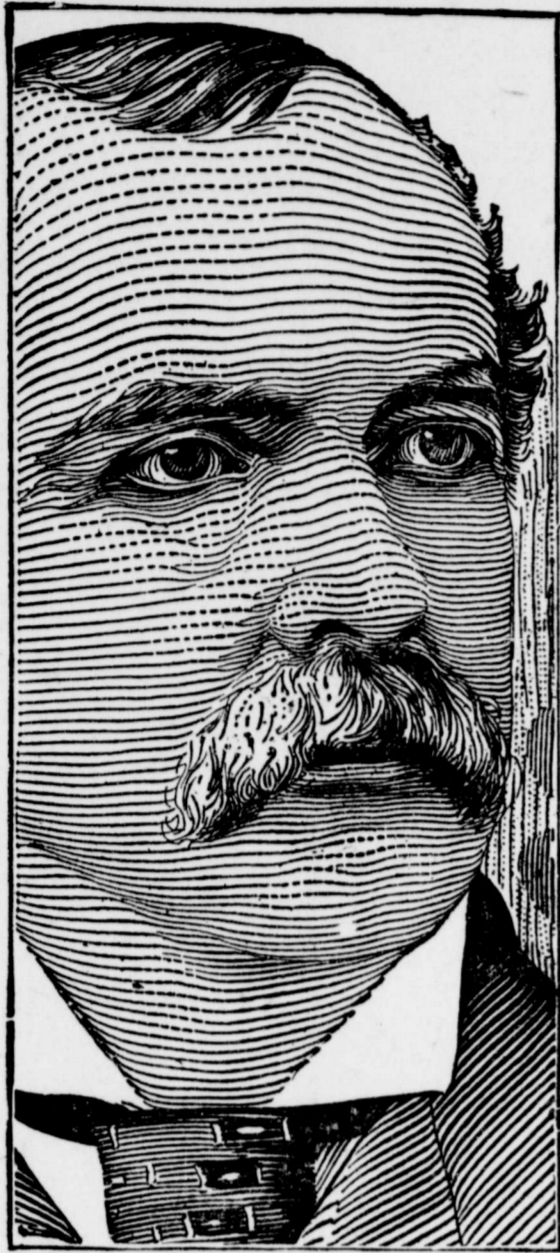
Most Luxurious Horse Quarters on Earth to Be Found in Newport.

No one feature of Newport extravagance more clearly shows the mint of money lavished on this playground of millionaires than the wonderful stables attached to every establishment, says the Broadway Magazine.

Take, for instance, the O. H. P. Belmont villa. It has a stable for its ground floor of such dimensions that a coach and four can drive in, turn about and drive out again. It contains the most elaborate equipment of carriages and harness in the world; its walls are decorated with rare old prints and blue-ribbon prizes. The estates of the brothers Vanderbilt, Alfred and Reginald, at Sand's Point, are veritable villages of stables. As you pass, Dr. Austin Flint whirls by in his motor, and you remember that people from Maine to California are reading that "Miss Reginald Vanderbilt is confined in the house with a cold."

The mere incidents impress you at first with the extravagance of Newport. The prices of papers, periodicals, candy, flowers, etc., are doubled. The millionaire sets the pace even in the simple process of buying a paper of pins. But these details are not of importance; what is important is the gigantic abortive extravagance dreamed of in the philosophy of the millionaire, and ably shown by the magnificent homes of the very horses and motor cars.

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**AIR IN THE BEDROOM.**

**Sleeping Chamber Should Always Be Well Ventilated.**

It goes without saying that the bedroom, according to Dr. Woods Hutchinson in the American Magazine, should be well ventilated, especially in view of the heavy storing up of oxygen in the tissues which goes on during sleep. All windows should be open from the top, at least one, and better two to three feet, so that a gentle current of air can be felt blowing across the face. It is just as pure and as wholesome as day air. Night fogs and rain are only injurious in so far as they frighten you into shutting your windows. No air that ever blew out doors is so dangerous or poisonous as that inside a bedroom with closed windows. The clothing should be as light as is consistent with warmth, the mattress elastic but firm, the pillow as high as the breadth of the shoulder, so as to keep the neck and head horizontal or slightly above when lying on the side. The good, hard, common-sense of humanity has solved all these problems, and the modern hair-mattress, or its equivalent, single pillow, and blankets, or "cheese-cloth-covered" "comfort," which can be cleaned and aerated by turning the hose on it, can hardly be much improved on. Beyond these there is no virtue whatever in hard beds, flat or no pillows, and cold bedrooms. The boggy feather bed, collector of the perspiration and diseases of successive generations, the bolster, the eider-down quilt, the hard sail-cloth-like counterpane, both airtight, and the latter heavy as a board, have gone to the attic or the ash-heap, where they belong, along with the four-poster and its curtains, the night-cap and the warming pan.

**HOUSEHOLD HINTS.**

A teaspoonful of pulverized alum mixed with the common stove polish will give a wonderful polish.

Scalding the milk for custard pie adds greatly to its flavor. An addition of a teaspoonful of brown sugar or molasses is also helpful.

To keep your favorite cook book open at the right page use a band of elastic an inch wide. When not in use you may strap it around the closed book.

To save the great toe of the foot wearing through the hose too quickly cut a piece of chamoise and shape it to fit over the toe by sewing two pieces together in a manner similar to a child's moccasin.

When one is compelled to hang a skirt against the closet wall instead of on hangers extended from the ceiling let the back of the skirt rest against the wall, then if there is any wrinkling it comes at the back where it is not noticeable.

If windows move hard melt a tablespoonful of lard and pour a little between window frame and casing, and also a little on the roller and rope. It works like magic. This is a good thing to know when the frames are swollen from being closed during rainy weather.

Stains made by medicine and liniment are often obstinate to remove in the hands of an amateur. Iodine marks may be removed by washing the spots with strong ammonia until it fades, after which wash with tepid water and strong soap. Ammonia is equally good for removing cod liver oil stains. Fuller's earth made into a paste and thickly applied to the spots will also remove them.

**Fried Corn.**

Cut the corn carefully from six ears of nice sweet corn. Do not score, and be careful not to cut any of the cob with the corn, but have each grain separate. Put one tablespoonful of butter in a frying pan; put in the corn and fry until a nice brown, stirring often. Draw the pan away from the hot fire, add half a cupful of hot cream and salt and pepper to taste. Serve at once in a hot dish. Nice for breakfast or lunch.

**A TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE.**

**How a Veteran Was Saved the Amputation of a Limb.**

B. Frank Doremus, veteran, of Roosevelt avenue, Indianapolis, Ind., says: "I had been showing symptoms of kidney trouble from the time I was mustered out of the army, but in all my life I never suffered as in 1897. Headaches, dizziness and sleeplessness, first, and then dropsy. I was weak and helpless, having run down from 180 to 125 pounds. I was having terrible pain in the kidneys, and the secretions passed almost involuntarily. My left leg swelled until it was 34 inches around, and the doctor tapped it night and morning until I could no longer stand it, and then he advised amputation. I refused, and began using Doan's Kidney Pills. The swelling subsided gradually, the urine became natural, and all my pains and aches disappeared. I have been well now for nine years since using Doan's Kidney Pills."

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**ON A MACKEREL SCHOONER.**

**Daily Routine in the Life of the Gloucester Fishermen.**

The routine life on a mackerel schooner is not strenuous. The crew consists of 14 men, a skipper and cook. Two men constitute a watch, one aloft as a lookout, the other at the wheel, so that each man has two hours on duty, and then 12 hours off, before his turn comes around again. During this period he may be called on to shorten sail, wash the deck or to perform other work. Half of the crew have their bunks forward with the cook, who is king of the fore-castle, and the rest sleep aft with the captain. We were assigned to a double bunk aft, where we were not troubled with galley smells, but had to be on our good behavior. All the rollics and revels were forward. The crew ate in two shifts, the older men with the skipper.—Travel Magazine.

**Chiropodist's Prescription.**

A lotion and powder for tender and swollen feet: One teaspoonful of boracic acid to one pint of grain alcohol. After bathing the feet in lukewarm water, spray them with the lotion used in an atomizer, and fan until dry. The effect is delightful. Then rub over the foot this powder, or put it in the stocking:

Powdered starch, 35 grains, oil of bergamot, ten drops; oil of lavender, 6 drops; oil of wintergreen, 16 drops. Mix well, and pass through a sieve. Excellent.—National Magazine.

**TRANSFORMATIONS.**

**Curious Results When Coffee Drinking Is Abandoned.**

It is almost as hard for an old coffee toper to quit the use of coffee as it is for a whisky or tobacco fiend to break off, except that the coffee user can quit coffee and take up Postum without any feeling of a loss of the morning beverage, for when Postum is well boiled and served with cream, it is really better in point of flavor than most of the coffee served nowadays, and to the taste of the connoisseur it is like the flavor of fine, mild Java.

A great transformation takes place in the body within ten days or two weeks after coffee is left off and Postum used, for the reason that the poison to the nerves—caffeine—has been discontinued, and in its place is taken a liquid food that contains the most powerful elements of nourishment.

It is easy to make this test and prove these statements by changing from coffee to Postum. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

**HIS MEMORY WAS GOOD.**

**Commodore Vanderbilt Had Not Forgotten Old Days.**

The coming of age of Miss Gladys Vanderbilt and the payment to her of some twelve millions of dollars inheritance has brought out a new crop of anecdotes about the Vanderbilt fortune. One of the latest illustrates the democratic spirit of the old commodore.

Sitting on the porch of a fashionable hotel at a fashionable resort on one occasion, it is related, the commodore saw a lady approaching with whom he was acquainted. His wife and daughter, who recognized her, could scarcely contain their anger when he arose and politely addressed her.

"Don't you know," said the daughter after she had gone, "that horrid woman used to sell poultry to us?"

"Yes," responded the old millionaire, "and I remember when your mother sold root beer and I peddled oysters in New Jersey."

**Yes, Why Not?**

Dr. Frank C. Bostwick, official dentist to the sultan of Morocco, has been spending his vacation in Plainfield, N. J., and at a recent dinner he said, apropos of a bad child:

"It is wise to punish children, but not corporally. I know a dentist in Gibraltar who got out a birch rod to punish his little son with one day. The boy, looking at the rod, said piteously:

"Papa, would you mind giving me gas first?"

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**Sea Trout Fattened.**

A sea trout was caught at Aberdeen recently, which swam 120 miles in 49 days, and doubled its weight on the way. It was marked and put into the Coquet in Northumberland, and when recaptured at Aberdeen, its length was not increased, its rapid gain in weight being due to corpulence.

**Important to Mothers.**

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

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**First Thibet Newspaper.**

A report received at Peking from Chang Yingtang, the Chinese resident at Lhassa, tells of the establishment of a native newspaper, the first one ever printed in the Thibetan language.

The reward of kindness is a more lovable disposition and a wider vision of opportunity.—Jacobs.

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### SUBSCRIPTION RATES:

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The financial market is suffering from a serious attack of constipation, and the administration has prescribed a dose of bonds for its relief.

Major Llewellyn has handed in his resignation as United States District Attorney, and David J. Leahy has been appointed in his stead. The "Majah" now realizes how it feels to be "canned."

Attorney General A. B. Fall has resigned, so dispatches state, and Governor Curry has appointed Frank W. Clancy of Albuquerque to the position. Mr. Clancy is known to be an able, honest and fearless lawyer.

The NEWS is in receipt of a printed letter, signed by Nathan Jaffa, Secretary and Acting Governor of New Mexico, calling upon the people of the territory to meet in Santa Fe November 30th, (tomorrow) for the purpose of pushing the statehood movement. The information came to this section too late for action on the part of the people, and it is a question as to Lincoln county having representation at the meeting.

The three Americans sentenced to be shot in Mexico, on the 6th of December, have been reprieved, and they will be given a prison sentence of twenty years each. They were known as Richardson, Mason and Harle, though now the two former names have been changed to Mitchell and Hulbert. The charge against the condemned men was that they had made a practice of securing a life insurance policy for others, making away with the insured and collecting the insurance.

In 1893 when, under a Democratic administration, the gold dollar was made the unit of value, it was necessary to call an extra session of congress to legalize the system; and the Democratic president found it necessary to sell some bonds in order solely to maintain the legal gold reserve in the treasury, which had been depleted by his predecessor. Now, under a Republican administration, in the midst of peace, plenty and prosperity, with nearly

\$250,000,000 in the treasury, all that is needed is for a few stock jobbers in New York to say the word, and, presto! our monetary system is changed; and "Clearing House Certificates" take the place of gold, which is transferred from the national treasury to the New York banks, and a bond issue is made of greater magnitude than is customary in time of war: yet the country is overflowing with wealth. The common geezer very naturally sits up and takes notice, long enough to ask "why?"

### The Rebekah Ball.

The Thanksgiving ball given at the school house last night, under the auspices of the local Rebekah lodge, was a success—socially, financially and numerically. Large crowds came from Carrizozo, Nogal, Bonito, Fort Stanton and surrounding country. It was a gay throng of merry maskers, the costumes and make-ups representing the unique, comical, grotesque, ludicrous, and sublime. A palatable and substantial lunch was partaken of at midnight, after which dancing was resumed, and continued until early mass this morning.

### Jicarilla Correspondence.

(Delayed in transmission)

On Monday, the 18th, the body of John Duncan, better known as "Scotty," was discovered lying by the roadside leading from Jicarilla south. He had become exhausted while toiling through the snow, and probably lay down to rest, and was frozen to death during the night. Old and enfeebled, he slept while Death mercifully severed the ties which bound him to a life full of hardships and trials, with few, very few, of its blessings. Born seventy-six years ago among the bonny braes of Scotland, little else is known of the deceased, save that for many years his life was spent among the mining men of this Camp, who as old comrades and friends from long association, saved him from a like death many times before. And now, at last, the poor old Hull has stranded, his big heart and honest life will be cherished as long as the evergreens wave over his lonely grave.

"No further seek his merits to disclose,  
Or draw his frailties from their dread abode,—  
(There they alike in trembling hope repose.)  
The bosom of his Father and his God."  
"A FRIEND."

The New Mexican criticises the editorial and local utterances of the NEWS, but deftly avoids an answer.

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## WELCH & TITSWORTH.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Williamson came over from Carrizozo this week on a visit to their parents.

WANTED—Spring chickens and fresh eggs.—Welch & Titsworth.

P. G. Peters and daughters, Misses Lucille and Imogene, arrived from El Paso on Monday's train.

Only a few Bucks left. If you want them and have not the money, a good note will answer.

STUART & STEPHENSON.  
Alto, New Mexico.

R. L. Herbert arrived Tuesday evening from Roswell. He intends to remain in Capitan for the winter.

WANTED—Teams and wagons to haul piping from Capitan to pipe line, \$5.25 per ton to any point on Bonito, with rate below that figure near to Capitan. Pipe will also be freighted from Indian Divide. For particulars see or address M. S. Crockett, Angus.

S. T. Gray left Tuesday for Alamogordo, in response to a telegram. He returned on yesterday's train.

Charles Kruger and family expect to start next week for Childress, Texas, where they will remain during the winter.

John C. Copeland has recovered from his recent severe attack of typhoid fever, and will resume his old position at Fort Stanton.

A special train bearing the superintendent and roadmaster on a tour of inspection of this branch of the Southwestern system, passed over the line Friday.

J. W. Stephenson was down from Alto today, and says the roads in the mountains are almost impassable, on account of snow, ice and mud.

A score or more of four-horse teams are hauling pipe to the Bonito. The recent bad weather has crippled pipe transportation, and even now only comparatively small loads can be handled.

S. T. Gray had the misfortune to lose one of his best driving horses this week, on the road from Carrizozo to Capitan. This is the second valuable animal Mr. Gray has lost from his stable the past month.

We went hunting last week and a beautiful bronze-colored bird was brought in, which assisted in appeasing our Thanksgiving appetite. We set up no claim to bagging the bird, however.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira O. Wetmore were among the number who came over from Carrizozo yesterday to spend Thanksgiving and attend the Rebekah ball. They left this morning for Roswell on a week's visit.

The free-for-all race, scheduled for Carrizozo on Christmas day, we are informed, has been called off. Roosevelt prosperity has evidently struck that burg.

The company which bought El Capitan Land & Cattle Co. holdings, some time ago, started a large herd of cattle this week to Roswell, from which point they will be shipped to eastern markets.

Our old friend Wm. Graham, who formerly lived on Bonito but left here last June, has purchased a farm and ranch near Junction, Kimble county, Texas, and has settled there with his family. We give them until next summer to return to Lincoln county.

S. W. Hale, section foreman on the branch line, is putting the line in shape as fast as ties are furnished. He has put in 5,000 ties between here and Walnut station since spring, and could use double that number to advantage if furnished him.

Despite the panic and the absence of the coin of the realm, the folk of Capitan had lots of things on their tables yesterday for which to return thanks. It is said that full stomachs make happy people, and this accounts, partially, for the jolly crowd at the ball last night.

A number of our dry-ranch farmers have begun to market their products, the quality of which is equal, and in some cases superior, to like products raised on irrigated farms. We have been informed that the yield of all field crops on non-irrigated farms in this vicinity has been greater than was anticipated early in the season.

Notwithstanding the financial depression and the change in our monetary system from coin and currency to clearing-house scrip, the merchants of Capitan continue to sell goods with unabated regularity, which demonstrates that Capitan is the business center of Lincoln county, and the supply point for the most prosperous section of the county.

J. V. Tully, of the Riodoso, who was a delegate from New Mexico at the Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress, which was held at Muskogee, Oklahoma, returned Monday. He reports having had a most delightful trip and was much impressed with what he saw while away. However, apart from the most favored portions of Oklahoma, he saw nothing that for wealth of natural resources equaled Lincoln county.

The deer season ends tomorrow: turkeys are still game.

## AROUND THE HOUSE

### LITTLE THINGS THAT AMOUNT TO MUCH.

**Use Hydrogen Peroxide to Remove Blood Stains—Cream of Tartar When Ink Is Spilled—Proper Way to Clean Ivory.**

Hydrogen peroxide is good for removing stains caused by blood, but must be used with care. If gravy is spilled on your table linen or gown, it may be taken out quickly by the use of a little peroxide. To avoid weakening the material this should be immediately followed by the use of an alkali. If just removing a spot, sponge the fabric first with peroxide until the stain has vanished, then follow with a solution of weak ammonia. If you have been unfortunate in staining a handsome gown or blouse that cannot be laundered, dampen starch and place it thickly upon the stain. When dry brush off the starch. This may have to be repeated several times. Mildew is a stubborn stain. Try immersing the spots first in buttermilk, or lemon juice, then launder in the usual manner.

It is difficult to remove ink stains nowadays, because modern chemical inks are quite distinct in character from the old compounds. However, many suggestions are offered for removing ink. One way is to cover the stain thickly with cream of tartar, then hold the fabric over a bowl, and pour boiling water through it. If the stain is taken in hand at once it will disappear quickly; if dry and old, it may need several fresh applications of cream of tartar and boiling water. If still obstinate, lay the article in the sun, moistening from time to time with the same mixture. Lemon juice and salt is also often an effective mixture. The fabric should be placed in the sun. Another remedy for ink-stains on white goods is hot tallow. Dip the spots in the melted tallow, let it cool on the goods, then brush off and launder.

To clean ivory that has become brown or of a blackish tint, dissolve rock alum in rain water; boil this and keep the ivory in the boiling solution for about an hour, taking it out from time to time and cleaning it with a soft brush; then let it dry in a damp linen rag, when it will be found thoroughly cleaned. Ivory is often bleached by the simple process of dampening it and exposing it to the rays of the sun, a process which must be frequently repeated.

It is said that potatoes will bake in much less time if the skins are greased before putting them into the oven. The skins will come off more easily and will be as thin as when boiled.

It will be economy to finish your sheets with the same width hem at each end. By so doing they can be used either side up, and gain much wear.

#### Indian Relish.

Peel and chop one white cabbage and six white onions and arrange in layers in stone jar, covering each layer with salt. Stand for 24 hours, then rinse in cold water and drain in colander. Bring a pint of vinegar to the boiling point, with one-half pound of brown sugar, one-half teaspoon of alum, a heaping teaspoon each of turmeric, mace, black pepper, allspice and ground cinnamon and two teaspoons each of celery and mustard seed. Stir this spiced vinegar into cabbage and onion mixture, set aside over night. In the morning drain off the vinegar, heat to boiling point again and pour it over the pickle. Do this again on the next day, then set aside over night. Now turn the vegetables and vinegar into a kettle, boil hard for five minutes. Then set aside until cold and pack in jars.

#### The Shah on His Travels.

How the shah of Persia left Teheran on his journey to Europe in 1900 is described by the author of "Through Persia in a Motor Car." The imperial baggage—items of which were sacks of corn and barley, a school globe and a colossal musical box—was four hours rolling through Teheran. In the midst, on a diminutive donkey, came a little man with a gray beard and spectacles, who carried an enormous wallet, out of which bulged mysterious-looking articles, among others a huge open telescope. This was his sacred majesty's astrologer.

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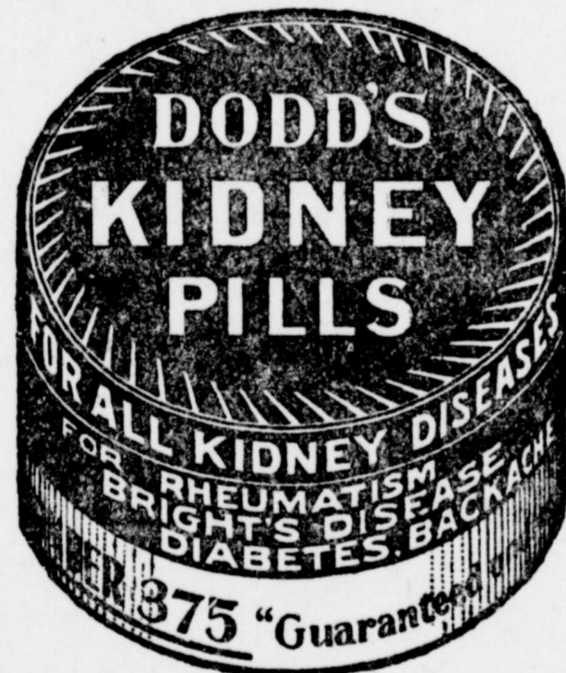
Mrs. Cussem—Why did you take the parrot out of the room?

Mr. Cussem—He's just beginning to learn to talk, and I thought it was best to keep him out while I was putting on my new shirt."

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# SEARCH CLIFF RUINS SAID TO BE SIMPLE

INTERESTING WORK OF SCIENTISTS IN NEW MEXICO.

Digging Up the Secrets of a People Which Lived Ages Ago in Houses Cut of Rock.

Santa Fe, N. M.—Probably no more important or interesting archeological investigation has ever been conducted in American than that just begun in what is known as the Pajarito Park district of New Mexico, about twenty-five miles west of Santa Fe, and not more than five or six miles from Buckman Station, on the Denver & Rio Grande railroad. The work is in charge of Prof. Edgar L. Hewett, director of American archeology in the Archeological Institute of America, who is assisted by a number of enthusiastic students of archeology. Three or four months will be spent in making explorations in this little-known region. The time is entirely too short for an exhaustive examination, which must be the work of years but it is encouraging to see some indication that the common belief that the Archeological Institute of America is interested in antiquities only provided that they are not American is not entirely justified.

Pajarito Park is included in the great Jemez National Forest—although equally interesting antiquities belonging to the same group are also found in the Santa Clara Indian Reservation and in the private land grant now controlled by the Ramon Land and Lumber company. To Prof. Hewett belongs the credit for having the ruins included, as far as possible, in the forest reserve, in order that they might be preserved from the thoughtless acts of vandalism that threatened the utter destruction of everything of an antiquarian value. The district is bounded on the north by the Rio Chama, on the east by the Rio Grande, on the south by the Rio de los Frijoles and on the west by the Jemez mountains. Much of it is heavily timbered, while its scenic features are of great beauty and grandeur. The whole surface at one time was deeply covered with volcanic tufa. Through this and through the harder rock strata below, the intermittent streams that flow down from the mountains have worn deep canons and gulches. The district thus presents an aggregate of many hundreds of miles of perpendicular cliffs, gray, yellow, orange and salmon colored. The mesas are nearly all very narrow, some being mere tongues of rock separating comparatively wide valleys.

In another almost inaccessible spot, A. B. Craycraft, the Santa Fe photographer, whose work has done so much to spread abroad a knowledge of the wonders of Pajarito Park, recently

discovered two great stone idols carved from the living rock, and still forming an integral part of the cliff to which they were attached. In still another canon are the "stone lions of Potrero de las Vacas," and in another the Painted Cave. Most wonderful of all, say certain aged Indians of the pueblo of Santa Clara, is the "Stone Council Chamber." In a secret recess in a deep canon they claim are twelve colossal stone figures ten of which represent men sitting around a council fire, while the other two represent squaws with papooses on their backs. That this "Stone Council Chamber" really exists no one familiar with the



Stone Tents of Otowi.

traditions of Santa Clara Indians doubts, but no living white man has ever seen it.

No less remarkable are the stone tents of Otowi, in the canon of the same name. These were originally huge, solid, conical stone formations, detached from the cliffs, although standing near them. In all, there are about fifty of them. In spiral arrangement, around the exterior, are deeply cut hand-and-footholds, making it comparatively easy to ascend to the top, although some are fully forty feet high. In some of them, rooms have been laboriously excavated. Examination reveals the fact that some of the stone tents used to be much higher than they now are, and that the elements have worn them down until the higher rooms have been wholly or partially destroyed. Just what was the purpose of these curious places is purely a matter of conjecture. Some suppose that they were devoted to religious uses, or were the dwelling places of the priests. Others think they formed the abodes of the chiefs and rulers. It is said that similar "stone tents" exist in Thibet, but nowhere else in the known world. When the wonders of our own land are better appreciated, the stone tents of Otowi will be considered justification for a journey across the continent.

## ORIGIN OF WORD "HUMBUG."

Corruption of Name That Was Applied to Base Coin.

Among the many issues of base coin which, from time to time, were made in Ireland, there was none to be compared in worthlessness to that made by James II. at the Dublin mint. It was composed of anything on which he could lay his hands, such as lead, pewter, copper and brass; and so low was its intrinsic value that 20 shillings of it was worth only two pence sterling. William III., a few days after the battle of the Boyne, ordered that the crown piece and half crown should be taken as one penny and one halfpenny, respectively. The soft, mixed metal of which that worthless coin was composed was known among the Irish as Uim bog, pronounced Oom bog, that is, soft copped, or worthless money; and in the course of their dealings the modern use of

the word humbug took its rise, as in the phrases: "That's a piece of uimbog," "Don't think to pass off your uimbog on me." Hence the word humbug came to be applied to anything that had a specious appearance, but which was in reality spurious. It is curious to note that the very opposite of humbug, that is, false metal, is the word sterling, which is taken from a term applied to the true coinage of Great Britain, as sterling coin, sterling worth, etc. This word came from the coinage of the Esterlings—German traders, who came from the "east" of England, and in the reign of John I. stamped pure coin in England. And thenceforward the name "sterling" was applied to standard coin in England.

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Myer—What does he think with?

Gyer—His wife's brains.

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Some persons who suffer with the afflictions may not feel inclined to place much confidence in this simple mixture, yet those who have tried it say the results are simply surprising, the relief being effected without the slightest injury to the stomach or other organs.

Mix some and give it a trial. It certainly comes highly recommended. It is the prescription of an eminent authority, whose entire reputation, it is said, was established by it.

## SURELY HAD PRIZE FLY.

Money Invested in Incubator Was Not All Lost.

Poultney Bigelow, the brilliant author and journalist, said the other day of the chicken farm that he is about to set up at Malden:

"I hope to succeed with this farm. I hope our experiences won't too closely resemble that of my old friend Horatio Rogers. Rash Rogers lived in the suburbs. On the suburban train one morning he said to me with a sour laugh:

"I've got something nobody else has got, Mr. Bigelow."

"Have you, Rash?" said I. "What is it?"

"Well," said Rogers, "I bought a \$50 incubator last month, put \$15 worth of eggs in it, and hatched out a blubottle fly."

"He frowned, then sighed. "Yes," he said, "I've got the only \$65 blubottle fly in the world."

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## Marrying for Love.

Happy marriages are surely possible even in these unpoetic, hard-hearted times. They are, if the people will only follow the instinct of their better natures and marry for love—the reverent, impassionate love of the man for the maiden, the pure, unsophisticated affection of the maiden for the man—instead of bartering happiness for rank or money.—Thorne.

## The Floating Anchor.

Captain Sealby of the Cretic was talking about the nautical ignorance of the average tourist.

"I once overheard a tourist," he said, "ask her husband where their daughter was."

"In the blunt end of the ship," the husband answered.

"Still worse, though," Captain Sealby continued, "was the nautical ignorance of a couple of landsmen who went sailing.

"These greenhorns had for anchor a lot of stones tied up in a burlap bag.

"When lunch time came the skipper called to his mate:

"Cast anchor!"

"The other heaved the anchor overboard, but in the act the burlap slit and the stones sank to the bottom while the bag floated.

"Skipper," said the man, after watching the bag a little while, "the anchor won't sink. What's to be done?"

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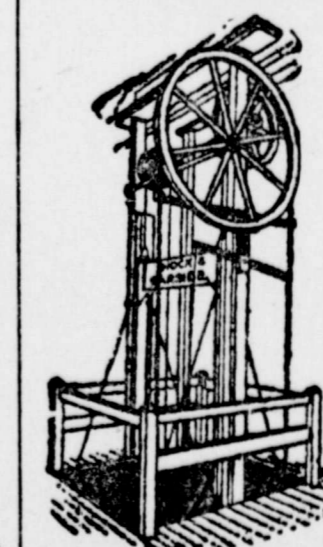
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**Republican Panic Come Home to Roost.**

(Continued from first page.)

luck in avoiding panics would keep on. The panic of 1893 was really their panic, but they ran off and left it on Cleveland's doorstep. For some time past, they have been praying that the good times might not fail till after the next presidential election. This shows how they have thought of the whole thing as political. But now their panic chickens have come home to roost. Here we are in an "off" year; the little talk there is of tariff reform comes more from Republicans than from Democrats; no political bugaboo can be alleged to be interfering with the beneficent workings of the high tariff, yet it is visibly failing to do what its champions have vowed it always would do. The advance agent of prosperity has been replaced by the bill collector of adversity.

Whatever other effects the panic may have, it has at least dealt a death-blow to the tariff superstition. Perhaps in no other way could we have got rid of it. Hereafter, any man who uses the argument that you must not demand the abolition of the tariff outrages, since, if you do, you will imperil prosperity, will be laughed at. The way is at last open to attack the question of protective duties in statesmanlike fashion, without having to face the abuse and prejudice and idolatrous ignorance which have for years made it difficult to deal with the tariff like rational men.

T. C. Jacobs returned the first of the week from a two-weeks trip in the San Andres mountains, where he went to investigate range conditions. He found the grass good, but failed to discover sufficient water for his stock. Mr. Jacobs finds it necessary to move his cattle to a better range for the winter.

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log scale, more or less. No bid of less than \$3 per thousand feet B. M., for both live and dead timber will be considered, and a deposit of \$600 must be sent to Geo. E. King, Fiscal Agent, Forest Service, Washington, D. C., for each bid submitted to the Forester. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. For further information and regulations governing sales, address J. H. Kinney, Forest Supervisor, Capitán, New Mexico.—E. E. Carter, Acting Forester. 11-29-5t

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that under and in pursuance of the Decree of the said Court in the above entitled cause, dated July 24th, A. D. 1907, the undersigned Special Master in Chancery will, on the 9th day of December, A. D. 1907, at the front door of the Court House of Lincoln County, in the town of Lincoln, New Mexico, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and the setting of the sun, on said day, offer for sale at public vendue, and sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, the premises hereinafter described and all the right, title and interest of said J. B. Chandler and Beulah H. Chandler, his wife, defendants therein, to satisfy the indebtedness by said Decree, decreed to be due from said defendants to said plaintiffs, to-wit: the sum of Four hundred and thirty-five dollars principal; Forty-eight and 32-100 dollars interest and Forty-eight and 32-100 dollars attorney's fees, to-wit: Five hundred and thirty-one and 62-100 dollars, together with Twenty-one and 90-100 dollars for costs and necessary disbursements, with ten per cent interest from said 24th day of July, A. D. 1907, to the day of sale, and a Special Master's fee of Twenty-five dollars, and the cost of this notice, to-wit: Twenty and 25-100 dollars, making a total of \$617.59, due upon said day of sale, which indebtedness was decreed to be a lien upon the hereinafter described premises, and which said indebtedness remains due and unpaid.

The premises to be sold are situated in the County of Lincoln, Territory of New Mexico, and are more particularly described as follows, to-wit: The east half of the northwest quarter

of section 11, in township 9 south of range, 16 east; together with all and singular the lands and tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

J. W. OWEN, Sheriff of Lincoln County, N. M., and Special Master in Chancery.

Lincoln, N. M., October 31st, A. D., 1907. 11-8-5t

**Notice for Publication.**

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, October 23, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Rinaldo Moya, of Arabela, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final five-year proof in support of his claim, viz.: Homestead Entry No. 2082, made October 23, 1901, for the E½ of the SW¼ and the W½ of the SE¼, of Section 30, Township 9 South, Range 18 East, and that said proof will be made before the Register or Receiver at Roswell, New Mexico, on December 9, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz.:

Juan Rubio, of Roswell, N. M.; Juan Rafael Montoya, of Analla, N. M.; Pas Tomez, of Analla, N. M.; Pedro Tomez, of Arabela, N. M. 10-25-6t HOWARD LELAND, Register.

**Notice for Publication.**

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, N. M., November 7, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Elisha E. Moseley, of Roswell, N. M., has filed notice of his intention to make final five-year proof in support of his claim, viz.: Homestead Entry No. 1905, made August 22, 1901, for the E½ of SW¼ and W½ of SE¼ of Section 34, Township 7 S., Range 17 E., and that said proof will be made before the Register or Receiver, at Roswell, New Mexico, on December 21, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of the land, viz.:

Thomas Y. Pannell, of Meek, N. M.; Isaac Grindstaff, of Meek, N. M.; Daniel McFarland, of Meek, N. M.; George W. McFarland, of Roswell, N. M. 11-15-6t HOWARD LELAND, Register.

**Notice for Publication.**

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, N. M., November 25, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Sallie Murphy, of Angus, New Mexico, has filed notice of her intention to make final five-year proof in support of her claim, viz.: Homestead Entry No. 4122, made May 6, 1903, for the Southwest quarter of Section 8, Township 10 south, Range 14 east, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Kimbrell, Probate Clerk, at his office in Lincoln, New Mexico, on January 6, 1908.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz.:

Geo. W. Barrett, Monroe Howard, Will Marr, all of Angus, N. M.; and Arch Parker, of Capitán, N. M. 11-29-07 HOWARD LELAND, Register.



### Coalora Mines May Soon Close Down.

The coal mines at Coalora are liable to close down at any time. They have been dangerous for some time, cave-ins occurring almost weekly, and the miners seem to think that the roof will drop down with a crash one of these days, and they don't want to be caught below when the avalanche happens. The mines comprise about four miles of underground workings, the deepest shaft is 2,100 feet, the next deepest is 1900 feet, and a number of shafts of lesser depth. Up to a few years ago, or previous to the opening of the Dawson coal fields, the Coalora mines supplied the demand in the southwest, besides Mexico. Between three and four hundred miners were employed there, whose monthly wages ran from \$110 to \$150 per month. Coalora was a lively camp at that time, and of considerable benefit to the business of Capitan, being only a mile and half distant.

Frank Cooney died at Lincoln Sunday night. Deceased came to Fort Stanton from New York about eight years ago, as a patient for treatment for tuberculosis. He left the sanatorium four years ago apparently regenerated in health, since which time he was employed by Sheriff Owen in various capacities. He fought a long battle, but finally succumbed to the disease. He was of an exceptionally cheerful disposition, and will be remembered by the old-timers at the Fort, where he was familiarly known as "No two ways about Cooney."

Felix Braune, of Bonito City, an old friend of this office, was in town Monday. Among the improvements contemplated by Mr. Braune is to surround his home with a fruit orchard, and with that object in view received a shipment of a thousand young trees of many varieties while here. He also intends enlarging his fish hatchery, and adding another pond, which he will stock with a different variety of trout. He will then have fish to eat, sell or give away; be independent of the territorial fish law, and have a place worth a day's journey to visit.

Major Carrington and son, Master Gordon, and Dr. Smith and Mr. Strachan, all of Fort Stanton, were trailing wild turkey in the Capitans this week.

Robert A. Hurt says he bagged two fine turkeys in the mountains this week. Having recently experienced Bob's qualities as a Nimrod, we are forced to the conclusion that his neighbors are the losers.

### Chicago Banks Hoard Cash.

A dispatch from Chicago, dated Dec. 4, states: It was brought out today that there was approximately \$300,000,000 cash in the Chicago banks, of which \$100,000,000 was in savings banks and the rest in the National banks. When the last call was made on the National banks, August 28, there were \$128,000,000 in the Chicago National banks. Never before in the history of Chicago banks has there been so much actual money on hand as at the present.

### Wood-Pulp and Its Uses.

More than three and a half million tons of wood were converted into paper during the past year. The supremacy of the United States in using the greatest amount of reading matter per capita is maintained at the cost of an enormous drain upon the forests. Yet besides paper there are a number of other special uses to which the great quantity of wood-pulp was put. It is made into pails, basins, dishes, boxes and picture frames. The use of wood-pulp for car-wheels has long been known, but a new use reported from Germany is that for telegraph poles. Americans now use wood-pulp steam and water pipes, shoe heels, horse shoes, tool handles, buttons, pulleys, paving blocks, coffins, etc. Paper, or wood-pulp, surgeon splints have many advantages over those of other materials, in their lightness, strength and flexibility. Perhaps the most unique use for paper-pulp is for observatory domes. Here again its lightness, strength and flexibility commend it, and in addition it has none of the disadvantages which arise from the use of metallic substances near to sensitized instruments.

Mrs. William Booth is on the sick list this week.

Frank Purcella is going about on crutches, as a result of a fall from a horse.

Charles Kruger and family left on Monday's train for Childress, Texas, where they expect to spend the winter.

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