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THE CHICAGO WEEKLY NEWS and LINCOLN CO. LEADER, 1 year $275.

Continued from last week.

OUR ELEVENTH YEAR.

In our former chapters in this serial we explored all the leading gold, silver and coal mines of Lincoln County. Before closing this branch of our reminiscences, we deem it a matter of interest to note the fact that most of the mine owners and workers of to-day are the same as in '82, only one sale worth mentioning having been made in the interim, viz.: the North Homestake by the Winters' heirs to Mr. Sigafus. The old timers now are—John Y. Hewitt, Wm. Watson, E. W. Parker and sons, John Hendershott, John A. Woodland, James Woodland, Ed. R. Bonnell, J. O. Nabours, W. C. McDonald, Chas. Bull, Dr. M. G. Paden, Geo. E. Sligh, Jones and Stanley Taliaferro, John A. Brothers, Mayer Bros., W. H. Weed, A. Schnzing, U. Ozanne and sons, A. Ridgeway, L. H. ..., R. E. Gumm and sons, [illegible]

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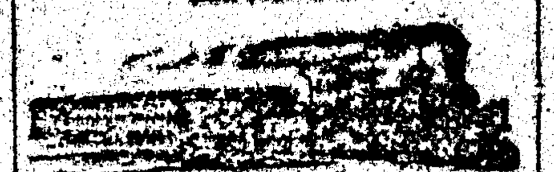

White Oaks in Line.

Last Monday night the Opera House was filled, the occasion being to hear Messrs Ropes and Gammon present the plans contemplated by the directory of the El Paso, White Oaks & Denver R. R., they being closely connected with that body, the former being chief engineer of the road indicated and the other right of way agent. Quite a number of ladies graced the meeting with their presence.

The meeting was organized by the selection of Geo. L. Ulrick as chairman and Frank Rahly as secretary.

Mr. Ropes was first introduced and responded in a lucid speech, setting forth the character of country through which the road would traverse, etc., and that assurances were on file from eastern capitalists that if the citizens along the line would prove their interest in the project by taking one million dollars stock therein they would take the other nine millions essential and push the work—that all the other towns were doing their duty and that if White Oaks wo'd ... the value of $50,000 ... rarely be built. ... was well re... Mr. Gammon ... an eloquent ... forceful ar... ... heartily appre... a telling impres-

... Lane, John Y. ... followed, after ... of 35 of our ... tative freeholders ... looking to the rais... stock required, procur... way, &c., after which ... adjourned, each and ... they could see R. ...ing.

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Jay Gould Dead.

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For many years the "Little Wizzard" has been recognized as the Napoleon of finance in this country. Starting out in life without influence or backing of any kind, and without a dollar, he amassed a fortune exceeding that of any man in America. He was small in stature and weak in body but he was a giant in finance and strong in will power; crafty, perhaps, but not more so than those with whom he came and grew in contact with.

That Jay Gould enjoyed his influence, wealth as much as many of the miners surrounding us do their earnings, we do not believe. He was so constituted that his pleasure chiefly consisted in accumulating riches. Outside of the comfort he is reputed to have taken in his home circle he had none. His life was a never ceasing struggle in the hoarding up of wealth which he was destined to leave behind him, and however much men may have envied him in the past, the present holds no one who'd care to share his couch. His name, here, is now no more talismanic than that of a pauper. He has gone where there are no class distinctions, where all are clothed alike and titles are unknown.

His disease was consumption, and it was his intention to spend the winter months in El Paso.—A selfish feeling prevails here that it were well had he been permitted to have carried out his plans as with them might have been associated the building of a R. R. between El Paso and White Oaks.—Whether or not his demise will affect his declared intentions in that direction is unknown. Per haps it should not be thought of in connection with the conditions—but humanity is humanity and worldly thoughts will sometimes crop out even when eyes are looking into open graves.

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In pursuance of a call made by the chairman of the boundary committee for the miners of the Jicarilla Mining District to meet at the residence of George Weischar in said district on Nov. 19th, '92 the meeting was called to order, W. W. Fitchpatrick in the chair, John D. Brotherton, secretary.

On motion of J. D. Brotherton a committee of three was appointed by the chair on permanent organization. J. D. Brotherton, George Weischar and C. C. Hedges were appointed on said committee.

The committee reported—for chairman, Jacob Weischar, secretary W. W. Fitchpatrick. Report of committee on permanent organization was adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BOUNDARIES.

We, your committee on boundaries, beg leave to report that township five (5) south range twelve (12) east, and more generally described by the N. E. corner being at or near the north end of Jack Mountain. The N. W. corner near the intersection of Red and Ancho Gulches. The S. W. corner at or near Coyote Springs. The S. E. corner near what is known as the Negro Ranch; the said boundaries by the adoption of this report to be made and be hereafter known as the boundaries of the Jicarilla Mining District.

H. S. COMBAY,
W. W. FITCHPATRICK,
Committee.

Report of the committee was adopted.

On motion of Peter Godfrey it was moved and adopted that instead of customs heretofore in vogue, the Territorial laws of N. M. be the laws in future to govern the amount of assessment work to be done on claims in the said Jicarilla Mining District.

Resolved—That all miners and prospectors may become members of said district by signing the roll of membership to be found in the hands of the secretary.

On motion, the secretary was ordered to have a copy of the above proceedings published and recorded by the County Recorder of Lincoln County, N. M.

On motion meeting adjourned,
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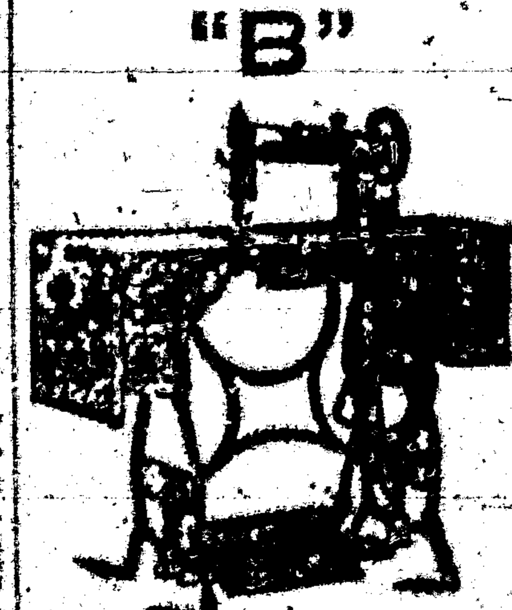

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K. P.—Baxter Lodge No. 9, Knights of Pythias, meet every Thursday night at 7½ o'clock. Visiting Knights are cordially invited to attend. PHILIP REID, C. C. [illegible] K. of R. & S.

G. G. T.—White Oaks Lodge No. 18, meets every Saturday night, at Castle Hall, at 7 o'clock. Visiting members earnestly invited. J. A. WOODLAND, C. T. JAMES H. PARKER, Sec.

G. A. R.—Kearney Post, No. 10, meets on the first Monday night of each month, at their Hall. H. BIGGS, P. C. JNO. ALBROWN, Adjt.

WHITE OAKS CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Lord's Day Services—Morning, 11 o'c. Evening—7:30 o'clock. Sunday School—9:45 a. m. Weekly Bible reading, Wednesday Eve at 7:30 o'clock—Seats free. All are welcome. A. A. HERD, Pastor.

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P. C. BELL, this week sold one half of his interest in the Evening Star Mining claim in the Jicarillas to E. L. and A. J. Ozanne.

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French kid body dolls, French Bisque, rubber and wax dolls—in fact dolls of all descriptions at Goodman, Ziegler & Co's.

LAST Sunday John Y. Hewitt, J. P. C. Langston and Jones Taliaferro left for Santa Fe, there to attend a meeting of the Territorial Democratic Central Committee.—Langston says he didn't go.

OUR woods are full of candidates for post master, all wearing democratic pedigrees. Among the leading aspirants are—John L. Zimmerman, J. B. Collier, Ernest Langston, Chas. Ball, Jno. Keith, Dr. A. G. Lane, D. D. Greene, L. W. Stewart, Al. Parker, Esqs., and several other prominent and influential members of the resurrected party.

Ripans Tabules [illegible]

[illegible] of Santa Fe, was 60 years old on Wednesday last. He has been bivouacking here for a couple of months and left for home on Monday. He is a manor-born gentleman. He graduated at an early age from the University of Edingburg, Scotland. For many years he was Chief Engineer of the Delaware & Hudson R. R.—He owns the "Scranton Mine" on Baxter Mountain, and some years ago refused a cash offer of $20,000 for it. There is a lead on the claim that will average $15 a ton. The ore is free milling. Mr. R. will return to White Oaks in a few weeks when he will push work on mining properties in this section.

JOHN PRESTON and Fred. Higgins, who went in pursuit of our absquatulating barber, Maybury, thinking he was the ravisher, Davis, so badly wanted at Sedalia, Mo., returned much chop-fallen on Tuesday. They followed their meat to El Paso, only to learn that he wasn't the right coon. There were many in the city of the pass, who knew the darkey, Maybury, and that his whereabouts at the time of the Sedalia outrage were not in Mo.

A large and well selected stock of holiday goods just received at Goodman, Ziegler & Co's.

GEO. CURRY, sheriff-elect, Schr Gray, school superintendent elect, and Buck Guyse, reputed jailer under the new regime, spent a couple of days in town since our last issue.

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THE Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the Congregational Church next Sunday a. m. at 11.—The subject of the pastor's evening address at 7 will be, The Books Opened—Rev. 20–12.

NEXT Tuesday evening at the hour of 7, there will be a free lecture at the Congregational Church by the pastor on Wit and Wisdom There will also be singing and a free, social gathering. Everybody is invited to this free entertainment.

LAST Tuesday night the Rev Crutchfield united with the holy padlock of wedlock, John Cope and and Mary Hill, two typical descendants of Ham, each being as dark as the other and both as black as the devil is painted as being. It would and really does appear as though the blacks appreciate bliss as much as their white brothers and sisters, and we sometimes think they are by far the best equipped, for it will be noticed that their lips are seemingly constructed for the preliminary and auxiliary functions appertaining to blissful conditions. If one will but notice, the lips of the true, simon pure, sure-enough African, of either sex, are provided with seams and grooves, which, when dovetailed, by one strong, united pull, more nectar, such as it is, can be extracted in two minutes than four Caucassian lips could extort in two hours. But we will not sentimentalize longer. John is an intelligent, industrious, honest darkey, and we wish him and his Molly much joy, and all the "equivalents" pertaining to his new condition.

THE accomplished wife of Sheriff Roberts and Miss Lillie Roberts are in town the guests of Mrs. Langston.

Ripans Tabules cure nausea.

[illegible] who have been engaged the past summer in making a survey of the Mescalero Indian Reservation, passed through town a few days since en route to Santa Fe, where they will remain during the winter. The survey which they are now making and which they have almost completed, it is understood is being done with the view of apportioning to the Indians lands in severalty. When such allotment is made the western section of the Reserve, including the mineral lands of the White Mountain and Tularoso country will be thrown open for entry under the laws of the U. S. The lands are mostly mineral in character, though some good agricultural lands will be included in the section thus opened to entry

THE comet was, on Saturday and Sunday nights, the prevailing subject of attention. It is the general opinion here that the astrologists made an error as to the time the luminous body with a tail would appear and that what was called a shower of stars on Thanksgiving Eve was but the flying of comet particles.

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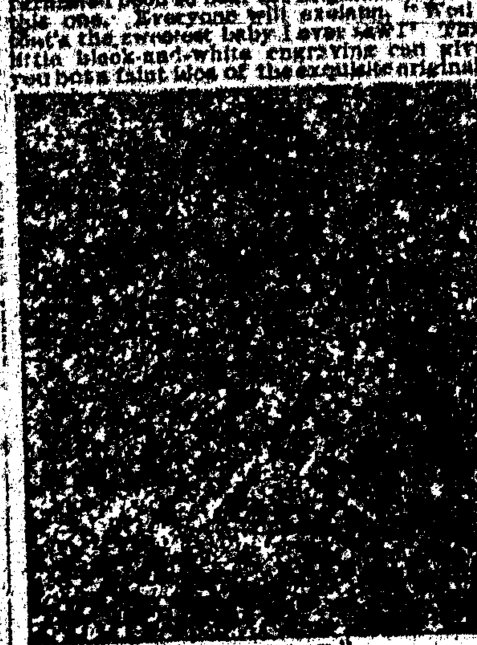

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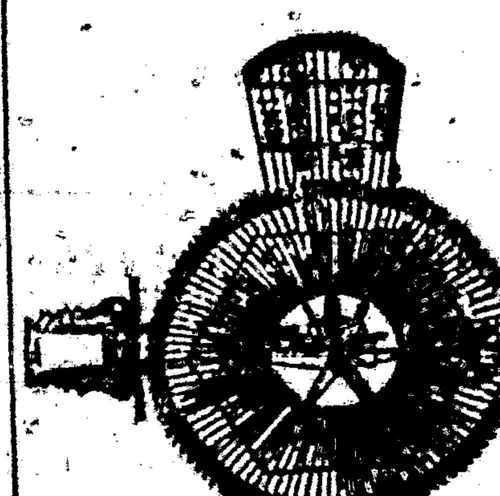

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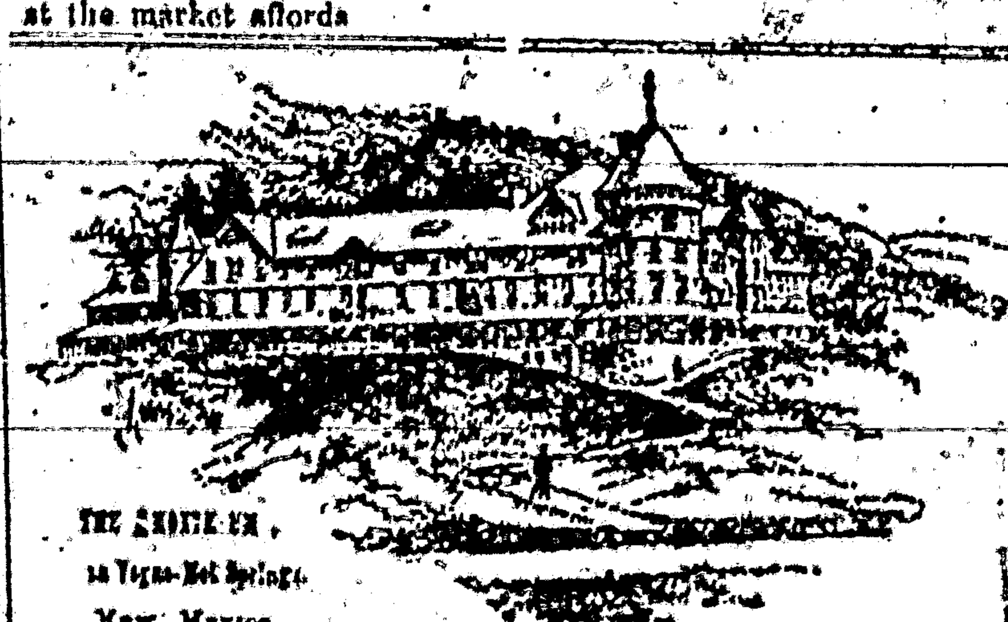

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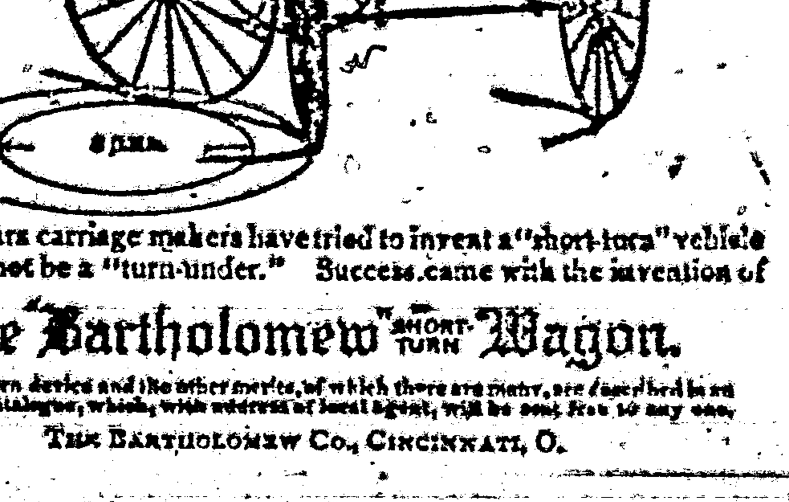

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Continued from last week.

OUR ELEVENTH YEAR.

In our former chapters in this serial we explored all the leading gold, silver and coal mines of Lincoln County. Before closing this branch of our reminiscences, we deem it a matter of interest to note the fact that most of the mine owners and workers of to-day are the same as in '82, only one sale worth mentioning having been made in the interim, viz.: the North Homestake by the Winters' heirs to Mr. Sigafus. The old timers now are—John Y. Hewitt, Wm. Watson, E. W. Parker and sons, John Henderschott, John A. Woodland, James Woodland, Ed. R. Bonnell, J. O. Nabours, W. C. McDonald, Chas. Bull, Dr. M. G. Paden, Geo. E. Sligh, Jones and Stanley Taliaferro, John A. Brothers, Mayer Bros., W. H. Weed, A. Schnaing, U. Ozanne and sons, A. Ridgeway, L. H. Rudisille, B. F. Gumm and sons, James and Peter Reid, T. W. Heman, J. B. Slack, J. B. Collier and sons, Geo Ulrick, S. M. Parker, R. D. Armstrong, Mrs. Davies, Gus. Kastler, J. P. C. Langston, Joe. Biggs, Lloyd Schell, John E. Wilson, W. S. Redding, Frank Gibbons, A. W. Alexander, Jos. Grishocber, Comery Bros., Joe. Steck, Jacob Miller, A. W. Kempton, J. A Alcock, W. Rexford, Jas. Stevenson, J. C. Klepinger, Wm. Mann, Jack Forsythe, Tom. Williams, Ed. Uebrick, M. H. Bellomy, and a number of others whose names do not now occur to us, showing either great faith or poverty, perhaps both.

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This chapter winds up our mine reminiscences. Next week we will tackle the task of showing how White Oaks has advanced during the past ten years. In 1882 log houses were "mansions" here and dug-outs were not to be despised. Now brick edifices and marble fronts are not rare, their erection costing from $5,000 to $15,000 each. The history will astonish even old settlers, many of whom have not realized the speed at which they were advancing. After we get through with White Oaks we will show what the ... part of Lincoln County has been doing while its hub was thus ... [illegible]

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The meeting was organized by the selection of Geo. L. Ulrick as chairman and Frank Rubly as secretary.

Mr. Ropes was first introduced and responded in a lucid speech setting forth the character of country through which the road would traverse, etc., and that assurances were on file from eastern capitalists that if the citizens along the line would prove their interest in the project by taking one million dollars stock therein they would take the other nine millions essential and push the work—that all the other towns were doing their duty and that if White Oaks would take stock to the value of $50,000 the road would assuredly be built.

Mr. Ropes' address was well received, after which Mr. Gammon appeared and made an eloquent speech pregnant with forceful argument which was heartily appreciated and made a telling impression.

Speeches by Dr. Lane, John Y. Hewitt and others followed, after which a committee of 35 of our leading, representative freeholders was appointed, looking to the raising of the stock required, procuring right of way, &c., after which the meeting adjourned, each and all feeling that they could see R. R. light dawning.

The committee met on Tuesday afternoon, and without solicitation received the following subscriptions:

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That Jay Gould enjoyed his immense wealth as much as many of the miners surrounding us do their earnings, we do not believe. He was so constituted that his pleasure chiefly consisted in accumulating riches. Outside of the comfort he is reputed to have taken in his home circle he had none. His life was a never ceasing struggle in the hoarding up of wealth which he was destined to leave behind him, and however much men may have envied him in the past, the present holds no one who'd care to share his couch. His name, here, is now no more talismanic than that of a pauper. He has gone where there are no class distinctions, where all are clothed alike and titles are unknown.

His disease was consumption, and it was his intention to spend the winter months in El Paso.—A selfish feeling prevails here that it were well had he been permitted to have carried out his plans as with them might have been associated the building of a R. R. between El Paso and White Oaks.—Whether or not his demise will affect his declared intentions in that direction is unknown. Perhaps it should not be thought of in connection with the conditions—but humanity is humanity and worldly thoughts will sometimes crop out even when eyes are looking into open graves.

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In pursuance of a call made by the chairman of the boundary committee for the miners of the Jicarilla Mining District to meet at the residence of George Weischar in said district on Nov. 19th, '92, the meeting was called to order, W. W. Fitchpatrick in the chair, John D. Brotherton, secretary.

On motion of J. D. Brotherton a committee of three was appointed by the chair on permanent organization. J. D. Brotherton, George Weischar and C. C. Hedges were appointed on said committee.

The committee reported—for chairman, Jacob Weischar, secretary W. W. Fitchpatrick. Report of committee on permanent organization was adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BOUNDARIES.

We, your committee on boundaries, beg leave to report that township five (5) south range twelve (12) east, and more generally described by the N. E. corner being at or near the north end of Jack Mountain. The N. W. corner near the intersection of Red and Ancho Gulches. The S. W. corner at or near Coyote Springs. The S. E. corner near what is known as the Negro Ranch; the said boundaries by the adoption of this report to be made and be hereafter known as the boundaries of the Jicarilla Mining District.

H. S. Comrey,
W. W. Fitchpatrick,
Committee.

Report of the committee was adopted.

On motion of Peter Godfrey it was moved and adopted that instead of customs heretofore in vogue, the Territorial laws of N. M. be the laws in future to govern the amount of assessment work to be done on claims in the said Jicarilla Mining District.

Resolved—That all miners and prospectors may become members of said district by signing the roll of membership to be found in the hands of the secretary.

On motion, the secretary was ordered to have a copy of the above proceedings published and recorded by the County Recorder of Lincoln County, N. M.

On motion meeting adjourned.
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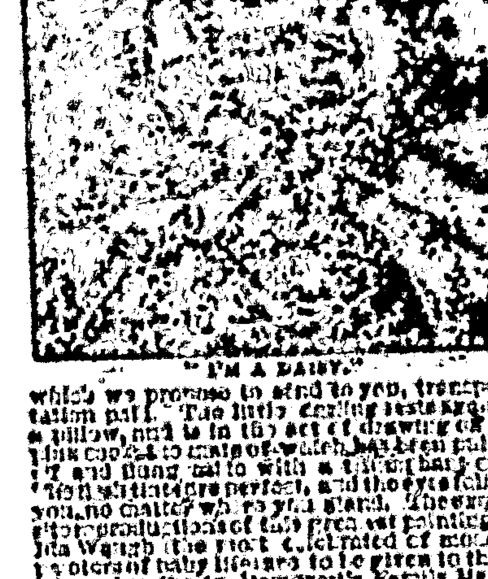

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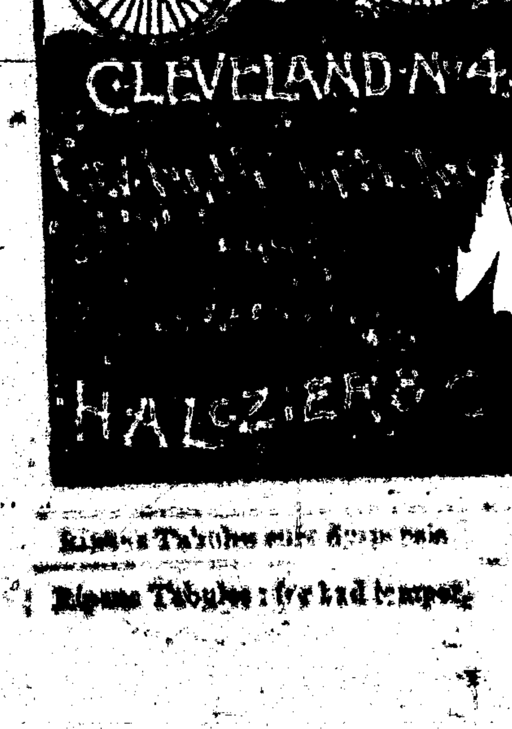

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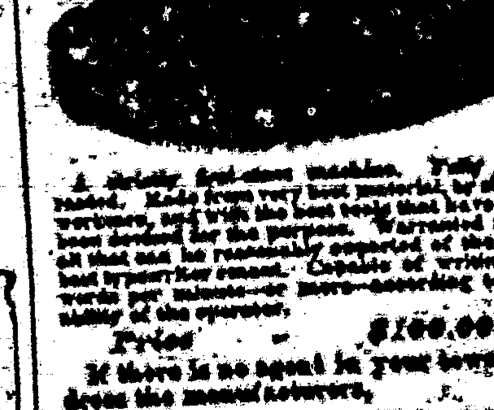

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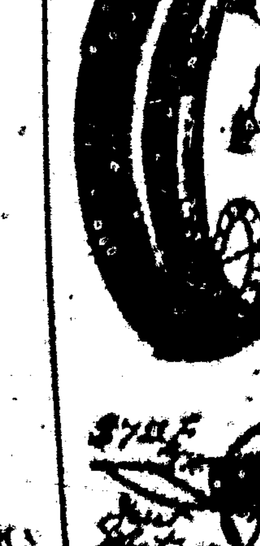

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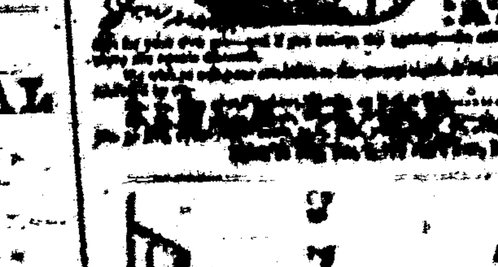

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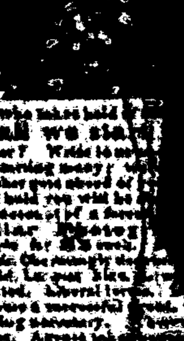

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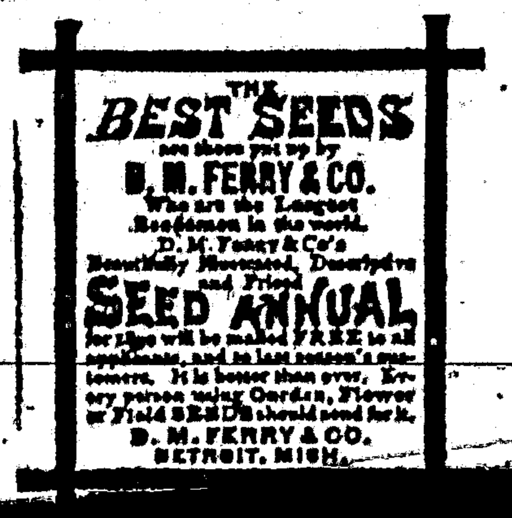

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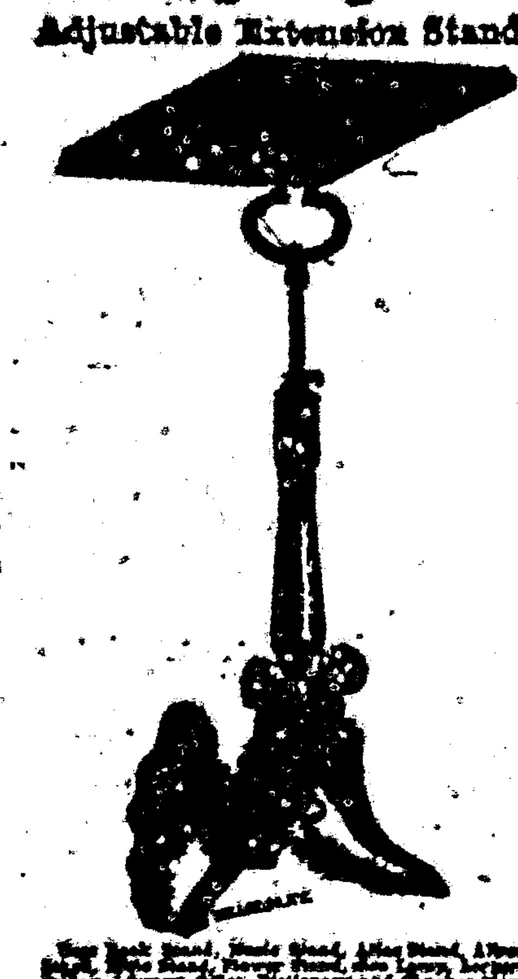

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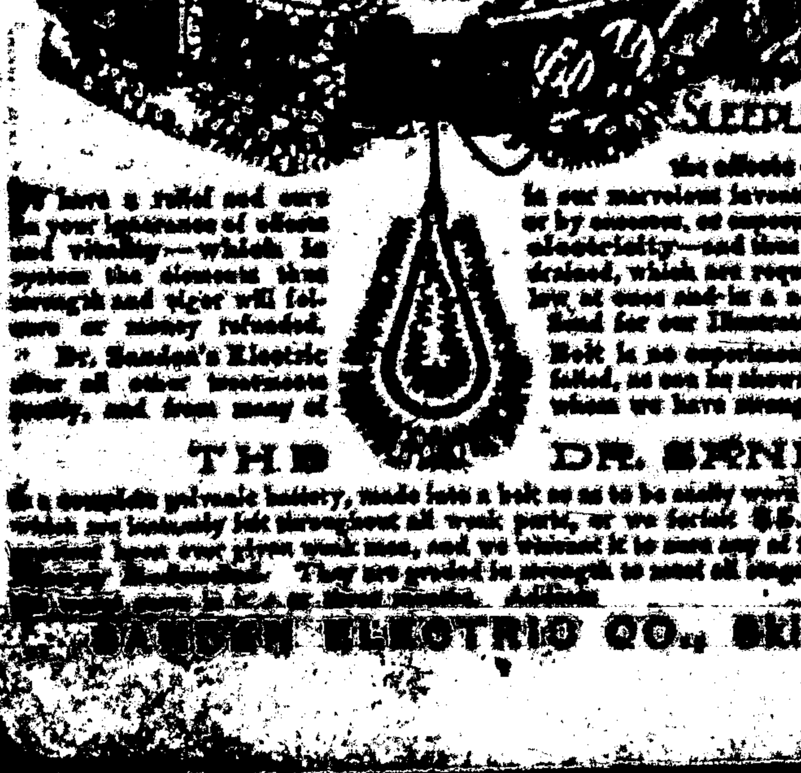

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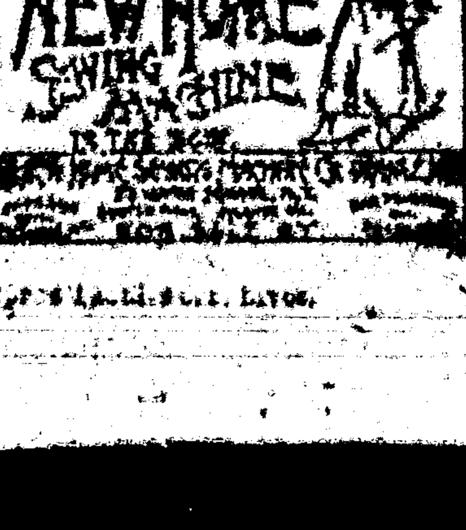

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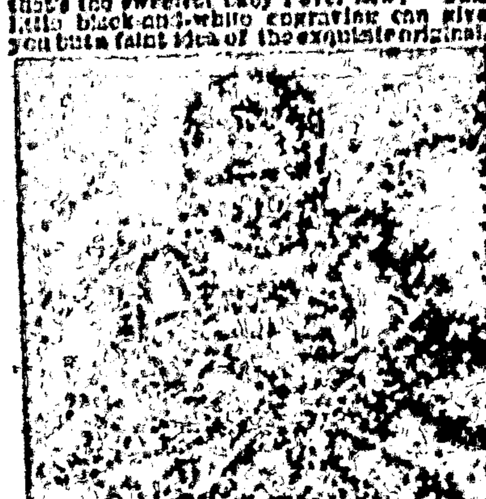

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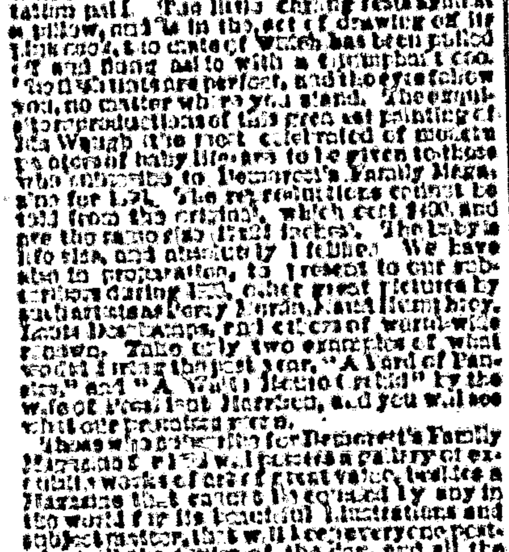

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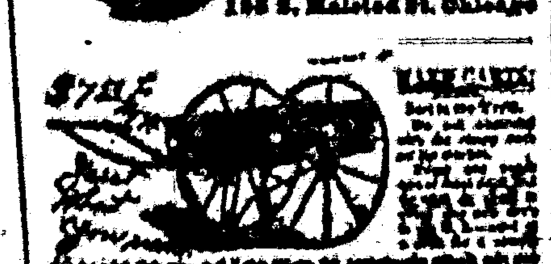

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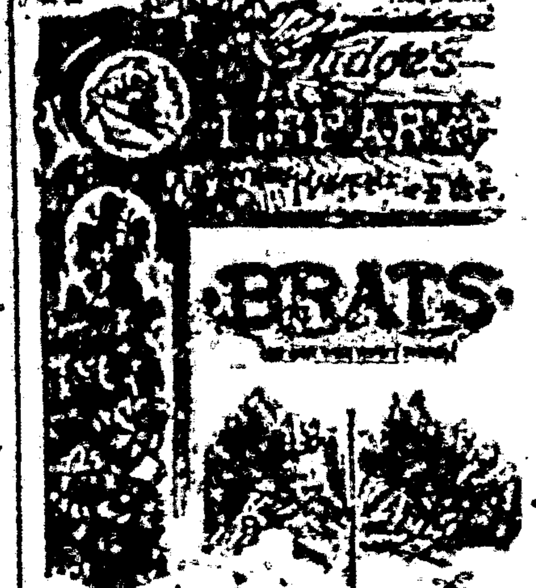

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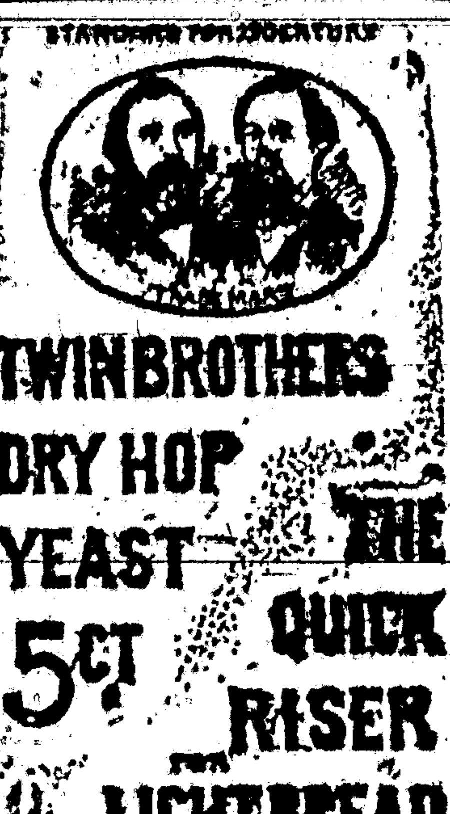

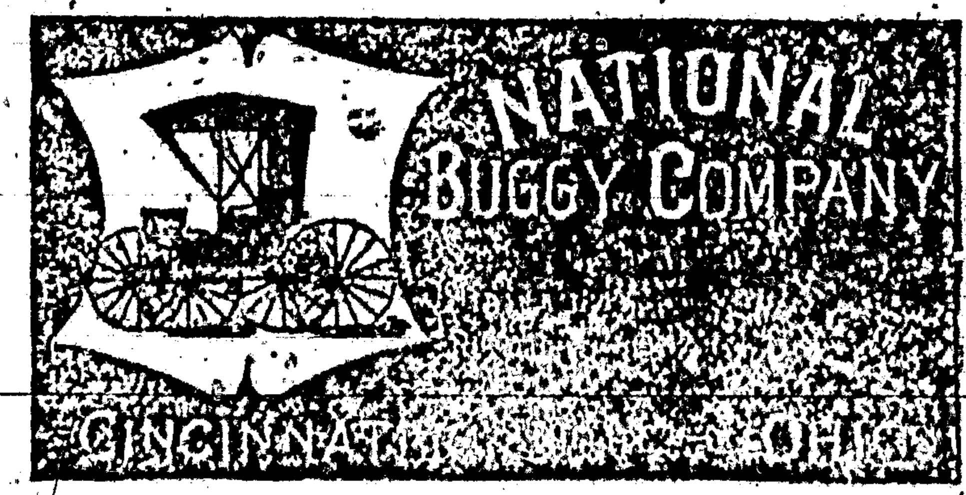

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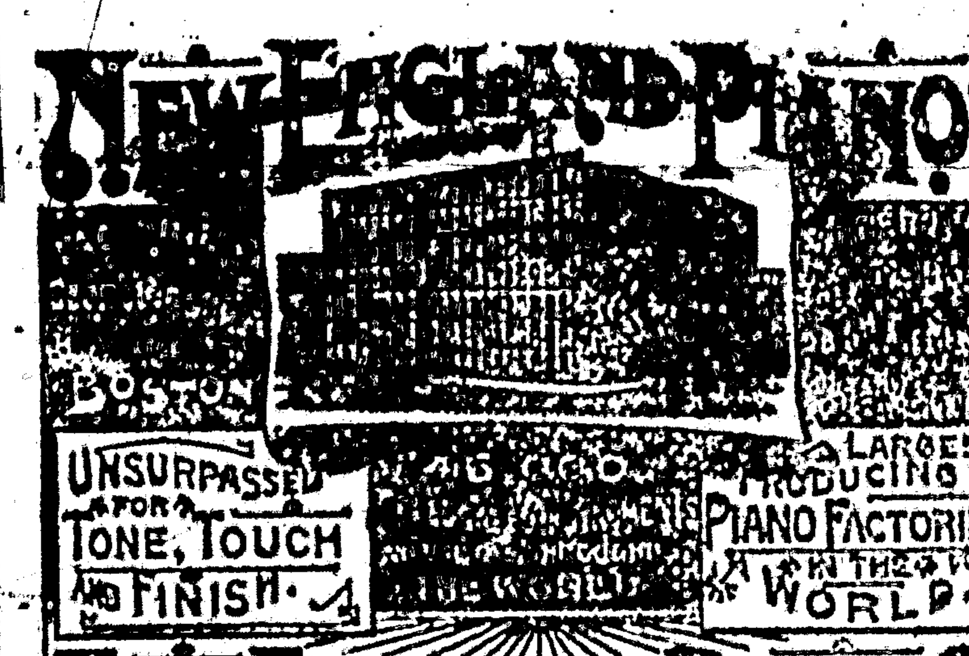

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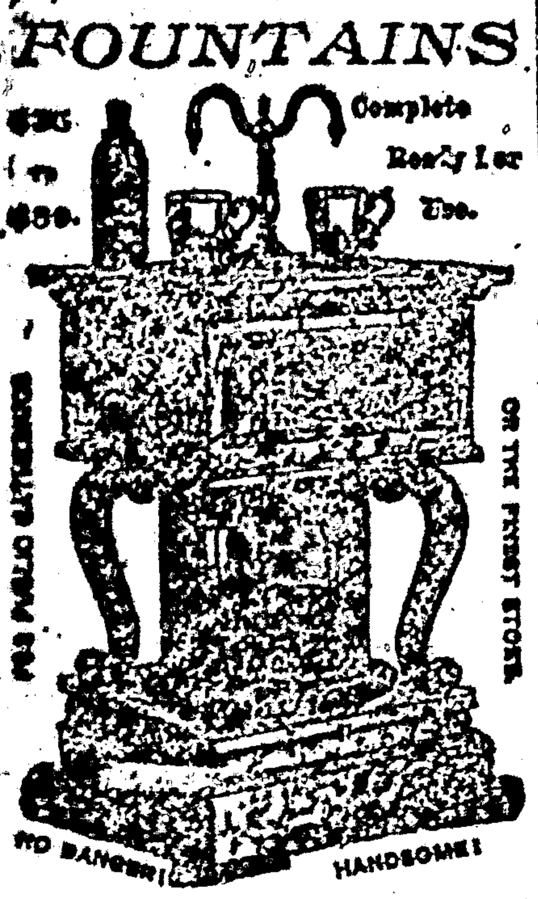

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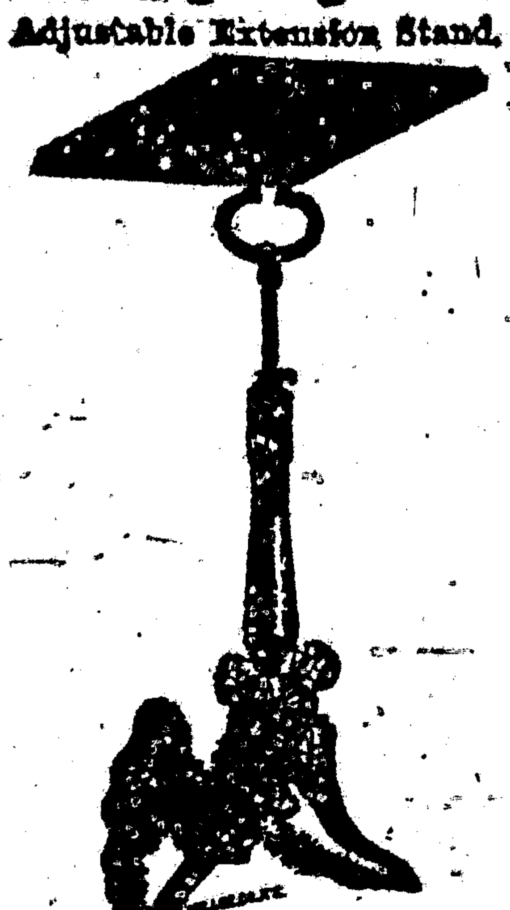

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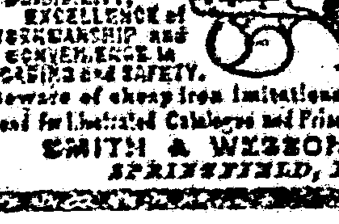

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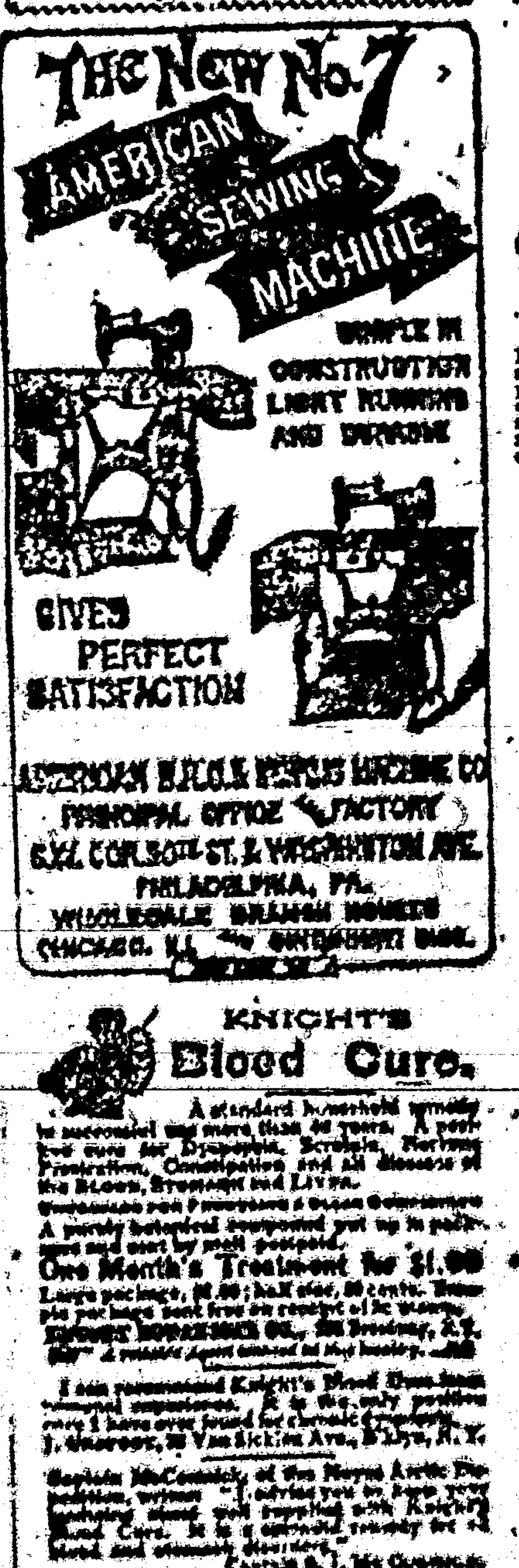

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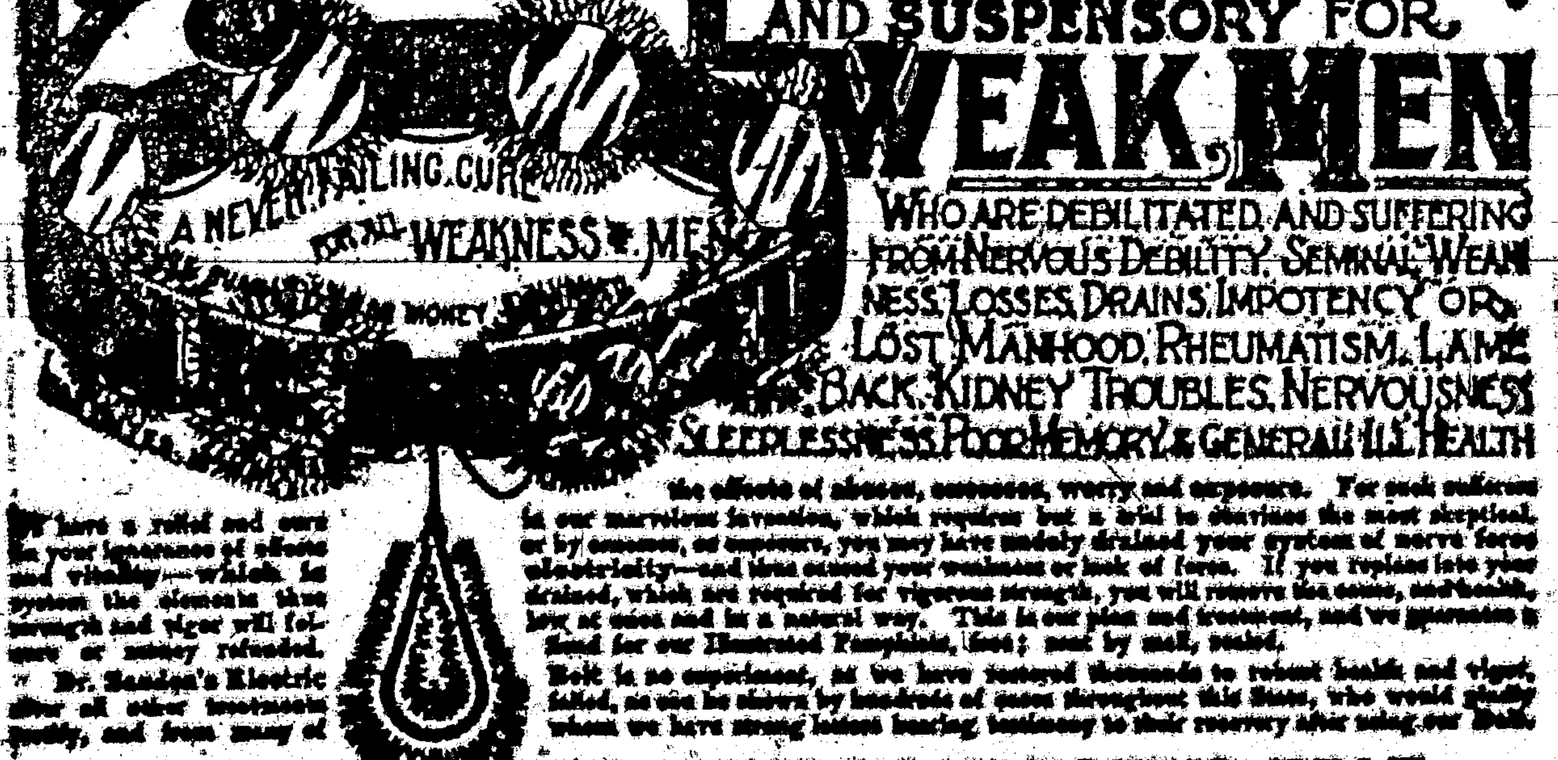

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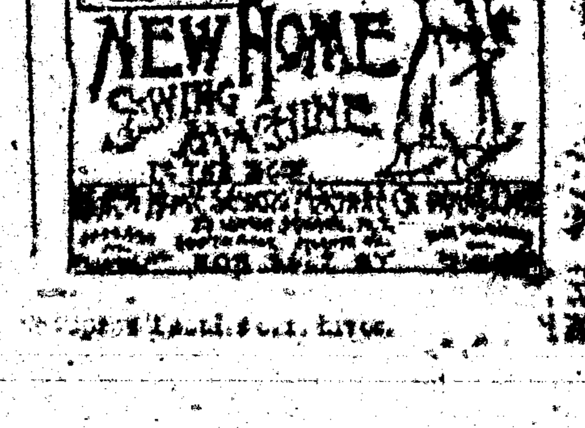

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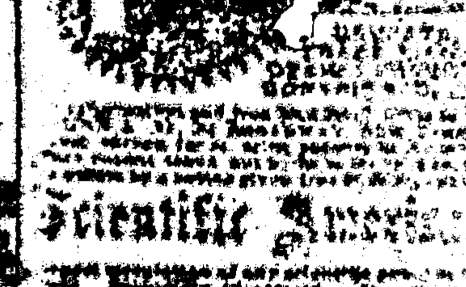

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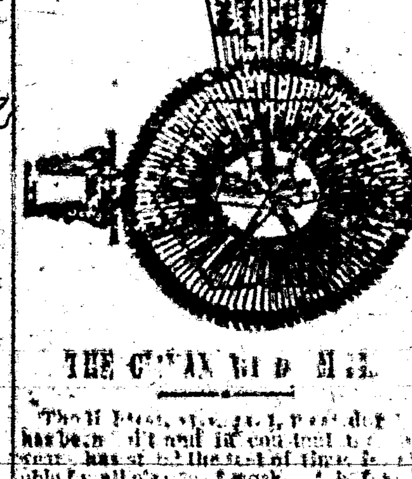

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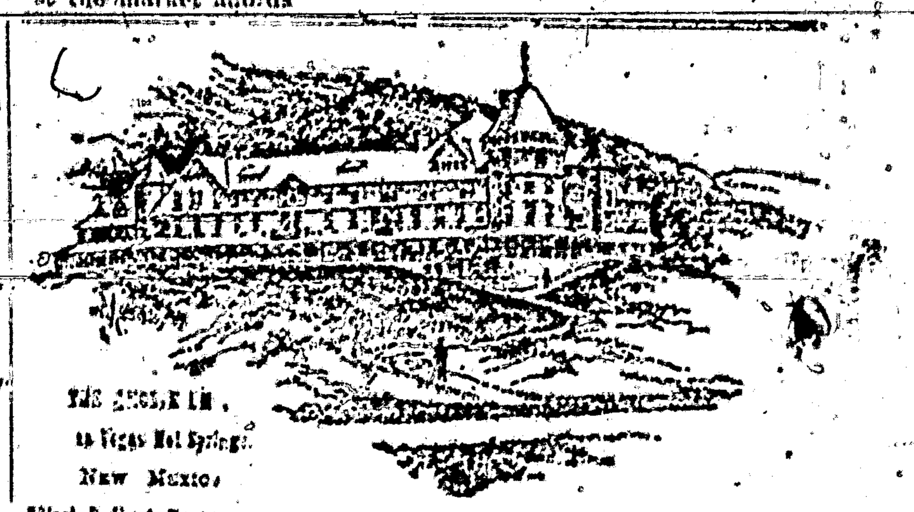

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OUR reminiscent chapter for this week lies over until next issue. It will keep without spoiling.

EVERY daily paper in the Territory missed an issue Christmas week and all of them will lose an issue next week owing to the coming of New Years, and all the day implies. The LEADER loves chicken pie, too, hence presents itself this week as a half sheet. Those holidays come but once a year, and children and editors should be indulged on such occasions.

Christmas '92—New Years '93.

Writing "to-day we stand" between Christmas and New Years, two epochs more important than any others in man's history.

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Christmas Day is, by children, hailed with more pleasure than any other in the calendar. Their great faith that Christ lived, was crucified, buried, and resurrected and now sits at the right hand of His and our Father who art in Heaven, should be sufficient to remove doubt from the minds of all doubting Thomas's of the divinity of Christ. The intuitive faith of innocent childhood as to His mission, coupled with the evidence provided us by profane as well as sacred history as to His personality, life and death, should smother skepticism and stimulate thankfulness for the hopeful rest assured us after life's fitful fever is over.

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New Year Day is a signal marker of Time. Back of it lie the centuries of the past—the dark, middle and Christian eras. To day we stand in the meridian of Christian civilization. By "we" is especially meant we of this American Republic, who stand pre-eminently favored and blessed, up to our eye brows in religious and political liberty, each man the peer of his fellow, citizens of a country where starvation and suffering are unknown to the industrious and frugal, where education for our youth is as free as the atmosphere, and freedom to the verge of license encompasses every man, while the general intelligence of the masses regard law and its rigid enforcement as the palladium of our system of liberty and government.

THE Headlight, ex-Gov. Ross' paper, gives unmistakable evidence that the old Nestor is in the field for his old job. For the credit of New Mexico we hope he will succeed. He is honest, competent and would grace the office with more dignity than any of his competitors.

W. S. RYAN is a candidate for Territorial Secretary. His party could do no better—we doubt if [illegible]

A Remarkable [illegible] Enterprise.

Combination is the characteristic of this age, and when capitalists are combining in trusts, workingmen in labor unions, and farmers in alliances, newspapers can hardly be blamed for joining the procession. Indeed it is remarkable that the press has not led the way in taking advantage of the power of association, instead of lagging behind.

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WE gratefully acknowledge an invitation from M. Whiteman and wife, Roswell, to attend the 25th anniversary of their wedding on the 12th prox. We regret our inability to respond. Albeit the distance is but about 160 miles, the season is winterish and the walking very bad. Our thanks for the invitation, however, wells up, and we hereby put our promise on record to attend their golden anniversary. By that time we will have R. R. facilities now denied us—if not we'll have wings. The God of Moses and Abraham will see that we are not beaten out of that inheritance.

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The House, which is democratic, is organized by electing Hon. A. L. Branch, of Mora county, Speaker.

Our Jno. L. Zimmerman secured the position of Journal Clerk of the House.

EX Secretary [illegible] continues in a very precarious state of health. He has recently had several very alarming relapses, and it is possible that he is gradually sinking. It is difficult to ascertain his actual condition as no very definite information is given the public, but it is generally believed that the great statesman is very near to death. His physicians do not speak of the probability of his recovery, but say he may live several weeks. On the other hand, it is feared that death may occur at any time.

At the beginning of the [illegible] pleasantness Confederate money was current in the South at par. It soon began to depreciate, however, and by 1865 its value had fallen to about 60 [illegible]. Toward the close of the war it was worth [illegible] and those who handled it had actually to be millionaires in order to live at all. Milk cost $4 a quart, and one recorded instance [illegible] with a fair [illegible] a very modest lunch at a restaurant—such [illegible] be gotten for [illegible] the Confederacy [illegible] passed for one [illegible] on the dollar.

THE following is the [illegible] vote for President [illegible] vember:

Cleveland........[illegible]
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Weaver........[illegible]
Bidwell........[illegible]

C[illegible] ferring to the [illegible] that the second [illegible] Congress [illegible] stand on the [illegible]

THE County Commissioners [illegible] Probate Court [illegible] day next.

THE P. O. [illegible] a'glimmering.

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