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By Capt. CHARLES KING, U. S. A. Author of "Dunraven Ranch," "The Colonel's Daughter," "Marion's Faith," Etc., Etc.



stiffening frame of his father's old friend. Far up in the northwest, along the banks of the broad, winding stream the Sioux call the Elk, a train of white top- time being, of course "get square," and ped army wagons is slowly crawling more too, with the unfortunate general noonday, and the dust from the loose gusted lot as they hang about the wagon soil rises like heavy smoke and powders train as last of all it is being hitched in every face and form in the guarding to leave camp. Some victims, of course, OFFICIAL STENOGRAPHER, indistinguishable. Four companies of vices of commanding officers which can brown rifles slung over the shoulder, are the prairies when the men themselves are ridge line, and far to the front and rear, the train, and Capt. Hull, the commandcavalry skirmishers and scouts are rid- ing officer, has reprimanded Sergts. ing to and fro, searching every hollow Clancy and Gower in stinging terms for

since the scouts rode in at daybreak to bad odor accordingly. say that big bunds were in the immediate boasted strength or swiftness, elusive as river bank a good mile farther. the Irishman's flea of tradition Only to "Old Hull seems bound to leave the ed" down to the Elk, have crossed, and his own pile." are now seeking to make their way, with "How much did you say he was carryehildren, tepees, dogs, "travois," WHITE OAKS, LINCOLN Co., N. M. the opportunity for which an old Indian column. fighter has been anxiously waiting. In "Nearly three thousand dollars in one a big cantonment he has held the main wad." out constant scouting parties to the east sum?"

> wise astonished when a courier comes in they would a savings bank." now two or three days' march away such sum with me. down stream, "making for the big bend." "It's different with the control of the big bend." ment, the -th cavalry, starts forthwith want? slipped away from the general rush. Even as "boots and saddles" is sounding, other couriers come riding in from

trail of a big band. fraud and ought to be abolished. For the Missouri with a satrap of the pay department, vast store of shekels and a strong guard, and as a consequence there would be some 2,000 men around the cantonment with pockets full of money and no one to help them spend it, and a duty all citizens owed to the territory guard to-night. to hasten to the scene and gather in for of that disbursement, otherwise the curse | after marching all day?" of the army might get ahead of them, and the boys would gamble it away whisky manufactured for their sole its prominent practitioners in the game longer service than his own. of poker. The stream was black with

esteemed fellow citizen Hank Mulligan of the Upper Missouri and Yellowstone valleys, they were treated with haughty and contemptuous refusal by that band- | it. box caricature of a soldier and threatened with arrest if they did not quit the camp. When will the United States learn that its frontiers can never be in the field is intrusted to other hands than these martinets of the drill ground? It is needless to remark in this connection roved a complete failure, and that the Indians easily escaped his clumsily led

The gamblers, though bafiled for the eastward. The October sun is hot at in this sort of warfare, but they are a disbattalion so that features are well nigh they have secured, and there are no destalwart, sinewy infantry, with their protect their men against those sharks of striding along in dispersed order, cover- bound to tempt providence and play. ing the exposed southern flank from sud- There are two scowling faces are the cavden attack, while farther out along the alry escort that has been left back with and ravine, peering cautiously over their absence from the command during every "divide," and signaling "halt" or the night. There is little question where 'forward" as the indications warrant. | they spent it, and both have been "clean-And yet not a hostile Indian has been ed out." What makes it worse, both seen; not one, even as distant vedette, have lost money that belonged to other has appeared in range of the binoculars, men in the command, and they are in

The long day's march has tempered the neighborhood. It has been a long, hard joviality of the entire column. It is near cummer's work for the troops, and the sundown, and still they keep plodding Indians have been; to all commands that onward, making for a grassy level on the

those whose numbers were weak or sports as far behind as possible, if he has whose movements were hampered have to march us until midnight," growls the they appeared in fighting trim. But battalion adjutant to his immediate comcombinations have been too much for mander. "By thunder! one would think them, and at last they have been "herd- he was afraid they would get in a lick at

and the great pony herds, to the fast- horse for a moment to look back over nesses of the Big Horn, and now comes the valley at the long, dust enveloped

body under his command, while keeping "How does he happen to have such a

and north. He knows well that, true to "Why, Crane left his pay accounts their policy, the Indians will have scat- with him. He drew all that was due his tered into small bands capable of reas- men who are off with Crane-twenty of sembling anywhere that signal smokes them-for they had signed the rolls bemay call them, and his orders are to fore going, and were expected back towatch all the crossings of the Elk and day. Then he has some six hundred dolnab them as they come into his district. lars company fund; and the men of his He watches, despite the fact that it is troop asked him to take care of a good his profound conviction that the Indians deal besides. The old man has been with will be no such idicts as to come just them so many years they look upon him where they are wanted, and he is in no as a father and trust him as implicitly as

on jaded horse to tell him that they have "That's all very well," answers Ray-"doubled" on the other column and are ner; "but I wouldn't want to carry any

"It's different with Hull's men, cap-His own scouting parties are still out to tain. They are ordered in through the the eastward: he can pick them up as posts and settlements. They have a he goes. He sends the main body of his three weeks march ahead of them when infantry, a regiment jocularly known as they get through their scout, and they "The Riflers," to push for a landing want their money on the way. It was some fifty miles down stream, scouting only after they had drawn it that the the lower valley of the Sweet Root on news came of the Indians' crossing, and the way. He sends his wagon train, of our having to jump for the warpath. guarded by four companies of foot and Everybody thought yesterday morning two of horsemen, by the only practi- that the campaign was about over so far cable road to the bend, while he, with as we are concerned. Halloa! here comes ten seasoned "troops" of his pet regi- young Hayne. Now, what does he

on a long detour in which he hopes to Riding a quick, nervous little bay "round up" such bands as may have troop horse, a slim built officer, with boyish face, laughing blue eyes, and sunny hair, comes loping up the long prairie wave; he shouts cheery greeting Lieut. Crane's party. He has struck the to one or two brother subalterns who are plodding along beside their men, and When the morning sun dawns on the exchanges some merry chaff with Lieut. picturesque valley in which the canton- Ross, who is prone to growl at the luck unanimous verdict is that the army is a rides gracefully towards the ba'talion commander, and with decidedly nonfour months or more some three regi- chalant ease of manner and an "offof pay. Then came the wildly exciting one has to, but it doesn't really mean to join the rest of the regiment. tidings that a boat was on the way up anything, you know," Mr. Hayne accosts

Hull directed me to give you his compliments and say that we would camp in

"Have me post double guards! How local circulation all that was obtainable the devil does he expect me to do that

told me 'twas none of my business, don't semicircle, with the broad river forming among themselves or spend it for vile you know?" And Mr. Hayne has the in- a shining chord to the arc of white cansufferable hardihood to wink at the was. All the live stock are safely herded benefit. Gallatin Valley was emptied of battalion adjutant-a youth of two years' within the inclosure: a few reliable sol-

when the first contingent arrived, and to inquire into. Now, you might ask the commanding officer, recognizing the bim, but I couldn't, don't you know?" of the Sweet Root. The steamer with almost at the run. All is athrill with night." fraternity at a glance, warned them out- responds Hayne, smiling amiably the Rayner's men is tied up at the bank excitement, and bearded faces have a side the limits of camp that night, de- while into the wrathful face of his su- some five miles below, around the bend, strange, set look about the jaws, and tlined their services as volunteers on the perior. It serves only to make the indig- The -th are far off to the northward eyes gleam with eager light and peer impending campaign, and treated them nant captain more wrathful; and no across the Eik, as ordered, and must be searchingly from every rise far over to with such calmly courteous recognition wonder. There has been no leve lost be- expecting on the morrow to make for the southeast, where stands a tumbling of their true character that the eastern tween the two since Hayne joined the the old Indian "ferry" opposite Battle acap of hills against the lightening sky. press was speedily filled with sneering Riflers early the previous year. He came Butte. The main body of the Sioux are "Off there, are they?" says a burly comment on the hopelessness of ever sub- in from civil life, a city bred boy, fresh reported farther down stream, but he trooper, dismounting hastily to tighten duing the savage tribes of the northwest, from college, full of spirits, pranks, fun when the government intrusts the duty of every kind; a wonderfully keen hand bers of them within signal, and he saddle. "We can make it quick enough, to upstart officers of the regular service with the billiard cue; a knowing one at whose sole conception of their functions cards and such games of chance as colis to treat with insult and contempt the lege boys excel at; a musician of no hardy frontiersman whose mere presence mean pretensions, and an irrepressible with the command would be of incalcu- leader in all the frolics and frivolities of table benefit. "We have it from indis- his comrades. He had leaped to popuputable authority," says The Miner's larity from the start. He was full of Light of Brandy Gap, "that when our courtesy and gentleness to women, and became a pet in social circles. He was and twenty gallant shots and riders like frank, free, off handed with his assohimself went in a body to Gen. - at ciates, spending lavishly, "treating" the cantonment and offered their services with boyish ostentation on all occasions, as volunteers against the Sioux now de- living quite en grand seigneur, for he vastating the homesteads and settlements seemed to have a little money outside his pay-"a windfall from a good old duffer of an uncle," as he had explained His father, a scholarly man who had

war of the rebellion, had lived out his purged of the Indian scourges of our honored life in Washington and died had in civil circles, and he made it very ivilization until the conduct of affairs poor, as such men must ever die. It was his wish that his handsome, spirited, brave hearted boy should enter the army, and long after the sod had hardened hat the expedition led by Gen. - has over the father's peaceful grave the young fellow donned his first uniform and went out to join "The Riflers." High spirited, joyous, full of laughing fun, he was "Pet" Hayne before he had been among them six months. But within the year he had made one or two enemies. It could not be said of him that he showed that deference to rank and station which was expected of a junior officer; and among the seniors were several whom he speedily designated "unconscionable old duffers" and treated with as little semblance of respect as a second lieutenant could exhibit and be him that, as he had no balance and was come to grief in short order. Hayne retorted that the only balance that Rayner had any respect for was one at the banker's, and that it was notorious in Washington that the captain's father had made most of his money in government con-tracts, and that the captain's original commission in the regulars was secured through well paid congressional influence. The fact that Rayner had developed into a good officer did not wipe out the recollection of these facts; and he could have throttled Hayne for reviving It was "a game of give and take," said the youngster; and he "behaved himself" to those who were at all decent in their manner to him.

It was a thorn in Rayner's flesh, therefore, when Hayne joined from leave of Hull should have induced the general to letail him in place of the invalided field divided. Havne would have been al talion but for that detail, and it annoyed the captain more seriously than he would

"It is all an outrage and a blunder to pick out a boy like that," he growls be tween his set teeth as Hayne canters blithely away. "Here he's been away from the regiment all summer long, having a big time and getting head over ears in debt, I hear, and the moment he rejoins they put him in charge of the wagon train as field quartermaster. It's putting a premium on being young and cheeky - besides absenteeism," he continues, growing blacker every minute. "Well, captain," answers his adjutant,

injudiciously, "I think you don't give Hayne credit for coming back on the jump the moment we were ordered out. It was no fault of his he could not reach us. He took chances I wouldn't take."

"Oh, yes! you kids all swear by Hayne because he's a good fellow and sings a jolly song and plays the piano-and poker. One of these days he'll swamp you all, sure as shooting. He's in debt now, and it'll fetch him before you know What he needs is to be under a captain who could discipline him a little. By Jove, I'd do it!" And Rayner's teeth emphasize the assertion.

The young adjutant thinks it advisable

to say nothing that may provoke further ence. All the same, he remembers Rayner's bitterness of manner, and has abundant cause to.

When the next morning breaks, chill and pallid, a change has come in the aspect of affairs. During the earliest hour of the dawn the red light of a light draught river boat startled the outlying pickets down stream, and the Far West, which has kept him afoot and given to answering the mufiled hail from shore, mines an almost deserted village, and this favored youngster a "mount" and a responded, through the medium of a brings no joy to the souls of some two- temporary staff position. The boy's mate's stentorian tones, "News that'll score of embittered civilians who had ar- spirits and fun seem to jar on Rayner's rout you fellows out." The sun is hardly rived only the day previous, and whose nerves. He regards him blackly as he peeping over the jagged outline of the eastern hills when, with Rayner's entire battalion aboard, she is steaming again down stream, with orders to land at the ments had been camping, scouting, hand" salute that has an air about it of mouth of the Sweet Root. There the four roughing it thereabouts with not a cent saying, "I do this sort of thing because companies will disembark in readiness

All day long again the wagon train twists and wriggles through an ashen "Ah, good evening, captain. I have section of Les Mauvaises Terres. It is just come back from the front, and Capt. a tedious, trying march for Hull's little command of troopers-all that is now left to guard the train. The captain is the bend yonder, and he would like you constantly out on the exposed flank, nothing suitable to spend it on. It was to post strong pickets and have a double eagerly scanning the rough country to the south, and expectant any moment of an attack from that direction. He and his men, as well as the horses, mules and teamsters, are fairly tired out when at "I did not inquire, sir; he might have nightfall they park the wagons in a big ders are posted well out to the south The command was already pocking up | which I had not the requisite effronter, in his mind over the situation. The trace, sonorous blasphemy, and ringing

shore. Individually, he has had very little luck in scouting during the sum- the keen morning air. mer, and he cannot help wishing he were with the rest of the crowd instead of here, train guarding.

Presently Mr. Hayne appears, elastic looks up smilingly. "Well, youngster, you seem to love

this frontier life." "Every bit of it, captain. I was cut out for the army, as father thought.'

"We used to talk it over a good deal been summoned to an in-portant under in the old days when I was stationed office in the state department during the around Washington," answers Hull, muster-some fifty-is trotting ahead on quartermaster!'

heap in the Riflers at the idea of your applying for me, captain. I was ready to me of the subject, and he was so crusty about it I kept the whole thing to myself rather than give him any satisfaction."

"Larry, my boy, I'm no preacher, but want to be the friend to you your father was to me. You are full of enthusiasm and life and spirits, and you love the army ways and have made yourself very popular with the youngsters, but I'm afraid you are too careless sters, but I'm afraid you are too careless sters, but I'm afraid you are too careless sters. sters, but I'm afraid you are too careless permitted to live. Rayner prophesied of and independent where the seniors are infantry has had poor luck, and the sitconcerned. Rayner is a good soldier, burning his candle at both ends, he would and you show him very scant respect.

"Well, he's such an interfering fellow. They will all tell you I'm respectful enough to-to the captains I like" "That's just it. Lawrence. So long as

to senior officers whether he likes them or not. It costs an effort sometimes. but it tells. You never know what trouble you are laying up for yourself in the army by bucking against men you don't like. They may not be in posi tion to resent it at the time, but the time is mighty apt to come when they will be.

"Why, Capt. Hull, I don't see it that way at all. It seems to me that so long absence, after experiences not every as an officer attends to his duty, minds officer would care to encounter in get his own business, and behaves like a ting back to his regiment, that Capt. gentleman, no one can harm him, es pecially when all the good fellows of the regiment are his friends as they are mine, I think, in the Riflers.

"Ah, Hayne, it is a hard thing to teach junior subaltern in Rayner's little bat. a youngster that -that there are men who find it very easy to make their juniors' lives a burden to them, and with out overstopping a regulation. It is harder yet to say that friends in the army are a good deal like friends out of it-one only has to get into serious trouble to find how few they are God grant you may never have to learn it, my boy, as many another has had to. by sharp experience! Now we must get a good night's rest. You sleep like a log. I see, and I can only take cat naps. Confound this money! How I wish I could get rid of it!"

"Where do you keep it to-night?" "Right here in my saddlebags under my head. Nobody can touch them that I do not wake: and my revolver is here under the blanket. Holl on! Let's take a look and see if everything is all right." He holds a little camp lantern over the bags, opens the flap, and peers in. all serene. I got a big hunk of green sealing wax from the paymaster and sealed it all up in one package with the memorandum list inside. It's all safe so far, even to the hunk of scaling wax. -What is it, sergeant?"

A tall, soldierly, dark eyed trooper ap pears at the doorway of the little tent. and raises his gauntleted hand in salute His language, though couched in the phraseology of the soldier, tells both in choice of words and in the intonation of every phrase that he is a man whose autecedents have been far different from those of the majority of the rank and

"Will the captain permit me to take my horse and those of three or four more men outside the corral? Sorgt, Clancy says he has no authority to allow it. We have found a patch of excellent grass, sir, and there is hardly any left inside. I will sleep by my picket pin, and one o us will keep awake all the time, if th captain will permit." "How far away is it, sergeant?"

"Not seventy-five yards, sir-close the river bank east of us." "Very well. Send Sergt. Clancy here and I'll give the necessary orders. The soldier quietly salutes, and disap

pears in the gathering darkness.

"That's what I like about that man Gower," says the captain, after a moment's sileuce. "He is always looking out for his horse. If he were not such a gambler and rake he would make splendid first sergeant. Fine looking fellow, isn't he?"

"Yes, sir. That is a face that one fleeced by those sharps at the canton-"Clancy? He's on guard to night. A

very different character."

off and go to my own tent. Daybreak again, and far to the east ing from the silent shallows under the banks, but all is life and vim along the therefrom two packets - one heavily shore. With oracking whip, tugging sealed-which he hands to Hayne.

feels it in his bones that there are num- ap the "cinch" of his weather beaten wishes with all his heart the -th were 's soon as we get rid of these blasted here. Still, the general was sure he wagons." And, swinging into saddle would stir up war parties on the other again, he goes cantering down the slope, his charger snorting with exhibaration in

Before dawn a courier has galloped into camp, bearing a dispatch from the commanding officer of the Eiflers. It says but few words, but they are full of and debonair as though he had not been meaning: "We have found a big party working like a horse all day. His voice of hostiles. They are in strong position, sounds so full of cheer and life that Hull and have us at disadvantage. Rayner with his four companies is hurrying to us. Leave all wagons with the boat under guard, and come with every horse and man you can bring."

Before 7 o'clock the wagons are parked "Your father was the warmest friend I the trail of Rayner's battalion. With stalwart warrior to the mythical hunthim rides Mr. Hayne, eager and enpleasant for me. How little we thought thusiastic. Before 10 o'clock, far up triumph is complete. it would be my luck to have you for along the slopes they see the blue line of "The fellows seemed struck all of a farther down, all at a stand. In ten stands mutely looking down upon the swear it was all on father's account, and their faces and cautiously peering over would have told them so only Rayner the crest, some hundred infantrymen happened to be the first man to tackle are disposed. Others, officers and file

closers, are moving to and fro in rear. They are of Rayner's battalion. Farther back, down in a ravine, a dozen forms are outstretched upon the turf. and others are bending over them, ministering to the needs of these who are uation is summarized in a few words. The Indians are in force occupying the ravines and ridges opposite them and confronting the six companies farther incident. over to the west. Two attacks have been made, but the Indian fire swept every approach, and both were unsuccessful you like a man your manner is what it Several soldiers were shot deal, others should be. What a young soldier ought severely wounded. Lieut. Warren's leg to learn is to be courteous and respectful is shattered below the knee; Capt. Blount

"Where's Rayner?" asks Hull, with grave face.

at things over on the other front. The colonel is hopping. He is bound to have those Indians out of there or drop a-trying. They'll be back in a minute. The general had a rousing fight with Dull Knife's people down the river last even- of "mistress of etiquette. ing. You missed it again, Hull; all the tired to a private room and had the course, old Firewater wants to make as They appeared, the Russian girls in big a hit here."

big a hit here."

"The —th fighting down the river last night?" asks Hull, in amaze.

"Young ladies," said she, "you have been commenting discourteously have been commenting discourteously 'em at all. You don't get the glimpse of

em at all. You don't get the glimpse of a head, even; but all those rocks are ish you. Olga, your slipper." lined with the beggars. Damn them!' says the adjutant, feelingly. "We'll get our chance here, then," re-

kindling eye. "You'll take me in with you when you

charge?" he asks. gullies, and they've got a cross fire that sweeps it clean. We'll probably go in the with excitement.

Two officers come riding hastily around a projecting point of the slope and spur fighting stock back of her for generat rapid gait towards the spot where the ations. She removed her slipper and cavalry have dismounted and are breath- drew near, but she held the slipper by ing their horses. There is hardly time the toe. At proper range she for salutations. A gray headed, keen the missile and struck the old lady in eyed, florid faced old soldier is the col- the mouth a fearful clip. Then she

I'll show you what you are to do." And, ions of 1863 filled the air. followed by Rayner, Hull and Hayne, the chief rides sharply over to the ex- frightened mistress of etiquette brought treme left of the position and points to a crowd. The door was battered down. the frowning ridge across the intervening

"There, Hull; there are twenty or thirty of the rascals in there who get a flank fire on us when we attack on our side. What I want you to do is to mount your men, let them draw pistol and be all ready. Rayner, here, will line the ridge to keep them down in front. I'll go back to the right and order the attack screamed with impotent rage, shower- at once. The moment we begin and you ed maledictions in broken French, hear our shots, you give a yell, and German and Russian upon her concharge full tilt across there, so as to drive queror, and demanded that the most out those fellows in that ravine. We can do the rest. Do you understand?"

order that I attempt to charge mounted punishing the young lady by issuing across that ground?" some order against her appearing at

"Why, certainly! It isn't the best in the world, but you can make it. They can't do very much damage to your men the showered the most embarrassing can't do very much damage to your men before you reach them. It's got to be done: it's the only way."

"Very good, sir; that ends it!" is the calm, soldierly reply; and the colonel and finally wound up by sending her goes bounding away. A moment later the troop is in saddle.

eager, wiry, bronzed fellows every one. couldn't well forget. Who was the other and the revolvers are in hand and being sergeant you overhauled for getting carefully examined. Then Capt. Hull signals to Hayne, while Rayner and three become so intelligent that they may or four soldiers sit in silence, watching the man who is to lead the charge. He dismounts at a little knoll a few feet good will it do us? We shall be too the man who is to lead the charge. He "I don't know him by sight as yet, away, tosses his reins to the trumpeter old to go riding then.—Lawrence Well, good-night, sir. I'll take myseli and steps to his saddle bags. Hayne, too. American.

Taking his watch and chain from the the sky is all ablaze. The mist is creep- pecket of his hunting shirt, he opens the saddle bag on the near side and takes "In case I-don't come back, you know

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Hayne only looks imploringly at him "You are not going to leave me here,

"Yes, Hayne. You can't go with us. Hark! There they go at the right. Are

the packages all right?" Hayne, with stunned faculties, thinking only of the charge he longs to make -not of the one he has to keep-replies he knows not what. There is a ringing bugle call far off among the rocks to the westward; a rousing cheer; a rattling volley. Rayner springs off to his men on the hillside. Hull spurs in front of his eager troop, holding high his pistol

"Now, men, follow till I drop; and then keep ahead! Come on!" There is a furious sputter of hoofs, a rush of excited steed's up the gentle slope, a glad outburst of cheers as they sweep across the ridge and out of sight, then the clamor and yell of frantic battle; and when at last it dies away, the riflers are panting over the hard won position and shaking bands with some few silent cavalrymen. They have carried the close along the bank beside the Far West, and Hull, with all the men he can squaws, ponies, travois, and pappooses: ing grounds, and the peppery colonel's

But Lawrence Hayne, with all the skirmishers, and the knots of reserves light gone from his brave young face. minutes they ride with foaming reins in stiffening frame of his father's old friend, behind a low ridge on which, flat on and his, who line shot through the heart.

NEXT WEEK.

ASTOUNDED THE DOWAGER.

An American Girl in St. Petersburg Arserts Her Indspendence. The following is a narrative of an incident which occurred in St. Peters-

ton, is the wife of a leading statesman and would be recognized instantly if her name might be mentioned. The A grand reception was in progress

at the palace of a high Russian digni-tary. Members of the cabinet, gentary. Members of the cabinet, erals of the army, grand dukes, nobility of the empire and the diplomatic corps were present. It was a notable affair. Four young ladies three Russian and one American-had gathered into a little nook screened in palms, and were discussing in French the dowdy appearance of a high court -th were there but F and K, and, of four culprits summoned before her.

ran 'em into the stream, they say. I upon the personal appearance of Lady wish we had them where we could see breach of etiquette, and it is my duty

The trembling Olga took off her slipper, and meekly received a sound punishment of the sort confined in plies Hull, reflectively. "I'll creep up America exclusively to the nursery, and take a look at it. Take my horse, "Katia, it is your turn. Give n "Katia, it is your turn. Give me your slipper!" said the inexorable

He is back in two minutes, graver duenna, as the weeping Olga arose than before, but his bearing is spirited from her castigation. Katia took her and firm. Hayne watches him with gruel with audible lamentations, and Tania followed the suffering Katia. watched and waited. The indignities

"It is no place to charge there. The ground is all cut up with ravines and the Hail Columbia in her. Her eyes flashed and her little hands clinched "It is your turn now," said the mis-

on the other flank; it's more open there. tress of etiquette to the fair American; "your slipper, please."
Columbia's blood was up. There was

onel, and he is snapping with electricity, sailed in. Laces, feathers and furbe-apparently.

"This way, Hull. Come right here, and Gray hair and the St. Petersburg fash-

The screams of the thoroughly The three Russian girls were scream ing in their respective corners. The old lady-was hors du combat, and a fiery eyed Goddess of Liberty stood in the center of the room, waving a tuft of gray hair in one hand and a jeweled hair dagger, with which she had been trying to stab the Russian, in the

The mistress of etiquette fairly condign punishment be meted out to her. The matter was carried to the "I understand, colonel; but-is it your czar. Nicholas made a pretense of presents upon the American-beautiful slippers of every kind and description, silver slippers and gold slippers, a hair dagger set with diamonds.--Washington Post.

foo Far ....ead for Them. Maude-Just think! It is predicted that in fifteen years horses will have

After Service. Miss Susie (to Miss Fannie) -- Why didn't you stand up when the minister asked how many had lovers they wished prayed for?

Miss Fannie - Do you think angels are in need of prayer?-West Shore.

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RELIABLE CORRESPONDENCE FROM ALL PARTS OF THE COUNTY SOLICITED.

#### FRIDAY, MAY 80, 1890.

The estimated cost of completing able of ruling the Mexicans. the Papama canal is 900,000,000 francs, and even with that amount it would take seven or eight years more work.

An English paper that Americans never hear of is Llayd's Weekly. In a reorganized form it promises. with an article by Gladstone, to have a circulation of 700,000.

The production of beer in the United States in 1889 was 25,098, should turn.

The people of Santa Fe are earn estly trying to incorporate the ancient city. This is the one thing lacking at the Territorial capital an the fact is beginning to be appre ciated there .-- Citizen.

An lowa church has struck a nov el scheme by which to pay the in debtedness of its construction. The lives of the members have been insured and the several amounts will be applied on the church deb. as fast as they die.

The sentiment in favor of statehood for New Mexico is constantl. increasing. People are getting to understand that statehood is necessary for their advancement and prosperity, and the more they un derstand this, of course the more they fayer statehood

cently to please state that her 146th this state of things to continue. If birthday would occur next month. their representatives in the Senate The News evidently forgot to inquire whether Julia was "the last surviving nurse" of the immortal law during the present session of George Washington.

The senate has voted to appropriate \$300,000 for a statute of Gen. Grant in Washington. It is rare pleasure to praise an appropriation and to say at the same time that its object does not need the money. Gen. Grant's fame does not need a statute; but the pation will be honoring itself.

A French statician has discovered that the human race is diminishing in height a gradual and regular decline. Applying the rule of dim umtion as evolved from his calulation he decides that in the year 4000 A. D. the average man will be reduced to fifteen inches.

Dr. Mary Walker is reported on ber last legs. She still suffers from a fall, on last Memorial day, and is also afflicted with a lung disease. She resides but a few blocks from the eapitol in Washington and insists on being her own physician Mary always would have her own way, even to the wearing of the pants.

Africa has now at work within her borders ten American, twelve-British and thirteen continental missionary societies. There are more than 700 ordinary missionaries and more than 7000 native preachers. It is estimated that there are, both white and native, about 175,000 communicants and 800,000 adner-

The Supreme court of the United Alhtone. States has sustained the validity of that portion of the Edmund's Act annulling the act of the legislature of Utah granting a charter to the church of Latter Day Spints. Under the act the real estate held by the corporation is escheated to the tablished church of Utah

Company H, Wyoming state | There are over a million miles of guards, is a company worth looking telegraph in the United States at. It is composed of pretty girls enough to encircle the globe forty JAMES KIBBEE, Ed. and Pub. who are now drilling for the Decor- times .- Silver Bell. ation Day parade in Cheyenne. DEP NOENT IN NAME and IN FACT. The city authorities are pledged to eep all ugly meek cows and playful mice out of the line of process. ion, and as the young ladies will carry guns warranted not to go off, OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE COUNTY the appearance of company H will having served his term in the state

> The lower house of the Mexican congress has passed a bill providing to be a public benefactor, but a dthat a president may hold an indefi- hard road to travel. We speak from nite number of terms. This is the law experience .-- Ex. in the United States, but there is an unwritten law that no president shall be elected for more than two terms. The intention in Mexico is to have a way for an indefinite number of presidential terms for President Diaz, who seems to be the only statesman in that republic cap- the extradition of Michael Evrante

Mr. Eiffel, who has got his name up so high with the Paris tower, has tons of diamonds have been unearmade a proposition in connection thed in South African fields during with Mr. Edison to erect a similar the last eighteen years; this represstructure for the Chicago Exposition ents a total value of \$275,000,000. and to remain there as a permanent structure, which shall be 500 feet higher than the Paris tower. It is proposed to place many thousand colored electric lights along the structure to render it one of the most beautiful and marvelous spec-765 barrels. In 1875 it was 8,383, tacles the world has ever seen. If 970 barrels. Mark the increase and the plans they propose meet with ask if it is not about time the tide the approval of the Exposition directors, Messrs Edison and Enfel intend to take upon themsives all the pecuntary responsibility of the work as a private speculation.

The Law and Order League of arrest of thirty saloon-keepers and owners of buildings where "joints" are kept, and an aggressive fight will be made to thoroughly purge the being annoyed by the coughing liquor venders say that they will thrust him head foremost into a barquit the drink-on-the-sly business and begin an open trade in liquor in original packages." With the found guilty of murder, Supreme Court decision to back them up, these dealers will defy State and local statutes and State and local authorities and arry themselves against a known will of the majority of the people of the State expressed at the ballot box; and the people and the State will have noth ing to say. This is the practical result of the "original package" decison. But it is not to be expected The Dallas News says that Julia that the good people of Iowa and Cole, colored, called at the office re other prohibition States will allow and House do not secure an amendment to the Interstate Commerce Congress they will know the reason

#### LATST NEWS AND NOTES.

Apricots were ripe in Yuma about en days ago. A new Episcopal church will be

built at Tucson this summer.

There are 745 pupils in the Tuc-

There are over 100 scholars in Indian school at Fort Yuma.

The Oswego, New York, National Bank has closed its doors.

The situation at Cedar Keys, Fla. remains critical and serious trouble

A cyclorama of the battle of Missionary Ridge is on exhibition at Fort Worth.

The Indian boarding school at Sacatone has been enlarged and now accommodates 150 pupils.

El Paso will have artesian water 3,000 feet before they quit.

Baylor University at Waco has 26 nstructors and 685 studens. The nstitution was founded in 1846.

At the Baptist convention in Fort Worth \$1100 was raised for a missionary church Zacatecas, Mexico.

A call will be made for an extra

The Queen has created the eldest son of the Prince of Wales Duke of Clareace and Avondale and Earl of

has decided against Kammler, and died but this fact was kept a secret he will probably soon be executed by electricity.

appointment to the Naval Academy schemers had pocketed the stakes United States. This ends the es at Annapolis will be held at Victoria but the English managers ordered Harris a mulatto and Carr is a black ou June 17th.

In the census office there are already 250 women clerks, and by the first of June there will be 1,000

Jake Kilrain is again a free man doubtless be an unqualified success. of Mississippi. He is already trainng for another fight.

It is a noble thing for a newspaper

The president has given orders to have troops if necessary enforce his orders against the cattlemen invadng the Cherokee Strip.

Paris, May 22 .- The government has asked the Spanish anthorities for arrested at Havana for the murder of Gronffe, in Paris last July.

It is estimated that over eight A storage dam for hydraulic mining and irrigating purposes will be constructed on the Lynix creek, 8 miles east of Prescott. The works will cost about \$250,000.

Margaret Isabella Blaine, daughter of the secretary of State was married a short time ago to Walter Damrosch. The newly married couple left for New York, and will sail for Europe.

In Chihuahua, Mexico, immense deposits of petrolum have been found. These are shout to be developed by a strong Mexican and Sioux City, Iowa, has caused the American syndicate who will expend some five hundred thousand dollars in their development.

A ranchman at Antelope, Cal. city of the law breakers. The illicit cook, hauled him from bed and rel of water and drowned him. For this ungently freak he has been

> A barrel of whisky contains headches, curses, tears, sorrow, regrets, lebts, pains, blasted hopes, falsehoods, agony, poison, poverty, ruin, terrors, hungar, groans, orphans' in the song.

The present king of Dahomey cho was educated in Paris, speaks French fluently. His anxiety to defeat the French in Africa is said to be due to an unfortunate love affair which he had in Paris. He has become a barbarian because he could not marry the woman he loved.

in the Joliet, Illinois, prison pun- ficer. ishment cells, the two Cronin murderers, Martin Burke and O Suilivan. with lean faces and hungry stomachs, were released and allowed to return to their tasks, Burke to the barrel shop and O'Sullivan to to his ench in the shoe shop.

WASHINGTON, May 21 .- The folowing is the hill provided that certain corporations, organized for the sole purposo of irrigation of lands or colinization and reclamation may acquire, hold, sell and pledge lands in the Territories which has been introduced in the Senate by Senator Plumb and in the House by Delegate Joseph, of New Mexico.

That any corporation now existing or hereafter to be created for the sole purpose of supplying water for the irrigation of land to be colonized and reclaimed wihin any of the Terri ories of the United States may acquire and hold such lands as may be necessary for the carrying out of said object, and may sell or pledge the same, or so much thereof as may be nocessary to carry out said purpos in such quantities and on such terms as they may deem best, provided that not less than four-fifths f it is to be had. They will sink of the capital stock of said corporations shall always be held by citizens of the United States .- New Mee -

of population will be completed, corrected and revised and accurate and state in the country long before the congress meets in its regular session next December. This is well. The work of appointment for ession of the Illinois legislature to the Congressional and Presidential the killing of their wives, and segrote \$5,000,000 for the World's elections of 1892 will be made by

an important troting race in which \$100,000 was to change hands, took place under peculiar circumstances. The United States Supreme court | One of the matched contestants a close resemblance to the dead one was worked in and won the race. An examination of applicants for Before the fraud was discovered the them off their track.

## AN OPEN LETTER!

#### The Independent.

JAMES KIBBEE, EDITOR AND PUBLISHER

Lincoln, N. M. May, 1890.

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Dear Sir : - A Special Elition of THE LINCOLN INDEPENDENT will be issued on or about June 15th, 1890, to be devoted exclusively to a complete write-up of THE GREAT PECOS VALLEY, its Reservoir and Irrigating Canal Enterprises, Rulroad Certainties and Possibilities, Attractions for Capital and Immigration, etc. The edition will consist of eight large pages, FULLY ILLUSTRATED, with maps of the Reservoir and Canal systems, views of prominent buildings, ranches, landscapes, etc. An issue of TEN THOUSAND (10,000) COPIES IS GUARANTEED, while the number printed will probably reach 20,000. The illustrations, paper, press work, etc., will be first-class in every detail. You can readily see that this edition will be a VALUABLE ADVERTISING MEDIUM, especially if you take into consideration the following facts:

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LINCOLN, NEW MNXICO.

Apparently there will be no race for the American Cup this year. This will be a disappointment to Ana jug. many enthusiastic yatchsmen on this side of the water who had hoped to see great sport, but if our British consins won't they wont, and that's all there is of it.

The Farmers' Alliance of Texas is n trouble and sensational developments are rumored. In 1887 the leaders organized an exchange with a capital of \$500,000 at Dallas. They are alleged to be \$250,000 short and farmers who are stock holders demand an investigation.

A "voting machine" has been in vented by a Minnesota man, a very simple contrivance by means of sheep, which each voter prints, cas's and counts his own ballot by pressing a button. No one but the voter moans and serpents. So an old song knows for whom the vote is cast. says, and there is a barrel of truth and he can vote but once for any officer, making fraud impossible.

The detective who, plunging into the river in pursuit of a swimming fugitive at Cleveland, Ohio, swam started northward in June. after and arrested his man in the middle of the river, is fairly entitled to honorable mention for his pluck and perseverance. A detective who can work in the water as well as or After an experience of six days terra firma must be a valuable of-

Many people think the Cherokee nation the best place on earth for weary people, but Samoa far excels it in point of solid comfort for the constitutional tired. You can get a hundred acres of good same will be only 39 cents a year. You can easily live on what grows ly advancing city .- New Mexican. wild on your land, so that you can having .- Exchange.

Sutter's Fort, in Sacramento, is one of the few historical buildings in California. It is still standing and is to be restored, Before the ity.-Raton Range. discovery of gold it was a most im-From present indication the count gold excitement of 1848-49.

MEMPHIS Tenn., May 16 .- The footings shown for every city county three cases, Parker Harris vs. the state, Frank Brenish vs. the state and Ed Carr vs. the state, charged with murder in the first degree for tenced by the criminal court of this the Fifty-first Congress .- Silver county to be hanged, were affirmed by the supreme court yesterday at Over in England a short time ago Jackson, and Tuesday, June 24, set as the day of execution. Brenish killed his wife July 5, 1889, by cutting her throat B enish disposed of his in like manner in Angust, 1889, and an American trotter which bore and Carr killed his in November 9, 1889, by shooting her four times. Their attorneys pleaded insanity in each case. Brenish is a white man,

TERRITORIAL TALK. Eighteen prisoners in the Dona

Santa Fe county is supposed to

owe \$555,000. Las Cruces. N. M., has a complete

system of severage. at Las Cruces as reported.

lie schools in New Mexico.

Work on the Organ mountain marble quarries has commenced. At fort Seldon the temperature

of the hot springs is 150. New Mexico has 2,000,000 head

of cattle and 3,000,000 head of Rev. Geo. Needham is in St. Louis to raise \$6,000 to rebuild the Las

Vegas seminary. John L. Zimmerman, Roswell druggist, and Miss Minnie Shields were married in Las Vegas.

will be turned over at Springer and Over 1,500 miles of railroad are

Thirty thousand head of sheep

now in operation in New Mexico, and several bundred miles of track will be added this year. At the spring terms of the four

county courts-Lincoln, Dona Ana Grant and Sierra-twenty-five conviction were made which went to

Salt Lake City has appropriated the neat sum of \$400,000 for the purpose of advertising. No wonder land for \$1.79 and the taxes on the Salt Lake City is a rapidly growing, prosperous, money-making, constant-

Colfax county will be more than spend all your time laying down and self supporting this year. There thinking what a soft snap you are will be more produced than the home people will consume. But as good markets are easy of access, the balance of trade will be in favor of the tillers of the soil in this local-

Some days ago a man by the portant station in the upper part of name of George Adams was killed California, for it was there that Gen by Apache Indians in Sonora, south Sutter and what few white men of the San Bernadino ranch. They were, had their headquarters. It was had just previous to the killing at this place too, that James W. fired on four Mexican prospectors, Marshall, the discoverer of gold in wounding two of them. The Mex-California, whose statute was unlican troops pursued them but the veiled recently, first went to work Indians escaped to the mountains for Gen. Sutter. He was sent by making for Arizona. There seems Sutter to the mill at Coloma, and to be about fifteen Indians in this found the nugget which caused the band, and they have been raiding all the region north of Sonora for

> The Imperial Telegraph Departs nent of Berlin, finds hat under ground wires are much less affected by atmospheric electricity than aerial wires, 388 interruptions from storms having been recorded in 1888 for and reground wires and 2,375 for aerial wires. In cities telephones eem to be protected from lightning some degree by the network of wires above the house tops.

> The piece of crown glass, forty nches in diameter and two and a half inches thick, made in Paris for the object glass of a telescope for the University of Southern California, will require two years labor to turn into a finished lens.

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county to undersell us. Still greater re-ductions made on Provisions and Dry Goods. Give us a call. R. MICHAELIS & Co's.

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#### A Card.

It being my intention to leave Fort Stanton about June 10th next, I request all persons in lebted to me for professional services to adjust their accounts before that time. W. S. BLOCK. May 21st. 1890.

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Just received, an immense stock of chil dren's and men's Hats at R. MICHAELIS & Co's.

A writer in an exchange says he has discovered a remedy for sleep. lessness, which he has never known to fail which convinces him that the whole trouble arises from overstrain of the eyes. Take a small cloth say a piece of napped towel -- and fold in it two small pieces of ice at a proper distance apart to exactly cover the eyes when the cloth is laid granted to glassmen in Salem, Mass. across them. Then lie down, adjust the cloth with the ice over the eyes, and you will be asleep in a very short while.

The Rio Grande is rising. Old residents conclude that the biggest rise will occur about the first of June

A shipment of cattle amounting evening, is now on the way to from Arizona. They belong to a market .- ilookman.

## Do You Want

The Lincoln Interestiont.

#### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

There is a new hotel in town.

J. D. Bently was in Lincoln Tuesday Mrs. O'Neil, of Roswell, was in town

W. H. Guyse was in Lincoln a few

THE INDEPENDENT staff is somewhat friends in the east. linited this week. The weather is beautiful but we need

rain to lay the dust. There is one more prisoner in the

County bastile. M. A. Sisneros has been assisting W. J. Taliaferro in the Clerk's office of late.

Fred Higgins has returned from Roswell and is stopping at the new Hotel.

THE INDEPENDENT. Mrs. E. Frits will soon leave Lincoln.

in the hotel business. The coal mines on Salado, 7 miles from Fort Stanton are increasing in value

as development progresses. There will be an abundance of apples

at Spring ranch. The trees are loaded T.oop D. heavier than they have been for several Mr. Duncan, representing the Shoe

Mass, has been in the City a few days this week.

goats to be in good condition, notwith Sands, District San Andres Monateins: putation. competitors when it comes to a complete standing the scarcity of oak brush in the also athorough explantion of the mystervicinity of his ranch.

> We wish to tender our thanks to the DENT office last Saturday, and made us happy ty giving us a beautiful bunch of roses. Come again.

Wm. Rosenthal of Rosenthal & Co., has forwarded to Las Vegas seventeen loads of wool, consisting of about 35,000 lbs. Mr. Rosenthal will leave for Vegas Sun-

at this office. We fear he has been the Post Trader will be allowed a handdrowned in the Peccs. A small reward will be offered for his recovery if no information is obtained within the next month

#### PERSONAL PERSONALS,

Eddy Norton hopped in on us Monday. Ed's got a heart as big as a barn, yet as light as a feather. Long may he flutter. Sam Blue came to town last Saturday nasty as ever. Got as drunk as usual. That man was originally intended for a

Hank Weather, covered with his mean ness, slid into the burg Sunday night and was asked to leave early Monday morning.

taste slapped out of his mouth His head in rly? One man is as good as another and needs taking off.

Joe Geriner and Like Hawkins got to bragging last Saturday and both turned nto ten spot liurs before they quit. They ought to be sand bagged.

We nut the kibosh on an ace full for Ed Borchers last Sunday night, just after church, and he hasn't spoken to us since It was on the dead square, Ed.

Dave Wamboit, the old time crook, who hat as ansgrants stodiag agria.

Very good prices are being received by the sheep raisers for their spring clips of wool and for mutton shee p. Another good thing for New Mexico. Business matters are looking up all over the Territory in consequence thereof. If the sheep owners do well, and that very important industry of sheep raising and wool growing flourishes, every other business in New Mexico is benefitted thereby and flourishes also .- New Mexican,

The first glass factory in what is now the United States was erected in the year 1609 near Jamestown, Va., and the second followed in the same colony twelve years later. In 1639 some acres of ground were The first glass factory in Pennsylvania was built near Philadelphia in 1683 under the direction of Win. Penn, but it did not prove successful. The first west of the Alleghanies was set up by Albert Gallitin and his comrads in 1875, at New Gen-

eva on the Monongahala river. ROME, May 22 .- A syndicate has to 160 car loads, the first trains been formed of wealthy Frenchmen surgical treatment may be extended of which passed through here last for the purpose of purchasing the to the lungs, and to the arrest of con-Hebrew bible which is in Vatican. sumption. In a case of tuberculosis Nodaway in Northwestern Missouri, An offer was made for it of \$200,000 of the left lung, an opening was but it is stated that the pope cannot company that has 40,000 acres of legally sell it. It is the most fampasture in Missouri, where the cat- ous bible in existence and something portion shrivelled and was carefully le will be increased, fed and sent to like a century or more ago the removed. The patient recovered Hebrews of Spain, France and Italy and is now able to work Professor the box. On sinking the apparatus offered for the book its weight in Tillmann believes that this may gold. The bible is an original prove a desirable treatment when forced air from the baloon Hebrew manuscript, and the exact the disease is localized, and states The earth, with the sun, moon and stars time when it was written has never that two operations would doubtthrown in? Well, you can't have 'em. But for two dollars a year you can got been satisfactorily determined. It less be necessary—one to expose ed. So successful were the nearly as much. It is a serious conthe next best thing, and keep thoroughly came into the possession of the the affected part of the bing and arrangement that not only deep sea diston of affairs and unless a composted in regard to this part of the "moral vineyard," by becoming a regular sub-

#### FORT STANTON FACTS.

Special Correspondence LINCOLN INDEPENDENT. FORT STANTON, N. M., May 29, '90.

Lt. R. B. Paddock has been granted four months leave of absence to date, from or about May 30th. He leaves on Friday for his home at Princton, Ill., and will spend the summer visiting his numerous

Quite an interesting horse race took place here on Sun ay between "Red," business. the fast runner of troop D, and"Russler," owned by the Commanding officer, Major Adam. The race was a quarter of a m le. "Red" was role by Sgt. F. Hayden and "Russler" by Smith of troop L., and both horses looked in first-class condition. The first start was a fatture, both norses lawing the track and becoming rather un-Don't fail to read "The Deserter," the manageable, but after a short delay they prolude of which appears in this issue of got started, and although "Ru-sler" took the lead, "Red" passed him in about 250 yards and won the race by six feet. Lt. She goes to Eddy, where she will engage Brewster acted as starter; Sgt. Recard and private Hawker as judges, and Sgt. Morse as referee. Quite a sum of money changed hands on the race, the Conmind. ing officer's horse being back of principally by the men of Troop L, while "Red" was, as usual, the old time favorite with of trees planted in this town.

Lt. J. J. Pershing leaves on Friday with Lt. Paddock, and will be gone about 30 by a couple of brothers named Joyce, firm of Walter Tinney & Co., of Boston manded by Lt. G. L. Scott. days. Troop L, 6th Cav., will be com-

Mr. E. E. Taylor, has completed the items for his "Recolectio is of a Trip to the Mrs. Jas. Alcock and daughter, of the San Andres;" which we have no doubt Carrizozo tanch, accompanied by W. C will prove very interesting. We under-McDonald, of White Oaks, s ere in town stand that the above will be published in Mr. Johnson, the goat man, reports his teresting account of Tularo e, the White broken the other day, necessitating amies of the hail graph system, with il lustrations from instantaneous photographs young lady who visited THE INDEPEN taken on the spot. We earnestly look for the latest addition to New Mexico liter-

A board of officers he been appointed to convene at this Post to inspect and appraise the Post Traler's buildings and report upon their adaptability for bur- the hearts of our-most lovers: A half raoks, etc. As it is the intention of the War Department to build a gymnasium, bath house, shooting gallery, and several Any information concerning the Editor other improvements for the beneat of the of this paper will be gladly received enlisted men. The probabilities are that some compensation for his buildings.

Thos. Eubank was up from the ranch on Tuesday, and was taking things in for a while. He went to the Cionega del Macho on Wednesday to see Andy Rich-

A fishing party will leave here for the Ruidoso about June 1st. We noticed a communication in THE INDEPENDENT. oncerning soldiers catching fish before the first of June. As far as we can learn from the most reliable authority these soldi rs did not catch a fish wile camp- Eddy. ing in Sierra Banca, but we noticed a party of El Paso exenttionists, who spent a week near Big Rock, and tried very hard to catch fish all last week, Why Steve Merritt got just too fresh with speak about the soldiers, and allow parties we like to see a little fair play.

A man has passed through several of the northern towns passing himself off as Harriman, the great walker, walking to the Pacific coast on a wager, It now transpires that has been working for the past year at the he rides in box cars and makes shoemaker's trade has left. It is supposed suckers of the sporting fraternity in the towns along his route. -Ad-

> One of the state foresters of Prusia estimates that the forests of Europe cover the following areas: Germany, 34,596,000 acres; Russia, 494,228,600 acres; Austria Hungary, 46.951,700 acres: Sweeden, 42,000, 000 acres; France, 22,240,000 acres; Spain, 19,769,000 acres; Itily, 9,884.

columns of the paper to see what it could spin its web across his store door and be free from disturbance .-

In recent months surgeons have England. given astonishing proof of the possi bility of saving life and restoring health, in many cases, by removing such portions of such vital organs as the brain, and the liver. Professor Tillmanns, of Leipsic, has found that made in the chest and the diseased part of the lung exposed, when that being functionally disabled.

#### EDDY ECHOES.

Caught from the Argus, May 17. Unbaled hay is now selling for \$16 per

The baseball boys are daily becoming more enthusiastic.

ply the town with ice this summer. This pound,

a larger circulation than any paper in L-Eddy county. Prominent citizens of Biswell have

offered to exchange property in that town for Eddy property. for New York-but we suspect he will

not go further than El Paso. There are lots of people in Etly who

It is reported that the elitor of the Register was assaulted and licked last week We would like to have the Joyce boys of Ed ly attempt to lick us. We would give thein som : fine points in running.

R. H. Pierce has soll \$35,000 worth of goods since he commenced business, a little more than two months ago. Jo: Lea, one of the principal baseball family.

the Cosmopolitan, and will give a very in- players of Ros well, had a little finger B. A. Nymeyer will retire from the

> take charge at that time. extensive and valuable, he would be a of the parties is now in jail.

resident of Eddy inside of six weeks. Here is a piece of news that will rejoice dozen Jersey an . Durhum cawa were recently received at the Eddy farm.

Specifications are now being made for several new buildings, which will be commenced soon. Residence buildings are very much in dem ind, and could be reat-

they bite at an empty hook. Respectfully recinded. referred to J. R. Brent. We learn from an official source that the town company refused \$5,000 for a

in its determination to keep saloons out of ona. A "tobacco heart" is only another name for heart disease. It is not a pratty name

but it is a powerful suggestive. most desirable in town. The north end of this street is now the most desirable for residences.

#### Little Leaders.

the indignation of citizens over his alleged lecherous conduct, remained at the county jail all night, left on the fast train for the and refused to say where he intended Mexican, going.

On Thursday a son of John F. Wilson arrived in town from Illinois. The young man will make his future home with his father.

DIED .-- At Tanton, Masa., on May 12th current year, Alexander Hill, youngest son of D. J. M. A. Jewitt, of White Oaks, aged twenty-three years and nine months

LONDON, May 20 .- S'r Edgar 570, acres and England, 2,471,000 Boehm has nearly finished a life sized marble statute of the late Emperor Frederick, of Germany. He A suspicious subscirber who is represented in German cuirassier found a spider in his paper, wants uniform, wearing robes and insigina o know if it is considered a bad of the Garter and the Iron Cross. omen. Nothing of the kind. The The statute, which was commissioned spider was merely looking over the by the queen is destined for the nave of St. Georges chapel. As its un. near the city will decline in value merchant was not advertising so veiling Emperor William is expect. and next year they will find themed to be present and the ceremony will be made the occasion of another demonstration of friendship between the ruleing powers of Germany and

In order to lure specimens of the deep-ses animals to a trap, Prince Albert of Monaco found it necessary to sink an incandescent lamp with a powerful battery attached, but the water pressure at a depth of a couple of miles being several hundred pounds to the square inch, he was unable to make a battery box of sufficient strength to resist crushing. The difficulty was finally overcome by the curious device of connecting a rubber-coated cloth baloon to the increasing dydrostatic pressure into the box, keeping the interna Gregory XV, some 300 years ago - and a second to remove the part after bottom under electric illumination ers, usny small shippers will go to were brought up.

#### NOGAL NOISE.

Special Correspondence LINCOLN INDEPENDENT.

NOGAL, N. M., M 17 28, 1890. News is scarce, but we wish to state that Ray & Gaylord are running ten addition to his store below the Reservastamps day and night and are well please tion. ed with the returns. They have found Seventy-five thousand feet of lumber and located the great copp r loade that so for Wm. A. Finlay are now on the road many have looked for. It is at the mouth B. A. Nym-yer will retire to his farm of Tortolita Canon, near Nogal, and is a south of town when he quits the hotel dandy, if almost pure copper is worth anything.

About the hardest man to get at in E1- Mr. Joe George killed a fat young cindy is the Chief. He is literally emerged namon bear last Sun lay near Nogal Park. He weighed near 400 pounds dressed; Arrangements have been made to sup. the meat sold here in town for 8c. a

Messrs Cuthbert, Emes and Baker, of The Argus has a ward to bet that it has Abilene, Kansas, bought over 1500 steers Las Cruces. near Nogal and on Three Rivers, paying \$9 for ones, \$12 for twos, \$17 and upwards for three year olds delivered at Engle, N. M. The herd was thrown together at Mrs. F. M. Goodin's ranch, the selection made and then delivered at the Ash Hawkins left Monday for-he said railroad. They took everything that was his way to Las Cruces. offered for sale.

P. G. Peters and the editor of the Banner started last Friday on a killing tour Agency school, and John Patton was so do not know that there are twelve miles through the White Mountains to be gone pleased that he went to the store and a week. They expect to stock the bought a new hat and two shirts. market with deer, bear, turkey and trout and locate some gold claims.

> Made by the Liberty Banner, May 22. W. L. Breece resumed work in the public school Monday, after a two week's

acation caused by illness of himself and

It is reported that Mr. Geo. Roberts, a brother of Capt. R bert , was married to a Miss Bird at El Paso last week.

Chas. Henley, who returned yesterday Eddy House June 7th Mes. A. Fritz, of from the San Andres mountains, inform-Lincoln, has rented the house, and will ed us that a fight occurred among the Mexicans near the lower end of the Mal We venture to predict that if Capt Pais in which a man, woman and one Let's interests in Roswell were not so child were shot, but no one killed. One

Another bear was killed in Carizo mountain last week. Bill York stranded on a rock slide, George Keith got lost in the fog, Marion Whirton ran his horse down on the back track, but John York "got thar" with both feet and bagged the

The Governor of Nebraska has issued an order prohibiting New M xico cattle from entering that state. Many herds are They say that since the late rise in thus quarantined and are awaiting fur-Black river, which washed away the dead ther developments. The Governor of cows, the fish are so ravenous that New Mexico is trying to have the order

WASHINGTON, May 19 .- The lot for saloon purposes. After a time it president to-day sent to the senate will be pretty generally understood that the nomination of George Christ to the town company is down ight earnest to be collector of customs for Ariz-

The side saddle, it seems, is doom. From the Interpreter, May 23. ed. And it ough to be doomed. It Can'l street will be built up principally now appears from historical re- present school term, will pay a visit to her to county matters you must take it. Luke Wilkins Wednesday, and had the from El Paso to violate the law, know- with two story brick lusiness blocks, searches that up to the year 1400 eastern home at Winstead, Conn. Her which will make the street one of the the women of England rode in the many friends and patrons of the school good old masculine, comfortable fashion. The change was brought abour during the reign of Richard the II, who married Anna of Bo-A. Larime, Wyo., dispatch says: "Dr. hemia. It so happened that the G. Martin, the dentist, who sought the gentle Anna aforesaid was deformed sheriff's protection at night on account of and therefore compelled to sit sideways on horseback. It was then as now. A royal fad had to be followwest at 9:30 yesterday morning. He was ed, no matter how foolish, ugly and accompanied to the train by the sheriff uncomfortable, and the adoption of and his deputy. He did not buy a ticket the side saddle was the result.—New

> The farmers living around Warren. Illinois, demanded of the merchants of that place that thay sell goods to them at 10 cents above cost. White Oaks and Red Cloud. The merchants refused. The farmers boycotted the town and established stores of their own. The local newspaper has suspended and the merchants are closing their doors and moving away. The town has 2,000 inhabitants. Should the farmers succeed in carrying out their plan and breaking up the town, they will find that they have cut off their nose to spite their face. Their lands and mines and well known citizens for \$2 a year. selves minus a large and profitable home market .- Democrat.

NEW YORK, May 21 .- Cattle exporters are being ground between the millstones. While the price of cat le here has been rising it has been falling on the other side. Campared with a year ago the price of beef abroad has fallen three quarters of a cent per pound, while on this side it has risen one and one and one half cents. On Saturday quotations in the Liverpool market were six cents per pound; on this side seven and a half. In the fall of this difference shippers find themselves compelled to continue sending cattle abroad for the reason that they have engaged all the freight that they could secure up to Aug. 1, at \$20 per head. Thus, if they do and external pressure exactly hal not ship they will loose \$20 per head anced at whatever depth was jeach and if they do ship they will loose

#### MESCALERO MATTERS.

Special Correspondence LINCOLN INDEPENDEN MESCALERO AGENCY, May 26, 1890. Andy Wilson has nearly finished th

ohnny Patton says that the amount of eggs ought to be raised He ordinate for Eddy .- Argus. says that his frieads will think he is dys.

New buildings will soon be going up.

forward estimates for the building of a property. It will be occupied by J. H. new school commisary, carpenter shop Morrison, who will conduct a real estate, and bath and laundry buildings. Will De Lany, wife and child remained

at the Agency two days last week. They were on their way to Fort Stanton from

Stanton, stopped over to dinner last week. to Eddy the first of the week.

of the double oven range stove for the this season.

expects to pluck roses yet this summer.

The other day two young cow-boys rede Eddy. off with them when Mr. Keenby went out calf back to the corral.

Thos. Keeney and wife left to-day for El Paso to meet and bring to the Agency their two daughters who have been to school in Texas for about six years. WM. OF LADING.

#### Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the approved plat +f township No. 8 south of range 17 east, has this day been received from the Surveyor General, and will be duly filed in this office on June 29th 1890, in accordance with instructions from the General Land Office, after which date tlings will be received thereter.

W. S. COBEAN,

Estray Notice.

Taken up by the undersigned, a resident of Linco in county, New Mexico, and posted before T. B. McCourt, J. P., preciact No. 8, Lincoln Co., New Mexico, accord ing to law, one bay mare, five years old, branded oVC on the right hip, untamed, and one black colt 10 months old, brand-

May 27, 1890.

Miss A. F. Hull, at the close of the to keep posted in everything pertaining

Mrs. Dr. A. G. Lane, with younger son matter than any other two papers in the and daughter, returned yerterlay from county combined. San Pedro to White Oaks, where Mrs. Lane and femily will reside in the future Her health is not the very best and the It may save you many dollars by keeping

The North Hemestake people will in a short time sink the main shaft 328 feet deeper, making a total depth of 1900 feet, from which atumed up rise will be com- It is the only paper in which will be pleted. This development will give them published all the county estray notices an abundance of ore for the next five or required by law to be published in a paper six years. While this work is in progress the mill will not run. Mr. Sigatus is contemplating the construction of an enire new mil of an improved process. It is neatly printed and you therefore The force now employed will continue. are not obliged to put on a pair of spece Frank Conger has received his commisto read part of it and guess at the rest. sion and will act as enumerator in taking the census. His district embraces Nogal

SAN FRANCISCO, May 22.—The pendent county newspaper, and will be Chronicle devotes four columns to worth many times its price every year you take it. giving the complete details of an alleged conspiracy to capture Lower California and found an independent republic to be followed by annexation to the United Sates. The revelation claims to involve a ests in the county, or have any internumber of prominent capitalists o take a good local paper, published at the interested in Lower California lands county seat. Especially if that paper is of Los Angeles and San Diego, the latter city appears to have been the headquarters.

Notice of Publication. LAND OFFICE AT ROSWELL, N. M. May 8th, 1880

White Oaks, Nogal, Ft. Stanton Rachel C. Hester,

es the following witnesses to pr

#### ROSWELL RACKET.

alacd by the Register, May 22.

The Argus very pertinently remarks nat Mr. Hagerman will ride into Eldy n his special car on or before Christmas. It is generally conceded that "The Pearl of the Pocos," is a very proper sub

Pearl is good but we still hold on to the Pride of the Pec os for Roswell.

Mendenhall & Garrett have erected a Col. Bennett has received instructions to new office building on their Main street lo: n and insurance business. Jas. Kibbee, the editor of THE INDB.

PENDENT, was in Roswell the latter part of the week, working in the interest of his mammoth edition advertising the Lt. Paddock and Mr. Taylor, of Fort Pecos Valley to be issued soon. He went Mr. Whitlock arrived here last week A. B. Liles sold his wool clip to Mr.

from Lincoln and remained over night at Pewett, agent for the Myer Friedman the Agency. He left next morning on Bros., of Las Vegas, for 12 cents. His clip will amount to about 1500 pounds. Col. Bennett has received the invoice This is the first sale we have heard of

Surveyors have been at work recently establishing the boundary line between Eddy county and Texas. Heretofore cer-A big rain—while it lasted—visited us tain Eddy county citizens have been com-few days ago. pelled to pay taxes to Texas and sit as Col. Bennett has set out rose bushes jurymen in that state. A. L. Crowly was around the Agency school buildings. He one of them. The line established by Mr. Nymeyer is about seventy miles oust of

into the Agency, opened the gate to Mr. One of our young society gentlemen, Keeney's corral and drove his cow and who sports a thin'y covered upper lip and calf of down the road, and were making is very proud of the same, the other evening asked a young lady what she thought and headed them off, gave them a little of his mustacke? She answered that it lecture on cow law and drove the cow and reminded her of a new town in the west. In what way, pray, he asked. "Oh, the survey is large enough but the settlers are scattering," she replied.



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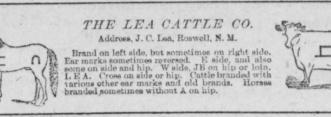
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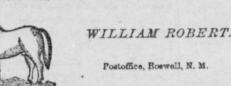
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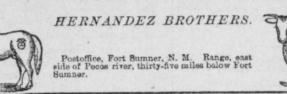
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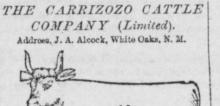




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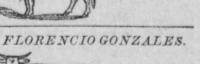
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