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THE CHICAGO WEEKLY NEWS & LINCOLN CO. LEADER, 1 year $2.75

ATTENTION, REPUBLICANS.

Hon. A. L. Morrison, President of the Republican Territorial League, having taken the proper initiative, and it being much to be desired that the Republicans of New Mexico should fully and heartily co-operate with the great National organization, now embracing more than a million of earnest [illegible] workers, the Republi[illegible] vicinity are requested [illegible] the Town Hall, this [illegible]ening, March 22nd [illegible] the purpose of effect[illegible]ization under the rules [illegible]Sligan League of the [illegible]tes, and of devising [illegible] means to promote it.

[illegible] CAFFREY.
President R. R. L.

[illegible] YORK LETTER.
[illegible] York, Feb. 19, '90.

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[illegible] and placing in the pockets of the wholesale [illegible]

A LIBERAL APPROPRIATION. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has decided to spend a million dollars this year in paving the streets. Broadway will be repaved from the Battery to 34th street, a distance of nearly four miles, all with granite blocks. It seems almost unnecessary that this should be done, as the pavement now in great shape, was laid but a short time ago. Eighth avenue is to be paved with asphalt from 13th street to 59th Broadway. The Board having it with asphalt is to construct a smooth driveway all along west side of the park. Besides these, with the three twenty [illegible] to be paved under the work is now done it is thought that the steam companies, gas companies and railroad companies will [illegible]

even they do not like so doing, as at present.

OUR FREE LIBRARIES.

It is generally believed by non-residents that New York has no free library. This, however, is a mistake, as the report of the New York Free Circulating Library, which held its annual meeting in Chickering Hall the last week, goes to prove. This library has been in operation for ten years, and during the past year has circulated more than 400,000 books. It is operated, as most of our libraries are, by a society and has no connection with the city government. Besides the main library at 39 Bond street it has also three branch libraries in different parts of the city, the expenses of which are paid mainly by voluntary contributions. New York can also boast of five other large libraries, the Astor Apprentices', Y. M. C. A., Cooper Union and Mercantile, all but the latter of which are practically free. You can select from an immense assortment of books in these libraries without the cost of a cent and very little red tape.

Edwin Arlington.

Plenty of Good Advice.

Who never climb never fall.

On a good bargain think twice.

Buy at a market, but sell at home.

Bashfulness is an enemy to poverty.

Who looks not before, finds himself behind.

Duty is the path that all may tread.—Morris.

Knowledge is the hill which few may hope to climb.

For what thou canst do thyself rely not on another.

Keep good men company and you shall be of the number.

When you are an anvil, hold you still; when you are a hammer, strike your fill.

SENSE INTELLIGENCE.

Instances of the Well-Developed Sense of Smell in Horses.

The horse will leave nicely hay untouched in his bin, no matter however hungry. He will not drink of water objectionable to his questioning sniffs or from a bucket which some other odor makes offensive, however thirsty. His intelligent nostril will widen, quiver and query over the delicatest bit offered by the fairest of fair. A mare is never satisfied by either sight or whinny that her colt is really her own until she has confirmed the fact by means of her nose. Blind horses, as a rule, will gallop wildly about a pasture without striking the surrounding fence. The sense of smell informs them of its proximity. Others will when loosed from the stable go directly to the gate or bars opening to their accustomed feeding grounds and when destined to return after hours of careless wandering, will distinguish the one outlet and patiently await its opening. The odor of that particular part of the fence is their guide to it. The horse in browsing, or while gathering herbage with his lip, is guided in its choice of proper food entirely by its nostrils. Blind horses do not make mistakes in their diet. In the temple of Olympia a bronze horse was exhibited, at the sight of which six real horses experienced the most violent emotions. Ælian judiciously observes that the most perfect art could not imitate nature sufficiently well to produce so perfect an illusion. Like Pliny and Pausanias, he consequently affirms that "in casting the statue a magician had thrown hippomanes upon it," which, by the odor of the plant, deceived the horses, and therein we have the secret of the miracle. The scent alone of a buffalo robe will cause many horses to evince lively terror, and the fleeting scent of a railroad train will frighten some long after the locomotive is out of sight and hearing.—Horse and Stable.

—It is said that the life of rose plants greatly varies. Some of the hardiest kind will bloom for thirty years, while others die off after several seasons.

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP for children teething, is the prescription of one of the best female physicians and nurses in the United States. It has been used for thirty years with never failing success by MILLIONS of mothers for their children, while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, regulates the bowels, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa, whether arising from teething or other causes. Price 25 cents a bottle.

PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

—Edward Bellamy, author of "Looking Backward," was educated at Union College, Schenectady, and in Germany. He was a journalist for some years.

—According to Mr. Rucklin's latest criticism there is no genius about the English language. He defines the Welsh language as the language of music, the Scotch of poetry and the Irish of wit.

—The late Prof. Alexander Johnston, of Princeton, left the complete MS. of a second "History of the United States." It is said to resemble that of his former work, but it is suited to a shorter course and less mature minds.

—Tolstoi, the Russian novelist, although of noble birth, affects the life of a peasant and the trade of a shoemaker. He dresses like a village artisan; his shirt is soiled with soot, his trousers begrimed with mud, and his whole appearance is that of a working-man.

—The largest private library in Washington is probably George Bancroft's, numbering twelve thousand volumes. He has a copy of "Don Juan" which Lord Byron gave him, with an autographic note pasted in it, and he has poems which Wordsworth gave him. He is an old man and reads no more.

—Martin Farquhar Tupper, the once famous author of "Proverbial Philosophy," is still alive. He lives in a handsome country house in England. He bears a striking resemblance to Longfellow in his old age. Tupper does not agree with his old schoolfellow, Gladstone, on the question of home rule.

—Alphonse Daudet had determined to remain a bachelor, because he was afraid should he make a wrong step in matrimony he might [illegible] his imagination; but meeting Mlle. Julie Allard, who was a charming writer as well as a lovely woman, all his fears were removed. His marriage has been a very happy one.

—In 1815 an English collector, Sir Thomas Phillips, followed the track of the allied armies in France and bought up all books, manuscripts, etc., that he could lay his hands on, believing that one day these collections would be immensely valuable. The French Government is now offering fabulous sums to his heirs for many of the finest manuscripts in this mass of [illegible].

TASTING MOLASSES.

An Occupation Requiring Health, Work and a Very Delicate Kind.

The professional tea taster is a familiar [illegible] man having to sample [illegible] thirty grades of tea [illegible] a square meal. [illegible] a square meal, you will say. Of [illegible] he can, is the reply. The [illegible] taster of thirty kinds of molasses [illegible] day, but he does not [illegible] a particle. This requires [illegible] abstinence from [illegible] difficulty in the beginning. He must protect his teeth, too, and therefore his mouth is carefully cleansing, not alone to prevent decay, but in order to keep his gustatory sense perfectly natural.

"I have been a molasses taster for several years," says a Boston man, "and I assure you mine is no easy job. There is a strain that the occupation imposes, and one that many succumb to, and thereby quit the business. The tongue being very sensitive requires great care, and therefore I feel it best not to use tobacco, sweetmeats or highly seasoned food. Doctors tell me that sugar of itself does not injure the teeth, but that after remaining on them for some time undergoes a chemical change from the saliva and food, and that the chemical result is corrosive.

"Whether that is so or no, I know that my teeth have suffered from this business, although I take extraordinary care. The difference in taste between some grades of molasses is so slight that the tongue must be in a perfectly neutral condition in order to be an accurate guide. But not only must the tongue be cared for, but mouth, lips and teeth must be as free as possible from any foreign substance.

"In trying of the various brands I place only a drop on the most sensitive part of the tongue. I try to keep it away from lips, mouth and teeth, but do not always succeed. Now, to discern nice distinctions in taste, I must keep a certain level, concentrate my attention, and make, as it were, a [illegible] analysis. To do this [illegible] work that [illegible] about. In fact [illegible] painstaking [illegible] I almost call, 'battery labor.'"—Boston Globe.

We have just been admiring one of the handsomest oil pictures of "Jacque" Roser that we have ever seen, and had it been in an art-store we should have known that a good price would be asked for it. But imagine a work of art of such intrinsic value being obtained for no thing! for that is practically the case as it is a supplement to DEMOREST'S FAMILY MAGAZINE for April. This wonderful publication has on its Easter gift, and it certainly is an attractive one. Each succeeding number appears to grow better and better, until we are forced to wonder what can be done to improve its present high standard of excellence. The fact of the matter is, there is but one purely family and home Magazine, and that is DEMOREST'S. The illustrations are works of art, and some of the articles which they illustrate are "Orchids," "The Manhattan Working Girls' Society," "The Easter Lily," "The Forbidden Place," or "The Haram Esch-Scherif in Jerusalem," "In the Grasp of Grip," "Easter Eggs," "Easter Novelties," "Kindergarten Work and Play for the Home," etc., besides numerous other articles and stories, including "A Woman's Kitchen Garden," "Our Cooking Class," "Preserving Garments from Moths," "The Art of Letter Writing," "Mme. Pot-Bouille's Easter Gift," etc., etc. Published by W. JENNINGS DEMOREST, 15 East 14th St., New York. Every newsdealer ought to keep this valuable publication, and we suppose they do. It shows the magic power of 20 cents, and the great [illegible] that small amount can be made to go.

SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—The number of Indian church members in the United States is 23,663.

—The Protestant Episcopal diocese of Maryland has a communicant list of more than 26,000. It cost thereof in 1882 $237,000 and in 1888 $133,000.

—The city of New York has 660 Sunday-schools, with a total of 157,000 scholars and teachers. Philadelphia has 610 Sunday-schools, with a total of 105,802 teachers and scholars.

—Whitfield's old Tabernacle, in Tottenham Court road, London, has been declared dangerous, and is now to come down. This will remove one of the most interesting relics in the city.

—The Presbyterian Banner calls attention to the fact that of the 474 ministers who left the Established Church of Scotland at the disruption in 1843, sixty five are still living, among whom is the venerable ex-president of Princeton College, Rev. James McCosh, D. D., LL. D.

—Amherst College claims the honorable distinction of supplying from its graduates a larger number of ministers than any other American college; twice as many as either Yale or Oberlin, three times as many as Williams, four times as many as Dartmouth and nine times as many as Harvard.

—The Advance, of Chicago, thinks that every church should have a name which should declare, as far as possible what it is and what it represents. It does not like the chronological method, followed often by the Presbyterians and some other denominations. "First Presbyterian," "Second Presbyterian," etc., but prefers names that have individuality and sacred associations, like "Bethlehem" and "Bethesda."

Waked Up Effectually.

A lethargic, dormant condition of the liver is hardly to be overcome with drastic cathartics and nauseous cholagogues. A gentler, pleasanter and far more effective means exists of arousing the organs when somnolent. This is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, vouched for by the medical fraternity, tested by the public for many years. A resumption by the biliary organ of its secretive function, with the activity attendant upon health, a return to regularity of the bowels, and a renewal of digestion, are the no less happy and certain results of using the Bitters systematically. Its laxative effect is never painful and disturbing, its tendency being rather to perpetuate regularity than to produce a copious action. Malaria, nervousness, debility, kidney troubles and neuralgia it subdues effectually.

Look a gift horse in the mouth a week.

A GUATEMALAN FUNERAL.

Some of the Peculiar Customs of Central American Carlos.

I heard a jingle of bells this afternoon, and, supposing a fire had broken out, was about to start for the scene of the conflagration, when the landlady informed me that it was only a funeral and said it would pass the house. A few minutes later, hearing a sort of wild music, mingled with shouts and laughter, I ran to the door just in time to see a couple of half-drunken men, shooless and hatless, coming along at a brisk pace, bearing a coffin on their shoulders. It was simply a rough box wrapped in a piece of striped calico, and swayed from side to side as the bearers rolled along. Following was a woman, the widow, I was told, carrying a rude cross covered with flowers and laughing immoderately. Next to the hilarious chief mourner came the band, consisting of one accordion, two fiddles, a tin horn and a drum, all run to their full capacity.

Next came a mixed crowd of men, women and children. The men were attired in the usual costume of the country, a pair of cotton drawers and shirt, worn outside. The women wore a single garment, sleeveless and low-necked, coming barely to the knees. The children were arrayed in their innocence only. All were smoking, laughing, or dancing by turns. Altogether it was the most cheerful funeral I had ever witnessed.

I had returned to the table when my attention was once more called to the street by a chorus of wild yells and uproarious merriment. Stepping out I discovered the cause. One of the bearers had stumbled and fallen, throwing the coffin to the ground with such force that one side was partly broken out, exposing one arm and a ghastly hand half closed. But it was a contented, well-behaved corpse, and took the whole thing as a joke. Presently the bearer staggered to his feet, the coffin was replaced, and the procession moved merrily on.

The landlord, however, insists this was a very tame affair, and assures me that the burial services of the rich are very much livelier. In such cases the body is dressed up in the best shirt the estate affords. It is then carefully tied in a chair in an upright position, and thus carried to the graveyard, while the whole town turns out to do him honor by discharging crackers, rockets and a variety of native fire-works, while the drinking is general and the joy unbounded. I hope to be able to record a first-class affair soon. The owner of three huts and a pair of mules is quite low, and we are waiting patiently for him to die. The natives also exhibit a good deal of anxiety, and every little while one of them will stand up to the window to note progress and report to the eager crowd.

As usual in times of great public excitement the news is very contradictory. A little while ago it was announced that he was almost gone. A confused murmur ran through the assembly and an occasional shout, with a random cracker or two, was heard. The next report, however, was most discouraging. The watcher was seen fleeing as for his life and the sick man following close in his wake with a huge club. The last bulletin was more favorable, the doctor having arrived with his whole stock in trade, and those who are posted predict that the sick man will be ready for burial to-morrow.

These are the Caribs, the direct descendants of those wild, fierce tribes discovered by Columbus on his first voyage, and found inhabiting the southern islands of the West Indies—differing entirely in appearance, customs and disposition from the surrounding nations, to whom they were a constant terror.—Guatemala Cor. Pittsburgh Post.

THE new church was the recipient of two fine lamps from Mr. [illegible] last week and [illegible] from Col. Weed. May their light never be less and they [illegible] complete. Mr. Joe Wilson [illegible] new broom and Mrs. Parks dusted to the new church in days gone by clean and well dusted. Such donations are still in order. A new coal scuttle from Mr. Pearson, with a shovel, found their way to the Congregational Church last Saturday. A comfortable building will now be the order of things there.

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Saturday, March 15, 1890.

SOCIETIES.

Ko-fi-Pa—Baxter Lodge No. 9, Knights of Pythias, meet every Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting Knights are cordially invited to attend.
JAS. REID, C. C.
EDWARD UERRICK, K. of R. & S.

I. O. O. F.—White Oaks Lodge No. 49, meets every Saturday night, at Castle Hall, at 8 o'clock. Visiting brothers cordially invited.
J. A. WOODWARD, C. P.
JAMES H. PARKER, Sec.

G. A. R.—Kearney Post, No. 10, meets on the last Monday night of each month, at Castle Hall.
N. W. LANE, P. C.
J. C. KLEPINGER, Adjt.

WHITE OAKS CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Lord's Day Services—Morning 11 o'clock. Evening—7:30 o'clock.
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.
Weekly Bible reading, Wednesday Evening at 7:30 o'clock—Seats free. All are welcome.
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Preaching every Sunday in the month except the 2nd, at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m. Sunday School every Sunday at 3 p. m. and Prayer Meeting every Thursday evening at 7 p. m.
S. W. THOMAS, Pastor in charge.
A. HEYFRON, P. E.

LOCAL ROUNDUPS.

Luck sometimes makes a name.
But printers ink so black and column.
Will given man peculiar fame,
When put in this peculiar column.

LOCALS have been scarce this week.

THIS has been the dullest week for locals in our experience.

NEXT Monday will be Saint Patrick's Day in the Morning.

WE are authorized to announce that the public school will continue for a period extending indefinitely into the future with Mrs. Rudisell as teacher.

WE regret the duty devolving on us of announcing the death at his home in Socorro, last week, of the patriot soldier and noble gentleman, I. L. Harlow.

SAM DERRICK, one of the citizens of White Oaks old timers, arrived and departed this week Friday, but will be back and tarry with us a day or two next week.

JOE SMITH and Sidney Parker left for San Pedro on Monday last. Sid. goes there to take Jake Ziegler's place in the store there. Jake will return with the next week.

J. D. BRASHEAR, of Owensboro Ky., spent a couple of days in camp this week and left on Tuesday for Nogal, there to view the American Mine, of which he is one of the principal owners.

FRANK TATTI, one of White Oaks best boys, went to Socorro this week, and there, by appointment, met a newly arrived Switzer girl and wedded her. The happy couple are now domiciled here.

CT. PARSONS went through Tuesday night by stage to Parson's City. We understand that while East he received the active co-operation of eastern capitalists and that work on an extensive scale may be looked for at an early date on the Parsons mining property. Hope so.

The Detroit (Mich) Free Press makes the following good point against those preachers who propose to have Monday morning's paper printed Saturday night before midnight: "There is a minister in Montana who thinks a Monday paper can just as well be prepared Saturday night. His congregation should keep a sharp lookout on him. A man with a notion of that kind is quite capable of ringing in a 10 years old sermon on his people for a fresh one.

Johnson Newspapers are [illegible] Johnson thinks the all claim to be first-class advertising mediums.

FROM SEVEN RIVERS.

EDITOR LEADER—

Last summer our citizens erected a splendid rock building 60x30 as a school house, and our trustees have elected Mr. Knox Lee as Principal. Eastern papers give young people interested in education a column. Why can not the LEADER take the lead in this?—Why should the school children of Lincoln County not have encouragement? Mr. Lee says that if Supt. Byers is supported he will so revolutionize the school system of the county as to render it one of the best in the Territory. Now dear LEADER, give the schools a column, and soon every school in the county will be writing to your precious paper, and we will all be able to see what progress is being made.

I am 18 years old, and ashamed to acknowledge my deficiency in education. Our school will supply you a letter each week each embracing the general news of this section. Should you adopt this idea, all right, if not your refusal will be grievously borne.

STUDENT.

[Fire your letters in, Student, our place is on the watch-tower of intelligence.—ED.]

Consumption Surely Cured.

TO THE EDITOR—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy free to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and post office address. Respectfully,

T. A. SLOCUM, M. C.
181 Pearl St., New York.

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An old Plymouth Rock hen that has been for ten years the pet of a family in Norwich, Conn., died recently. She weighed fourteen pounds, and was upwards of twenty on account of her intelligence. She knew when it was meal time as well as a regular boarder, and came regularly for her food, calling for her meat once a day. On a brood of forty, she was the hen altogether lovely. She always wanted to chat with her mistress daily, and when she was not feeling well would tease to be held in her lap and rocked by pulling her mistress' apron.

AMONG MISSIONARIES.

SEVENTY-THREE missionaries sailed on the Rhenish, of the P. and O. line, recently for India, China and Palestine.

THERE are in Germany alone 3,000 Sunday schools, 31,000 teachers and 270,000 scholars, where twenty-five years ago there was not one.

A MINISTER, of twenty-five years' standing, states that he has never in that time collected $1 21 for home missions from men who are opposed to foreign missions.

THE agent of the Wesleyan Mission at Bankura, Bengal, reports that during the past year 3,333,733 pages of books and 1,650,000 pages of tracts have been printed.

RUSSIA prohibits evangelistic work, but the Bible cause is growing circulated. Half a century ago there were not twenty-five schools in all Servia; now every village has one.

THE English Church Missionary Society has made arrangements whereby they hope to add to the efficiency of the mission work in Jerusalem. One of the new instrumentalities will be a day school for boys.

THE King of Siam proposes to place the Presbyterian missionaries on the same basis as to Government aid as the Government schools. At a late visit to Petchaburi he gave the teacher 1,440, and the Queen gave the girl's school 960.

NO 533 and 534.

APPLICATION FOR A PATENT.
U. S. LAND OFFICE,
Las Cruces, N. M.
February 28, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that John C. Root, whose post-office address is White Oaks, Lincoln County, New Mexico, has this day filed his application for a patent for fourteen hundred and ninety nine linear feet of the Keystone lode, mine or vein bearing copper and other metals, with surface ground 600 feet in width, together with [illegible] of surface ground claimed for the Keystone mill site, both situated in Ocura Mining District, county of Lincoln and Territory of New Mexico, and designated by the field notes and official plat on file in this office as lots Numbered 533 A & B, in town ship 7 s. of range 6 e. N. M. principal meridian, said lot No. 533 A, being described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at cor. No. 1, a limestone corner marked 533 A, whence cor. No. 3, Kennedy 17 stone [illegible] 18,123.10 feet dist., O. B. locating monument No. 1 Ocura District bears [illegible] 7,3.9 60 feet dist. Thence [illegible] w. 1,664.4 feet to cor. No. 2, a limestone 24x16x6 ins. set 4 in ground, marked 533 A. Thence [illegible] 600 feet to cor. No. 3, a limestone [illegible] marked 533 A. Thence [illegible] feet to cor. No. 4, a limestone 20x16x5 ins. marked 533 A. Thence [illegible] feet to cor. No. 1, place of beginning. Contents 19 [illegible] located in [illegible] of sec. 2, [illegible]

And said Lot 533 B is described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at cor. No. 1, a limestone 20x14x6 ins. marked 533 B, whence cor. [illegible] 17 stone [illegible] 7,3.9 60 feet dist. Cor. No. 1 survey 61 A bears [illegible] 28 6,03 feet dist. and U. S. locating monument No. 1 Ocura District bears [illegible] 19 [illegible] feet dist. Thence [illegible] 15.41 feet to cor. No. 2, a [illegible] block of limestone marked 533 B. Thence [illegible] feet to cor. No. 3, on face of lime stone cliff, marked 533 B. Thence [illegible] feet to cor. No. 4, a limestone 24x14x4 ins. marked 533 B. Thence [illegible] feet to cor. No. 1, place of beginning. Contents 4.33 acres, located in [illegible] sec. 9, [illegible] respective variation [illegible]

For complete notes see [illegible] at page [illegible] of the Mining Records of Socorro County, New Mexico.

The adjoining claimants are U. S. [illegible]

Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of said Keystone Mine or the lone Mill site or surface ground are required to file their adverse claims with the Register of the United States Land Office at Las Cruces, 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.

SAMUEL P. McKEA,
Register.

It is hereby ordered that the foregoing Notice of Application for Patent be published in the Lincoln County Leader, a weekly newspaper published in White Oaks, in Lincoln County, New Mexico, for the period of sixty days, consecutive weeks, in the English language.

SAMUEL P. McKEA,
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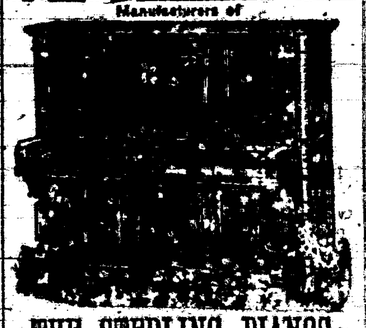

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This paper may be found on file at the office of Messrs. N. W. Ayer & Son, Newspaper Advertising Agents, Philadelphia, where advertisements can be left for it in New York.

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ATTENTION, REPUBLICANS.

Hon. A. L. Morrison, President of the Republican Territorial League, having taken the proper initiative, and it being much to be desired that the Republicans of New Mexico should fully and heartily co-operate with the great National organization, now embracing more than a million of earnest Republican workers, the Republicans of this vicinity are requested to meet at the Town Hall, this Saturday evening, March 22nd, at 7:30, for the purpose of effecting an organization under the rules of the Republican League of the United States, and of devising ways and means to promote its success.

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OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

New York, Feb. 19, '90.

One of the most important "combinations" that has ever been made has just been established by the wholesale dealers and refiners of sugar. They propose hereafter to fix the price of sugar from day to day on a basis that guarantees the wholesalers a certain profit on every pound sold. We are quite informed that for the past two years the wholesale [illegible] have [illegible] the sugar [illegible] Second Avenue [illegible] Eighth street [illegible] paved with asphalt from 13th street to Fifth Avenue. The Board paving it with asphalt is in reality a smooth driveway all along [illegible]. Besides these, with [illegible] the work is now done it is made [illegible] that the steam companies, gas companies and railroad companies will [illegible] whenever they feel like so doing, as at present.

OUR FREE LIBRARIES.

It is generally believed by our residents that New York has no free library. This, however, is a mistake, as the report of the New York Free Circulating Library, which held its annual meeting in Chickering Hall the last week, goes to prove. This library has been in operation for ten years, and during the past year has circulated more than 100,000 books. It is operated, as most of our libraries are, by a society and has no connection with the city government. Besides the main library at 69 Bond street it has also two branch libraries in different parts of the city, the expenses of which are paid mainly by voluntary contributions. New York can also boast of five other large libraries, the Astor, Apprentices, Y. M. C. A. Cooper Union and Mercantile, all but the latter of which are practically free.—You can get from an immense assortment of books in these libraries without the cost of a cent and very little red tape.

Edwin Arlington.

Plenty of Good Advice.

Who never climb never fall
On a good bargain think twice.
Buy at a market, but sell at home.
Bashfulness is an enemy to poverty.
Who looks not before finds himself behind.
Duty is the path that all may tread.
—Morris.
Know edge is the hill which few may hope to climb.
For what thou canst do thyself rely not on another.
Keep good men company and you shall be of the number.
When you are an anvil, hold you still; when you are a hammer, strike your fill.

SENSE INTELLIGENCE.

Instances of the Well-Developed Sense of Smell in Horses.

The horse will leave musty hay untouched in his bin, no matter however hungry. He will not drink of water objectionable to his questioning sniffs or from a bucket which some other odor makes offensive, however thirsty. His intelligent nostril will widen, quiver and query over the daintiest bit offered by the fairest of hands. A mare is never satisfied by either sight or whinny that her colt is really her own until she has confirmed the fact by means of her nose. Blind horses, as a rule, will gallop wildly about a pasture without striking the surrounding fence. The sense of smell informs them of its proximity. Others will when loosened from the stable go directly to the gate or bars opening to their accustomed feeding grounds and when desiring to return, after hours of careless wandering, will distinguish the one outlet and patiently await its opening. The odor of that particular part of the fence is their guide to it. The horse in browsing, or while gathering herbage with his lip, is guided in its choice of proper food entirely by its nostrils. Blind horses do not make mistakes in their diet. In the temple of Olympia a bronze horse was exhibited, at the sight of which six real horses experienced the most violent emotions. Ælian judiciously observes that the most perfect art could not imitate nature sufficiently well to produce so perfect an illusion. Like Pliny and Pausanias, he consequently affirms that "in casting the statue a magician had thrown hippomanes upon it," which, by the odor of the plant, deceived the horses, and therein we have the secret of the miracle. The scent alone of a buffalo robe will cause many horses to evince lively terror, and the floating scent of a railroad train will frighten some long after the locomotive is out of sight and hearing.
—Horse and Stable.

—It is said that the life of rose plants greatly varies. Some of the hardiest kind will bloom for thirty years, while others die off after several seasons.

MOTHERS!
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PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

—Edward Bellamy, author of "Looking Backward," was educated at Union College, Schenectady, and in Germany. He was a journalist for some years.

—According to Mr. Rockin's latest criticism there is no genius about the English language. He defines the Welsh language as the language of music, the Scotch of poetry and the Irish of wit.

—The late Prof. Alexander Johnston, of Princeton, left the complete MS. of a second "History of the United States." It is in manuscript, resembles that of his former valuable text book, but it is suited to a shorter course and less mature minds.

—Tolstoi, the Russian novelist, although of noble birth, affects the life of a peasant and the trade of a shoemaker. He dresses like a village artisan; his shirt is soiled with soot, his trousers begrimed with mud, and his whole appearance is that of a working-man.

—The largest private library in Washington is probably George Bancroft's, numbering twelve thousand volumes. He has a copy of "Don Juan" which Lord Byron gave him, with an autograph note pasted in it, and he has poems which Wordsworth gave him. He is an old man and reads no more.

—Martin Farquhar Tupper, the once famous author of "Proverbial Philosophy," is still alive. He lives in a handsome country house in England. He bears a striking resemblance to Longfellow in his old age. Tupper does not agree with his old schoolfellow, Gladstone, on the question of home rule.

—Alphonse Daudet had determined to remain a bachelor, because he was afraid should he make a wrong step in matrimony he might fail his imagination, but meeting Mlle. Julie Allard, who was a charming writer as well as a lovely woman, all his fears were removed. His marriage has been a very happy one.

—In 1705 an English collector, Sir Thomas Phillips, followed the track of the allied armies in France and bought up all books, manuscripts, etc., that he could lay his hands on, believing that one day these collections would be immensely valuable. The French Government is now offering fabulous sums to his heirs for many of the historical manuscripts in this mass of miscellaneous material.

TASTING MOLASSES.

An Occupation Requiring Brain Work of a Most Delicate Kind.

The professional molasses taster is a marvel. Imagine a man having to sample twenty or thirty grades of that article every day to cut a square meal. If asked on a square meal, you would say: "Oh, I can," is the reply. "I do nothing but taste of thirty kinds of molasses in one day," but he does not swallow a particle. This requires positive self-abnegation from swallowing, and is the great difficulty in the beginner's path. He must protect his teeth, too, and therefore his masticators require careful cleansing, not alone to prevent decay, but in order to keep his gustatory sense perfectly natural.

"I have been a molasses taster for several years," says a Boston man, "and I assure you mine is no easy job. There is a strain that the occupation imposes, and one that many succumb to, and therefore I quit the business. The tongue being very sensitive requires great care, and therefore I feel it best not to use tobacco, sweetmeats or highly seasoned food. Doctors tell me that sugar of itself does not injure the teeth, but that after remaining on them for some time undergoes a chemical change from the saliva and food, and that the chemical result is corrosive.

"Whether that is so or no, I know that my teeth have suffered from this business, although I take extraordinary care. The difference in taste between some grades of molasses is so slight that the tongue must be in a perfectly neutral condition in order to be an accurate guide. But not only must the tongue be cared for, but mouth, lips and teeth must be as free as possible from any foreign substance.

"In testing of the various brands I place only a drop on the most sensitive part of the tongue. I try to keep it away from lips, mouth and teeth, but do not always succeed. Now, to discern note between a nearly five sample I must keep a clear head, concentrate my attention and make, as it were, an instantaneous analysis. To do this [illegible] I know nothing about. In fact [illegible] mistaking me once taking it for a day of hard physical and military labor."—Boston Globe.

We have just been admiring one of the handsomest oil pictures of "Jacque" Rousse that we have ever seen, and had it been in an art store we should have known that a good price would be asked for it. But imagine a work of art of such intrinsic value being obtained for nothing! For that is practically the case as it is a supplement to DEMOREST'S FAMILY MAGAZINE for April. This wonderful publication has on its Easter girth, and it certainly is an attractive one. Each succeeding number appears to grow better and better, until we are forced to wonder what can be done to improve its present high standard of excellence. The fact of the matter is, there is but one purely family and home Magazine, and that is DEMOREST'S. The illustrations are works of art, and some of the articles which they illustrate are "Orchids," "The Manhattan Working Girls' Society," "The Easter Lily," "The Forbidden Place," or "The Harem Esh-Sherif in Jerusalem," "In the Grasp of Grip," "Easter Eggs," "Easter Novelties," "Kindergarten Work and Play for the Home," with a wide number of other articles and stories, including "A Woman's Kitchen Garden," "Our Cooking Class," "Preserving Garments from Moths," "The Art of Letter Writing," "Mabel's Rich Aunt Gilst," etc., etc. Published by W. JENNINGS DEMOREST, 15 East 14th St., New York. Every newsdealer ought to keep this valuable publication, and we suppose they do. It shows the magic power of 20 cents, and by great economy that small amount can be made to go.

SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—The number of Indian church members in the United States is 23,669.

—The Protestant Episcopal diocese of Maryland has a communicant list of more than 26,000. It contributed in 1882 $287,000 and in 1889 $434,000.

—The city of New York has 660 Sunday-schools, with a total of 157,000 scholars and teachers. Philadelphia has 616 Sunday-schools, with a total of 195,802 teachers and scholars.

—Whitfield's old Tabernacle, in Tottenham Court road, London, has been declared dangerous, and is now to come down. This will remove one of the most interesting relics in the city.

—The Presbyterian Banner calls attention to the fact that of the 474 ministers who left the Established Church of Scotland at the disruption in 1843, sixty five are still living, among whom is the venerable ex-president of Princeton College, Rev. James McCosh, D. D., LL. D.

—Amherst College claims the honorable distinction of supplying from its graduates a larger number of ministers than any other American college; twice as many as either Yale or Oberlin, three times as many as Williams, four times as many as Dartmouth and nine times as many as Harvard.

—The Advance, of Chicago, thinks that every church should have a name, which should declare as far as possible what it is and what it represents. It does not like the chronological method, followed often by the Presbyterians and some other denominations. "First Presbyterian," "Second Presbyterian," etc., but prefers names that have individuality and sacred associations, like "Bethlehem" and "Bethesda."

Waked Up Effectually.

A lethargic, dormant condition of the liver is hardly to be overcome with drastic cathartics and nauseous cholagogues. A gentler, pleasanter and far more effective process exists of arousing the organs when somnolent. This is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, vouched for by the medical fraternity, tested by the public for many years. A resumption by the biliary organ of its secretive function, with the activity attendant upon health, a return to regularity of the bowels, and a renewal of digestion, are the no less happy and certain results of using the Bitters systematically. Its laxative effect is never painful and drenching, its tendency being rather to perpetuate regularity than to produce a copious action. Malaria, nervousness, debility, kidney troubles and neuralgia it subdues effectually.

LOCAL [illegible] been scarce this week.

A GUATEMALAN FUNERAL.

Some of the Peculiar Customs of Central American Caribs.

I heard a jingle of bells this afternoon, and, supposing a fire had broken out, was about to start for the scene of the conflagration, when the landlady informed me that it was only a funeral and said it would pass the house. A few minutes later, hearing a sort of wild music, mingled with shouts and laughter, I ran to the door just in time to see a couple of half-drunken men, shooless and hatless, coming along at a brisk pace, bearing a coffin on their shoulders. It was simply a rough box wrapped in a piece of striped calico, and swayed from side to side as the bearers rolled along. Following was a woman, the widow, I was told, carrying a rude cross covered with flowers and laughing immoderately. Next to the hilarious chief mourner came the band, consisting of one accordion, two fiddles, a tin horn and a drum, all run to their full capacity.

Next came a mixed crowd of men, women and children. The men were attired in the usual costume of the country, a pair of cotton drawers and shirt, worn outside. The women wore a single garment, sleeveless and low-necked, coming barely to the knees. The children were arrayed in their innocence only. All were smoking, laughing, or dancing by turns. Altogether it was the most cheerful funeral I had ever witnessed.

I had returned to the table when my attention was once more called to the street by a chorus of wild yells and uproarious merriment. Stepping out I discovered the cause. One of the bearers had stumbled and fallen, throwing the coffin to the ground with such force that one side was partly broken out, exposing one arm and a ghastly hand half closed. But it was a contented, well-behaved corpse, and took the whole thing as a joke. Presently the bearer staggered to his feet, the coffin was replaced, and the procession moved merrily on.

The landlord, however, insists this was a very tame affair, and assures me that the burial services of the Caribs are very much livelier. In such cases the body is dressed up in the best shirt the estate affords. It is then carefully tied in a chair in an upright position, and thus carried to the graveyard, while the whole town turns out to do him honor by discharging crackers, rockets and a variety of native fire-works, while the drinking is general and the joy unbounded. I hope to be able to record a first-class affair soon. The owner of three huts and a pair of mules is quite low, and we are waiting patiently for him to die. The natives also exhibit a good deal of anxiety, and every little while one of them will stand up to the window to note progress and report to the eager crowd.

As usual in times of great public excitement the news is very contradictory. A little while ago it was announced that he was almost gone. A confused murmur ran through the assembly and an occasional shout, with a random cracker or two, was heard. The next report, however, was most discouraging. The watcher was seen fleeing as for his life and the sick man following close in his wake with a huge club. The last bulletin was more favorable, the doctor having arrived with his whole stock in trade, and those who are posted predict that the sick man will be ready for burial to-morrow.

These are the Caribs, the direct descendants of those wild, fierce tribes discovered by Columbus on his first voyage and found inhabiting the southern islands of the West Indies—differing entirely in appearance, customs and disposition from the surrounding nations, to whom they were a constant terror.—Guatemala Cor. Pittsburgh Post.

The new church was the recipient of two fine lamps from Mr. Stewart last week and [illegible] from Col. Weed. May their light never be less and their [illegible] complete. Mr. Joe Wilt [illegible] new broom and Mrs. Davies dusted to the new church in de a clean door and well dusted seats. Such donations are still in order. A new coal scuttle from Mr. Pearman, with a shovel, found their way to the Congregational Church last Saturday. A comfortable building will now be the order of things there.

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FAITH IN MEN OF INTEGRITY VERY RARELY BETRAYED.

Trusts Destroyed Where Honor Is Barely. A Good Opening for a Man of Business Integrity—A Bit of Advice to Young Men.

Did you ever consider what an aggregate amount of money is held in trust where the only security asked or given is honor? Perhaps you have not noticed the fact that right here within the limits of the town of Boston it foots up millions upon millions of dollars. It is held in all sorts of forms—stocks, bonds, mill property, and, perhaps greater than all of these in magnitude, real estate. This class of property wherein a number of heirs exist is usually left by the testator to an executor, and perhaps trustees, who are appointed at the request of the testator without bond. In many instances these trustees—men of integrity who believe that money dishonestly acquired is not worth its cost, while good conscience never costs as much as it is worth—have under their immediate control two and three million dollars, seven and eight millions of dollars to invest or to keep track of, to look after the property and to see that it is kept in such condition as to yield the largest possible returns.

A GOOD OPENING.

In many instances such men [illegible] good who are [illegible] of big houses, gigantic [illegible] firms, large manufacturing [illegible] to [illegible] of property [illegible] nevertheless [illegible] of our largest business firms [illegible] of firms above [illegible] shire [illegible] have almost [illegible] who it is required, by [illegible] real estate agent securities [illegible] investment, and very frequently it brings him business he would never have secured had he not possessed this office of trust. Then, in addition to this, he is allowed by law a certain percentage for conducting the affairs of the estate, so that when the property handled happens to get along in the neighborhood of the million dollar mark that revenue alone furnishes him with a very respectable income. It is his entire management to him, and the faithful manner in which in almost every instance the business is conducted furnishes an excellent testimony to the fact that a trust imposed in a man of integrity is the best trust.

There are in this city no fewer than twelve firms and persons who make a business of handling estates whose individual worth ranges from $10,000 upwards. In many instances the business is so large that it keeps constantly engaged and the time of [illegible] work either for the agent or the [illegible] of the concern himself, who acts as representative of several or more companies. Of course the larger trust firms do not do this, but it makes an excellent place for young men and it is not to be sneered at when a man first starts into business for himself.

And, by the way, there is no better place or more opportunity offered to young men today than to gradually work into this line. To the youth who is ambitious the writer would say, save your earnings and watch auction sales of real estate. Look out for improved property, and when you see an item that they are to be had every day, buy and then let or lease. You will find it a good investment, and one which will yield you a fair return. Then, bravely on the first rise of prosperity, your ambition will prompt you to seize upon what [illegible] to be a [illegible] chance. Then will come to you, as I have said, the same manner.

BE GIN TO GO SLOW.

In time the savings from your salary, coupled with the rentals from both pieces of property, will have cleared the second house, and you are all ready for a third. Now [illegible] to go slow. Remember [illegible] ambition fell the [illegible], and your desires may by this time have brought about to you a prediction for wealth or into fortune. [illegible] possible, don't make [illegible] Always pay for No. 1 before beginning No. 2. If you do this you are safe, and with patience you will soon be comfortable. Now, having three or four houses with no mortgages of [illegible] and the property all your own, strike out in a [illegible]. By this time you can give the company a little [illegible] of your surplus, and you begin to have a [illegible] enough to secure considerable patronage.

Having arrived at this point of prosperity, your chances are almost [illegible] as well as permanent success. Now comes the management of some estate. You can do it if you have been watching the example of the man who you see about you now handling genuine fortunes and trusts for other people. They know what it means to be entrusted with the care of family and it is [illegible] the [illegible] price. They never betrayed a trust in small things, there is no inducement to do so in great things. As long as the year lasts health, so honor must be the fountain from which you draw mental and moral strength. Having this honor, and being possessed of some property, you will find that you can obtain the handling of estates for other people, and you will find that testators will impose in many instances the only obligation that you manage the affairs of their heirs in such manner as your conscience and your integrity prompts. This business will, in the natural order of things, add greatly to your financial property and, in the event of being required to furnish bonds, you will be in a position to supply the necessary requisite. From this point forward your success is in your own keeping. Always let it be well that to do good is as good as your part.—Boston Globe.

Games for the Boys.

Games have a good influence on the character of boys. They cultivate good temper, self control, endurance, quick judgment and pluck in adverse circumstances. There is sometimes an entering against fair in school games on account of accidents and "foul tackling." As a fact, however, these are not more accidents from well organized games of baseball or football than from other [illegible] and, as regards "colds," they can be often prevented by proper dressing—a change, changing after playing, and by avoiding standing about watching the games. The spectators who stand in rain and cold winds are really the sufferers from cold.

Parents should remember that if the boy is not playing he is probably occupied in pursuits not innocent or healthy. The idle boy, when long unused, soon apes his elders, and becomes unhealthy, morally and physically, a nuisance and a corrupting influence to all around him. For really delicate boys a useful and healthy occupation can be found in gardening, carpentry, music, drawing and fact excursion in natural history and geology. A manly out-door occupation can be provided for by field excursions, bowing and [illegible] [illegible] and a little shooting of the smaller [illegible] birds. On rainy days [illegible] bath, warm slippers [illegible] shall exist in every school. [illegible]

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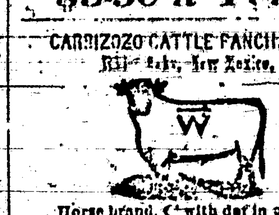

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About 6 o'clock on the day previous there came to the house of the friend with whom I was stopping an old lady, who had walked I do not know how many miles to see "dear old Abe." She wore a calico sun bonnet and a clean dark calico dress of rather scant proportions, and was toilworn and withered, but withal had such a kindly face that one forgot her homely attire and backwoods manners.

She talked incessantly of Mr Lincoln, always calling him "Old Abe," and was so eager and trembling in her desire to see him that I could not help doing anything was possible to interest she could have in him, or he in her. I learned that Lincoln, years before, had saved the life of her son, who was accused of murder [illegible] possibly [illegible] gallows. This, then, was the mother of the young man whose story I had often heard.

The next morning the old lady was up long before the rest of us, nervously pacing about, and scarcely able to control her agitation. "I am going to be the first to greet 'Old Abe' when he leaves the boat," she said over and over again; "and I want to tell him how glad I am that he has become so great."

She did not wait for the steam whistle to herald his coming. With trembling fingers she tied the strings of her sun bonnet under her chin, light her pipe—I'm sure I'm not mistaken in this—and hurried nervously away, style pipe as she left. "I must be the first to take him by the hand." And sure enough she was. The whistle blew, the crowd surged down to the landing, but the old lady was already there. No sooner was the plank thrown out than "Aunt Martha" stepped upon it, and was indeed the first to meet and greet "Old Abe."

She came back to the house shortly after her face radiant with joy, the tears still coming down her withered cheeks, and sobbed out between intervals of hysterical sobs: "I've seen him—he was not ashamed of me—he took my old hand and wrung it with a will, saying, 'Howdy, Aunt Martha! How are all the folks? I'm glad to see you!'"—Mrs. H. L. Tobin in The Century.

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White Oaks is the largest town in the county, and the seat of an important supply trade. It is finely situated in a valley, among the spurs of the Carrizo range, at an elevation of 6,470 feet above sea level. It has two religious organizations, Methodist and Congregationalist, a large and prosperous school, and an Academy; two weekly newspapers supply mental pabulum. The various social and charitable organizations [illegible] of Pythias, Young [illegible] Benevolent Association; 75 [illegible] Masons, with a Hall [illegible] construction; Grand [illegible] Republic and its auxiliary [illegible] are strong. [illegible] purchased a lot will [illegible] Hall of their own [illegible] Athletic Club, which [illegible] in Athletic Hall [illegible] business is represented [illegible]

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[illegible] is divided by mountains, locally known as the Gallinas, Jicarillas, Carrizo, Sierra Blanca, &c., all portions of the Great Mountain Range dividing eastern New Mexico. The peaks of these ranges vary from Gallinas and Jack's Peak, about 5,000 feet, to Carrizo, 9,200, Nogal, 11,069, and Sierra Blanca, 12,000.

The population of the county was 5,000 in 1885, now about 8000. The towns other than White Oaks are Lincoln, San Patricio, Picacho, Weed, Dowlin's Mill, Galena, Roswell, Seven Rivers, Three Rivers, Bonito, Nogal, Parsons and Lookout.

Two-thirds of the county consists of fine grazing land, mainly well watered, and stocked with 200,000 head of cattle, an increase of 1,000 per cent in 5 years. The Angora goat has made his appearance in the mountain of Lincoln county, and he is here to stay. He ranges where nothing else will and is exceedingly profitable to his owner. There are but few sheep in the county, about 15,000 horses and mules, and burros, (Angloa Jackasses,) like the sands of the seashore for multitude.

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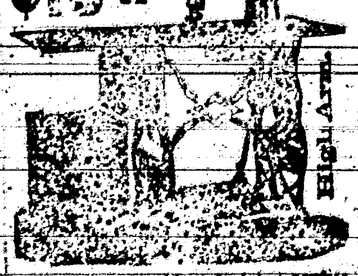

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In many instances [illegible] such men [illegible] those who are [illegible] houses, [illegible] firms, [illegible] some [illegible] to [illegible] pass [illegible] property [illegible] of our largest banking firms [illegible] of firms alone [illegible] shire [illegible] firms almost [illegible] is required, [illegible] real estate [illegible] secures such [illegible] and very frequently it brings him business he would never have secured had he not possessed this office of trust. Then, in addition to this, he is allowed by law a certain percentage for conducting the affairs of the estate, so that when a property handled happens to get along in the neighborhood of the million dollar mark that revenue alone finds him with a very respectable income. It is [illegible] entire management [illegible] and the faithful manner in which in almost every instance the business is conducted furnishes an excellent text on which to [illegible] that [illegible] in positions of trust [illegible] honest.

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It seems to me fitting to the story of "The Graysons" to publish a little incident connected with "Aunt Martha" that came under my personal observation. The incident of which I speak occurred when Lemon and Dorothy were making their famous tour of Lincoln, and were passing in Havanna, Mason county, Ills.

About 8 o'clock on the day previous there came to the house of the friend with whom I was stopping an old lady, who had walked I do not know how many miles to see "dear old Abe." She wore a calico sun bonnet and a clean dark calico dress of rather scant proportions, and was toilworn and withered, but withal had such a kindly face that one forgot her homely attire and backwoods manners.

She talked incessantly of Mr. Lincoln, always calling him "Old Abe," and was so eager and trembling in her desire to see him that I could not help wondering what possible interest she could have in him, or he in her. I learned that Lincoln, years before, had saved the life of her son, who was accused of murder, and possibly [illegible] then, was the mother of the young man whose story I had come to tell.

The next morning the old lady was up long before the rest of us, nervous and anxious about, and scarcely able to control her agitation. "I am going to be the first to greet 'Old Abe' when he leaves the boat," she said over and over again. "and I want to tell him how glad I am that he has become so great."

She did not wait for the steam whistle to herald his coming. With trembling fingers she tied the strings of her sun bonnet under her chin, lighted her pipe—I'm sure I'm not mistaken in this—and hurried nervously away, saying, as she left, "I must be the first to take him by the hand." And sure enough she was. The whistle blew, the crowd surged down to the landing, but the old lady was already there. No sooner was the plank thrown out than "Aunt Martha" stepped upon it, and was indeed the first to meet and greet "Old Abe."

She came back to the house shortly after, her face radiant with joy, the tears still coming down her withered cheeks, and first outlet between intervals of hysterical laughter—poor soul—she was not ashamed of—no—she took my old hand and wrung it with a will, saying, "Howdy, Aunt Martha! How are all the folks? I knew he would know you."—Mrs. H. L. Tobin in The Century.

Federal Hospitals in 1894.

I am back again in Washington, on my regular daily and nightly round. Of course there are many specialties. Dotting a ward here and there are always cases of poor fellows, long suffering under chronic wounds, or worn and disheartened from typhoid fever, or the like; marked cases, needing special and sympathetic nourishment. These I sit down and either talk to or silently cheer them up. They always like it hugely and so do I. Each case has its peculiarities, and needs some new adaptation. I have learnt to thus conform—learnt a good deal of hospital wisdom. Some of the poor young chaps away from home for the first time in their lives, hunger and thirst for affection; this is sometimes the only thing that will reach their condition. The men have pencil and something to write in—I have given them cheap rock t. charges, and almanacs for 1894, interleaved with blank paper.

For reading I generally have some old periodical magazines or story papers; they are always acceptable. After the morning or evening prayers of the day, the latest books do not go, but are turned through the wards, and then take them to others, and so on; they are very grateful about returning the books. In these wards, or in the field [illegible] continue to [illegible] to about as well to each convalescent, after the bad or evil, honest or trivial, have or seem [illegible] and made real under the circumstances. Let only visits and cheering talk and little gifts, not only reasons on Christmas, we all have some cases where the patient is troubling any one should be [illegible] from his relatives [illegible] pending them. Never at the bedside, exposition of doctrine, etc., I think I may fairly claim to express in my idea. In every case where I was in the habit of reading or giving recitations to the men. They were urged of it, and I had declamatory pieces I chose. We would gather in large rooms by ourselves after supper and spend the time in such readings, or in talking, and occasionally be on amusing games called the game of twenty questions.—Walt Whitman in The Century.

The Wealth of the Queen.

There was a rumor afloat in London to the effect that an increased allowance would be asked for on behalf of the Prince of Wales and his family during the autumn session. If it proves true, the proposal will undoubtedly receive several black eyes. Democrats argue that there is no call for this additional expense. The queen has an annuity drawn from the consolidated fund of $1,250,000, which is especially allotted to meet the expenses connected with her high position, the actual weight of which has been transferred to the help quotient. But that is only a portion of the revenues income which good fortune and frugal habits have placed at the disposal of the head of the royal family. The new Dowdy's look shows the fact that the queen's private estate extend over many acres, the annual rental, even at the lately depressed prices, being $750,000. Some years ago her majesty, acting under the advice of Lord Sydney, purchased the Claremont estate for the sum of $200,000, estimated at the time to be a little over half its market value. It is said to be worth today at least $750,000.

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White Oaks is a town of about 1,200 people, and is situated on Sec. 36, Town 6, Range 13 east, in the western part of Lincoln County, New Mexico. At the last general election there were cast in the town, 292 votes, while the Registration was 348. Having in view [illegible] there was expended in various improvements upwards of $[illegible]0,000. The distance from Carrizozo, on the A. T. & S. F. R.R., 54 miles; 105 miles from Socorro on the main line, 155 miles from El Paso, Texas, and 40 from Lincoln, the County seat. The distance from Liberal, Kansas, the terminus of the Rock Island system in Kansas, is 352 miles. R. R. surveys are now being constructed either from El Paso, Texas, and Liberal, Kansas. Both lines will be completed before Jan. 1st 1890.

White Oaks is the largest town in the county, and the seat of an important supply trade. It is finely situated in a valley among the spurs of the Carizo range, at an elevation of 6,470 feet, above sea level. It has two religious organizations, Methodist and Congregationalist, a large and prosperous school, and an Academy; two weekly newspapers supply mental pabulum. The various social and charitable organizations are Knights of Pythias, Young Men's Benevolent Association; 75 strong; Free Masons, with a Hall a course of construction; Grand Army of the Republic and its auxiliary, the W. R. C., are strong, and having purchased a lot will soon erect a Hall of their own thereon; the Athletic Club, which meets regularly in Athletic Hall.

White Oaks business is represented as follows:

W. H. Wood	Gen'l Merchandise
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Wood & Stewart	" "
J. Wolfenstein	" "
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J. A. Brown & Bro	Grocers &c
C. B. Ridgway	Building Material
C. B. Stowell	Elevation Dealer
Henry A. Ozanne	Hardware
Alex Kelly (Street)	Hotel Accom.
A. Hoff	"
Tom Gallacher	Furniture
S. H. B. Crow	"
T. J. McCrary	Hardware and Tinware
F. Bauer & Co.	Druggists
J. T. Reid	"
Dr. M. G. Pagen	"
Hart Cake	Jewelry
Larrazolo Bros. Market, Treat, Gardner	Meat Market
F. G. Corey	Bakery
Mrs. Gallagher	"
W. J. Littell	Restaurant
No Name	Mineral Rock
A. Schnuzing	Livery Stable
Paul Slater	Blacksmith
Chas. Slater	"
Joe Boyce	"
Dr. Parker	Physician and Surgeon
A. T. Reid	Attorney
J. Y. Hewitt	"
J. B. Barber	"
S. H. Ives	"
E. Mell Tinsley	"
Wm. Watson	"
Chick, Ridgway & Co.	Mining Stock
Chas. Stober	Building Contractor
E. M. Kealey	"
J. Martell	"
Bell & Patty	Assayers
W. J. Mitchell, Jr.	"
Peter Moore	Surveyor
F. C. McDonald	"
D. J. M. Jones	"
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The County of Lincoln, [illegible] south eastern corner of New Mexico, is 250 miles in extreme length and 160 in extreme breadth, and contains 24,450 square miles. It is divided, [illegible] the Rio Pecos, and [illegible] which receives within the county numerous tributaries arising in the east side of the Crest Range. The western half of the county is divided by mountains, locally known as the Gallinas, Jicarillas, Carizo, Sierra Blanca, &c., all portions of the Great Mountain Range dividing eastern New Mexico. The peaks of these ranges vary from—Gallinas and Jack's Peak, about 8,000 feet, to Carizo, 9,200, Nogal, 10,000, and Sierra Blanco, 12,000.

The population of the county was 5,000 in 1885, now about 8000. The towns other than White Oaks are Lincoln, San Patricio, Picheco, Weed, Dowlin's Mill, Galena, Roswell, Seven Rivers, Three Rivers, Bonito, Nogal, Parsons and Lookout.

Two thirds of the county consists of fine grazing land, mainly well watered, and stocked with 200,000 head of cattle, an increase of 1,000 per cent in 5 years. The Angora goat has made his appearance in the mountain of Lincoln county, and he is here to stay. He ranges where nothing else will and is exceedingly profitable to his owner. There are but few sheep in the county, about 15,000 horses and mules, and burros. (Angha Jackasses,) like the sands of the seashore for multitude.

On the Penasco, Ruidoso, Bonito, Hondo, Seven Rivers, Black River, and Pecos, there are the finest of agricultural lands. Fine farms have been opened on all those streams, and upon them has been produced in exceptional quality and quantity every farm products which can be raised at such an elevation. The experience of the late Chas. Fritz demonstrated that Lincoln county will produce in abundance all the northern fruits. The agricultural interest is already important, and growing—Experiments show that in great portions of the county crops can be raised without irrigation.

Mines were first discovered in the county in 1869. Nothing was done in the way of mining until 1879. Because of lack of capital and distance from communication, the mining industry languished until 1884. Now the product of Nogal and White Oaks districts is an important part of the total gold production of the Territory of New Mexico, and the prospect is that that production will be trebled in 1889.

The heat is not great in Summer, nor cold, nor excessive or long continued in winter.

Our people are refined, cultivated, open, hospitable, and sincere. No one coming to cast his lot with us need fear the lack of society, inasmuch as it is as acceptable and cheering as any that he left behind, and as genuine welcome, more than welcome, if they come to settle among us.

The county has an efficient Public School system, managed by a County Superintendent, and the Directors of twenty two school districts. Upwards of twenty nine efficient schools were in operation during, and the number will be greater in 1889. Public sentiment [illegible] expenditure of public money [illegible] educational purposes, and [illegible] relies upon [illegible] good and efficient [illegible] "There are no plate grants" in Lincoln county; no horrid attempt at stealing [illegible] to [illegible] people [illegible] Our governor [illegible] and a lover of [illegible] there is no [illegible]

[illegible] more than four times the population of the county, was the only [illegible] which exceeded Lincoln in wealth last year. Taxation on all purposes is but $1 25 per $100. County finances are [illegible] fairly, and the small [illegible] are being rapidly paid from the surplus of the present [illegible]

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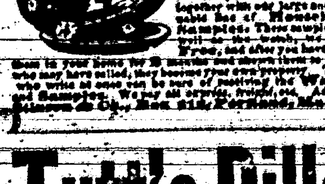
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Saturday, March 22, 1890.

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JAS. REID, C. C.
EDWARD UHLICH, K. of R. & S.

I. O. O. F.—White Oaks Lodge No 49, meets every Saturday night, at Castle Hall, at 8 o'clock. Visiting brothers earnestly invited.

J. A. WOODLAND, C. P.
JAMES H. JARKEL, Sec.

G. A. R.—Roarney Post, No. 10, meets on the last Monday night of each month, at their Hall.

N. W. LANE, P. C.
J. C. KLEPINGER, Adjt.

White Oaks Congregational Church. Lord's Day Services—Morning, 11 o'clock. Evening—7:30 o'clock.

Sunday School—2:15 p. m.

Weekly Bible reading, Wednesday Eve. at 7:30 o'clock—Seats free. All are welcome.

N. W. LANE, Pastor.

Directory of the Methodist Church. Preaching each [illegible] Sunday in each month except [illegible] Sunday School every [illegible] Prayer Meeting every [illegible] at 7 p. m.

W. W. [illegible], Teacher.
A. [illegible], Pastor.

LOCAL TOUCHES.

Luck is another name for pluck.
It orinters ink so black and colemn,
Will give a man peculiar fame.
When put in this peculiar column.

A slightly fall of snow on Thursday night.

The Homestake Mills are running on good ore and the prospects for their mines are bright. May the greatest success attend them.

Sunday evening next pastor Lane will speak on the claims of the working men of the United States. All are cordially invited.

We are indebted to our friend, Jack Forsyth, for a pretty sprig of shamrock, received by him on St Patrick's Day from Belfast Ireland.

The new Congregational Church is completed and services were held in the new edifice last Sunday morning and night. The congregation at night was large and especially interesting.

Our popular, energetic merchant A. Rudaway, is now located in his new store. He is an accommodating and genial business man and the best wishes of this community are his in his business career.

Mr. C. E. Herr, has leased the residence of Mr. Rudisill in the Kempton Addition, for six months and took possession last Monday. Their home is nicely furnished and the Hull couple are as happy and cozy as could be wished.

Mrs. Antonia J. Boyd left our town this week, via. Orme's stage line, for Woodland, Cal., there to join her husband who has engaged in a mercantile business at that point. She was accompanied by J. Y. Hewitt as far as El Paso. Mrs. Boyd carries with her the best wishes of a host of friends.

Were it not for legal advertisements which the Leader is carrying and must be published conscientiously, we would not issue a paper this week because of confinement to bed and room and no assistance in our mechanical department. We have done the best we possibly could this week and hope that by next week we will regain our wonted health.

There will be a dime social to be held at the Congregational Church this Friday evening, to which everybody is invited. A general good time is expected, as each lady will take some kind of home made trimmings, also, needle and thread, and the gentlemen will have the pleasure of trimming the bonnets. After they are all trimmed, competent judges will decide as to whom the prize shall be given for the best taste displayed as well as the best and most tasty prize.

Public Exercises of New West School, Friday Afternoon, March 28th, 1890.

Programme.

Reading	1:30
English Grammar	1:45
Recitation—Arithmetic	2:15
Recitation—Algebra	2:20
" Geography with map drawing	2:40
Recitation—Higher Arithmetic	3:05
Recitation—Language and composition	3:35
Recitation.	

Our school is considerably larger than it was last term. It now numbers 24. Since the School had been in session but two months when we had our first public exercises, they consisted largely of recitations and compositions. The exercises of March 28th, will be principally class reviews of various studies, and will show some of the results of our winter's work.

All friends of the School are cordially invited to attend.

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We don't the capacity of our contemporary good enough to give us points in the line of our profession. Nothing in the way of news should be eliminated from the columns of a newspaper, whether the publication of such causes pain or grief. Naught but slander should be editorially labeled. The Leader is a newspaper, and in the future as in the past, it will seek out for and seize hold upon every tangible item of news.

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Jake Ziegler arrived home from San Pedro on Thursday. He says he feels at home but, upon yesterday a lady addressed him as "Mr. Goodman." Lord, how flattered Goodman will feel when he hears this.

[illegible] Land Office, Roswell, N. M., March 1, 1890. Notice is hereby given that [illegible] Quarter [illegible] Aug. [illegible] Cal. Mar. [illegible] filed [illegible] notice of intention to make final proof, viz: [illegible] DAY, Aug. [illegible] 1885, and opened and worked the [illegible] Improvement of Soldiers for Year [illegible] operation by eager, [illegible] May Aug. [illegible] during the fiscal year ending Jan. [illegible] 1890, as required in the Department of the Interior, as follows: Barro No. 1—From [illegible] Prescott and Arizona Central R. Road, to Fort Verde, A. T. Barro No. 2—From Phoenix, A. T. to Fort McDowell, A. T. Barro No. 3—From Fort Grant, A. T. to Fort Bowie, A. T. Barro No. 4—From Bowie Station, on Willcox, A. T. to Fort Thomas and Fort Grant, A. T. and from Fort Thomas to Fort Grant, A. T. Barro No. 5—From Willcox, A. T. to Fort Grant, A. T. Barro No. 6—From Bowie, A. T. to Fort Apache, A. T. Barro No. 7—From Lordsburg, A. T. to Fort Lowell, A. T. Barro No. 8—From Deming and Silver City, N. M. to Fort Bayard, N. M. Barro No. 9—From Lordsburg, N. M. to Fort Bayard, N. M. Barro No. 10—From Deming, N. M. to Fort Cummings, N. M. Barro No. 11—From Fairview, N. M. to Fort Tularosa, N. M. Barro No. 12—From Engle Station, N. M. to Fort Wingate, N. M. Barro No. 13—From Wingate, N. M. to Fort Defiance, A. T. Barro No. 14—From Fort Wingate, N. M. to Fort Bayard, N. M. Barro No. 15—From Railroad Station at Santa Fe, N. M. to Fort Marcy, N. M. [illegible] Quartermaster U. S. Army, Chief Quartermaster. [illegible]

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NO. 533 and 534.

APPLICATION FOR A PATENT.

U. S. Land Office, Las Cruces, N. M., February [illegible]

NOTICE is hereby given that John C. Rose, whose post office address is White Oaks, Lincoln County, New Mexico, has this day filed his application for a patent for fourteen hundred and ninety-nine (1499) feet in real lay Keystone lode, filed or vein bearing copper and other metals, with surface ground 557.7 to 600 feet in width, together with 32.098 acres of surface ground claimed as the Keystone mill site, both situated in Ocura Mining District, county of Lincoln and Territory of New Mexico; said lode granted by the field notes and official plats on file in this office as Lots Number 801, A & B, in township 6 s. of r. 6 e. N. M. principal meridian, said lot No. 801, A., being described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at cor. No 1, a limestone 28x8x6 ins marked 1,801, A—whence cor sec's 13, 24, 6 p'ly 1 7 s r 7 e bears n 67° 07' 03" e 18,126.35 feet dist., U. S. locating monument No 1 Ocura District bears n [illegible] feet dist. Thence s 63° 30' w 1498.4 feet to cor No 2, a limestone 32x12x4 ins marked 2,801 A. Thence s 24° 30' w 600 feet to cor No 3, a limestone 20x16x5 ins marked 3,801 A—Thence n 70° 07' e 1499 feet to cor No 4 a limestone 24x8x6 ins marked 4,801 A—Thence s 21° 29' e 567.7 feet to cor No 1, place of beginning. Contents 19.914 acres located in n ½ and s w ¼ of s e ¼ sec 3, 1 7 s r 6 e, magnetic var 12° 55' e.

And said Lot 801 B is described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at cor No 1, a limestone 28x14x2 ins, marked 801, B, whence cor secs 3, 34, 6 p'ly 1 7 s r 6 e bears s 67° 25' 26" e 3,780.02 feet dist. Cor No 1 sec 34, 6 p'ly 1 6 s r 6 e bears s 33° 03' 58" e 2256.03 feet dist. and U. S. locating monument No. 1 Ocura District bears s 84° 10' 38" e 9,136 feet dist. Thence s 5° 51' 0" w 505.31 feet to cor No. 2, on w. face of a lab of bluff of rocks, marked X 2 801 B. Thence w 225 feet to cor No 3, on face of limestone cliff, marked X 3 801 B—Thence [illegible] No 4, a limestone 24x11x10 ins. marked 4,801 B, Thence e 324.7 feet to cor No 1 [illegible] Contents 4.398 acres, located [illegible] magnetic variation 12° 51' to 9°.

Recorded mine in Book—at page—and mill site in Book—at page—of the Mining Records of Socorro County, New Mexico.

The adjoining claimants are U S public lands.

Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of said Keystone Mine or Keystone Millsite or surface ground, are required to file their adverse claim, with the Register of the United States Land Office at Las Cruces, 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.

SAMUEL P. McCREA,
Register.

It is hereby ordered that the foregoing Notice of Application for Patent be published for the period of sixty days, for one entire week, in the Lincoln County Leader, a weekly newspaper published at White Oaks, in Lincoln County.

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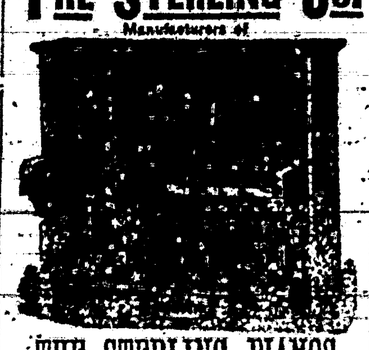

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Increase in Assets,	$10,319,174 40
Surplus,	$9,677,019 44
Increase in Surplus,	$1,717,224 01
Policies,	$431,170,010 02
Insurance during year,	$1,000,097 10
Old Policy Holders,	$16,260,053 49
Increase during year,	$473,059 10
Risks assumed,	$181,602,493 37
Insurance during year,	$15,095,922 05
All in force,	$[illegible]
Insurance in force,	$59,[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Income during year,	[illegible]
Paid Policy Holders in 1889,	[illegible]
Increase over 1888,	15,071

THE ASSETS ARE INVESTED AS FOLLOWS:

[illegible] State and first Mortgages	[illegible]
[illegible] State Bonds and other Securities,	[illegible]
Loans on Collateral Securities,	$9,013,500 00
Cash in Banks and Trust Companies at interest,	$3,283,022 20
Interest Accrued, Premiums deferred and in transit, etc.,	$3,891,013 26
	[illegible]

Liabilities (besides Reserve) [illegible]

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MINING APPLICATION NO. 11

United States Land Office,
Roswell, N. M.,
December 18, 1889.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Gallinas Mining and Smelting Company, by William J. Rogers, its President, a citizen of the United States, whose post office address is White Oaks, Lincoln County, New Mexico, has this day filed its application for a patent for 1500 linear feet of the Red Cloud mine or vein, bearing gold, silver, and copper, with surface ground 600 feet in width, situated in Red Cloud mining district, Lincoln County, Territory of New Mexico, and designated by the field notes and official plat on file in this office as survey No. 760 in twp 1, south of range 11 east of New Mexico principal meridian, said survey No. 760, being described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at corner No. 1, a granite stone 20x8x6 ins. set 1 in ground, marked 1,760, whence n. [illegible] cor. sec. 25, twp. 1, s. r. 11 e. N. M. principal, bears n. 13° 39' 30" w. 2315 feet dist.—thence n. 11° 20' e. var. 12° 23' e. 600 feet to cor. No. 2, a granite stone, 32x16x6 ins. set 1 in ground, marked 2,760—whence cor. No. 3, Summit Lode, survey No. 606 A., bears n. 74° 14' 45" e. [illegible] feet dist.—thence n. 20° [illegible] w. var. 12° 30' e. 600 feet to cor. No 3, a conglomerate stone 21x16x4 ins. set 1 in ground, marked 3,760—thence n. 11° [illegible] 33 feet, intersect 2-3 line Displaced Lode, survey No. 731, at s. 38° 05' w. 627 feet from cor. No. 2 thence 1500 feet to cor. No. 4, a granite stone 30x14x6 ins. set 1 in ground, marked 4,760—thence s. 20° 09' e. var 12° 30' e 464.12 feet, intersect 1-2 line survey No. 791, at s 8° 50' west 514.30 feet from cor. No. 1 thence 600 feet to cor. No. 1, place of beginning, containing 15 acres and 20.55 acres, of which an area of 2.6717 acres is in conflict with survey No. 791, and is hereby expressly waived and excepted. Total area claimed in this application 17.9728 acres, located in the w ½ of sec 25, twp 1, s. r. 11 e. N. M. principal meridian.

The location of this mine is recorded in the Records of the Office of the County Clerk of Lincoln, in the County and Territory aforesaid, in Book K, at page 8 of the mining records.

The adjoining claimants are—easterly and westerly, the Gallinas Mining & Smelting Company—elsewhere unknown.

Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of the said "Red Cloud" (lode or surface ground) are required to file their adverse claim with the Register of the United States Land Office at Las Cruces, 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.

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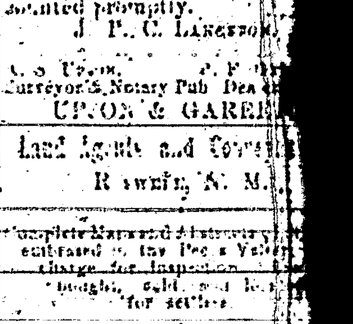

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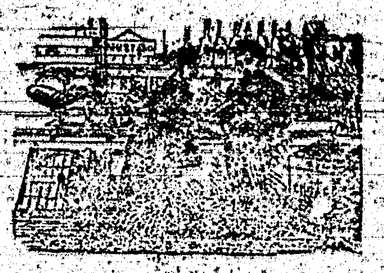

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