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Walter Smith,
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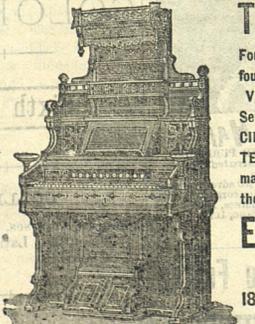
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The Mahdi's Battle Song.

I'm a desert hyena, I am,
And I dwell in the sandy Soudan;
I can mangle and shoot,
And the Britisher's loot,
From Beersheba clear into Dan. Whoop!

I have ostrich on toast every day,
I eat one at a meal, by the way;
I like crocodile stew,
With a jacked or two,
Just to eat for dessert, as they say.

I'm the twelve-fingered Mahdi, I am,
And I'm KING of the sandy Soudan;
I'm a tallish baboon,
And a roaring simoon,
And I can wallop the Britisher, I can.

I have men by the million or more,
And countless too, by the score;
I'm a son of a gun,
From the land of the sun,
I'm a red-handed Arab for gore.

Then, whoop! for the sandy Soudan,
Let anyone stop me who can;
I'm a crooked-eyed, bow-legged son of a gun,
I'm for gore—I'm a very bad man. Whoop!

—Galeston News.

Telluride Topics.

From the News:
Work on the \$12,000 court house will be started on the 10th of May. The location will be selected on the corner opposite the schoolhouse.

Rico will organize a base ball club this season. We presume they will be open to an engagement this season with "Our Boys" up at Trout Lake.

It is reported that Dave Wood will make his headquarters here a general forwarding and commission house, this season in charge of R. M. Marshall, his agent. They will keep a general stock of wholesale goods.

John F. Watkins, manager of the Pasadena works at Rico, is now at his post, and is getting ready to do a rushing business with the smelter this season. We want to see the works a success and well patronized.

From the Journal.
Prof. BRICKSON returned yesterday to Rico. He will be in Telluride after May 1st.

MR. AND MRS. CHAS. F. PAINTER, gave a progressive euchre party Thursday evening.

THERE have been innumerable snow-slides the past week. They are all small, doing no damage.

C. S. YORK has received the appointment of census enumerator for this county. His work begins June 1st.

THE Trout Lakes are so called from the abundance of the speckled beauties that are found therein. There is not among all the popular resorts of Colorado a more picturesque and charmingly pleasant place for a few weeks recreation than at Trout Lakes. In the center of a level park of several hundred acres is a small body of water, clear as crystal, surrounded on all sides by towering mountains where are found many valuable mines, their dumps in plain view from the lakes. Here is this mountain retreat, that is destined to become in the near future a favorite summer resort as well as a mining camp of considerable note. Timber is found in abundance, pasturage that is unexcelled, coal mines whose extent are yet undetermined, immense beds of fire clay and gold and silver mines are among the resources of Trout Lake District.

The locality under consideration is about fifteen miles distant from Telluride, and about an equal distance from Rico, connected with either place by wagon road. In the spring of '78 a town site was located, a town laid off and a number of buildings erected by a party of tourists from Chicago, who realized it would sooner or later become a favorite summer resort. But like the rest of our region its inaccessibility held it back, and since the summer of '80 New Chicago, as the town was called, has retrograded rather than advanced; yet the residents of the district can well afford to await more direct communication, now that their mines have an established reputation and their scenic attractions are becoming every day more widely known.

Durango Dots.

From the Herald.
The instruments for the newly organized brass band have arrived and the members of the organization are diligently practicing.

Mrs. George W. Kephart and little son left the city on Sunday last, for a visit to Pennsylvania. They were accompanied as far as Denver by Mr. Kephart.

General James J. Heffernan has been designated by Commissioner Montgomery to take the state census in La Plata county. He has had large experience in the business. The appointment is a good one.

We understand that the wholesale and retail drug house of Charles Newman will soon be moved into the Williams corner, formerly occupied by W. H. Middaugh. This is the handsomest and most desirable corner in the city.

It was proved upon the examination of Lee and Kimberly on the charge of killing the Rogers gang in Springer, N. M., that the friends of the desperadoes had, in a secret session, condemned M. W. Mills, the district attorney, to death for telegraphing for troops, and notified Mr. Parks, of Haton, one of the county commissioners, to leave the territory because he did not attend the funeral of the dead ruffians.

A 20 year old daughter of Kit Carson committed suicide in a Springer, N. M., restaurant last week by taking morphine, dying in ten minutes. Cause unknown.

Ouray's Offering.

From the Muldoon.
C. H. Carpenter, of Rico, was in Ouray on business this week. Mr. Carpenter is a heavy mining operator, and he is fully convinced that the merchants and miners of Rico can save both time and money by selecting Montrose as their distributing point.

W. W. Stoddard will receive the appointment of census enumerator for this county. He is thoroughly qualified and the selection is the very best that could have been made. Commissioner Montgomery has the united thanks of the constituency.

We still insist that Ouray will give to Colorado and the San Juan the Swansea process for the treatment of ores. The uncle of Mr. Redwood, who has charge of the secret and "no admittance" workings of the works at Windham, three miles below Ouray, has been an executive employee in the works at Swansea, Wales, for 38 years and through him the nephew has obtained the secret.

The editor of the Muldoon was threatened with tar and feathers for his stand concerning the recent city election, advising people to stay away from Ouray, as it was the stronghold of pimps, gamblers, tin horns and prostitutes. Day reports in his last issue, and thinks he can even up with some of his tormentors:

"Come to think of it, this philosopher is on the grand jury. Apologies will be received and considered until the first day of May thereof."
"It is rather rough to be boycotted, but really a great deal more genteel than to be smeared all over with nasty, stinking tar and common Shanghai feathers. It beats thunder the luck we have enjoyed since severing our connection with Tom Patterson."

A Sapinero Shooting.

Over at Sapinero, the Lake City railroad station, they had a little shooting scrape the other day. It was rumored in Rico that the Keating killed was Billy Keating, a well-known Rico chop-house cook, but we doubt it, as he intended to go on to Salt Lake. The Montrose Enquirer gives the particulars as follows:
"Night before last a murder occurred in Sapinero, the particulars of which we have been unable yet to learn. It seems that Pat Cassidy and his wife, who kept a saloon at that place, got into a quarrel and a bystander named Keating interfered, when Cassidy pulled a revolver and shot Keating in the back. The man staggered out and his body was found a short time afterwards not far from the saloon. Doc. Shores, the sheriff of Gunnison county, was notified and yesterday took Cassidy in charge and lodged him in the jail at Gunnison."

A short time ago we published an article showing the impossibility of escape from the Colorado penitentiary. There are quarry guards, armed men in elevated towers and guards on horseback, but an 18-year old convict managed to elude all of them last week. A friend on the outside placed clothing for him in an unfinished tower where he worked. Watching an opportunity, he entered, unobserved, the tower, changed the stripes for clothing and walked off the grounds. He went by two guards and attracted the attention of both, his clothing being ill-fitting and having a roll of papers in each coat pocket, but neither suspected him of being an escaping prisoner. Though but 18 years of age, and of boyish appearance, Charles Cloud is a desperado of the worst stripe. He has stolen horses in Texas, Arizona, New Mexico and Wyoming.

The manager of a New York theater was very much annoyed by the actors and actresses who frequently refused to appear in their roles on account of sore throat, much to his pecuniary disadvantage. One Saturday afternoon when the entire company were on hand to draw their salaries, he paralyzed them by refusing to hand out any money. "What is the reason you don't pay us our salaries?" howled the company. "There don't appear to be anything the matter with your throats now," replied the manager; "but my throat is sore. I regret to announce that on account of my sore throat I will not be able to appear this week in my popular role of the prompt paymaster."

GRAND JUNCTION is excited over a ditch controversy which may result in a flow of bar-lud instead of water. The Pioneer's Ditch Company constructed a ditch over a quarter section of land owned by the Traveler's Insurance Company of Denver, without securing a right of way, and the insurance company filled up the ditch. The ditch people opened it again, and the insurance folks have secured injunctions from Judge Elliott restraining the ditch from interfering with the land. The ditch people say they will resist the order with armed men, and there is moose in the air.

Mrs. WESTCOTT, of Durango, says the La Plata Miner, has entered suit against the city of Silverton for \$10,000. The plaintiff alleges that in walking along in a careful manner, back of Jane Bowen's (the "Sage-Hen") on her way to the depot, she slipped and fell, owing to the ice and snow on the sidewalk, breaking her arm, and that she has suffered damages to that amount.

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New York Sun.
"Hello, Brown! Back from Washington I see. What are your prospects? Did you see your old friend Grover?"
"Yes."
"Get a shake of his hand?"
"Yes."
"Anything else?"
"No, nothing but the shake."

The Leadville mining men claim that the bill for taxing the net output of mines is very defective and that it will fail to secure the taxation of the mines. The law does not compel them to return the net output of their mines to the Assessor. All they have to do is to report the amount of mineral on hand on the 1st day of May, and therefore they need only see to it that on that day they have very little ore in their bins. If their statement is correct, it practically amounts to a repeal of the law.

The grand jury at Salt Lake last Saturday returned two very important indictments. One was against Theatrical Manager Fossiter and the other against Bishop Clawson, one of the high dignitaries of the Mormon church, both for polygamy. Two of the latter's wives are daughters of Brigham Young. The Mormons are now convinced that the authorities mean business and are stricken with terror.

JOHN HIXENBAUGH has resigned his office as sheriff of Colfax county, N. M. He was wounded in a fight with Dick Rogers, the dead desperado, and says that in his present enfeebled condition he is unable to cope with the gang. Billy Parker, a well-known cowman, has been appointed, and it is thought that he will suppress the lawlessness that has so long prevailed over the border.

SOME tramps called at the Vina Ranch of Leland Stauffer, California's millionaire senator, and were driven away. At daylight next morning the stables were to be on fire. In them were 115 horses and mules, and all but four were burned to death. A large quantity of hay was also destroyed.

ONE of the latter days of last week a South Park work train on the High Line division, was struck by a bank of snow which toppled over on it. There were 60 men on the train, but only CHARLES CLAUDS, was instantly killed, although a number were injured—some fatally and others seriously.

An ancient city has been found near Moab, Mo., at a depth of 325 feet. Skeletons of giants have been found in the regularly laid out streets, and relics and ruins point to a race not down in history. The author of Atlantis will have to take a back seat, or write a new story.

EX-GOVERNOR TABOR'S Old Mexico mining property is doing finely. Last month \$25,000 were realized. It is expected that as soon as the new opening is effected which is now within forty feet of the vein the property will produce \$200,000 per month.

SEVERAL years ago, before the towns of Rico and Durango were started, Silverton did a large business in the sale of agricultural implements. But since those towns were started, the sales have been effectually killed here, says the Silverton Democrat-Herald.

THE railroad station of Chama is very unlucky as to fires, having had three disastrous ones in two weeks. The latest one destroyed a store room, a hotel, drug store, postoffice, two residences and a vacant building.

THE widow of Tom Thumb to Count Primo Magris was married in New York last week. The party looked like a lot of three-year old children. The cream of New York aristocracy were present at the ceremony.

THE following is the longest word in the English language: Yousolosemlyswearthattheevidencyouareabouttogive willbethetruththetholetruhandothethingbutthetruthshelpyouand.—Y. Y. Sun.

An order from the passenger department of the D. & R. G. announces a reduction in passenger rates on the San Juan line. The rate from Silverton to Denver is now \$30; heretofore it has been \$35.10.

"Horse on me," said J. E. Rourke, at Elk Park last Sunday, when his saddle animal reared, fell and broke the rider's leg.—Del Norte Prospector.

In the New Jersey legislature, the bill directing the infliction of thirty lashes on the backs of wife-beaters was passed by a vote of 29 to 12.

ANGELINA—"The best I marry must be handsome, brave and clever." Tompkins—"Dear me! How fortunate we have met!"

UNDER the new law in Nevada, "treating" in saloons is a misdemeanor, and will subject the offender to fine and imprisonment.

CAPTAIN RICHARD KING, the cattle king of the Nucces, died in San Antonio, Texas, last week of cancer of the stomach.

A JET BLACK Jack rabbit was killed near Del Norte last week by William Biagle's sons.

The Dolores News.

CHAS. A. JONES, Editor and Publisher. RICO, COLORADO.

MINING MATTERS.

THE PASADENA BLOWN IN FOR A LONG RUN.

White and Barlow have been assisted at the Stephens this week by J. W. Burns. The Stephens tunnel is progressing, and adds another to the list of active workers on the Newman hill.

THE UNCLE JESS. Ike Yoho and Jess Love have abandoned work on the present Silver Creek on the iron lode and transferred their outfit to the Uncle Jess. The family of Uncles—Jess, Ned and Sam, are all being worked and show similar formation and vein matter.

THE ZULU CHIEF. Arms and Cromley report the Zulu Chief tunnel as very near the vein, and unless calculations are in error, the vein should be exposed within the next few days. Much work has been done on this property and its owners deserve return for energy and persistence.

THE C. H. C. The Doyle-Carr-Liscomb contract to run a cross-cut tunnel 500 feet for the C. H. C. vein is nearly completed, the work having all been done this winter. The vein is expected somewhere about 500 feet in, and should be cut, the owners have announced that a tunnel will be run from the bottom of the zig-zag trail. The state of the road has prevented shipments of ore for several days, but production continues. Mr. Carpenter of the mine is looked for in a short time. He was in Orray at last accounts.

THE GOLDEN AGE. The work now being done at the Golden Age bonanza is the continuance of the main cross-cut tunnel, which a survey showed would have to be run 68 feet further to tap the vein, and two shafts are being driven into the mountain. The mineral taken out above was sent down to the Pasadena this week, but there were only a few sacks for trail test. A. A. Waggoner, one of the owners, this week leased his interest to Chas. I. Dutcher for a term of six months. If the present bad weather continues, the vein will not be crossed out in less than a month.

THE PIGEON. The Pigeon shaft has now reached a depth of 200 feet, and is too deep to work longer without hoisting machinery. Windlassing 200 feet is a slow operation. The work now progressing is a drift on contact 188 feet below the mouth of the shaft. At this point is the best showing so far had in the shaft and the owners propose to see what it means. Mr. Packard is here and will remain for the season. It is his intention to prosecute work vigorously and with the purpose of developing something or proving that there is nothing. By fall the Pigeon shaft will either be the gate way for mineral or an abandoned hole in the ground. All indications point to the former of the two propositions.

THE PASADENA BLOWN IN. The Pasadena smelter is once more in operation and the blast was turned on about 11 o'clock this morning. The furnace is working very smoothly so far and there has not been the slightest hitch in getting under way. In the bins there are between 800 and 1000 tons of ore, which is enough to insure the constant running of the smelter with the daily receipts, and it is the purpose of Mr. James to run continuously hereafter. The pack trains which came in at noon to day, loaded back with the last of the bullion, completing Car No. 16. The constant running of the smelter will mean a great deal to outside people. They know it means a very fair output of ore, and our bullion shipments will talk for us.

THE SOUTH PARK. Operations at the South Park mine were promptly commenced on Monday morning last, under T. Steudeman, superintendent, who has made a good selection in the person of Jim Tilden as foreman. Jim has been acquainted with the underground workings of the mine from the beginning. The week has been devoted to cleaning out the tunnel which many months of idleness have placed in bad condition. The tunnel is in about 400 feet, but on Monday next workmen will be placed on an ore body extending from a chamber, 300 feet in. This is the portion of the mine from which the richest ore was extracted. When Senator Hill was here in the summer of 1883, he was anxious to buy the mine and made a proposition. He took a sample of ore from the vein and manager Cox did likewise. Mr. Cox got returns of 3386 ounces in silver and declined the offer. Senator Hill retained the specimen and promised to send Mr. Cox the result of a test to be made in Denver. He did so and the result of the test was: silver, 3800 ounces; gold, 10 ounces. The ore has been considered very refractory, but the Pasadena is anxious to secure the ore, as it contains considerable iron and silica. Some of the ores of Rico run through too rapidly and need something to hold them back. Prof. Steudeman moved an assay outfit to the mine last Wednesday and will make his headquarters up there. There are now on the dump 30 to 40 tons of 50 ounce ore.

War, With a Big "W."

Dispatches from London on last Wednesday, April 22d indicate that war between England and Russia cannot be avoided. The dispatches say: This fact is evident from Gladstone's announcement in the House of Commons last night that an evacuation of the troops in the Sudan had been ordered, and that these troops had been instructed to hold themselves in instant readiness for orders to proceed to points where needed.

He demanded of the house of Commons an appropriation of eleven million pounds (\$55,000,000), the largest demand for war purposes ever before made. He stated that this amount would not be asked for could be brought blameworthy to believe that war could be averted.

Lumsden's belligerent dispatch has worked a complete revolution in the sentiments of the people, and the popular feeling has never been so excited. The ranks of the peace party have dwindled into insignificance and the universal expression is for war. John Bull is excited to-day throughout the entire kingdom. Troops are making preparations to leave their barracks, the reserves are responding everywhere and the war office is simply besieged by officers demanding employment. Officers are being enrolled as rapidly as possible, and the great activity in war preparations is an earnest of England's determination.

Advices just received here indicate that Russia, in defiance of the treaty with England, Turkey and other countries, has commenced fortifying Bala, an important harbor on the eastern coast of the Black Sea. Gov. Olesby, of Illinois, has a very finely furnished office, but his private secretary, Mr. Harry Caldwell, formerly of Rico, has one which is, if anything, still finer. All persons who desire to see the Governor on any business whatever must first interview the Secretary, who passes upon the advisability of admitting them to the gubernatorial presence. His office is therefore crowded with visitors and Harry dismisses them all (the granger of the swamp bottoms and the Prince of Wales) with a majestic wave of the hand and "Come around on Monday at 10. I am busy now." The other day Jerry Ryan was in Springfield and called on Major Kelley to steer him around to Harry's quarters. Jerry and Harry had had many a jocular bout in the wilds of San Juan together, and it was natural that Jerry should hunt him up. Mr. Kelley walked in and said: "Mr. Caldwell, I have a friend here that I would like to—" "Bring him around at 2 o'clock to-morrow, Major; at 2 o'clock to-morrow," without looking up from his writing. Meanwhile Jerry had slipped around behind the secretary's desk and yelled out: "The hell you say?" The secretary to the governor of the great state of Illinois sprang to his feet to brain the intruder with his pen-wiper, but fell into his arms and wept instead. The crowd had fled at Ryan's emphatic reference to the lower regions, thinking that the James boys had come to murder the governor. The doors were locked, and these three San Juaners had a time, the like of which has never been seen before in the executive building. Caldwell sent his liveried body-servant after baskets of champagne and boxes of Havana. Kelley furnished a corkscrew and matches, and the fun began. Springfield knows more about the San Juan method than it did last year.

Next Monday General Grant will be sixty-three years old, after which it is to be hoped the doctors and Purson Newman will give the "old vet" a show! This bull-lettin business will down him yet if kept up, although he made his escape the other day and took a ride through Central Park. Bulletin—At three minutes past ten this morning, the General awoke from a refreshing slumber and partook of three-fourths of a soft-boiled egg, a sip of coffee and an ounce of dipped toast. A cowlick in his hair was smoothed down a few moments and we are now parsing a corn on the little toe of his left foot. Pulse: 80; temperature, 97; respiration, normal. DOUGLAS.

This is not an actually bulletin, but is on a par with the dreary, nonsense which has been sent out for the past two weeks. Give the General a rest—that's what he needs. COLORADO seems peculiarly blessed with gifted lady writers. Denver has several ladies who are by no means unknown to literary fame. Among them are Mrs. C. M. Vaile and Patience Thornton, both of whom frequently contribute to the columns of Youth's Companion, and received prizes over many hundred competitors in a recent contest. Mrs. Vaile is the wife of J. F. Vaile, the Denver attorney, who was in Rico last week and who has made us more than one professional visit. "Patience Thornton" is Mrs. Wm. Stapleton, wife of the city editor of the Denver News. "Helen Hunt" Jackson, wife of the receiver of the D. & R. G., is a Colorado Springs lady of literary fame, and "Grace Greenwood" may be considered a Colorado lady. There are many others of lesser fame.

JOHN W. BAILEY, one of the first men of means to invest in Rico, being a partner with Senator Jones in the purchase of the Grand View group, has organized the Bailey Reduction Company, and proposes to compete in the smelting field with Hill and Grant. The more the merrier for the miners. The first work of a dynamite fiend in Colorado was done in Central City last Tuesday night. An attempt was made to blow up the residence of Hal Sayr, a prominent surveyor. Bailly shaken, but nobody hurt. C. O. ZIEGENFUS, formerly of the Denver Republic, is now editing the Butte, Montana, Miner.

PLEURO PNEUMONIA, the cattle disease which caused Colorado to establish the present quarantine against infected localities, within the last century swept from the plains of Australia the vast wealth of its cattle industry, causing Great Britain to lose the enormous sum of \$500,000,000.

The Silverton Democrat-Herald is the only daily in the San Juan, but says it can weather the storm. It deserves support, and is getting it.

The Gunnison River is very high, and it is expected that the flood will interfere with the rapid completion of the Rio Grande bridges.

ORDINANCE NO. 71. AMENDING ORDINANCE 53 AS TO SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS.

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Rico: That Section One (1) of Ordinance No. 53 be amended by striking out the words "all other Trustees shall not be entitled to any compensation," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "each of the other trustees shall receive the sum of five dollars for every meeting of said board attended by said trustee, for not to exceed two meetings in each month." Passed and approved this 25th day of March, A. D. 1885. WILLIAM J. COX, Mayor. ATTEST: GEORGE O. GILBERT, Town Clerk.

Report of Town Clerk

Table with columns for 'FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 1st, 1885.' Rows include Warrants reported outstanding April 1, 1885, Warrants actually outstanding April 1, 1885, Salaries of Town Officers, Streets, alleys and bridges, Fire department, Fire equipment, Patents and surveys, Outstanding warrants.

Warrants cancelled during the year ending April 1, 1885: Salaries Town Officers, Streets, alleys and bridges, Fire department, Fire equipment, Patents and surveys, Registered outstanding warrants.

Town Treasurer's REPORT

Table with columns for 'RECEIPTS' and 'DISBURSEMENTS'. Rows include Balances from last fiscal year, From Town Treasurer (taxes), From Street Supervisor, From State of town lands, Justice, Disbursements: Paid outstanding warrants, Paid Streets, Alleys and Bridges, Paid Stationery, Rents, Fuel, etc., Paid Fire Department, Paid Patents and Surveys, Paid Salary and Employees, Paid balances left in various funds from last fiscal year.

Balance of cash distributed to Funds as follows, leaving: In General Fund, \$138.58; In Salary and Employees Fund, \$2,854.84; In Streets, Alleys and Bridges Fund, \$1,013.77; In Stationery, Rents, Fuel, etc. Fund, \$4,426.43; In Fire Department Fund, \$1,400.00; In Outstanding Warrant Fund, \$2,400.00.

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ORDINANCE NO. 73. ANNUAL APPROPRIATION BILL.

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Rico: That the following sums be and are hereby appropriated to the several funds for the purpose of paying expenses of said Town of Rico for the fiscal year ending the 30th day of April, A. D. 1885, to-wit: Salaries of town officers and employees, \$4,000; Fuel, \$1,000; Stationery, \$1,000; Fire Department, \$1,000; Patents and surveys, \$1,000; Outstanding warrants, \$1,000; Contingent, \$1,000.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT. In the Matter of the Estate of William M. Bullock, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on Monday, the 25th day of May, A. D. 1885, being one of the regular days of the May Term of the County Court of Dolores County, State of Colorado, Wm. H. Dawson, Administrator of said estate, will appear before the Judge of said Court, present in person, or by attorney, to answer to the approval of the same, and will then apply to be discharged as such Administrator, and the approval of the same, and any person in interest may appear and present objections to the same, if any, at said time and place. Attest at Rico, Colorado, April 18th, 1885. W. H. DAWSON, Administrator of the Estate of William M. Bullock, deceased.

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE.

RICO, DOLORES COUNTY, COLORADO, January 17th, 1885. To Max Hepler, his heirs or assigns: YOU are hereby notified that I have expended two hundred dollars (\$200.00) in labor and improvements upon the LITTLE MOUNTAIN lode, which is situated upon Dolores mountain, in Pioneer Mining District, County of Dolores and State of Colorado, in order to hold said lode under the provisions of the United States Statutes of the United States, and in order to hold said lode under the provisions of Section 2324, Revised Statutes of the United States, and in order to hold said lode under the provisions of Section 2324, Revised Statutes of the United States, and in order to hold said lode under the provisions of Section 2324, Revised Statutes of the United States.

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE.

RICO, DOLORES COUNTY, COLORADO, February 21st, 1885. To L. M. Kelley and all others whom it may concern: YOU are hereby notified that the Hillside lode, which is situated upon Dolores mountain, in Pioneer Mining District, County of Dolores and State of Colorado, in order to hold said lode under the provisions of the United States Statutes of the United States, and in order to hold said lode under the provisions of Section 2324, Revised Statutes of the United States, and in order to hold said lode under the provisions of Section 2324, Revised Statutes of the United States.

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE.

RICO, DOLORES COUNTY, COLORADO, March 28th, 1885. To F. L. McQuinn, his heirs or assigns: YOU are hereby notified that I have expended the sum of one hundred dollars in labor and improvements upon the LITTLE MOUNTAIN lode, which is situated upon Dolores mountain, in Pioneer Mining District, County of Dolores and State of Colorado, in order to hold said lode under the provisions of the United States Statutes of the United States, and in order to hold said lode under the provisions of Section 2324, Revised Statutes of the United States.

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE.

RICO, DOLORES COUNTY, COLORADO, March 7th, 1885. To J. M. Acker and J. W. Winkfield: YOU are hereby notified that I have expended the sum of one hundred dollars in labor and improvements upon the LITTLE MOUNTAIN lode, which is situated upon Dolores mountain, in Pioneer Mining District, County of Dolores and State of Colorado, in order to hold said lode under the provisions of the United States Statutes of the United States, and in order to hold said lode under the provisions of Section 2324, Revised Statutes of the United States.

SUMMONS.

STATE OF COLORADO, ss. COUNTY OF DOLORES, ss. In the County Court of said County. L. W. Liscomb, Plaintiff, Against The Intra Muros Mining Company, Defendant.

The People of the State of Colorado send Greeting: To the Intra Muros Mining Co., defendant above named: You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you, by the above named Plaintiff, in the County Court in and for the County of Dolores in the State of Colorado, and to answer the complaint filed therein within ten days exclusive of the day of service, if served within this county, or within twenty days, if served out of this county, or judgment by default shall be entered against you according to the prayer of the complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the County Court of said County, at Rico, in said county, this 3d day of March, A. D. 1885. E. A. HOBBS, Judge and Ex-Officio Clerk. JULIUS THOMPSON, Atty. for Plaintiff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a special execution issued out of the District Court of Arapahoe county, in the State of Colorado, and to me directed, whereby I am commanded to sell the property heretofore levied upon and by virtue of a certain writ of attachment issued out of said court in the case of Lorus B. Kendall, plaintiff, against the Marrs Consolidated Mining Company, defendant, lately pending in said court, and to make the judgment obtained by said plaintiff against said defendant in said action, out of the property so levied upon, and it appearing by said special execution that the property heretofore described was levied upon under and by virtue of the said writ of attachment and judgment of said court on the 6th day of October, 1884, in said action in favor of said plaintiff, and against said defendant, for the sum of nine thousand, eight hundred and seventy-one and 40/100 dollars damages and also the further sum of one hundred and ninety-two and 20/100 dollars, costs of said suit.

Monday, the 4th day of May, 1885, at 2 o'clock, p. m. at the front door of the Court House in Rico, Dolores county, State of Colorado, in and all of the property so levied on as aforesaid, described as follows, to-wit: The Newman lode, in Pioneer Mining District, on the west slope of Dolores mountain, as recorded in books A1 and 10 at page 183 and 115, respectively of said county records.

Also the Stevens lode mining claim, situated on the west slope of Dolores mountain, as recorded in books A1 and 10 at pages 228 and 211 of said county records. Also the Swansen Extension lode mining claim, adjoining the said Swansen lode on the north as recorded in books A1 and 10 at pages 228 and 211 of said county records. Also the Stevens lode mining claim, situated on the west slope of Dolores mountain, as recorded in books A1 and 10 at pages 228 and 211 of said county records.

Business For Ladies.

The opportunities for ladies to find employment that is both suitable and remunerative are limited; their pay is usually poor as compared with the salaries paid to men in same line of occupation. But there are some very noted exceptions; journalism, the drama, music and platform offer equal advantages to men and women, and one occupation in which women are sometimes more successful than men, and that is in the management of agencies. In this line The Queen City Suspender Company, of Cincinnati, O., are offering inducements to ladies that we think ought to attract attention.

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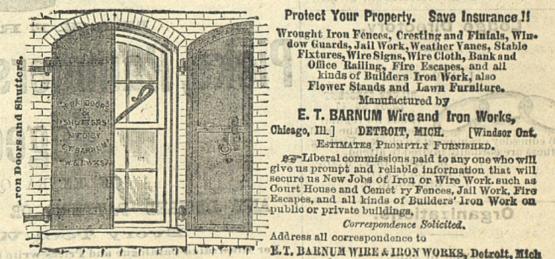
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LOCAL BREVITIES.

THE mud, rain, snow and hail have caused a Boston poet to break out with the following, which will be appreciated by a suffering community:

"Oh! where is the spring,
That mysterious thing?
Now do not all answer together."
Correct. Let us sing
That advertised spring
"Is postponed on account of the weather."

HANK SCOTT went to Durango Tuesday.

C. H. CARPENTER returned last evening.

AMOS LANE was elected town clerk of Ophir in the recent contest.

CHAS. A. JOCHIMS, of Denver, is expected down this way next month.

CLAY, Cash and Clothing are three Cs which offer greatest inducements to buyers.

Do buy a straw hat of Holmes and see if we cannot keep up this beautiful weather.

THERE is more music to the square in Rico, than in any other place in the known world.

JOHN CLEGG returned to Rico this week and, like Sam, pronounces the New Mexico country a n. g.

Mrs. F. C. LORING has given up her idea of a trip to Denver and vicinity to visit relations until fall.

JOE CHAREST, a well known San Juan saloon man, left Panama recently for Bolivia, in South America.

No services at the church to-morrow. Rev. Howard is absent for a few days in Durango or thereabouts.

SCHOOL will close in another month and the summer vacation will probably last until about Sept. 1st.

OSCAR DOUNTAIN is now stage agent at Montrose and is said to be very popular. Oscar must have chopped.

The entertainments of last week were quite successful in a financial point of view and afforded fun for the audiences.

The wife of Joe Lacombe died in Del Norte, Sunday night, April 12th, and was buried at that place the following Tuesday.

Two large pack trains (Hanley's and Smalley's) arrived from Rockwood about noon to day, loaded with freight for merchants.

D. R. CLAY & CO.'s ten per cent reduction for cash, strikes home to the buyer. He can get the best goods for the least money.

W. C. HISS was in town this week. Joe has reformed and helps his poor old father build rail fence and set out potato sprouts.

BROWN'S, Condensed Milk, Sweet Potatoes, Pigs' Feet, Sweet Pickles, Ketchup, Fresh Mackerel &c., &c., just rec'd at Holmes.

Mrs. HENRY STEIN and daughter, Miss Emma Yost, came in from Rockvale, Colorado, yesterday. Mr. Stein has been here some time.

Messrs. Julius Thompson, Wm. Davidson, W. H. Bennetts and F. Royce went down to Durango Monday in the worst storm of the week.

R. E. ROBISON came up from Bear creek Sunday and returned to the ranch with Mrs. R. on Tuesday. They will stay there for the summer.

JOHN FOLEY, late marshal of Durango, has shaken the dust of San Juan from his feet forever, and will hereafter make his home in Montana.

Mrs. J. W. WESTCOTT, who was reported last week as in a critical condition at Moriarty's ranch, at the forks of the river, is out of danger.

B. KADISH, the new assayer over at the Grand View smelter, did not recognize himself as "B. Caddish." Well, there is something of a difference.

RANCHMEN all the way down the river are actively at work. The grounds of the beautiful summer residence of Col. Thos. Hynes are green with verdure.

D. R. CLAY will go to Denver early in May, as important business demands his attention on the 19th of that month. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Clay.

GEORGE WEST and Adam Lewey came in from the range with more beef cattle for the Rico markets. West has gone to Durango to attend the District Court now in session.

DISTRICT COURT convened in Durango last Tuesday, and Judge Hayt commences business with a full docket—both criminal and civil. His next court will be held in Rico, convening May 13th.

DURING the absence of D. R. Clay in Denver, Rev. Howard will probably demand cash in hand from the sinners on week days, for California overalls and the famous "boot-jack" tobacco.

FRANK W. GOVE has tired of the profession and laid down the quill which he wielded on the Peoria Journal. He has removed to Normal, Illinois, but expects to engage in business in Florida.

The miserable weather of the past two weeks has induced a great deal of sickness, generally caused by hard colds and like affections. Among the sick and convalescent are Mrs. John Gifford, Mrs. Mary Mack, Mrs. Paul Bleffort, Lillie Clay, W. W. Parshall, Hesse Musgrave, Steve Lanes and L. O. Towne.

ALL accounts due D. R. Clay & Co., (except for ordered suits) will be discounted ten per cent, if paid on or before May 3d. You can afford to borrow money, to take advantage of this reduction.

Geo. V. MESEROLE, proprietor of the Western Stage & Express line, will be in Rico by May 10th. Worden Grigsby, lessee of the line, has a lease until June, after which he will probably be either sole owner of the line or a partner with Mr. Meserole.

Prof. BRUCKSON will desert Rico for Telluride about May 7th, and the two bands will then "go it alone." His business over there demands his attention. He says by that time Rico will have two good bands.

DAVE SWICKHMER sent the boy a bottle of champagne this week and Lee Sam contributed a quantity of tea just received from the Flowery Kingdom. Dave and Lee Sam know as much about babies as Cap. Norton and Alex. Gorja.

J. MATTLER, a prominent insurance man of Denver, came in on Wednesday. His principal business here was to adjust the loss sustained by the Pasadena company in the fire which last month destroyed their office, assay office and laboratory.

GEORGE O. GILBERT's drugstore is undergoing a thorough renovation. The ceiling has been freshly calcosined and beautifully frescoed by Al Haen. A ten-inch tinted border extends around the ceiling, and the whole establishment is being beautified.

Dr. G. W. MILTON, the Durango dentist, who comes very highly recommended as a skillful man in his profession, is at the St. James, having arrived yesterday. He will have dental rooms there until further notice, and is prepared for any work in his line.

MR. and MRS. J. O. PACKER came in from Trinidad on Monday, and yesterday moved into the Shevly house on Mantz avenue, which will be their home for the summer. Mr. Packer will give his time to the Pigeon mine. Mrs. Packer will be found a pleasant addition to Rico society.

TOM SEWALL has been engaged as instructor of the Silverton Gymnasium Club. Tom once had charge of the stage line between Rico and Rockwood, but has been teaching the young idea how to "put up his props," and has achieved quite a reputation in Denver as a pugilistic instructor.

M. E. FIELD & Co. are no longer in the business of retailing meats, having closed the shop on Wednesday. They have made an arrangement with the other Rico dealers to wholesale beef to them, and will move a summer beef herd to the range near Rico so soon as grass permits. Field went out to the Mancos yesterday.

BROWNIE LEA has been reported dead several times, but he is still on the turf at Silverton. He had a row on Greene street with Pat Cahil, but the "only thing" shot off were his mouths. Brownie manages to keep in hot water with "somebody" all the time and hasn't had a particle of good straight poker luck since he dissolved partnership with Parson Hoge.

The Odd Fellows ball will occur, as advertised, on next Monday at the magnificent new skating rink. Invoices of turkeys, chickens and other delicacies have been received from Denver and are now in course of preparation at the St. James Hotel. The supper will be a gorgeous affair, the music the best ever known in San Juan and nothing has been left undone by the order to make it a grand social success.

W. L. HULL returned on Monday and is at his old desk as county clerk. The past few months, he spent in Denver as clerk of one of the most important House committees. We erred in saying that he would return with a daughter. The lady is Mrs. Beach, an elderly invalid lady of Chicago, who comes to a high altitude in search of health. She is an old friend of Mr. Hull, and will share the Shevly residence with the Packer family.

With the roads in their present awful condition, it is an impossibility for the stages to make the trip through from Rico to Rockwood in a day, or vice versa. A horseback mail has been started, the first arriving last night and will continue until stages can make better time. The mail will arrive every night of the week, Sundays included. The stages will arrive and depart every other day for the present, to accommodate travel so far as possible. This state of affairs will not continue long.

WHILE the snow of the earlier days of the week did not amount to much in Rico, on the mountains it made quite an addition to the accumulations of snow, and small slides were frequent all over the steep portions. As Andy Miller was taking a pack train up the Lelia Davis trail, a small slide caught him, burying him in the snow and he thought his time for punching jacks was over. This did not prevent him from kicking about in good earnest, and in a few seconds had freed himself from the cold embrace.

Mrs. L. F. HILL is very sick and Dr. Landon, who is attending her, tells us that it is hardly possible for her to recover. She has been in a comatose condition since yesterday afternoon, from which she cannot be roused. A change for better or for worse will take place within the next 24 hours, and should the change be for the latter, Mr. Hill will have the sympathy of all in the heaviest affliction that can befall a husband. The sick lady is at the mouth of Horse Gulch, where they have resided for a couple of months.

You can make a saving of ten per cent, by taking your cash to the establishment of D. R. Clay & Co., who announce that they will sell goods at 90 per cent of prices heretofore charged. These prices are plainly marked upon the goods, and have undergone no change. This applies to cash customers only, and there will be no deviation.

Grouse are plentiful a short distance down the river and are in prime condition. Hawks worry them constantly and when hard pressed they have entered the open doors of cabins, where their fright and suspense is soon ended. E. S. Williams found one crouching on the ground near his house so overcome with fright as to allow him to pick it up.

At a recent wedding ceremony in which the county judge officiated, he announced at the conclusion of the rites that any lady present who had any desire would now have an opportunity to kiss the county judge. The unanimity with which the ladies kept their seats was startling, if not suggestive. But this was before Ed had his teeth abstracted, and he is not discouraged.

Rico is to have a variety theater. The Gold Room will be opened as such about the 1st of May, by Fred Barry and H. A. Knudtson, who have leased the place for the season. They will have nightly performances, with special attractions for every Saturday night. Smith, an Irish comedian now in Telluride, will be here in a few days, and so will Ed Clary, of Durango. Barry's caliber is very well known here, and Knudtson was one of the managers of the Brunswick variety in Telluride last season.

The party who broke into Field's shop last week and stole a double handful of nickels and a Colts 44, has been found, and proves to be Ed Woods, the gentleman of color who has presided over the culinary department of the Pasadena household. He went into "Jimmie's" and wanted to exchange a quantity of nickels for "big money," which drew suspicion upon him, and Walter Watkins found the missing six shooter in the trunk of the suspected. The number on that was proof positive, and the turkey weakened. The amount stolen will be made good, the pistol was returned, and Field will not prosecute. Ed is now hunting for another job.

A Mr. O'NEIL, of Ouray, is anxious to learn of the whereabouts of his brother, John O'Neil, who left Ouray for Red Mountain, Sept. 25, 1883, and has not since been heard of. He describes his brother as follows:

He is a man,
Tall dark hair 5 feet 7 inches high.
Brown beard 35 years old.
If any one should run across this object in the woods, it must not be shot at with a gun, as the brother labels it: "He is a man." The word "tall" is unnecessary, as the statement that his dark hair is 5 feet 7 inches high is sufficient to impress the fact. If the party's brown beard is 30 years old, the man is probably in the neighborhood of 60.

CAPT. W. H. BENNETTS is plaintiff in an interesting suit for damages down in Durango this week. Some time since a party by the name of George Mahr failed in the boot and shoe business, and Bennetts purchased a quantity of the stock while in the assignee's hands. Interested parties claimed that Mahr furnished Bennetts with the money to buy the stock, and that the transfer was fraudulent and void. Acting upon this presumption, the goods which lawfully belonged to Bennetts were sold again at sheriff's sale last week. Mr. B. went down to Durango Monday and is making it interesting for the parties who sold. He says Mahr did not furnish him one cent, that he bought the stock as a speculation and thinks it requires a horrible gulf for the parties to sell property which is rightfully his. He intends to either recover the goods or heavy damages. Julius Thompson is in Durango with him and is attending to the prosecution.

Officers of the O. B. B.
At the meeting of the O. B. B.'s last Sunday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing three months:

- Worthy Chief.....Chas. F. Laue,
Vice Worthy Chief.....J. O. Campbell,
Recording Secretary.....A. McGraw,
Financial Secretary.....W. H. M. Bangs,
Treasurer.....P. H. Wagensler,
Chaplain.....A. M. Rogers,
Worthy Marshal.....A. V. Gorla,
Inside Guard.....Chas. J. Pence,
Musical Director.....W. H. M. Bangs,
Financial Committee—Wesley Baker,
N. J. Bradley and C. H. Steele.
Trustees—Josiah Hicks, A. B. Brydon,
and B. F. Klee.

Accident at the Swansen.
About noon yesterday, an accident occurred at the Swansen, which came near proving fatal to W. T. Williamson. He and Seth Wardell had been running stipes to connect two mill-holes, and were very near one another, as sounds could be plainly heard from one to the other. Wardell had in two holes, which he loaded and split. On reaching the tunnel below, he called up to Tom that his holes were going and Tom ran back from the breast. One shot went off, and did not jar but a trifle, but the second broke through the thin wall and threw rock with a vengeance. Williamson was peppered with finely broken rock all about one side of his face and the back of his head, and one boulder struck him just back of the left ear, cutting to the bone. Another large one struck his hat just over his head and cut the crown as though done with a knife, and the brim was apparently perforated with a quart of bird shot. Williamson was cut, bruised and bleeding, but was out on the streets in a few hours after his narrow escape.

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Roll of Honor—Primary Grade.
The following are the names of those averaging best in department and studies from April 6 to April 20.

- FIRST CLASS.
Lillie Clay, Topsy Thomas,
Court Lanton, Mattie Ohlhausen.
SECOND CLASS.
John Muncester, Lizzie Kaufman,
Eula Winkfield.
THIRD CLASS.
Harry Kaufman, George Snyder,
Mamie Hayes, Tom Lewis,
Mrs. R. C. Darling, Teacher.

Bob Klum's Congratulations.
Bob Klum sends in congratulations as follows:

INDIANAPOLIS, April 20.
"NOT LITTLE BOY OF MINE."
Here's my hand, trembling with the joy of "would be father." Let the Lord be praised! The Jones family is perpetuated for another generation. Name him John, Charlie, name him John—I implore you not to let the time-honored name die out. * * * * * Sleep in your boots, old boy, and when you are entranced by the night song of your angelic, ownest boy, you can bid defiance to hair pins, tacks and broken bottles that may be lurking for the scalp of your off hind foot. * * * * * Baby carriages are up just now; there is always a heavy demand for them "when the springtime comes," but you can karve a krib out of a kottonwood tree. The boy of destiny has my love, sympathy, and best wishes. * * * * * You and his friend, * * * * * Klum. * * * * * Bob is now assistant state agent of the Home Insurance Co. of New York.

A Stage Accident.
A stage load of passengers arrived last night, among them being Mrs. Henry Stein, Miss Emma Yost, C. H. Carpenter, Dr. G. W. Milton and John Tigue. Day before yesterday they had a serious time on the trip from Rockwood to Flag Station, the stage team running away with them no less than four times, and were dumped in the snow more times than is consistent with comfort or careful driving. Arthur Ewing was the driver and all the passengers except Mr. Tigue think the driver was wholly to blame, and are loud in censuring him. Tigue thinks that a succession of accidents, such as the breaking of pins, the harness, etc., caused the nervous horses to run, and they could not be held. After coming down the range into the Park, the horses started on a keen run, and the whole load of passengers was either thrown out, or jumped out. Mrs. Stein was quite badly injured, and bruised. No bones were broken, but she was injured in the side. On their arrival here yesterday, Mr. Grigsby was informed of the accident, and he saw that the injured lady had every possible attention. She was taken to the St. James' and medical aid was summoned. She rested well last night and is not injured seriously. All expenses are borne by Mr. G. who is doing all he can to repair the damage. Jim Goff, an experienced and careful driver, was sent out this morning to relieve Ewing.

The Dolores Skating Rink.
All our readers know that a new rink is being constructed in Rico, but there are few who have any idea of the magnitude of the enterprise. It has been under way for some time; the work being in charge of John Reed, who has every reason to feel proud of the result. The old Stanton livery barn, one of the most commodious and well built structures in town was purchased by Samuel James, and remodeled and much improved. An addition was built which permits an open skating floor entirely free from obstruction, of 36x90 feet. This is covered with hard maple strips, two inches wide and one inch thick; the wood is so hard that a nail cannot be driven into it, and holes are bored for every nail. The upper and lower ends of the floor are laid in octagon shape, so that in skating there is no cross friction, as the skates always run with the grain of the wood. This diagonal work was done by Henry Hensel and is a marvel of beauty and accuracy. The floor is laid on heavy sleepers which are but nine inches apart, and on a concrete foundation, giving a strength and solidity to the floor which is unsurpassed. The roof has a system of braces which are on the regular bridge truss pattern, with diagonal and right angle braces, with iron rod connections. The roof is ceiled in a half-dome shape, so as to give excellent acoustical properties. A broad gallery extends across the front and half way down each side of the building and is surrounded by a neat railing. There are no gallery posts to support it, being securely braced from the wall. An office at the south end of the building has three ticket and skate windows,

opening in the general entrance hall, the skating floor and the ladies dressing room. The exit is a double door which swings outward, but cannot be opened from the outside. At night the rink will be lighted by the "electric" large flame lamps. A force of 22 men is now busily at work to get the rink ready for the Odd Fellows ball next Monday night. It will be near enough completed for use, although it will require finishing touches. The rink will be opened as such in about a week, under the management of Chas. A. Newton.

Rico has the honor of having the finest rink of any mountain town in the West, and one which would do credit to any city. In every appointment it is fine, and Mr. James has spared no expense. The material for the floor as unloaded from the wagons in Rico cost \$825, which is but a small item of the total expense.

NOTICE & RESOLUTIONS
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Grand Duke Mining Company will be held at the company's office in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, on May 7th 1885, between the hours of 2 o'clock and 5 o'clock p. m. to elect five Directors for the ensuing year.
St. Louis, Mo., April 7th, 1885.
GUSTAVUS ST. GEM, Sec'y.

The Grand View Mining and Smelting Company
Is now in the market, ready to receive, buy and pay for all good ore offered, which will be treated on as good terms as any reduction company in Rico and pay for all ore bought as soon as sampled for smelting.
JOHN C. GRIENSON,
Manager.

Advertised Letters.
Advertised list of letters remaining un-called for in the Post Office at Rico, Colo. April 25th, 1885.
Aurino, Chas. H., O'Donnell, Martin Hawkins, Miss Lena Pinker, J. R. Hunt, Chas. E. Stratton, Josiah Joseph, James S. Tolle, Miss S. D. Moody, W.
Persons calling for any of the above will please say "advertised."
P. L. THOMPSON, P. M.

Notice of Meeting of Stockholders.
Rico, Colo., April 25th, 1885.
Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the Pasadena Reduction Company, for the election of seven directors of said Company, to serve for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may be presented at such meeting, will be held at the office of said Company, No. 513 Olive street in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the 6th day of May, 1885.
W. A. ADAMS, President.
JOHN F. WATKINS, Secretary.

ORDINANCE NO. 72.
AN ORDINANCE DEFINING FISCAL YEAR.
Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Rico:
That the Fiscal Year of the Town of Rico shall begin upon the 1st day of April and end upon the 31st day of April of each year.
PASSED AND APPROVED this 9th day of April, 1885.
WILLIAM J. COX, Mayor.
ATTEST: GEO. O. GILBERT, Town Clerk.

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Frank C. Loring,
U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor.
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J. F. Wannemaker,
CIVIL AND MINING ENGINEER
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RICO, COLORADO.

OWING TO THE COSTLY FURNISHING OF THE ST. JAMES, THE IMPRESSION HAS GONE ABROAD THAT THE RATES ARE NECESSARILY HIGH, WHICH IS A MISTAKE, AS THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE OF RATES WILL READILY SHOW:

ROOMS, 50c, \$1, and \$1.50 per Day.
DAY BOARD, \$8.00 per week.
MEALS, 50 cents each.

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