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The Extent of Dolores County.

This is not a very small county, so far as territory is concerned, but the large portion of the area is unproductive; yet a slight change in the southern boundary line would add a strip which includes the fertile Dolores valley, which is rapidly becoming an important agricultural district.

Going to Fight the Cheyennes.

Sunday's Tribune-Republican The platform in front of the Union Depot presented a very animated appearance yesterday afternoon, caused by the arrival of sixteen cars of United States troops.

A Mining Man's Experience.

Tribune-Republican. M. J. Fitzgerald, a mining expert from San Juan county, Utah, now in Durango, had some personal experience of Ute peculiarities during the recent outbreak.

Bill Nye and the "Punist."

Boston Globe. While sitting on one of the many seats which may be found on the Common one morning I formed the acquaintance of a pale young man, who asked me if I resided in Boston.

A Salty Old War.

A dispatch says the immediate probability of another Lincoln County war, this time in Texas, has induced the Government to instruct the Marshal of that locality to occupy a neutral position and let the county and state governments settle with a party of Mexicans who have invaded the salt deposits.

A not Entirely Disinterested Hero.

Boston Globe. An aged negro sat on one of the wharves at Salem Massachusetts, fishing. A colored boy was sitting beside him, eagerly watching the bob as it danced up and down.

The Ladies' Medical Adviser.

Mr. A. D. Wilson and party with an escort of U. S. troops, started last Tuesday for the San Juan river where they will begin the work of resurveying the line between Colorado and Utah.

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Richard Bass and Thomas Newcomb

returned Saturday from a hunting trip to North Park, in which they were very successful. Among the spoils of the hunt was a magnificent specimen of a mountain lion, which was 7 feet 6 inches from tip to tip with heavy limbs and evidently an old raider.

The Democrat of Carrollton, Mo.

"On Thursday Jim Lawton invited 50 neighbors to see him beat his own time of two years ago, when his wife baked bread in eight and a quarter minutes after the wheat was standing in the field.

Dolores County.

In its summing up of the stock resources of the state, the Denver News says of Dolores: "This county is credited with about 4,000 head of cattle within its boundaries. About 40,000 acres of range is fully occupied by stock.

There are 200,000 acres of range of high altitude that would support 20,000 head of cattle for eight months of the year, provisions being made for their support the other four months elsewhere.

Loss of cattle subsisting solely on range, 5 per cent.

THE RICO, Telluride and Miguel people are determined to push through the projected road from Telluride to Rico, so as to make an outlet for the Miguel ores to Rico, where they can be reduced at a saving to the mine owner of \$10 per ton.

A Colorado City, Texas, dispatch

of last Sunday says it is rumored here that a battle has been fought between the cowboys and the Indians on the New Mexican ranch of J. B. Slaughter, of this place. Sixty Indians and sixteen cowboys are reported killed. There is great excitement there, and confirmatory details are anxiously awaited.

FRIENDS may desert an editor

rivals may scorn him and he may fail to get a postoffice, but as long as his scissors do not break and the cork reaches do not eat up his paste, hope turns its golden light upon him and his future has a trade dollar silver lining which sorrow cannot corrode.

THE other day about thirty feet

of the kneeling nun at Santa Rita has tumbled down. For years past this has been a prominent landmark in the southern part of the Territory. A small portion of the needle still remains, but cannot be seen at so great a distance as of old.

OUR regular army has done well so far

in the Indian war. It has killed fifteen squaws and children and an attenuated old buck too weak to go on the war path. A diet of beans and thirteen dollars a month will make any man fight.—Mul-don.

"LOOK here. This piece of meat don't

suit me. It's from the back of the animal's neck," said an Austin man to a German butcher. "Mine friend, all dog beef eat I sell is back of dot neck. Dore vos nodding but horns in front of dot neck."

JONES asked his wife: "Why is a hus

band like dough?" He expected she would give it up, and was going to tell her it was because a woman needs him; but she said it was because he was so hard to get off her hands.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

C. J. BANG returned Thursday from a trip to Durango.

JULIUS FIST, liquor dealer of Pueblo, was in town this week.

Mrs. J. S. MARSHALL started yesterday on her return to Chicago.

C. L. CHEEK, a well-known sport of San Juan, came in from Durango yesterday.

BROUGHTON & TABER have just finished some valuable improvements at their shops.

J. F. WATKINS, of the Pasadena smelter, returned from Trimble Springs Tuesday evening.

The Queen Bee struck Rico Monday on her annual chase after subscribers and shekels.

Mrs. G. S. BARLOW and daughter, Maud Melein, left Rico on Monday for Denver and the East.

MAJ. L. M. KELLY departed this afternoon for his home in Elgin, Illinois, going via the northern route.

E. L. DAVIS came in from Telluride Wednesday. The Nellie gold mine is doing remarkably well.

JOE HOSKINS came in from the West Dolores yesterday, and is after jacks to pack ore from his lease.

WILL WEST, and a Mr. Tizzard, well-known residents of the Animas valley, were arrivals of Monday.

S. H. MATHEWS is in from Ames and is waiting to receive a ten ton shipment from the San Juan mine.

W. E. PARSONS and G. W. Polling went hunting on the West Dolores last Sunday and returned to-day.

TROUT, freshly taken with hook and line from the Trout Lakes, served at the St. James Hotel to-morrow.

JOHN GAULT came in from Durango Thursday and will return to that city to-morrow, having business there.

A GAME of polo will be played at the rink this evening, the sides to be chosen from the gentlemen in attendance.

ANDY BRYLON went up to Trout Lakes this morning and returned before noon with a quantity of trout for the St. James.

MUNT GUSBY is out at Castle Rock working on some mining property. He sent in some nice looking "truck" yesterday.

By SRELL and Ed Brewster left town to-day, bound for the Naturita country, where they will be absent for the next few days.

J. P. LONDON, S. W. Bartlett and S. H. Burghardt returned Monday from a very successful hunting trip into the West Dolores region.

We are under obligations to C.A. Haen who to-day rode to Flag Station and return to obtain particulars of the Atkinson disappearance.

A. G. STACY and his partner, of Socorro, New Mexico, are in Rico, coming overland from the south, and will try their fortunes in the San Juan.

BOB ALLISON came in from Telluride on Tuesday on business. Bob has a good job on the Nellie mine at Telluride and returned to that place yesterday.

SAMUEL JAMES, JR., metallurgist of the Pasadena, went out to Silverton and Telluride after ore. Another item indicates far more important business.

The weather lately has been quite warm for this locality, and many declare that the temperature is more torrid than they ever before experienced in this country.

The benefit at the rink last Saturday evening was not so well attended as it deserved to be. Rico Cornet Band is entitled to more than this at the hands of its friends.

A. P. ADAMS returned Thursday from his trip to Mount Wilson, where he went to see after the Magpie and Sunlight claims, in which he recently purchased an interest.

WALTER WATKINS is arranging for the building of a sail boat to be placed on the Trout Lake. When finished it will Monobe quite a complete little vessel, with a fine capacity for eight.

TO P. Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Julius on, Artie Thompson and Johnnie Magneto, went on a fishing excursion where the Jacksons

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Gro. WEST has been absent in Pueblo and Denver for the past month and purchased 66 head of thoroughbred Hereford bulls, which are for the use of himself and neighboring cattle men. He returned Thursday and will go out west in a day or two.

By an oversight, no mention was made last week of the masquerade at the rink for the benefit of the Rico Cemetery Fund. The proceeds of the affair were \$35.40, of which one half has been turned over to the treasurer of the fund named—Joseph Meredith.

The ranker growth of wild flowers is now giving way to the more delicate and fragrant varieties and primroses are blooming in great profusion. Wyant and Leslie Winkfield have our thanks for a large bouquet which mingles sweet incense with the odor of the paste pot.

FRED A. CORNELL was one of the best known of our early citizens, but for two years he has been down on the Lower Miguel, operating on placers. He was in town this week on business connected with a sale of some Unawep cañon property of Jim Hall and Bob Allison.

Mrs. W. H. BEAN was a passenger on the incoming stage Thursday, and will remain in Rico some time on a visit. Her arrival here celebrated (accidentally) the 18th anniversary of her marriage. Freddie Regua, a fourteen year old nephew, accompanied her from Denver to Rico.

WM. J. MULHOLLAND, one of the men who was injured over on the Fish Rock of the West Dolores last Sunday by an explosion of giant powder is one of the oldest timers in San Juan. He was one of the first party which penetrated the mountain fastnesses of San Juan county, and afterward laid out the town of Silverton.

The Osborne's Oddity outfit slipped into town last Monday afternoon, as though they were afraid somebody would find out they were coming, and played to poor business Tuesday night. Their entertainment, however, was good, and with proper notice would have drawn a crowd. No one knew they were coming until they arrived.

MARK SHANNON, a deputy sheriff of La Plata county, came in Monday evening, with a warrant for the arrest of Jack Munyan, who on Sunday made trouble for the Neary family down near Rockwood. Jack came to Rico Monday, but an effort to find him was fruitless, as he was out in the bushes eating choke cherries with the bears.

CHARLIE BULLOCK returned to Rico Monday, after having spent the past winter in the Calico district of California. Lately he has been at Albuquerque, working some of his property there. Billy Shaw is at that place now and will soon return to Rico. Mr. Bullock will commence work Monday on the Rico, in the north fork of Horse Gulch.

F. WAKEMAN returned on Tuesday from Durango where he went to meet "Jennie and the baby." The family are at present guests of Mrs. W. S. Poindexter, but will go to housekeeping in a few days. The friends of Mrs. Wakeman gladly welcome her after a separation of more than a year. Alleah Marie Wakeman is the young lady of the family.

News came from Telluride that Capt. E. P. Kent was lying at the point of death and could not recover. Therefore, it is fair to presume that he is no more. E. P. Kent was active in founding Rico and was one of its very prominent early citizens. At the special election (Rico's first) of Dec. 22d, 1879, he was a candidate for mayor, but was defeated by F. W. Raymond by 5 votes.

The report that W. H. Dawson and Sam Todd had been killed by Indians was manufactured out of whole cloth and gained wide currency before the man who was said to have started the rumor was found. He had made no such statement. It does seem that some people in this neighborhood take particular pleasure in originating and circulating reports that are wholly false or with slight foundation.

It is safe to say that the report that Elliott Dixon had been shot and killed by his brother in Texas is without reasonable foundation. The rumor had its origin in a telegram in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, which stated that E. B. Dixon had been shot and killed at San Miguel, Texas, by his brother-in-law, T. F. Dawson, in a business difficulty. As Elliott Dixon's initials are E. F. and as he had no brother-in-law named Dawson, and as he lives in Austin, Texas, there is no reason to think that Elliott has been killed.

the Utes.

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James---Small. Their Rico friends will have an opportunity to congratulate Samuel James, Jr., and Mrs. Susan Small upon their marriage, which occurred in a quiet way last Thursday afternoon at the Hermosa House, Trimble Springs, Colorado, the Rev. Dr. Wilson, of Durango, officiating.

WM. M. PELLET, of the hardware firm of Wakeman & Pellet, has been in business in Rico for three years, yet he is now paying us his first visit. He arrived on Tuesday evening last and will remain a month before returning to his home in Watkins, N. Y., of which place he is a leading business man, being connected with various enterprises of that city. Having never before been west of Chicago, the scenery and climate of the mountains is new and attractive to him.

Most of our readers will remember letters published a couple of months since from F. M. Bookwalter, of Springfield, Ohio, who expressed a desire to invest in some Colorado property with a good showing. We are pleased to note that he now has a representative here in the person of Mr. N. K. Billow, also of Springfield. Mr. Billow is making a tour of various mining localities in the state and it is reasonably certain that the gentleman whom he represents will make some investments in mining claims. He has visited the older districts, such as Georgetown and other points in northern counties and comes to Rico from Silverton where he has spent three or four weeks. He will remain here a month probably, during which time he will examine mines, ascertain cost of working, transportation and smelting. Some of our people who are willing to accept a fair price for good property may make a deal.

Tournament at the Lakes.

The bands of Rico, Silverton and Telluride have signified their intention of participating in a tournament at the Trout Lakes, and the time decided upon is from the 17th to 24th of August. In all probability, the Durango band, which has not been heard from, will also be in attendance, and it is hoped that Ouray and other San Juan towns will be represented. It now remains for the base ball clubs of the various towns to arrange a series of games during the week named and the occasion can be made one of general sport and fun. There is every indication that the week will be one into which more real enjoyment can be crowded than at a Missouri "corn-shucking." Hunting and fishing as amusements on the side will fill up all the time that can be spared from the regular programme.

A Pleasant Picnicing Party.

A party of ladies and gentlemen on fun and frolic bent spent several pleasant hours on Thursday about five miles down the river. There was just enough rain to impress the participants with the idea that the picnic was the genuine article and no sickly imitation affair, where the sun shines all day from a cloudless sky. The sun never cuts up any such capers as that at a well-regulated picnic. We wouldn't give a cent to go to a picnic unless the pickle jar would break and soak up all the sugar in the vinegar, and just as dinner was announced it would commence to rain and the party would adjourn to the trees and watch the cake resolve itself into dough and the sand spatter all over the butter and the ham sandwiches and see the coffee get cold and the beer flat. To watch all this from under a tree and pretend one is keeping dry as a chip when ice water is trickling down the course of his back bone and snits are seeking refuge in his pants leg, is an ideal picnic with the correct flavor.

The participants in the picnic of Thursday were:

Miss Mary Ohlhausen and A.M. Rogers, Miss Ollie Ohlhausen and Adin McGraw, Miss Gossie Bartlett and L. M. Kelley, Mrs. J. P. Landon and Charlie Pence, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Meredith, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Packer, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jones, Messrs. D. D. Gregory, C. O. French, Gustavus St. Gen, Walter Watkins and Master Charlie Meredith.

The more industrious whipped the stream for trout with indifferent success, and the more lazily inclined played "turkey" under the trees between showers.

As long shadows began to steal over the valley, the gay cavalcade started homeward, singing: "What's more fun than a picnic party, With the victuals all on the ground, And the ants in the milk, And the 'sneakers' buzzing around?"

To Whom it May Concern.

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A Dog-Gone Sensation

The stage driver last evening brought in the report that John A. Atkinson, station agent at Rockwood, had mysteriously disappeared and up to the time of the departure of the stage from Rockwood (10 a. m.) no trace of him had been found. About 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon Mr. Atkinson shouldered his shotgun and started off for an evening's hunt after small game. Just at dark he passed the house of Mike Neary, 4 miles from Rockwood, on his way home. Neary asked him to come in and have supper, but Atkinson refused, saying that he was in too big a hurry and must go on to the office right away. He was then on the stage road and could not have lost the way, and even if he had, daylight would have showed him his position (he knew the country well) and he would have been in Rockwood in a short time.

Yesterday morning's train drew up at Rockwood, but there was no agent at his usual place, and great uneasiness was felt for his safety. All the desks of his office and the warehouse were locked and no one had the keys to open them. The express way-bills for the stage line were made out by strange hands. In Rico, everybody was anxious to hear the particulars and learn Atkinson's fate.

One of the most peculiar features of the disappearance was the fact that the agent was well known to be scrupulously punctual, and never before during the two years of his administration had he been away from his office at train time. In the discharge of his duties he was very systematic and prompt, and he often gave offense to those who did not know him by what they consider a gruff and disagreeable way, but he was warmly liked by all who really knew him. He lived at Rockwood with his aged mother. The moneys belonging to the office he never carried on his person, but were always secured in the office safe, offering no inducement to hold-ups.

We had proceeded thus far with the foundation of this most thrilling romance (which will not be concluded in No. 1049 of the New York Weekly) when a special courier set out to ascertain the facts returned with the news that the agent came up smiling about noon yesterday. He had not been waylaid and murdered, nor chased by Indians, nor accidentally shot, nor chewed up and spit out again by the wild beasts of the forest. He had simply been treed by a bear. He had simply lost his bird dog and hunted for it until late at night and resumed his hunt. It's a little the dog-gonest startling sensation we've bumped up against this year.

There is a company of regular soldiers at Big Bend, and there will be no call for the state militia at present. Everything is supremely quiet in and about the reservation and the Ute scare is dwindling to very small proportions.

The stage to-night is loaded down with the following passengers: Mrs. J. F. Watkins, Miss Fanny Watkins, Mrs. Samuel James, D. A. Holmes, wife and daughter and Col. Chas. A. Jochims.

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old buck too weak to go on the war path. A diet of beans and thirteen dollars a month will make any man fight.—Muldoon.

"Look here. This piece of meat don't suit me. It's from the back of the animal's neck," said an Austin man to a German butcher. "Mine friend, all dead beef you I sell is back of dot neck. Dare vos nodding but horns in front of dot neck?"

JONES asked his wife: "Why is a hus band like dough?" He expected she would give it up, and was going to tell her it was because a woman needs him; but she said it was because he was so hard to get off her hands.

