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FROM LINCOLN.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

THIRD DAY.

Territory vs —— Dewey; Territory vs Joseph Beasley; Territory vs John Beasley—three cases of overdriving cattle range, nollied.

Five contempt cases, viz. Territory vs Mat Burts, vs Walter Cole, vs Kid Cochrane, vs Mat Davis, vs Jack Shelby, passed

Territory vs Atanacio Martinez, assault to murder. Tried, convicted and sentenced to $100 fine. Committed until paid.

FOURTH DAY.

All bills found by grand jury at special term, 1890, nollied.

Dave Taylor arraigned on five indictments found at this term, pleas of not guilty entered and bail given at $500 in each case.

Adriano Munoz naturalized.

Jas. Baird, of precinct No. 16, summoned to serve on petit jury at the present term, being in contempt for non appearance, makes a fine to the Territory of $25.

John D. Shepherd vs J. A. Graves, assumpsit by attachment, stricken from the docket with leave to reinstate.

Gregory, Cooley & Co, vs W. A. McIvoney. Chancery. Time for taking testimony extended for 90 days from date.

Wm. Watson vs Rolla Wells et al. G. A. Richardson, Esq., of Roswell, appointed special master.

Wm. Watson vs E. W. Parker et al. Pltf. allowed 60 days in which to file an amended bill.

Walter H. Tenney & Co. vs Jno. C. DeLaney. Assumpsit—and same parties, debt—consolidated.

Geo. Dillard and A. L. Gaylord vs N. C. Hughes, assumpsit by attachment. Order of notice by publication and continued to next term.

Kansas City Milling Co. vs J. C. DeLaney. Assumpsit by attachment, Walter H. Tenney & Co. vs J. C. DeLaney, debt, Jos. Schlitz Brewing Co. vs J. C. DeLaney, debt; deft. moves for security for costs which in each case is granted as of course.

John A. Brothers vs T. W. Heman, assumpsit. Default and judgment for $154.50.

W. A. Miley vs Jas. Jarrall et al. Chancery. Time for taking testimony extended for 90 days.

Jas. J. Dolan vs Hinkle et al. Mandamus. Alternative writ ordered to issue and same made returnable in chambers at Roswell, N. M., April 24, 1891.

F. A. Taylor vs Ellen M. Woods. Chancery. Foreclosure of mechanic's lien. Decree for $[illegible], [illegible]. W. S. Ryan, Esq., appointed special commissioner to make sale.

FIFTH DAY.

Territory vs Newton Jackson—assault with attempt to commit the crime of mahaym. Tried to jury. Convicted and penalty fixed at one year in the penitentiary.

Territory vs Dudley Smith—cattle stealing. Arraigned, plea of guilty entered and accepted.—Sentence deferred.

A. Henley & Son vs D. O. H. Coston. Assumpsit by attachment. Tried to court. Judgment for Pltfs. for $69.80.

S. S. Terrell vs Wm. Slane.—Attachment dismissed. Judgment for $1,151.18.

S. S. Terrell vs W. S. Ryan—assumpsit. Dismissed at pltfs. cost.

W. H. Weed vs Jicarilla Mining & Water Co. Assumpsit by attachment. Judgment for $2,022.60.

White Oaks Brick Co. vs White Oaks Academy Association. Trespass in the case. Continued for service.

A. J. Collins vs L. J. Collins. Divorce. Referred to D. J. M. A. Jewett as special master.

Bank of Roswell vs Joshua Hale. Assumpsit. In default judgment for $664.08.

SIXTH DAY.

Territory vs —Nuñez. Stealing from a dwelling house. Plea of guilty accepted and sentenced and sentenced to penitentiary one year. Three other indictments against him were nollied.

Territory vs Mollie Hassett, alias "Daisy," cattle stealing, joint with Joseph Weaver. Plea of guilty accepted on one of the two charges, other nollied. Sentence of one year in the penitentiary.

Territory vs Joseph Weaver—cattle stealing. Arraigned, plea of not guilty entered. Set for trial Monday of second week.

Jannettie A. Browning vs R. W. Salmon. Replevin. Tried to jury. Verdict for pltf for property and $150 in damages.

Francis J. McCourt vs Thos. B. McCourt. Divorce. J. O. Cameron, Esq., special master, files it's report, which being taken up it is considered that complainant take decree and deft. pay the costs.

On the third day of the term, J. O. Cameron, Esq., of Eddy, a licentiate in Tennessee and Texas, being an applicant for admission to the bar, Geo. B. Barber, W. S. Ryan and H. B. Fergusson, Esqs. were appointed a committee. After examination in open court the committee on the morning of the fourth day reported, and Mr. Cameron was at once sworn in as an attorney and counselor of this court. Mr. Cameron is a very bright young lawyer, and an acquisition to the bar both as a lawyer and gentleman.

C. Gauchey vs Andres Nojeros. Appeal—continued to await action of land dept.

A. Gallegos vs Manuel Giles, Appeal—same action.

Territory vs Chris. Elmer—assault with deadly weapon. Dismissed on payment of costs.

Chas. Hamilton vs Peter C. Bell et al. Chancery. Foreclosure of mechanics lien. Continued by consent.

The cases of Smith and Nabours vs P. J. Hyde, and of G. A. Hyde vs D. C. Nowlin, sheriff, have been settled out of court—two of the cases dismissed at pltfs costs and satisfaction of the judgment entered of record in the other.

Chas. Weideman vs Scipio Salazar. Chancery—election contest. R. E. Lund, special master, submitted his report. On motion to confirm argument was had and decision rendered for the contestee, Salazar.

J. A. Browning vs A. N. Coe, et al. Appeal. Continued and appellant ruled to supply transcript of the record by the first day of the October term.

Territory vs J. Weaver, cattle stealing. Set for trial morning of eighth day.

[The above embraces the entire proceedings of the April term of the district court, excepting those of the last day which were brief and comparatively unimportant, and the grand jury's report, both of which will appear next week.]

Protect Your Health.

Cold and moisture combined have a torpefying effect upon the bodily system, and the digestive and secretive processes are apt to be more tardily performed in winter than in the fall. The same is true, also, of the excretory functions. The bowels are often sluggish, and the pores of the skin throw off but little waste matter at this season. The system, therefore, requires toning up a little, and also purifying and regulating, and the safest, surest and most thorough tonic and alterative that can be used for these purposes is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Persons who wish to escape the rheumatic twinges, the dyspeptic agonies, the painful disturbances of the bowels, the bilious attacks, and the nervous visitations so common at this time of the year, will do well to reinforce their systems with this renowned vegetable stomachic and tonic, to improve the appetite, strengthen the stomach, cheer the spirits, and fortify the whole physique.

WERE you ever at sea in a storm—a storm near a coast, when you expected the next wave would dash the good ship to pieces? If you ever passed through such an experience you will remember the relief felt when you realized you were near life saving station with corps its corps of heroes, and you will be glad to know more of the life of those "brave watchers by the sea"; and ever a confirmed stayed-at-home will be interested in the handsomely illustrated article on "Our Life Saving Service" in the May number of DEMOREST'S FAMILY MAGAZINE. From the same comprehensive source you may also gain some very interesting information about the Isthmus States,—Central America (finely illustrated); "Signs of Character in the Face: How to Read Them" (also illustrated) will enable you to judge more correctly of human nature; and the excellent paper on "Delsarte and the Delsartean Philosophy," with a portrait of the philosopher, will answer that oft-repeated question, "Who is Delsarte and what is his philosophy?" Then there are bright stories, and information on all live topics, and almost no end of illustration (over 200), and a splendid article for "Our Girls," and the other departments, as usual, are brimming over with good things; and, altogether, this is an exceptionally good number of that always good Family Magazine, published at $2 a year, by W. JENNINGS DEMOREST 15 East 14th St., New York.

P. T. Barnum, the great show man, and all around good man, is dead

Miss de Jinks: "Are you musical, Professor Jorkins?" Professor Jorkins: "Yes; but, if you are going to play, don't mind my feelings!"

Suicides' Last Letters.

HORRIBLY DRAMATIC.

In our report of the Rigley-Doyle suicide, we stated that before going to their deaths both young women wrote letters to relatives and friends. We have been provided with copies of letters written by each of them to their loved and loving friend, Mrs. Lydia Goodin-Ellis, at or near whose house they laid down with suicidal intent and closed their young eyes in death:

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FROM MISS RIGLEY.

March 24th, 1891.

Mrs. Lydia Goodin-Ellis:

My Friend:—By the time this is found you will desire to know what disposal I wish you to make of the things left on your hands.

I desire you to bury me as inexpensively as possible, and if anything remains of the $73 or $74 which I have send it to my brother, Charles M. Rigley, at Los Animas, Colo., at the same time informing him that my things here await his orders.

Pack everything in the trunk, excepting the things which you have given me—these I wish you to keep—and when you have heard from Chas. send the trunk to him.

In the little book in which I have kept my accounts you will find two letters, one to my father, the other to Chas. Please mail them as soon as possible.

My oldest brother, Jas. B. Rigley, wrote that he intended to send me his spy-glass; if you receive it after I am gone, *do not send it with the other things to Chas.* but send it back to Jas. at his expense Address him at Liberty, Mo., in care of W. H. Thomason.

Burn all letters for me.

Of the act which I am about to commit I need say but little. I am only sorry that it happens here I feel that you and others will think it an awful crime, but I can say, truthfully, that I am not conscious of it's being a crime. I do it with a feeling of innocence and I do not fear punishment. I feel that I shall shorten my life but little and that I am only turning from a lingering and painful death

You will perhaps doubt my sanity. I do not know how far you will be wrong, but I am sure that I am not more insane now than I have been all my life. Compared with others, and so judged, I have never been a rational being.

"From my youth upwards
My spirit walked not with the souls of men
Nor looked upon the earth with human eyes.
The thirst of their ambition was not mine,
My joys, my griefs, my passions and my powers
Made me a stranger."

If it is a punishable crime, I, and I only, must suffer for it and I thank God that it is so.

I thank you from my heart for all your kindness, and if there is a hereafter I shall be there as I am now here.

Yours Respectfully,
JESSIE ELIZABETH RIGLEY.

[The above was written in ink. The following postscript was written with pencil.]

P. S.—It is my wish as well as Portia's that we be buried together. This is my *last and most earnest wish*, and I entreat you to carry it out to the letter.

JESSIE.

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MRS. PORTIA DOYLE'S LETTER.

Lydia—Will you take the things that I mention here. The satin dress that you gave me, the chair tidy, bowl and pitcher, and the red gown bag, I want you to use them.

I want Howard to take my account book and collect all that is coming to me and give it to pa, and see that he gets the mare that Mrs. Lloyd has traded to me. I want pa to have it.

I want Howard to take his and my picture, for all the folks have one and he has none, and also the jewelry, the ear-rings and breast-pin, which you will find in my trunk in the case. My account book you will find in trunk too.

My last and most earnest request is that I am buried with Jessie in the same coffin.

I am very thankful to you all for all you have done for me, which I have always appreciated.

I think "all things happen for the best." Death is sweet.

Good-bye forever,
PORTIA H. DOYLE.

THE last term of court was a tame one. But few were in attendance and very little money was exposed. Most everybody put up at the Lincoln 'Otel and those who didn't at. to go there and at the table of Whelan & Wiedeman take the bad taste out of their mouths. The gripp made it's advent in town while we were there. You can't pawn a grip spelled with two "pp's" there for grub, so we left as soon as possible. The ride from hither thither was pleasant, as also from thither hither. While at Lincoln we were warmly received by everybody and regretted that our visit sho'ld have been, by cruel necessity, caused mainly by the flitting of delinquent subscribers, brought to such a premature end.

—We should have said, in connection with our allusion to our trip to Lincoln and back, that we traveled by stage and found the coaches comfortable, the horses as fleet as schedule time would permit them to be and the drivers to be clean in person and of speech.

A certain Boston deacon who was a zealous advocate for the cause of temperance employed a carpenter to make some alterations in his parlor. In repairing a corner near the fireplace it was found necessary to remove the wainscot when some things were brought to light which astonished the workmen most marvelously. A brace of decanters, sundry bottles—all containing "something to take"—a pitcher, and tumblers were cosily reposing in their snug quarters. The joiner, with wonder-stricken countenance, ran to the proprietor with the intelligence. "Well I declare," exclaimed the deacon "that is curious, sure enough! It must be old Captain Bunce that left those things there when he occupied the premises thirty years since." "Perhaps he did," returned the discoverer; "but, deacon, that ice in the pitcher must have been well frozen to remain solid."

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How Leeches Are Bred in Vast Numbers and Sold in Their Native Country.

There is a curious branch of [illegible] followed by certain [illegible] the great marsh lands in the [illegible] of Bordeaux, France.

Some years ago a farmer of [illegible] observed that the leeches [illegible] in these marshes attained to a [illegible] in places where many [illegible] were turned out to pasture, [illegible] more particularly where horses [illegible] the principal stock. This suggested [illegible] him the idea of making [illegible] culture a specialty. He had [illegible] small capital, and this he was [illegible] enough to turn to the best advantage. In the first place, he rented a large [illegible] marsh, which he divided into [illegible] square ponds, surrounded with [illegible] dykes. The water in these ponds [illegible] about fifteen inches deep, and the [illegible] on the bottom of them afforded [illegible] quarters for myriads of leeches. [illegible] when the warm sun of spring aroused them from their winter lethargy, [illegible] up to the surface very lively, and [illegible] ions for a gorge upon their native element, blood.

To supply this the leech cultivator invested a portion of his capital in droves of old horses, which were bought up by him at an average price of about twenty francs per head. Sooner were these wretched victims driven into the ponds than they were [illegible] upon by the leeches, whose voracious instincts were aroused. In a moment the water became agitated. Instances are not infrequent of horses becoming so exhausted by these [illegible] bloodsuckers as to sink down to the water, where they are sometimes suffocated before assistance [illegible] to hand.

The process of catching leeches is very simple one. It is mostly carried on by young girls and lads, who, during the summer season, enter the ponds, wearing long, waterproof boots of thick leather, and furnished, each of them, with a sort of campstool and a canvas bag. Seating themselves in the ponds, they disturb the water with their feet, and immediately the leeches, imagining that their foes have plunged into the ponds, swarm around the leech-fishers and fasten greedily upon their boots. Selecting the best-grown leeches, the fishers now pick them off, and put them in their bags, and in this way thousands are taken by them in the course of a few hours. The leeches are then carried home, and having been culled and sorted according to size, are placed in tubs filled with soft, moist clay, into which they immediately burrow. The tubs are then tightly covered with strong pieces of [illegible], and in this state the leeches are taken to market.—N. Y. Ledger.

A WONDERFUL METAL.

What Aluminum Will Be Used for When We Are All Dead.

By being subjected to the gold-beater's art a piece of aluminum the size of a dime may be beaten into a sheet over 21 feet square, so great is its ductility. Only two metals known can be rolled into a sheet as thin as it is and they are gold and silver. It can be used for every thing and put to every purpose to which iron, steel, wood are now put. Its adaptability to ship-building is very apparent.

Great steamships, the size of the largest Cunards, with the same tonnage and the same number of cargo-spaces, if constructed of aluminum from the keel to the top of the cabins instead of drawing from eighteen to twenty-six feet, would not draw more than four or five. In the days of long voyages aluminum deep-water coal-bins will be useless assemblages.

As it holds a polish the best of any metal known, there being but few elements that cause it to tarnish or corrode. Rust, too, is a quality unknown to this wonderful white metal. Salt water will not affect its brilliancy, which is retained for an indefinite period in any atmosphere. It will withstand for a greater number of years than gold or silver will. Strong acids vigorously attack silver, have no effect whatever upon aluminum. Steel or platinum will be quickly plunged into a bath of sulphuric acid, caustic or melted alkali; aluminum comes out bright and shiny as it was from a bath of pure cold water.

Taken all in all, it is a wonderful production of a wonderful age, and one that will make possible inventions now undreamed of. Let Invention hasten the advent of the new age. The goal is still in view. Perhaps a child is born that will see the wildest dream of these enthusiasts realized, but the time is not yet; we can but hope.—N. Y. News.

Chinese Foot-Cramping.

One esteemed Chinese century ago, the Hu Pan has been buried in the origin of the foot-cramping of Chinese women. The practice is of very ancient date. Some affirm that it rose in the time of the five dynasties—that is, in the tenth century A. D. Jan Niang, the mistress of Li Yu, last Emperor of these dynasties, bound her feet with silk into the shape of a crescent moon, and all the fair beauties of the time imitated her. Traditions of previous dynasties refer to the custom. During the reign of Kang Hi (1661 A. D.) [illegible] for the foot-cramping under [illegible] condition, the latest edict [illegible] something in some degree [illegible] of the law by people in the [illegible] But the fashion was too [illegible] and in 1868, at the instigation [illegible] of Shensi, this [illegible] Chinese still [illegible]

Excellent Texas service

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Drop a postal to G. T. Nicholson, G. P. and T. A. A. T. & S. F. R. R. Co., Topeka, Kan. and ask for a copy of "To Mexico Palace Car." You can also have free copies of "A Santa Barbara Holiday," Guide to San Diego Bay Region," Las Vegas Hot Springs Guide" and others relating to Texas, Oklahoma and Colorado.

Dr. Talmage Down.

Dr. Talmage editor of the Cleveland, has taken some pot lect and compile the decide [illegible] Washington Post, as the result of [illegible] vestigations, the following, which [illegible] be relied upon as correct:

1 Subscribers who do not give notice to the contrary are considered wishing to renew their subscription.

2 If the subscriber neglects or refuses discontinuance of his periodical [illegible] may continue to send [illegible] are paid.

3. If subscribers order their periodicals discontinued [illegible] without informing the [illegible] publishers are sent to the former [illegible] are held responsible [illegible]

4. [illegible] refuse to take their papers from the office [illegible] without informing the [illegible] publishers to send them [illegible] are held responsible [illegible] pay them, and collect the whole amount, whether the paper is taken out of the office or not.

5. The courts have decided that refusing to take periodicals from the office or removing and leaving them uncalled for is prima facie evidence of intentional fraud.

6. If any person orders a paper to be given to a friend on trial, and neglects to notify the publishers to discontinue it at the end of the time subscribed for, he is considered responsible until all arrearages are paid.

7. If subscribers remove to other places without informing the publishers, and the papers are sent to the former direction, they are held responsible till they have settled their bills and ordered them discontinued, or pay only for the papers received.

8. The courts have decided that any person who takes a paper from the post-office, whether directed to his name or another's, or whether he has subscribed or not, is responsible for the payment.

9. The law is explicit that subscribers who remove to other places without informing the publishers, and papers are sent to the former direction, may be held responsible for subscription until they have settled their bills and ordered them discontinued.

10. It is unjust and dishonorable for persons to take periodicals from the post-office, whether they have subscribed for them or not, and refuse to pay for them. They are responsible for all they receive, and refusing to take them or removing and leaving them uncalled for is prima facie evidence of intentional fraud.

11. The postmaster is required to give information of the name or the person for whom any periodical is taken out of the office, or to whom it is directed, whether it is taken from the office or not.

12. The law requires all publishers to print their names and the place of publication on each publication issued by them.

13. The law requires all persons who publish periodicals to state therein the times of publication.

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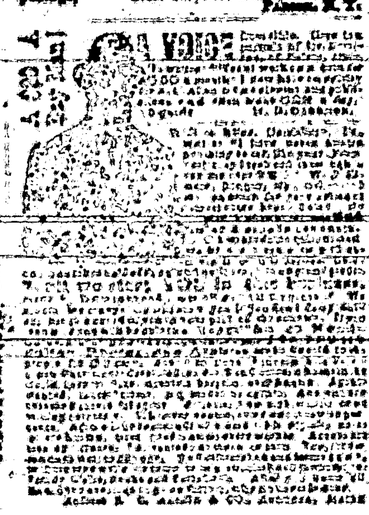

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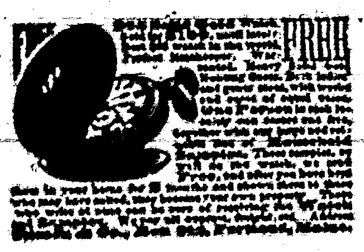

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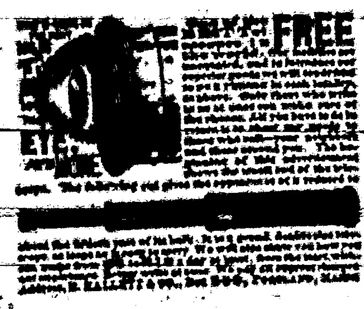

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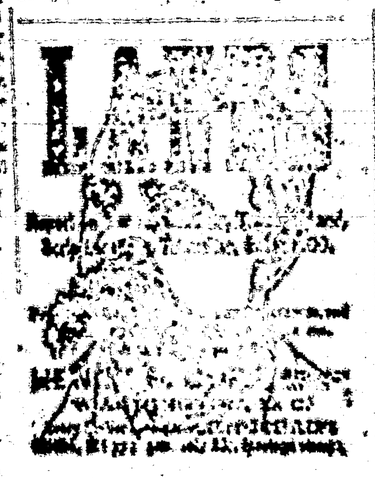

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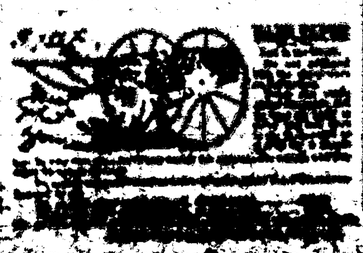

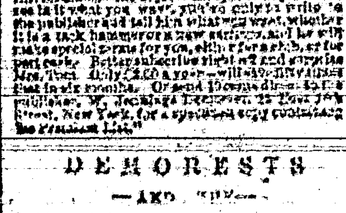

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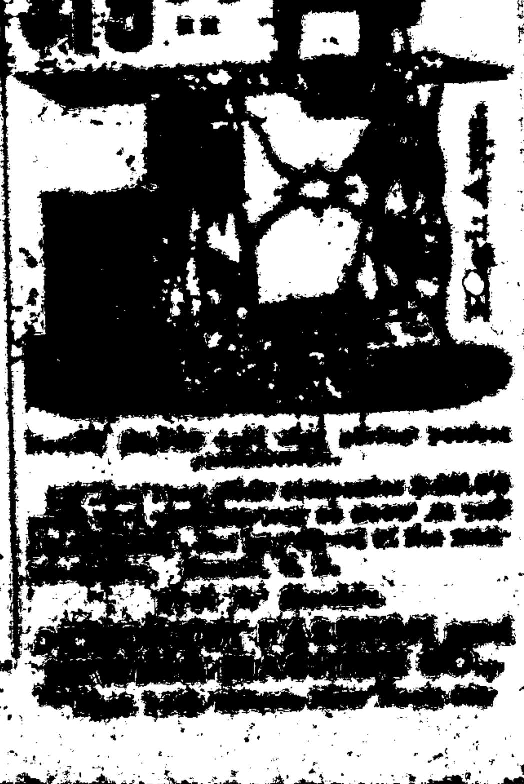

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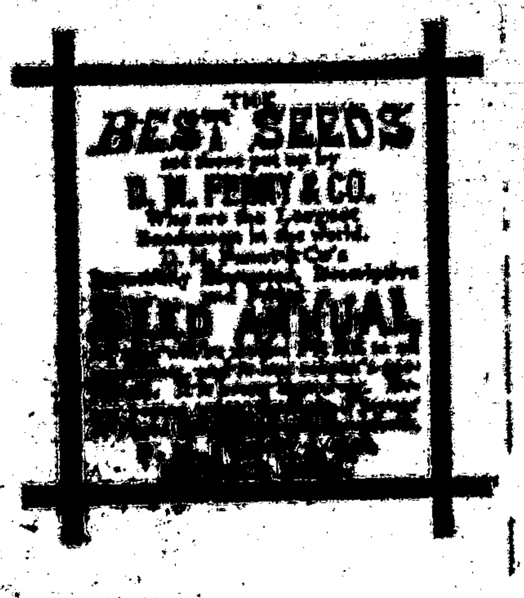

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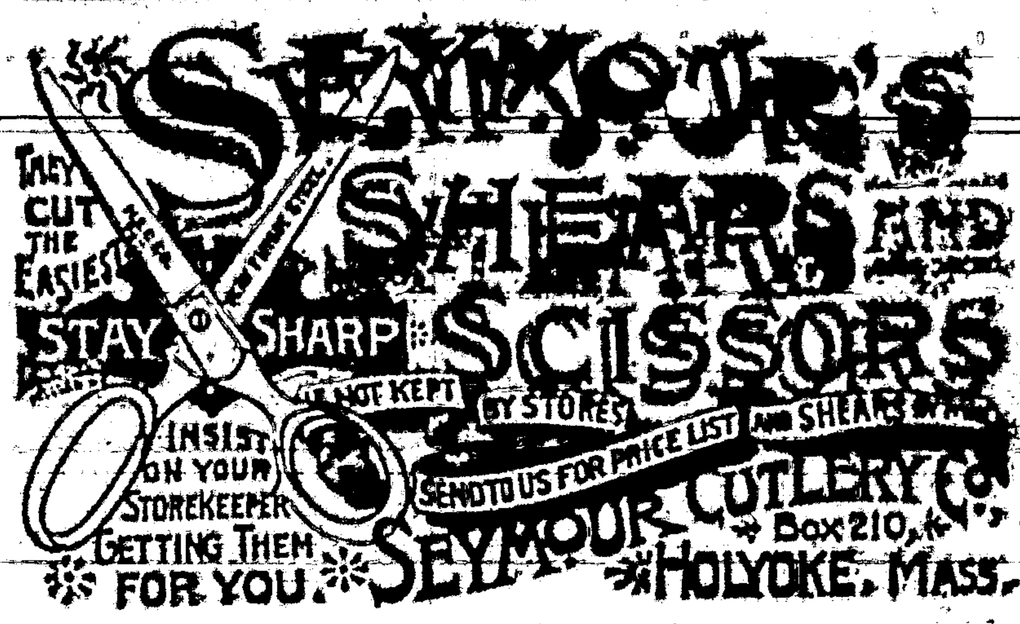

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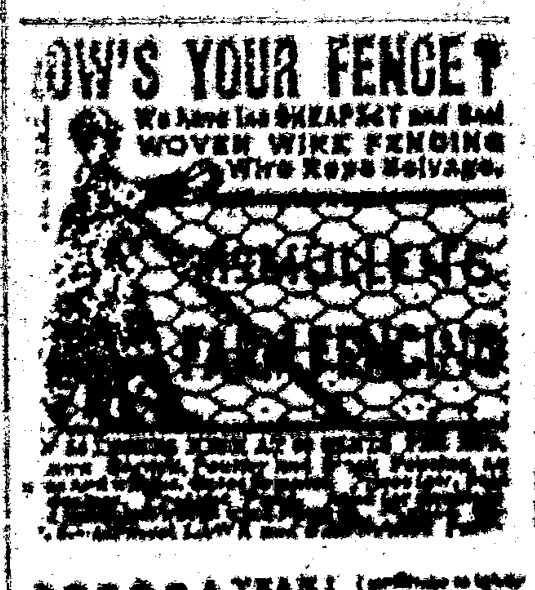

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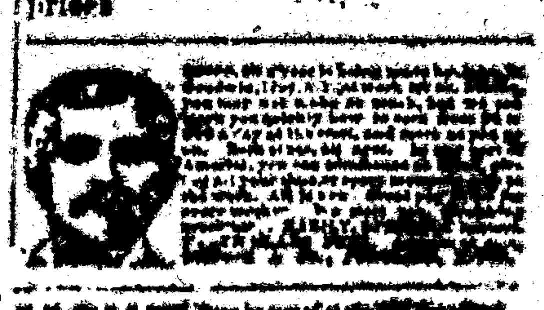

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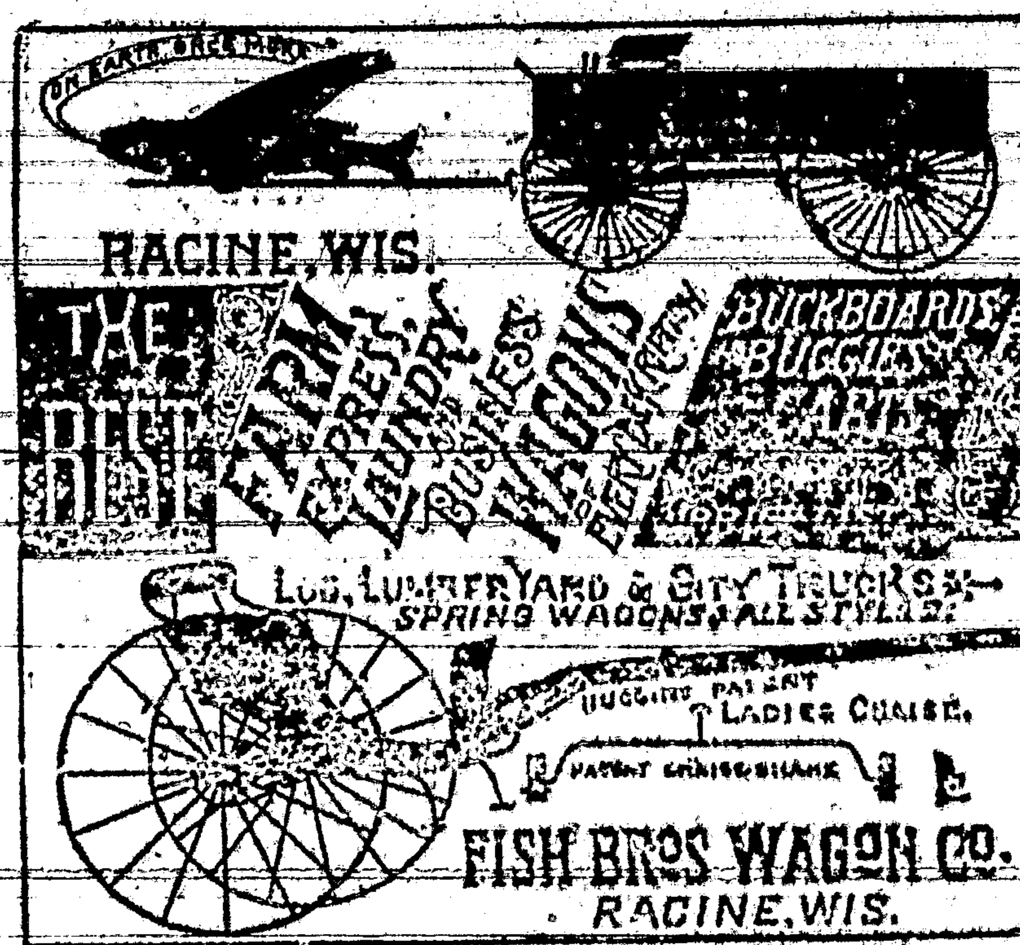

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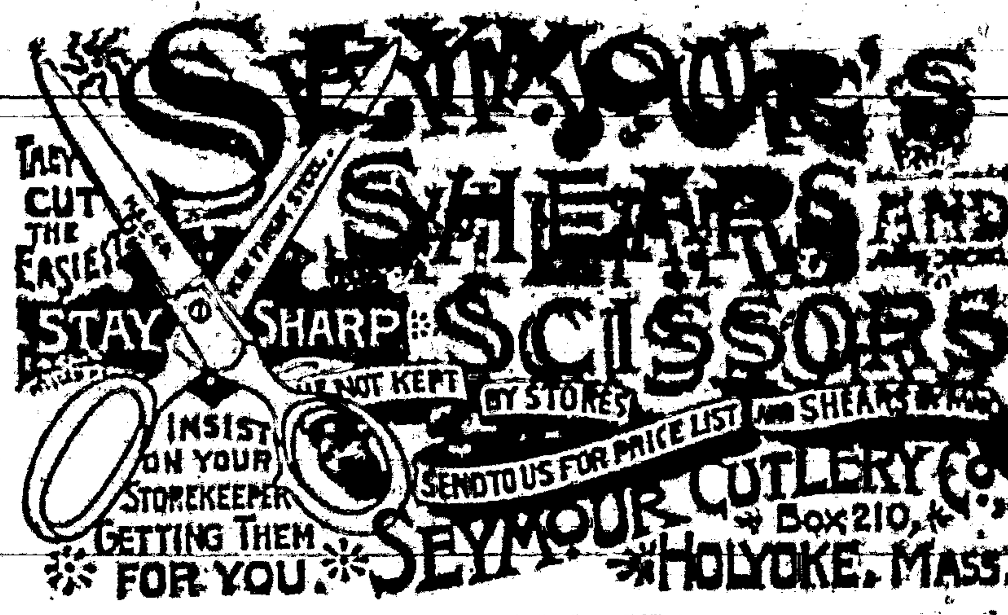

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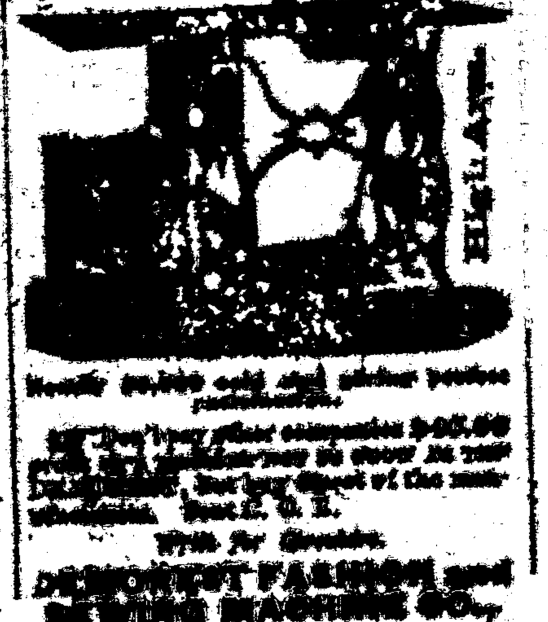

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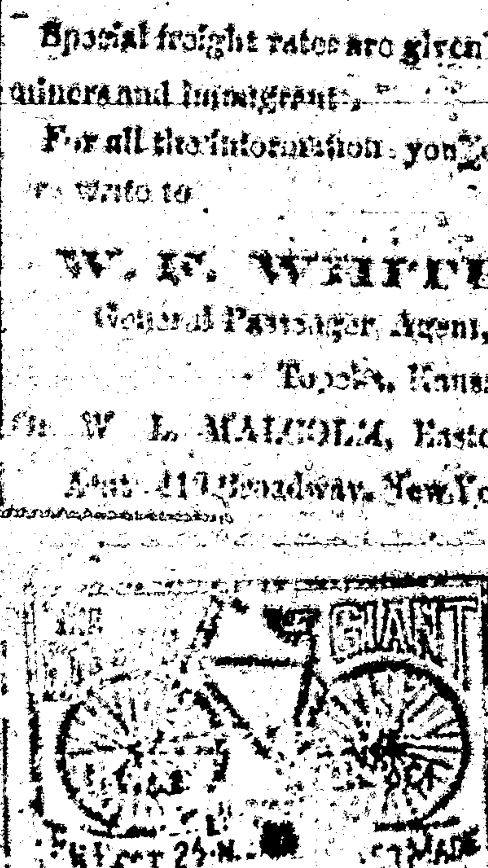

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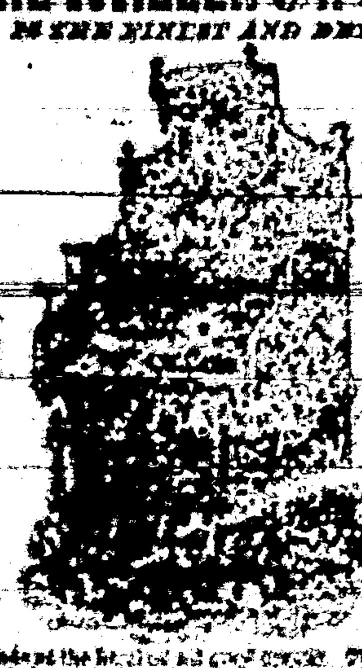

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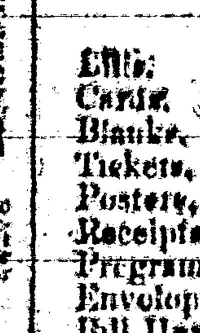

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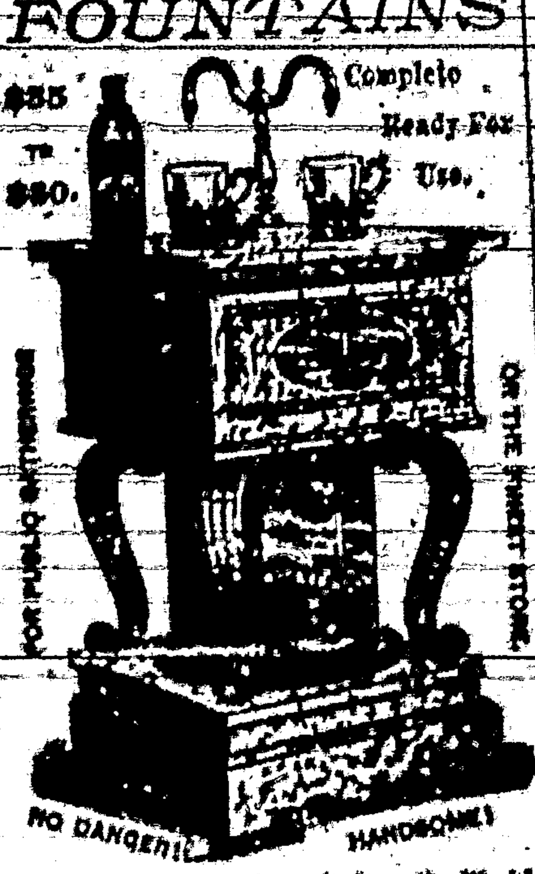

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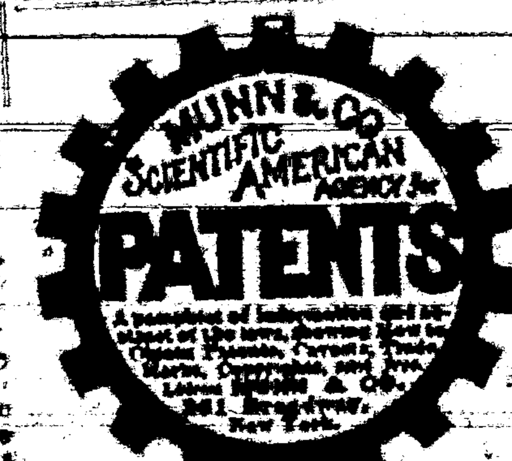

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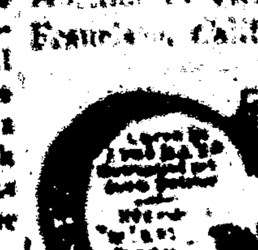

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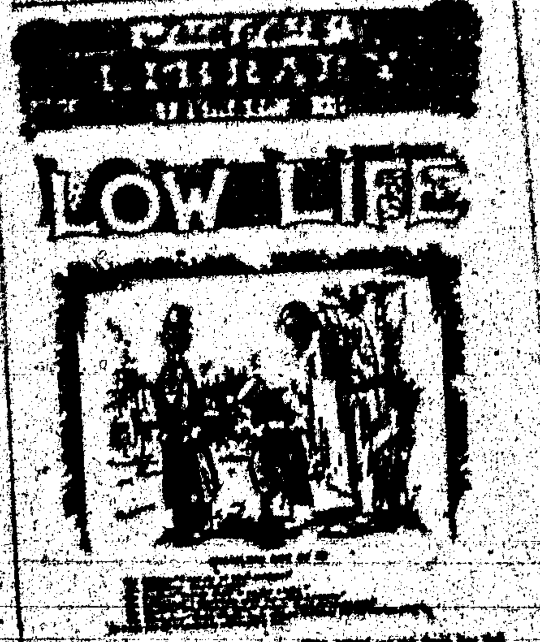

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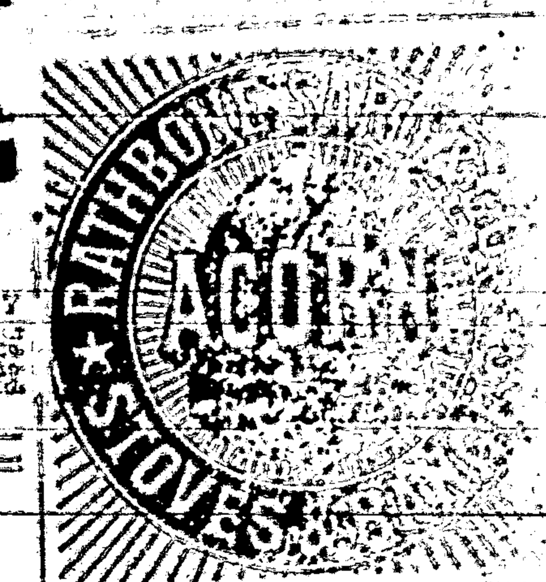

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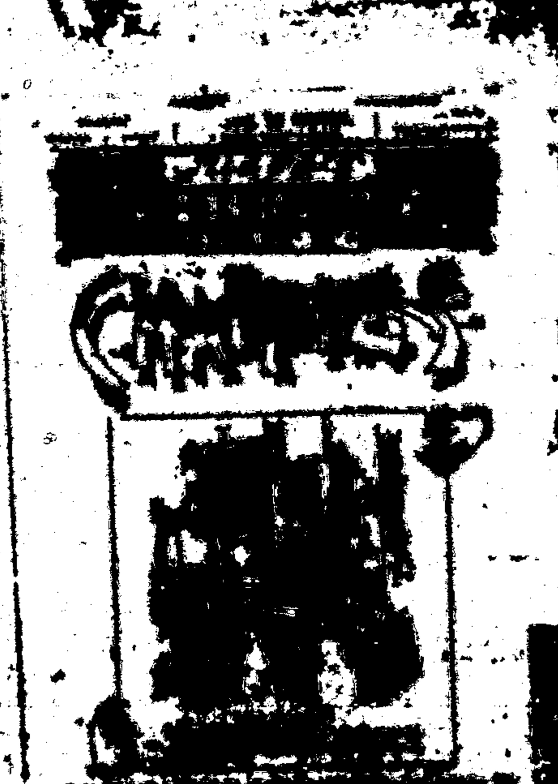
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