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MINING NEWS

Sturgeon Interviewed.

\$5,000 in Gold Shot from Stope Same amount from Second Pocket. Vein of \$100 Ore 3 feet Wide.

OLD ABE NOW RUNNING.

South Homestake to Start Soon.

Mr. John M. Rice and Floyd Parsons, of Parsons, arrived in town last night, accompanied by R. C. Sturgeon, Secy. and Treas. of the Eagle Mining & Improvement Co. and Vice-Pres. and Treas. of the American Gold Mining Co.

Our reporter interviewed Mr. Sturgeon in reference to the reported rich strike at the American last Saturday, and he stated that a pocket was shot out in one of the stopes from which was taken about \$5,000.00 in wire gold and that another one of about the same value was uncovered on Tuesday near the same place. Mr. Sturgeon did not seem to attach much importance to these two pockets, remarking that they were merely incidental to the working of any mine. He stated, however, that the American is now taking ore from a vein three feet wide which will run at least \$100.00 per ton. He showed us a panning from a shot sack full of ore from the heading of this vein which seemed to have at least a dollar in coarse gold.

Mr. Sturgeon stated that it is the policy of both the Eagle and American companies to operate their various plants on strictly up-to-date lines, and add to their equipment by installing modern machinery as rapidly as possible. He expressed himself as highly pleased with the Old Abe and South Homestake properties, the former of which was started last Monday, and is running 24 hours per day. The Eagle Co. expects to start the South Homestake just as soon as necessary repairs are completed, which will be in a very short time.

Large Party from Chicago.

A large party of gentlemen from Chicago and vicinity arrived at Carrizozo last Thursday in a special car over the Rock Island.

Their car was sidetracked at Carrizozo and they proceeded to White Oaks to inspect the Old Abe mine, one of the properties of the Eagle Mining & Improvement Co., in which many of them are stockholders.

Among the party were M. E. Randolph, W. G. Glenn, M. K. Sheridan, J. A. Barkey and Dr. D. A. Kennedy, of Chicago, Dr. Pounder and Messrs. Frink and Dodge of Elkhart Ind., W. O. Orton and E. G. Richards of South Bend, Ind., Mr. Barling of Milwaukee, Wis. and Mr. Branham, the Chicago representative of the Louisville Courier Journal. The party was accompanied by Mr. Sturgeon, who is an officer of both companies, and were met at Carrizozo by Mr. Rice, the General Manager.

After a day spent here they went to Nogal, to go over the American property, and thence to Parsons where they thoroughly inspected the property of the Eagle Co. and made a mill run on ore from the old Parsons mine which yielded over \$4.00 per ton on the plates.

The entire party, except Mr. Sturgeon left for El Paso on Monday evening, and expressed themselves as highly pleased with our climate and scenery, and astounded at the richness of our mines.

After a day or two in El Paso the party will return to Chicago, unless some of them get lost in the shuffle.

Old Abe Running.

The deal for the purchase of the Old Abe mine necessitated the suspension of operations on that property, pending the negotiations and therefore the entire force was thrown out of employment. As this great mine had been, for years, the main stay of the camp the closing of the work, although for only a short period, produced a marked influence on the business of the community. Work was suspended, only, for the purpose of taking the necessary inventory of the property and making the few repairs thought advisable by the new management.

Last Saturday work, in the mine was resumed and Monday the mill began to crush the ore laden with its precious, yellow, metal and the accustomed sound of the whistle now, again echoes through the surrounding canyons and cheers the denizens of the camp with its more than welcome music.

The deal having been fully consummated the Eagle mining and Improvement company took charge as above stated and will at an early day add, largely to the milling plant and will then increase the output to from three to five times its present production. While there remains large quantities of high grade ore in the Old Abe, the increase contemplated in the plant will enable the company to, not only work the richer ores, but will make it possible to mine and mill the immense bodies of lower grades, at a satisfactory profit, as with the augmented production the additional expense will hardly be noticed.

Again, the company acquired the valuable coal mines of the former owner, which cannot be surpassed in quantity and quality of coal, in the West. This will become the point of the large electric plant where the power, not only for the propelling of the machinery at the Old Abe mine and mill, but also for the works near Nogal and at Parsons where the Eagle company has acquired and is operating the extensive and valuable mining properties of those localities.

In view of all the conditions the purchase of the Old Abe properties demonstrated the wisdom, foresight and business discrimination of the management of the Eagle company and while the added importance and increased trade which White Oaks will derive from the change, the purchasers have made a most valuable acquisition to their already valuable holdings.

The Old Abe starts up with Arthur P. Green in charge of the mine and J. W. Fairfield directing the milling operations, while A. Ridgeway remains in the management of the coal mine. Most of the employes of the Old Abe Co. have taken their former places on the work under the new organization. The boys are again happy and all wish the new proprietors the rich returns which they merit and which they cannot fail to realize.

Houses in Demand.

Houses to rent are scarce in White Oaks and real estate is demanding a good price when a sale is made. White Oaks is one of the most desirable place in the Southwest to live and many people are finding out its advantages, from the stand point of climate, society, etc.

THE DEATH ROLL A Good Woman Passes Away.

On Monday morning about ten o'clock Mrs. Hattie S. Mayer, wife of Frederick Mayer, after an illness of several weeks, passed out of this life. A group of four little ones, the oldest a girl not yet ten, and the youngest a boy of four, are left motherless, and a devoted husband, wifeless. Mrs. Mayer was still in the blush of young womanhood when she was called to part from her beloved group. Born on June 2nd, 1873, she came to White Oaks in the days of her girlhood in the spring of 1891, and was married to Frederick Mayer January 2nd, 1892. This death was one of those events which cast a gloom over the whole community. But it is out of the gloom and the sorrows of such events that the best and truest elements of human nature spring. And this was manifested by the relations and friends and neighbors of the bereaved family. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon at the Congregational Church, and was conducted by the pastor, Dr. Miller. The service was solemn and impressive. The hymns sung by the choir were: "Nearer My God to Thee;" "Asleep in Jesus;" "Sleep on Beloved and Take Thy Rest." The selections from the Scriptures were all expressive of comfort and hope. Dr. Miller prefaced his remarks by quoting the poem of Miss Lillie E. Borr:

"Eyes that have wept and watched for years,
No more shall ye be dimmed by tears;
Your vigil now shall others keep—
'Tis only OPEN eyes that weep!
Oh heart! so good, so true!
There is no trouble in the grave;
No care, that dreamless sleep to wake;
'Tis only BEATING hearts that break!
Hands crossed so humbly on thy breast—
Poor weary hands! Ye now have rest;
While death hath purified your soul,
'Tis only LIVING hands that toil."

"This sleep is life," said he, and the awakening shall be, "The birth of Immortality." The key to the address, were the words of Jesus, in John 14: "Let not your heart be troubled, ye believe in God."

The church was filled with friends, who wished to express in this service their sympathy with the family, and their remembrance for the one called away. The interment was in the K of P cemetery—a very large part of the people joining in the procession. At the grave the choir again sung, "Jesus Lover of My Soul," and after the benediction the people dispersed.

APPLICATION FOR PATENT

Application for patent No. 9, Republished under direction of Commissioner of General Land Office June 10th, 1902.

United States Land Office, }
Roswell, New Mexico, }
July 29, 1902. }

Notice is hereby given that the Rip Van Winkle Gold Mining Company by William E. Blanchard its attorney in fact whose post office address is White Oaks, Lincoln County, New Mexico, has this day filed its application for patent for 1357, and 30-100 linear feet of the Rip Van Winkle lode or vein bearing gold and other metal with surface ground 400 and 10, and 6-10 feet in width situate in White Oaks Mining District, Lincoln County New Mexico, and designated by field notes and official plat on file in this office as survey No. 934 in Township 6 S. Range 11 E. of New Mexico Prin. Meridian, said survey No. 934 being as follows to-wit:

Beginning at Cor. No. 1, Cor. No. 4 survey No. 933, a granite stone 25x16x6 inches set 3-4 inch in ground marked 1-934 on E. side, whence a blazed cedar tree 20 inches in diam. marked B. T. 1-934 bears N. 80 deg. 30 min. E. 25 feet distant. Cor. No. 1 Rita Lode, survey No. 663, B. H. Dye et als owners, and Cor. No. 1 Lady Godiva Lode, survey No. 683, B. H. Dye et als owners, a porphyry stone 16x11x7 inches above ground, bears N. 44 deg. 35 min. E. 187-95 ft. distant. Cor. 2 Homestake Lode survey No. 621, a stone of unknown dimensions (top broken off) Jaims M. Sigafus et al claimants, bears S. 81 deg. 18 min. E. 111-76 feet distant, and W. 1-4 sec. cor. Sec. 25 Township 6 S. Range 11 E. bears N. 47 deg. 43 min W. 747-96 feet distant. Thence var. 13 deg. E. N. 17 deg. 51 min. W. 1357-40 ft. to Cor. No. 2 a porphyry stone 26x12x10 inches set 3-4 inch in ground marked 2-934 on S. side. Thence Var. 12 deg. 45 min E. N. 72 deg. 10 min. E. 410-6 feet to Cor. No. 3, a sand stone 26x8x6 inches set 3-4 inch in ground marked 3-394 on S. side. Thence Var. 12 deg. 48 min. E. S. 17 deg. 51 min. E. 1357-50 feet to Cor. No. 4, a granite stone 24x14x8 inches set 3-4 in ground marked 4-394 on N. side set in large mound of stone. Thence Var. 13 deg. E. S. 17 deg. 10 min. W. 400-6 feet to Cor. No. 1 place of beginning containing 12-79 acres.

Expressly waiving and accepting from this application all that portion of the surface ground of said survey No. 934 which is in conflict with survey No. 623 and 624 as set forth in the plat and field notes of said survey No. 934 on file in this office. Total area claimed 3-55 acres.

Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of said Rip VAN WINKLE Lode Mine or surface ground are required to file their adverse claims with the Register of the United States Land Office at Roswell, in the Territory of New Mexico, during the sixty days period of publication hereof, or they will be barred by virtue of the provisions of the statute.

HOWARD LELAND,
Register.

Date 1st publication Aug. 7, 1902.

APPLICATION FOR PATENT

Application for patent No. 10, Republished under the direction of Commissioner of the General Land Office, June 7, 1902.

United States Land Office, }
Roswell, New Mexico, }
July 29, 1902. }

Notice is hereby given that the Rip Van Winkle Gold Mining Co. by William E. Blanchard its attorney in fact, whose postoffice address is White Oaks, Lincoln county, New Mexico, has this day filed its application for a patent for 1350 linear feet of the Comstock Lode or vein, bearing gold and silver, and other metals with surface ground 500 feet in width, situated in White Oaks Mining District, Lincoln County, New Mexico, and designated by the field notes and plat on file in this office as survey No. 933 in Township 6 S. Range 11 E. New Mexico Prin. Meridian, said survey No. 933 being as follows to-wit:

Beginning at Cor. No. 1 a porphyry stone 24x22x15 inches set 3-4 inches in ground on N. side marked 1-933, whence a blazed pinon tree 6 inches in diam. marked B. T. 1-933 bears N. 14 deg. 45 min. W. 37 feet distant. Cor. No. 3 survey No 621 bears S. 17 deg. 51 min. E. 50 feet distant and the 1-4 section corner to secs. 25 and 26, Township 6 S. Range 11 E. New Mexico Prin. Meridian bears N. 6 deg. 43 min. 30 sec. W. 660-88 feet distant. Thence N. 17 deg. 51 W. var. 12 deg. 45 min. E. 1350 feet to cor. No. 2 a porphyry stone 25x18x12 inches set 3-4 inches in the ground marked 2-933 on S. side. Thence var. 12 deg. 30 min. E. N. 72 deg. 10 min. E. 500 feet to cor. No. 3 a porphyry stone 28x14x8 set 3-4 inches in ground marked 3-933 on S. side. Thence var. 12 deg. 42 min E. S. 17 deg. 51 min. E. 1350 feet to cor. No. 4 a granite stone 24x10x5 inches set 3-4 inches in ground, marked 4-933 on W. side. Thence var. 13 deg. 05 min. E. S. 72 deg. 10 min. W. 500 feet to cor. No. 1 place of beginning, containing 15.50 acres. Expressly waiving and accepting from this application all that portion of said claim which is in conflict with survey No. 153 as set forth in the field notes on file in this office, and also waiving and accepting the con-

flict set forth with surveys No. 623 and 624, and No. 648. Total area claimed 8.883 acres.

Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of said Comstock Lode Mine or surface ground are required to file their adverse claims with the Register of the United States Land Office at Roswell, in the Territory of New Mexico, during the sixty days period of publication hereof, or they will be barred by virtue of the provisions of the statute.

HOWARD LELAND,
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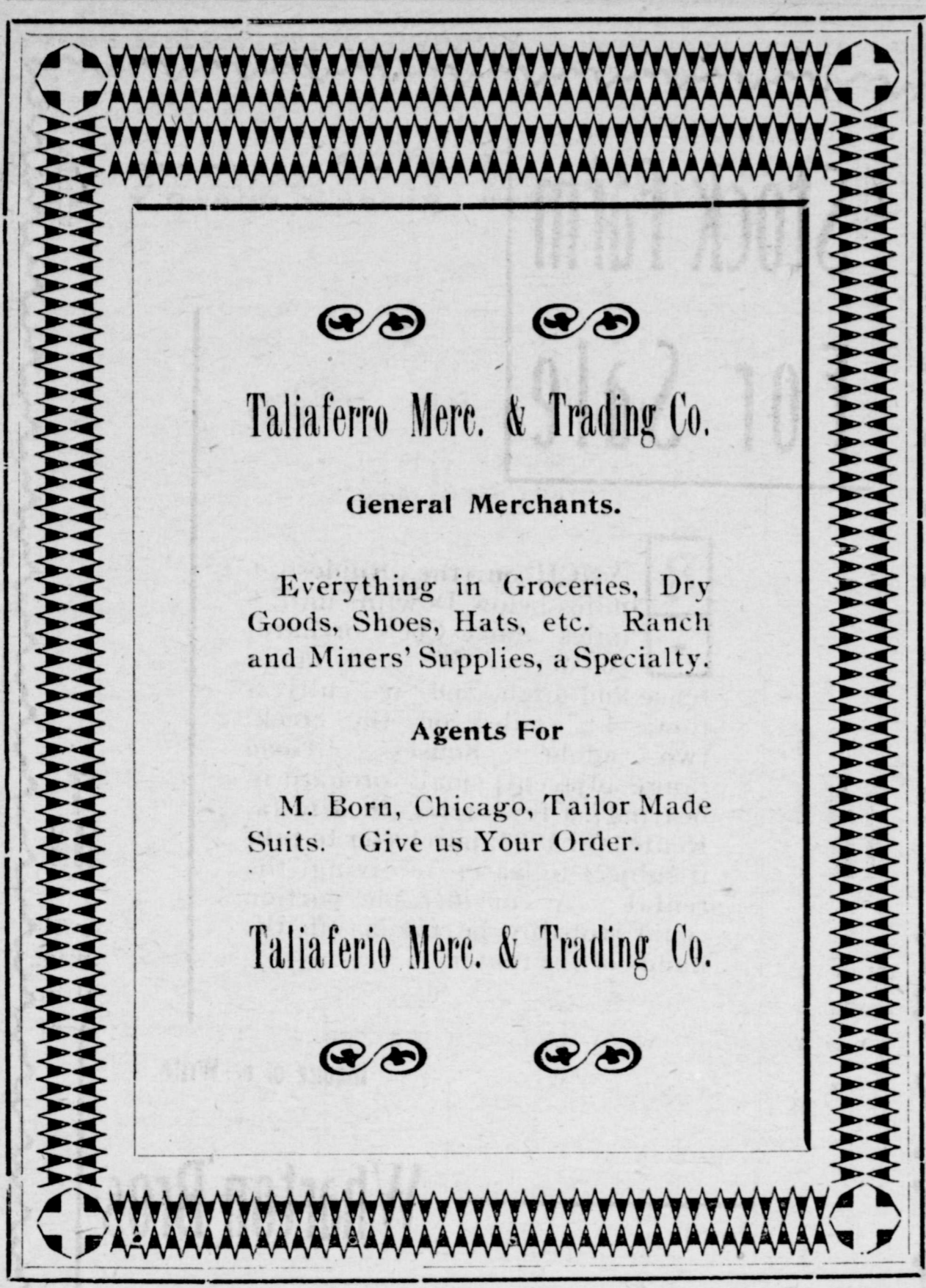
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Negro Stampede.

Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 20—The undertaking establishments were crowded this morning with hundreds of persons, mostly delegates to the national negro Baptist convention, searching for missing friends and relatives who might have been killed in last night's stampede at the Shiloh Baptist Colored church, which grew out of a panic caused by a fight and a cry of fire while Booker T. Washington was addressing the convention. Up to 9 o'clock about fifty bodies were identified, the greater number being local residents. It is expected that at least a dozen of the injured will die.

Ten of the injured have died during the morning. A number of the dead have been found at private houses in the neighborhood of the scene of the disaster. Up to 11 o'clock today eighty-seven dead bodies have been identified. The death list is now figured at 115.

The will of W. S. Stratton, the millionaire mine owner of Colorado Springs, is a surprise to every one. He left only \$50,000 to his son and the great bulk of the vast fortune goes to a home to be established in Colorado Springs for poor people. The millionaire's son and others are preparing to contest the will.

Letter List.

Letters remaining uncalled for in the post office at White Oaks, N. M., Sept. 1st, 1902.

N. F. Cernack	Miss Ollie Chance
James Hubbert	Sr Don Eusebio Torres
Mrs. Richard Warner (2)	Miss Annie Ker
Mrs. L. H. Lond	J. A. Lawrence
Mr. J. C. Logan	Mr. Chas. M-bro
Mrs. Mary A. Letton	M. Sec. on
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For Sheriff

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For Probate Clerk

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PAUL MAYER

For Assessor

PORFIRIO CHAVEZ

For Superintendent of Schools

E. J. COE

For Surveyor

A. E. WILLIAMS

NEW LIFE

During the last few months a new life and activity have pervaded this portion of New Mexico, which has not abated with time, but on the contrary appears to be on the increase. Capitalists of the east who are seeking more profitable investments for their surplus, than they are able to secure at home, have discovered that this region presents a field where money may safely be placed with every assurance that large returns will be realized.

When conducted upon the same business basis, there is nothing which will yield surer or more satisfactory incomes than mining, and while, as in every other undertaking, failures and disappointment sometimes result, there is no other business which can show a larger percentage of success than legitimate mining; none can show a greater accumulation of wealth or larger profits than the production of the precious metals.

These facts are now becoming known and being realized and investors are ready to take advantage of the limitless opportunities presented in the mountains of New Mexico, and especially in the White, Nogal; White Oaks,

Jacarilla and Gallina ranges, in Lincoln county. They are coming, singly and in large parties, universally pleased with the outlook and surprised at the boundless possibilities of this hitherto practically, unknown and unappreciated field for investment.

The dawn of a new era is before us and this region, so long unnoticed, by reason of its isolation, has already begun to feel the thrill of this new vigor which shall make it the scene of a more thriving industry at an early day.

THE BASIS OF PROSPERITY.

Senator Fairbanks, of Indiana, says that the Republican prospects in his State are excellent, and he mentions as the main reason for this state of affairs that "there was never greater prosperity; the farmers are all happy because their crops are better than they have been in many years."

Agriculture is the basis of our national prosperity. Of the exports last year, valued at \$1,500,000,000, nearly two-thirds was made up of products of the soil. The latest census bulletin, issued today, shows that in 1900 there were in the United States 5,739,657 farms, valued at \$16,674,694,247, whose annual products were worth nearly \$5,000,000,000. When the farmers generally are prosperous railroad earnings are high, manufacturers and merchants find a ready market for their goods, and the whole country feels the benefits.

Naturally, also, the party in power gains an advantage from this state of things. It is useless to point out that Senator Fairbanks's party is no more responsible for the good crops in Indiana than it is for the hailstones that have beaten down the wheat fields or the floods that have injured the crops in other states. The short wheat crop in foreign countries is likely to continue and perhaps to increase the demand for our grain, and the Republican orators, appropriating for their party the operations of nature and the orderings of Providence, will of course cry out: "See the great prosperity which we have created!"

The voter hardest to move is the one with full barns and a growing bank account, even though Government and politics have helped him not half as much as "the man in the moon." The only offset to this advantage for the "ins" is the harder struggle to make the ends meet for millions of workingmen whose living expenses have increased 30 per cent, while wages have not advanced ten.—World.

The assessment returns for the Territory, for 1902, show that Lincoln county pays more taxes on surface and other taxable improvements of mines, than any other county.

Stock Farm For Sale



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Judge Mills today granted an alternative writ of mandamus against the board of county commissioners of Mora county to compel them to vacate their orders entered September 1st and 2nd, abolishing certain precincts, four of said county and annexing them to certain other precincts without having before them a petition therefor as provided by law; also to compel the said board to give the democratic party representation on all the boards of registration in all of the precincts of said county, by appointing one capable person, a democrat, on each of said boards. The hearing on the alternative writ will be had in Raton before Judge Mills about ten days from this. The writ was upon the relation of the democratic central committee of Mora county, composed of H. U. Strong and Macario Gallegos and others, and was sued out by Attorneys Long, Money and Haydon.—Optic.

President Roosevelt received several serious bruises in the trolley accident at Pittsfield, Mass. One of these has developed into a small abscess, and an operation has been performed in St. Vincent's Hospital, Indianapolis. All engagements have been cancelled and the president will go direct from Indianapolis to Washington.

A. E. Williams,
**Surveyor and
Civil Engineer.**

DEPUTY U. S. MINERAL SURVEYOR. CAPTAIN, N. M.

HEWITT & HUDSPETH,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

WHITE OAKS, N. M.

The commissioner of irrigation of New Mexico has approved the application of C. L. Ballard and others of Roswell for 38,320 acres in Socorro county to be taken from the 100,000 acres granted by congress for the improvement of the Rio Grande; also the application of James Owens for the American Valley Water Storage company for 50,000 acres in Socorro county, and the application of the White Mountain Irrigation company for the reclamation of 15,000 acres in Lincoln county.

William Hooper Young, grandson of Brigham Young, is charged with the murder of Mrs. Pulitzer, in New York City. The Mormon scion accuses another of committing the murder, but admits that he tried to carve up the body in order to get it in a trunk, but his nerve failed him.

LOCAL and PERSONAL NEWS.

George Ulrick returned yesterday.

Dr. M. G. Paden is on the sick list.

Allen Highfil was over from Nogal Monday.

J. J. McCourt of El Paso, was in the city Monday.

Chas. Jesse came home from Nogal, Wednesday.

M. D. Lincoln, the Gallina mining man, is in town.

Fred Smith is in town today after ranch supplies.

Noah McCoy, Jicarilla, called at the EAGLE office Saturday.

Millard Davidson came in Saturday from his Gallina ranch.

Ross Coe, Ruidoso, was in town Wednesday with a load of fruit.

Ed. Homan, N. McCoy, and Mr. Hinton are in from the Jicarillas.

Chas. Stevens and wife were in town, from their ranch in Texas Park, yesterday.

Rev. S. E. Allison left Monday for El Paso to attend the Methodist conference.

Mrs. Lee McGehee and Mrs. Whittleby were in town Wednesday, from Nogal.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lindsey are the parents of a fine boy baby, born Friday.

Joe Laquay, Foreman of the American mine, Nogal, was in town Wednesday.

Harry Comrey, of the firm of Comrey Bros. was in from the Ancho country Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Queen are the parents of an eight pound girl, born Sunday morning.

Leslie Ellis, Democratic candidate for probate clerk, paid The Eagle a pleasant call Tuesday.

E. T. Collier is expecting this week to receive a half dozen fine registered angora billies from California.

Miss Bessie Reid, who has been visiting friends in White Oaks for the past week, returned home yesterday.

Col. G. W. Stoneroad, Messrs. Frank Marsh, Johnson and Geo. Thompkins, of Jicarilla, were in town yesterday.

Mrs. Bullard and her son and daughter, of Tularosa, who have been visiting the family of Joe Spencer, left for home on Tuesday's stage.

The richest ore ever found in the Nogal mines was taken from the American last Saturday. Specimens as large as a man's hand that were half wire gold have been exhibited.

Great excitement prevails and men have been employed to guard the ore.

J. E. Wharton, Jno. A. Haley, S. M. Wharton and A. H. Norton left Monday for Roswell to attend the democratic district convention, of the Fifteenth Legislative District.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. James, of Parsons, took the train at Carrizozo, Wednesday night, for Sugartown, La., where they will visit friends and relatives for a month.

The young people of White Oaks were entertained at the residence of N. B. Taylor Saturday evening. Candy pulling was a feature of the entertainment, and all report a most enjoyable time.

Geo. W. Harbin, Waterloo, Iowa, and a party of eastern capitalist, passed through White Oaks, Thursday enroute to Jicarilla, where Mr. Harbin of the Rico Mining Co., is interested in placer properties.

Certificates were issued by the Board of Examiners to the following named teachers who attended the Normal and passed the regular examination. Misses Addie Piersol and Jessie Clark, Richardson, Miss Stella Meek, Arabela, Miss Myrtle Eidson, Capitan, Miss Alice McMains, White Oaks, Miss Lucile Peters, Angus, Mrs. W. E. Dudley, Nogal, Profirio Gonzales and James Dow, Lincoln, and Frank Burlingame, Alamogordo.

Messrs. Otto Bergman, Val Hoffman, Wm. Sturham, Thos. Surnock, D. J. Carr, W. R. Scott, and Mrs. E. H. Scott of Quincy, Ill., Mrs. D. M. Wyland of Harlem, Iowa, Messrs. F. M. Shoemaker and Charle W. Harbin of Waterloo, Iowa, and D. M. Finley of La Grange, Mo. were in White Oaks, Nogal and Jicarilla, this week with Geo. W. Harbin of Nogal, examining mining properties.

These are ladies and gentlemen of wealth and influence; and the citizens of Lincoln county may congratulate themselves that such people have been induced to investigate the resources of this section.

Angus.

Regular Correspondence.

The Nogal boys played a game of base ball with our boys last Sunday, on the mesa adjoining the Willows. They were beaten by our boys who are pretty good players. There was a large and enthusiastic crowd of spectators, and much interest was taken in the game. Come again boys.

The work on our new school house is progressing finely. It has a gothic roof and will make an ornamental structure, and a credit to the builder.

We had frost on the 16th inst., which is rather earlier than usual.

Congregational Church.

At Plymouth Church next Sunday September 28th. In the morning the Sunday school holds its Annual Rally service. A special progame of interest has been prepared, song, recitation and address. Every body is invited to come and take part in the exercises.

At 7:30 at night, Dr. Miller, the Pastor, will preach as usual.

Christian Endeavor at 6:30. It is expected this will be a red letter day at Plymouth.

10,000 Cattle for New Mexico.

C. T. Turney, J. S. Moss, Bob Wyatt, Albert Cox, the "big four," of Sutton county, Texas, are preparing to move ten thousand head of cattle from Sutton county, to New Mexico as soon as the quarantine line is raised. They claim the actual settlers are running them out of Texas.—El Paso Herald.

The Appeal of Collector Garrett

The appeal of the collector of customs, P. F. Garrett, of this city, upon the decision of the appraisers' court in the Corralitos cattle matter, has been filed in the United States district court. It was written by U. S. Attorney Henry Terrell, of San Antonio, who claims that the appraisers court erred in two decisions in regard to the number of cattle classified as yearlings and as twos and threes. The appeal asked that the papers in the matter be referred to the United States district court.—El Paso Herald.

Value of Precious Stones.

Some time ago we called the attention of prospectors to the value of not overlooking any mineral even though it be known, as an analysis might prove it of value to them. The United States are as rich in the precious stones as any other country in the world and prospectors should pay attention to every class of material found in nature with which they are not familiar. Some years ago one of the profession picked up what he thought to be a copper float. Today the world's largest turquoise mine is located in that vicinity. For years the blue-gray material found in the stream beds of Oregon and California was thrown away because its identity was unknown. The same gravel is now being washed over in search of platinum. If the prospector will save his curious specimens with some data with reference to the locality from which they were obtained, a vigilance exercised in every day life in the hills may be rewarded in a substantial manner.—Reporter.

Justice of the Supreme Court, Horace Gray, is dead. He was a native of Massachusetts and was appointed in 1881.

Paul Mayer

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Received a
Car Load of
Studebaker
Wagons.

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Preparing to Reclaim Arid Lands

Robert T. Hill of the United States Geological Survey, who was recently sent to Martinique to investigate the eruption of Mount Pelee, will be engaged this season in an investigation of the trans-Pecos region of New Mexico, Texas, and Arizona. The geology, stratigraphy, physiography and vulcanism of the region will receive attention. Dr. G. H. Girty, paleontologist, will be associated with Mr. Hill in the work, and data will be secured for the use of Congress and the departments.

This is preparatory to the actual work of reclaiming arid lands in accordance with the law recently enacted by congress and particular attention will be given to the available water resources. They will investigate regarding the flow which may be expected at the various stages of the streams as this sets a positive limit to the acreage that can be placed under cultivation. Another point on which they will report will be the possibility of increasing the amount at low stages by impounding the spring or freshet waters, or a portion of them, in great storage reservoirs and the most desirable locations for these reservoirs with their probable cost. Much of this work has been done by the hydrographic division of the United States geological survey and the work now to be undertaken is supplementary and final so far as preliminaries are concerned.—New Mexican.

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Delegates to Irrigation Congress

The Tenth National Irrigation Congress which will meet at Colorado Springs, October 6th to 9th, will be of much consequence and do the West great good, if every western state and territory is well and ably represented and there is harmony in the plans that will be formulated and the legislation that will be advised by the congress. New Mexico is vitally interested in irrigation and should have a good representation there, the territory being entitled to 20 delegates to be appointed by the governor, each city being entitled to two delegates to be appointed by the mayor, and each board of county commissioners, chamber of commerce, board of trade and agricultural college being also entitled to two delegates.—Santa Fe New Mexican.

Governor Otero has announced the delegates to represent New Mexico at the Tenth National Irrigation Congress, which will be held at Colorado Springs from October 6th to 9th. They are: G. A. Richardson, Roswell; Edward Hatton, Red River; R. W. Tansill, Carlsbad; F. S. Pierce, East Las Vegas; E. A. Miera, Cuba; G. W. Knaebel, Santa Fe; W. A. Hawkins, Alamogordo; Martin Lohman, Las Cruces; W. S. Hopewell, Hillsboro; H. M. Dougherty, Socorro; Eusebio Chacon, Las Vegas; A. L. Hobbs, Raton; W. M. Reed, Roswell; W. H. H. Llewellyn, Las Cruces; John A. Koontz, Aztec; D. K. B. Sellers, Farmington; Lou H. Brown, Deming; J. S. Vandoren, Bluewater; George L. Brooks, Albuquerque; A. R. Burkdoll, Faywood.

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Arrive Amarillo	3:55 "
Leave Amarillo	4:15 "
Arrive Oklahoma	2:40 a. m.
Arrive So McAlester	6:35 "
Arrive Little Rock	3:20 p. m.
Arrive Memphis	7:35 "

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.. Miami 3:15
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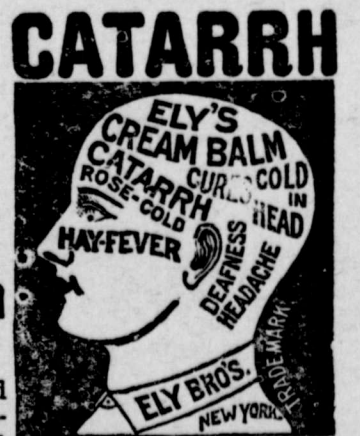
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The 19th annual convention of the Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias of New Mexico met in the hall of Santa Fe Lodge No. 2 at 9:30 12 inst. The address of welcome on behalf of the city was made by Mayor I. Sparks. The address of welcome on behalf of the order was delivered by Solicitor General E. L. Bartlett, who is a past grand chancellor of the order. Grand Chancellor William Kilpatrick, responded in a most appropriate and neat speech. The address of welcome on behalf of the local lodge was delivered by Chancellor Commander A. P. Hill, responded to by Grand Keeper of Records and Seals C. E. Perry. The grand lodge opened for executive business, Grand Chancellor William Kilpatrick in the chair. The

program for the evening consisted of a concert by the Capital City Band in the Plaza from 7 to 8 o'clock. Thereafter the members of the grand lodge were given an informal reception at the Knights of Pythias hall, commencing at 8:15 o'clock and at which a luncheon was served. In the afternoon the visiting Sir Knights and the ladies accompanying them were taken about the city in carriages and all points of interest were visited.

The grand officers are as follows: Grand Chancellor, Wm. Kilpatrick, Madrid; Grand Vice Chancellor, B. F. Adams, Albuquerque; Grand Prelate, P. B. Heater, Silver City; Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, C. E. Perry, East Las Vegas; Grand Master of Exchequer, W. W. Risdon, Gallup; Grand Master at Arms, E. W. Clapp, Lordsburg; Grand Guard, Julius Uhlfelder, Elizabethtown.

The following past grand chancellors are in attendance: E. L. Bartlett, W. M. Berger, Charles F. Easley. There are 46 grand representatives from 26 lodges in attendance.

Considerable legislation of interest to the order was enacted and withal the convention has been a very satisfactory one to the Knights in attendance.

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