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TERRITORIAL TALK.

Col. Geo. W. Prichard has returned to Las Vegas from his eastern trip.

The President has nominated Hiram Knowles for U. S. Marshal of Arizona.

The *New Mexican* insists that two members of the New Mexico cattle sanitary board are in the employ of the dressed beef combination.

Judge Long reconsidered his determination not to sit as one of the members of the Territorial supreme court, and will act as judge until his successor is appointed.

"Breach clouters" is the name now given to those old fossils who oppose statehood. This class of uncontentants should be put onto the reservation with the Navajos.

Louis Sulzbacher, of the meadow city, has an odometer, or adding machine, said to be the only one in the Territory. It will add up a column of any length almost instantly.

As soon as the U. S. Experiment station at Las Cruces is in operation an opportunity for poor, but ambitious young men to pay the whole or a large portion of their expenses while attending the Agricultural College by work on the farm will be afforded.—Reporter.

Horrible and ungalant item in the *Citizen*: The papers say that the oldest daughter of Chief Justice Fuller is good looking. This is cheering news. The daughter of the chief justice who visited this Territory is homely as an adobe fence, and she is as good-natured as she is ugly.

Judge Joseph Boone, of Deming, attorney for Lindaur, Wormser & Co., came up from Deming a few days ago and sued out an attachment against the property and effects of the contractors who have been at work on the new railroad from Deming south into Mexico.—Silver City Enterprise.

Mr. Joseph's bill for the creation of a new land district, to be known as the Las Vegas land district, provides that all that portion of the counties of Colfax, Mora and San Miguel, not included within the Folsom land district, shall be embraced within the new district and that the land office shall be located in Las Vegas.

A dispatch to a St. Louis paper from Wallace, in this Territory, dated January 4th, is as follows:

The contractors employed in digging the irrigation ditch through the central part of this Territory, for the Rio Grande Irrigation and Colonization company, received notice yesterday from the Pueblo Indians, near the line, to cease operations or there would be trouble.

Word was at once wired to Gov. Prince, at Santa Fe, for his protection, which will be granted. These Indians are very jealous of, what they claim, are encroachments of the Americans. They also make claim of a great deal of government land, to which they have no shadow of title.

Some men are thoroughly pickled. They look sour and act sour and are sour. Talk to them ten minutes and the chills will run up your back. They look on the dark side of life. They are unhappy and make those with whom they come in contact with unhappy, too. They are suspicious of everybody. They have neither friends nor enemies. Good Lord deliver us from the association of pickled men.

An Effective Stage Pistol.

Stage murders with guns and pistols are often ridiculous farces. The black-hearted villain fires at the flies and the persecuted hero facing him drops "dead." To escape the ridiculous in this line of stage effort a new weapon has been invented by M. Philippe, secretary of the Bouffes Parisiennes, Paris. It contains a long spiral spring, which carries a needle at the end. The piece is loaded by compressing the spring, which is retained by a simple mechanism, and inserting in the muzzle a cork, which contains a charge of fulminating mercury. On pulling the trigger the spring is released and the needle strikes the fulminate, which explodes, blowing the cork into dust. It is said that these guns can be loaded directly at any person and discharged without risk.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

LATEST NEWS AND NOTES.

The Mormons of Idaho are protesting against the admission of Idaho as a state.

The Santa Fe company has a fund of six million dollars to expend for repairs and construction.

The best posted men in New York predict that 1890 will be the most prosperous year in the history of the United States.

The people of western Kansas are reported to be in a destitute condition, and if not assisted will suffer for the necessities of life.

The Montana muddle continues. Both parties have elected United States Senators, and the row will now be transferred to Washington.

The Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe railroad has now in use 23,000 cars and still is unable to meet the demand which has been made upon its resources.

A Montana petition is to be presented to congress asking legislation against anarchy. This is entirely useless. The several states can take care of the anarchists.

There is a great boom in orange orchard planting in southern California this season. In the Pomona valley alone over 200,000 acres of land will be set out to citrus fruit.

The only member of the original Confederate Cabinet still living is John H. Reagan, who was postmaster general under Davis, and who is now one of the senators from Texas.

The funeral service of the late Robert Browning took place in London, Dec. 31. The remains of the poet were laid away in Westminster Abbey with much pomp and ceremony.

A celebration, made by Geo. A. Shufeldt, in the heaven at places the population of the United States at 1,800,000,000 and that of hell at 175,000,000,000. George is in early with his census returns for 1890.

The country will be filled with steer buyers next spring and it is plain to see that a shortage will be found. New Mexico and Arizona have sold out pretty clean on mature steers, and there will be but little also that yearlings offered in large numbers next year.—Stock Grower.

The steel and iron industries are looking forward to a highly prosperous year. The south and west is expected to consume all it produces, while the northern manufacturers are likely to export heavily to Europe. It is said that when these industries flourish all business enjoys a boom.

This is getting to be a great country. Already 200 bills have been introduced in congress providing for public buildings, and at least 100 more will be introduced during the coming month. The 200 call for about \$17,000,000, the smallest appropriation asked for being \$10,000, and the largest, for Kansas City, being \$2,500,000.

There are five direct railway lines from Chicago to Kansas City. Of these the Santa Fe seems to be becoming the most popular. Its elegant trains, consisting of four coaches and two free chair cars, are crowded every time they leave the city; while so great is the rush that parties desiring sleepers must engage their berths from four to six hours before the departure of the trains.

It is an ill wind which blows nobody any good. The action of Harrison's administration concerning the importation of fluxing ore and the consequent retaliation of the Mexican government by placing a duty on imported American cattle has helped Wm. Hearst of the San Francisco *Examiner*. He and J. G. Follansbee have a ranch in the state of Chihuahua, Mexico, of some 650,000 acres. It is utilized in the raising of cattle, fancy stock, high bred horses, large mules and all the like. The market for beef cattle has greatly improved since the placing of the duty on American importations, so that they now get \$25 in Mexican currency for steers four years old and upwards. They have 1,000 ready for market.—Albuquerque Democrat.

Irrigation in New Mexico.

It appears from the amount of work done during the last twelve months and that which is contemplated in the near future that the people of New Mexico are giving great attention to the subject of irrigation.

In a short time a large canal will be completed in the Pecos river valley which will put under irrigation thousands of acres of land now barren and sterile. A special from Santa Fe in yesterday's *Republican*, announced that the Mesilla Valley Irrigation Company had let a contract for the construction of a canal in that valley, which it is expected will supply water enough to irrigate 100,000 acres of land. Very recently there has not been much said about the project to build a similar canal in the Rio Grande valley near Albuquerque, but it may still be considered a probability.

Both the Pecos and the Mesilla valleys enjoy the most delightful climate, in which the fruits and grains of the temperate zone can be grown of a fine quality. The carload of horticultural and agricultural products which was sent out from the Mesilla valley through some of the western states last fall gave abundant evidence of the proof of this, as far as that valley was concerned. It is probable that the day will come when the Pecos and Mesilla valleys will be famous in the cities of the upper Mississippi valley for the fine quality of their orchard products.

There is a great deal of New Mexico laying away from the valleys of the Rio Grande and Pecos rivers which could be reclaimed by the construction of reservoirs for the storage of storm waters. The mouth of every canon and gulch in the Black and other ranges of mountains could be turned into reservoirs from which to irrigate the lower lands. It should be considered that in many cases the mountain ranges of New Mexico abruptly from the plains, so that there is little broken ground between them but what might be made available as agricultural land. This fact makes the construction of storm water reservoirs practicable.—Denver News.

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Justice—Officer, what is the charge against this prisoner? Officer—"Well, yer honor, I was called into the theater to arrest him for disorderly conduct." Justice—"What was he doing?" Officer—"They told me he was hissing the villain in the play for stealin'." Justice—"Then what is he doing here?" Officer—"I arrested him again as he was leavin' the theater—he was pickin' a pocket."—America.

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Two one-legged men ran for justice of the peace in Albuquerque. One of them got there with one foot.

The confirmation of Col. J. F. Bennett, as agent of the Mescalero Indians, was made by the Senate on the 9th inst. Good enough.

LINCOLN does not worry herself much about where the world's fair will be held. If we can only get a railroad some of us will "take it in" no matter where it's held.

THE INDEPENDENT is, of course, under great obligations to the daily press of the Territory for their kindness in exchanging their dailies for a weekly. But some of them might give credit a little oftener for items gobbled bodily, without doing themselves any great harm.

THE Albuquerque Democrat is hoggish. It demands of its weekly exchanges the publication of a big advertisement in exchange for its daily, and then steals the local items from the weeklies without giving the least sign of credit, or saying so much as "thank you." We repeat it; the Albuquerque Democrat is hoggish.

It seems that the Deming edition of the Silver City Enterprise was merely a forerunner of what was to come. The holiday edition of that paper, is, by far, the finest illustrated edition ever issued in the Territory. It is a complete compendium of facts in regard to the resources and advantages of Grant county; illustrated by seventy very creditable engravings. 20,000 copies of the edition were printed, and THE INDEPENDENT predicts that the enterprising Enterprise and its liberal patrons will be amply rewarded for their pluck.

THE editor of THE INDEPENDENT regrets that he cannot be present at the Territorial meeting of newspaper men. We think the meeting can be made of great benefit to the Territorial press, if they will go about it right, attend strictly to business, and not spend too much time in jollification. One of the most important matters to be attended to is that of fixing a uniform schedule of advertising rates. There are contracts in force in this Territory with patent medicine and other foreign advertisers which hardly pay for the cost of the type setting, and the publishers are thus, virtually, giving away their advertising space. This is an injustice to both their home advertisers and to their subscribers, as well as to their contemporaries who hold out for living rates. Every fair-minded publisher can see the point, if he will. In this day of cheap plate matter, which is far more acceptable to the readers of the papers than so many patent medicine ads, there is no excuse for publishing a paper filled up with cheap or swindling ads. One-half the foreign advertising, at double the rates, would be more satisfactory all around, and we can get the rates if we stand by each other.

Dowager Empress Augusta of Germany died in Berlin of a grippe.

Senator Blackburn has been re-elected senator by the Kentucky legislature.

EDITORIAL EXPRESSIONS.

Expressed by Our Exchanges.

The Negral Nugget calls on God to give New Mexico statehood. Better leave the matter with congress.—Albuquerque Citizen.

The New Mexican thinks a "dark horse" will be nominated for chief justice. He cannot have any blicker record than some of the fellows who are candidates for the position.—Citizen.

The "organizers" of a certain New Mexico ditch, enterprise have pocketed a big cash profit before even a "preliminary survey" was made. Quick work that.—Stock Grower.

We intend to have religious toleration in New Mexico. No high civilization was ever achieved without it. Any special form of religious creed vain and shallow enough to suppose that it owns the people of New Mexico will be taught a lesson by the logic of events that will do it good.—Optic.

Pecos City, on the Texas and Pacific railroad, the county seat of Reyes county, adjoining El Paso on the east, and a village of about the same population as Ysleta, has just completed its eighth artesian well, and each well is constantly flowing a bold stream of water. The new well was sunk for water for fire purposes, and sends a large stream up to a height of twenty-seven feet above the surface. And yet the metropolitan city of El Paso sits idly by, with hands folded across its lap, waiting for a rise in the Rio Grande.—El Paso Herald.

The Democrat is entirely too severe in its denunciations of Gen. Crook. That distinguished soldier has his faults and failings like other mortals, but through his long and notable military career he has been true to every trust reposed in him, and he has a more intimate and accurate acquaintance with the Indians than any other army man. Gen. Crook is a plain, simple, sturdy soldier, and he has been abused quite too much because he didn't run Geronimo and his Apaches to the earth. He did all under the circumstances that could fairly be expected.—Optic.

That communication from Capt. W. H. Kingsbury of El Paso, published in the Optic about two weeks ago, concerning the vile and heartless treatment that helpless invalids were subjected to at the National Surgical Institute, at Indianapolis, Indiana, has created a profound effect all through the country, and the Optic has been unable to supply the demand for extra copies of the paper containing the article. The Optic doesn't fear a libel suit in an issue of this kind, and, fortified with innumerable facts, it bids defiance to the sleek, well-fed, and heartless rascals and scoundrels who are outdoing invalids from all over the country to their "Surgical Institute." The managers of this Indianapolis man-trap ought to be in the penitentiary. The Indianapolis press has been bought up to screen the wretches.—Optic.

General Crook blubbing over Geronimo and his Apaches present a picture to make men ashamed that this Crook belongs to the American race. When he stood there weeping senile tears over the fiends incarnate who had soaked the very earth of Arizona and New Mexico with the blood of his fellow countrymen, one can not but wonder that the very Apaches themselves did not say to him in language similar to that of Christ to the daughters of Jerusalem: "Weep not for me, but for yourselves and your children, for you murdered infants, you outraged women, your burned homes, your massacred sons, husbands and brothers—weep for them whom we slew and whose bones are bleaching on the sands of New Mexico and Arizona, with no hand upheld to avenge them!" If Gen. Crook should come out here with his insane lamentations the people would justly feel inclined to inflict on him a moiety of the punishment deserved by Geronimo and his band. If every red skinned devil of the lot had been burned at the stake, they would not have atoned for the hundredth part of the woe, sorrow, agony and suffering they inflicted upon the people of Arizona and New Mexico. Then for Crook to act the part of a sentimental fool and weep because he found these fiends raking leaves and pining for their freedom, is enough to exhaust the patience of those who suffered so severely at the Apaches' pitiless hands.—Albuquerque Democrat.

The first agricultural experiment station according to Prof. W. O. Atwater of the United States Department of Agriculture, was established at a little German village near Leipsic in 1851. In 1853 there were five, in 1861 fifteen, in 1868 thirty, and today there are more than one hundred experiment stations and kindred institutions in the countries of Europe. The first agricultural experiment station in America was established at Middletown, Ct., in 1875. There were four in operation in 1880, and in 1887 some seventeen in fourteen States. In the latter year Congress made the enterprise national by an appropriation of \$15,000 per annum to each of the States and Territories having agricultural colleges or departments of colleges. This has led to increased activity and there are now forty-six, or counting branches, fifty-seven agricultural experiment stations in the United States. To support these forty-six stations the National and State Appropriations for the past year reached about \$720,000, and over 370 trained men are employed.

The Boston Globe joins the cry of the wooden nutmeg farmers of Massachusetts against national measures for reclaiming the west's arid lands. It doesn't see the sense in such an enterprise as long as "there is plenty of land right here in New England." This quotation will make the western farmer laugh right heartily. One acre of southwestern "desert" under ditch will produce more than six acres in the New England states. The Globe should travel a little and perhaps it could then realize how small New England really is.—New Mexican.

TERRITORIAL TALK.

The Fort Worth Gazette of Monday, December 30, contains an excellent letter about Eddy and the Pecos valley.

The grape crop of the Mesilla valley the past season has been immense. Thus J. Bull sold grapes to two firms in Fort Worth, realizing from them on sales about \$1,000. Reinhart, the Lus Cruces saloon keeper who left that city under a cloud about a year ago, has just been heard from in Philadelphia. He sent \$50 to his family from that place the other day.

The heavy rain storm prevailing for two days in the lower Rio Grande valley has filled the river and made the broad plains of the Jornada a sheet of water and slimy mud. This heavy weather is a great gift from the skies to the New Mexican ranges.

For some time past an unknown Mexican desperado has been terrorizing the mining camp of Georgetown with his gun, and had shot at several inoffensive citizens who had ventured to protest at his behaviour. A few days ago officers attempted to arrest him, but hegot the drop on them and they were compelled to fall back. His success made him all the more bold and last Sunday he again fired at a man in the suburbs of the town, the ball passing through the citizen's hat. Yesterday a couple of officers hunted him down and arrested him, and were taking him to jail when they were met by a mob of masked men who took the prisoner away from them and going into a neighboring grove hanged him to a tree and riddled his body with bullets. An old bullet wound was found on the desperado's body. Nothing is known of his identity save that he was the companion of the notorious Mexican Pitar, known to many in Silver City.—Sentinel.

It is only a solemn duty to the public which compels the news papers to state the unsavory fact that the man who goes to bed with his chest covered with a hot onion poultice and his stomach full of boiled onions will wake up to find his grippe disgraced and gone: It is an heroic remedy but brings with it a great reward.

Congressman Kelley, of Pennsylvania, died on the 10th.

The latest conundrum in Chicago is "Why should Boston be called the "Windy City?"

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The almost unknown town of Amarillo shipped 75,278 head of cattle last year.

A project is on foot to make Fort Worth the great horse market of the southwest.

Palestine is importing South Carolina negroes for farm laborers, 150 having arrived at that place last week by one train.

The date for the cattlemen's convention at Fort Worth, is fixed for February 11th. The call contains the signatures of ten governors, five presidents of stock associations and all the principal cattle raisers in the country.

Patents to Lincoln County Lands.

Table with columns: NO., TO WHOM ISSUED, DATE, KIND. Lists various land patents including names like J. C. White, Samuel Wells, William H. Chapman, etc.

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LAND OFFICE AT ROSWELL, N. M. January 10th, 1890. NOTICE is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim...

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Master's Sale.

NATHANIAL MOORE vs. JAMES E. STAGG.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Third Judicial District Court of the Territory of New Mexico, on the 20th day of November, A. D. 1889, in the above entitled cause, wherein Nathaniel Moore, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against James E. Stagg, the above named defendant, on the 28th day of October, A. D. 1889, for the sum of one thousand four hundred and twenty-one and 51-100 dollars, besides interest and costs, which said decree was duly recorded in the record book of said court, and by said decree I am appointed Special Master and commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the town of Nogal, County of Lincoln, Territory of New Mexico, described as follows, to-wit: "Lot 12 in block 44 in the said town of Nogal, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining. Also the Nogal Nugget Newspaper, press, type and all the appurtenances thereto belonging, including the books, subscription list and outstanding accounts pertaining to the carrying on of the business of publishing and issuing said newspaper.

Dated, January 2d, 1890.

Legal Notice.

Territory of New Mexico, County of Lincoln.

In the third Judicial District court sitting within and for the county of Lincoln at the April term, A. D. 1890, and before the Honorable John K. McFie, Judge thereof.

FERNANDO HERRERA, Administrator of the estate of Wm. J. Gill, deceased, vs. GEORGE S. JONES.

George S. Jones, of the county of Lincoln, Territory of New Mexico, but who cannot be found nor personally served with the summons and other process issued in the above entitled cause, is hereby notified that an action of trespass on the case in assumpsit with attachment has been brought against him by Fernando Herrera, as administrator of the estate of William J. Gill, deceased, to recover the sum of five hundred dollars with 12 per cent. interest from the 18th day of January A. D. 1887, and costs of action. That one hundred (100) head of cattle have been attached as his property and that unless he appear at the next term of the Third Judicial District Court, sitting within and for the county of Lincoln and April, A. D. 1890, and defend said cause, judgment will be rendered against him therein and said property be sold to satisfy the same. FERNANDO HERRERA, Administrator of the estate of Wm. J. Gill deceased.

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Notice in Chancery.

TERRITORY OF NEW MEXICO, THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, COUNTY OF LINCOLN.

No. 726. GREGORY, COOLEY & Co., vs. WM. A. HOLLOWAY, et al. In Chancery

The said defendant, William A. Holloway, is hereby notified that a suit in Chancery has been commenced against him, together with H. L. Adams, Cabo Adams, T. A. Lambert, I. H. Birney, J. B. Lucas, the Colorado National Bank, Burns Walker & Co., E. T. Swinney, A. Print, J. B. Slaughter and Barry Gatewood, in the District Court within and for the county of Lincoln, by the said Complainants, Gregory, Cooley & Co., a co-partnership firm, consisting of Allen Gregory, Henry A. Cooley and Lewis L. Hastings. The bill alleges that the said Complainants are the beneficiaries of a valid and subsisting Chattel Mortgage, upon all the right, title and interest of the said defendant, William A. Holloway, of, in, and to Three Thousand Five Hundred head of cattle belonging to Adams & Holloway and on their ranch in Lincoln county, New Mexico, the interest of the said William A. Holloway being a 15-16 interest in the whole number of said cattle. Said cattle are in the following brands and ear marks to-wit: 7 on hip, ear mark then crop. The right, slit the left; also the following brand V on side, ear mark then, underdial crop the right, swallow-fork the left, also then on each hip T and also the following road brand C— Said Mortgage is given to Berry Gatewood, Trustee, for the benefit of the Complainants, and is dated January 29th A. D. 1887, and is to secure the payment of two promissory notes made by the said William A. Holloway, to the said Complainants, under their firm name, and payable at their office in the City of Chicago, and state of Illinois; both of said notes are dated at Colorado, Texas, January 29th, 1887, and bearing interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date until paid, and ten per cent Attorney's fees if sued upon, one of said notes being for the sum of \$2470.77, made payable on the first day of February, 1889, and the other note is for the sum of \$2470.27, and is made payable on the first day of February, 1889; neither of which notes, nor the interest thereon, have been paid. Complainants allege that there are other creditors of said firm of Adams and Holloway and other Mortgages upon said cattle, which other Mortgages have been satisfied in fact, but have not been satisfied of record.

Complainants pray that an account may be taken of all the claims, debts and Mortgages against the said firm of Adams and Holloway, and that after such debts, as are partnership debts, are determined and the priority of right, between all of the Mortgages are determined, that the Court decree and order paid, all such partnership debts as are prior in right, and in law to the debt due to the Complainants; and that the Complainants be decreed to receive any surplus that may remain after paying the claims prior in right to the claim of the Complainants. Bill also prays for further and general relief.

You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said suit on or before the first day of next April term of said Court, commencing on the 21st day of April A. D. 1890, a decree pro confesso therein will be rendered against you.

A. I. CHERRY, Clerk and Register in Chancery.

JOHN J. COOKRELL, Solicitor for the Complainants.

Notice in Chancery.

No. 432. A. M. JAMES, plaintiff, vs. BRUNSWICK, et al, defendants. In the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico.

The said defendants, Elizabeth Killereau and her husband, Charles Killereau, are hereby notified that a suit in chancery has been commenced against them in the District Court for the county of Lincoln, Territory of New Mexico, by said complainant, A. M. James, wherein it is prayed that the real estate of which John Winters died, seized, or a sufficient part thereof be sold, and the proceeds applied to the payment of the debts of said estate. That unless you enter your appearance in said suit on or before the first day of the next April term of court commencing on the 21st day of April, 1890, a decree pro confesso will be rendered against you.

A. I. CHERRY, Clerk of District Court. All Postmasters are authorized and requested to act as agents for THE LINCOLN INDEPENDENT.

Hari-Kari.

The Japanese, the most enlightened and refined of all eastern nations, taboed the duello ages ago. They condemned it on the eminent practical and common sense ground that the injured party to a quarrel is as likely to suffer death in addition to his original injury, as he is to obtain satisfaction or revenge. By a subtle refinement of thought, however, which seems to the occidental mind the height of absurdity, they substituted suicide as the proper proceeding in case a man's honor is infringed and he is unable to obtain revenge. Hari-kari, as this form of suicide is called, is beyond question the most curious institution ever known among an intelligent people. It obtains only among the higher classes, and among them it is universal. If a nobleman considers himself insulted by an equal in rank, he solemnly proclaims that he will on a certain day restore his family honor and obtain revenge by hari-kari. Then, on that day, in the presence of his family and entire retinue of servants, and with the attendance of a priest, he kills himself with elaborate ceremony. The assemblage is gathered in a room specially prepared with an altar or platform, on which the nobleman kneels and makes a speech, in which he relates the honor and dignity of his family and calls on the spirits of his dead ancestors to observe that he transmits untarnished to posterity the honor which they have bequeathed to him. Then he sets forth the circumstances leading to the proceeding he is about to take, and receiving from his oldest son or some near male relative, the knife which is kept in every family for this special purpose, he slashes himself across the abdomen from the right hip to the left. The drama is not ended, however, with his death. A duly attested certificate of what he has done is forwarded by his family to the man who insulted him with a demand that he shall kill himself, and it is said that in the many centuries during which hari-kari has been in vogue no instance has been known in which this demand has been refused.

According to the statement of Mr. ... The holiday ... quarter of a cent per pound margin. His net cost was 5.80 cents per pound, and his net returns were 6.17 cents. In the total amount of business his profits were stated at \$18,104.40; an average of \$1.22 per head.

PROGRESS OF INVENTIONS SINCE 1845.

In the year 1845 the present owners of the Scientific American newspaper commenced its publication, and soon after established a bureau for the procuring of patents for inventions at home and in foreign countries. During the year 1845 there were only 602 patents issued from the U. S. Patent Office, and the total issue from the establishment of the Patent Office, up to the end of that year numbered only 4,347.

Up to the first of July this year there have been granted 400,413. Showing that since the commencement of the publication of the Scientific American there have been issued from the U. S. Patent Office 402,166 patents, and about one third more applications have been made than have been granted, showing the ingenuity of our people to be phenomenal, and much greater than even the enormous number of patents issued indicates. Probably a good many of our readers have had business transacted through the offices of the Scientific American, in New York or Washington, and are familiar with Mun & Co's mode of doing business, but those who have not will be interested in knowing something about this old-fashioned, but still existing, firm in this country, probably in the world.

In conversation with one of the firm who had commenced the business of soliciting patents in connection with the publication of the Scientific American more than forty years ago, I learned that his firm had made application for patents for upwards of one hundred thousand inventors in the United States, and several thousand in different foreign countries, and had filed as many cases in the Patent Office in a single month as there were patents issued during the entire first year of their business career. This gentleman had seen the Patent Office grow from a tiny office to a large one, and he modestly listed that many thought the Scientific American, with its large circulation, had performed no mean share in stimulating inventions and advancing the interests of the Patent Office. But it is not alone the patent soliciting that accounts for the success of Mun & Co, but a large number are engaged on the four publications issued weekly and monthly from their office, 881 Broadway, N. Y., viz: The Scientific American, the Scientific American Supplement, the Export Edition of the Scientific American, and the Scientific American Under Builders Edition of the Scientific American. The first two publications are issued every week, and the other two, the best of every month.

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CONSTITUTION. Of the New Mexico Territorial Farmers Alliance.

DECLARATION OF PURPOSES. Profoundly impressed that we the Farmers Alliance, united by the strong ties of financial and home interests, should set forth our declaration of intentions; we therefore resolve:

- 1. To labor for the education of the agricultural classes in the science of political government in a strictly non-partisan spirit.
2. To endorse the motto "in things essential, unity; in all things charity."
3. To develop a better state mentally, morally, socially and financially.
4. To create a better understanding for sustaining civil officers in sustaining law and order.
5. To constantly strive to secure entire harmony and good will among ourselves.
6. To suppress personal, local, sectional and national prejudices; all unwholesome rivalries and selfish ambition.
7. The highest jewels which it garners are the tears of widows and orphans, and it impudently commands us to visit the homes where the loved hearts are bleeding, to assist the suffering of a brother or sister; bury the dead, care for the widows and educate the orphans; to exercise charity towards offenders; to construe words and deeds in their most favorable light, granting him every purpose and good intention to others; and to protect the principles of the Alliance unto death. Its laws are reason and equity; its cardinal doctrine inspire purity of thought and life, its intention is "peace on earth and good will toward men."

ARTICLE I. NAME AND OFFICERS. Section 1.—Name. This shall be known as the State or Territorial Farmers Alliance of New Mexico, and is under the jurisdiction of the National Farmers Alliance and Co-operative Union of America. Sec. 2.—Officers. The officers of this Alliance shall consist of a president, first and second vice president, secretary and assistant secretary, treasurer, lecturer and assistant lecturer, correspondence and assistant correspondence, sergeant-at-arms, and two agents.

ARTICLE II. Section 1.—The president's duties are to open the Alliance according to the ritual; in case of a called meeting, state the object, to preside over the body; to decide questions of order; to call special meetings when the good of the order demands it; and to expound the secret work. Sec. 2.—The vice president's duties are to assist the president, and in his absence perform his duties. Sec. 3.—The secretary's duties are to keep a correct record of the proceedings of this Alliance; to conduct its correspondence; to keep a roll of its members; to receive all moneys due this Alliance; and perform the same promptly to the treasurer, taking his receipt for the same.

ARTICLE III. Section 1.—The duties of the assistant secretary shall be to assist the secretary in the discharge of his duties. Sec. 2.—The treasurer's duty is to receive all moneys from the secretary and pay it out on the order of the president and secretary. Sec. 3.—The clerk's duties are to conduct the devotional exercises of the Alliance, and officiate at the funeral services at the death of a member of the order. Sec. 4.—It is the duty of the lecturer to read or deliver a lecture or address upon some topic of interest to the order at each meeting; of the assistant lecturer to assist the lecturer and to conduct candidates.

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ly clothed, to have charge of the room and keep the house in order.

Sec. 9. The duties of the sergeant-at-arms shall be to preserve peace and order and to execute the mandates of the president. Sec. 10. The duties of the trade agent shall be to look after the matter of the sale of the produce of the Alliance and the purchase of supplies, and such other business of a mercantile nature as may be required of him.

ARTICLE III. Section 1. The president shall appear at each annual session of the Alliance the following standing committees, to consist of three each, viz: Committee on appeals, committee on finance, committee on state of the order, committee on constitutions.

Sec. 2. The committee on appeals shall receive all appeals that may be presented to the Alliance, at least ten days before any regular session, and report thereon in writing.

Sec. 3. The committee on finance shall examine, audit and report upon all bills and claims presented; and the books and accounts and bonds at each session, report in writing the state of the finances, and at each annual session recommend such measures of finance as they may deem necessary.

Sec. 4. The committee on the state of the order shall, at each session of the Alliance, submit a report, containing such information as they may deem interesting or instructive. They shall take charge of such reports of officers, resolutions, petitions, etc., as may be referred to them, and recommend such measures as in their judgment, will best promote the interests of the order.

Sec. 5. The committee on constitution shall examine and report on all amendments to the constitution and by-laws submitted to them.

ARTICLE IV. Section 1. The revenues of this Alliance shall be derived from charter fees and supplies required by subordinate and county Alliances, and such per capita tax upon the membership of subordinate Alliances, and such fees for initiations as may be determined upon and voted at any annual meeting of the Territorial or State Alliance, and such special assessments as may be imposed by a two-thirds vote of the Territorial Alliance in regular meeting.

Sec. 2. The fees for charter and set of books and supplies shall be regulated by the Territorial Alliance, and new Alliances shall pay the necessary expenses of the organizing officers.

ARTICLE V. Section 1. No person shall be admitted as a member unless he has been a resident of New Mexico for six months past, and not then unless he be a farmer, a farm laborer, mechanic, country school teacher, country physician or a minister of the Gospel, be of a good moral character, believe in the existence of a Supreme Being, be of industrious habits, be a white person and over the age of sixteen years. Further, when any member of the Farmers Alliance shall engage in any business which would render him ineligible before initiation, said member shall be at once dismissed from the Alliance, and furnished by the secretary a written statement of the cause of his dismissal. Provided, That the above shall not apply to members of the Alliance who may be selected to buy and sell as merchants under the supervision of the Alliance.

ARTICLE VI. Upon the application of nine or more eligible persons through any authorized agent, the president and secretary of the Territorial Alliance shall issue to the subordinate Alliance a charter authorizing them to do business.

ARTICLE VII. Sec. 1. (Salaries of president and secretary laid on the table until the next meeting.) Sec. 2. The secretary upon assuming the duties of his office shall give a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$250, and the treasurer in the sum of \$500, and the trade agent in the sum of \$1,000.

ARTICLE VIII. In case of appeals from the subordinate or county Alliances the parties who act as attorneys in the subordinate or county Alliances shall conduct the case, but this shall not bar any person from defending himself.

ARTICLE IX. All amendments to this constitution shall be handed to the committee on constitution and by them revised and referred to the Territorial Alliance at a regular meeting of that body and require a two-thirds vote of all members present for an adoption.

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JOSE MONTANO. Postoffice, Lincoln, N. M. Range, Rio Bonito. Horses branded same as cows on left side.

S. W. LLOYD. Postoffice, White Oaks, N. M. Range, Rio Bonito. Cattle also are branded diamond on left side and M on left side and M on left hip; swell-necked; each ear horse brand, T on left shoulder.

T. C. TILLOTSON. Postoffice and range, Lower Pecos, N. M. Range, Lower Pecos. Brand, TOM on left side and T on left side and T on left side and T on left hip; swell-necked; each ear horse brand, T on left shoulder. L. W. H. GUYSE. Postoffice, Lincoln, N. M. Range, Rio Bonito. Brand, AN on left side and AN on left side and AN on left side and AN on left hip; swell-necked; each ear horse brand, T on left shoulder.

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