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McDONALD AT WHITE OAKS,
DECORATION DAY, May 30, 1890.

This is an occasion which should find us in that mood when "pleasant thoughts bring sad thoughts to the mind"; pleasant thoughts of the privileges which are ours to enjoy if we will, and sad thoughts of days not so bright as this has been and of the terrible price paid for us; thoughts which should blend sunshine and shadow in a grand strain of exalted patriotic feeling.

In these annually recurring memorial exercises, we typify the beautiful ideas of a memory kept ever green in the minds, the blossoms of gratitude and hope blooming in the hearts of a great people. It is well for us to recall, in a proper spirit, deeds and events which, while they carried sorrow and sadness to loving hearts bereft and pleasant homes broken and desolated by the hand of the grim destroyer at the same time swept from our land the dangerous and pernicious doctrines of secession and nullification and the nationally degrading institution of slavery, making these United States one country of freemen all.

Conditions change—principles are enduring. The causes that brought on the struggle of the civil war, we may not fully understand. Far be it from me to detract one iota from the courageous conduct of any man, or to condone the guilty ambition, wherever it may have been that would wilfully have disrupted this Union. Mistaken doctrines under peculiar conditions, do not, however, necessarily make bad men. To contend for the right as it has been given to men to be seen, has never made cowards and hypocrites. What is from what has been we may understand with reasonable accuracy. What might be from what might have been is largely speculative, and belongs to that class of problems which will never be satisfactorily solved. It is now gladly conceded that the only safe enduring foundation principle, under all conditions, for our Republic, is and was that expressed in the closing words of the greatest speech of America's greatest orator, which is now, indeed, "dear to every true American heart," "Liberty and union, now and forever, one and inseparable."

From the dawn of history till today men have rendered grateful, admiring homage to the memory of those who had nobly laid down their lives for what they believed to be the honor and safety of their fellowmen. Alexander sought new worlds for conquest for himself. Caesar beat back the northern hordes from the gates of Rome to maintain more than Imperial grandeur; Napoleon made France a Republic that he might grasp at the Empire of the world. These were contests for despotic power. Our soldiers fought to maintain and advance the rights of humanity and individual sovereignty. If it could be truly said of old that it is sweet and becoming to die for one's country, how peaceful should be the rest of those who fell under the starry banner.

"Oh if there be on this earthly sphere
A boon, an offering heaven holds dear.
'Tis the last libation liberty draws
From the heart that bleeds and breaks
in her cause."

Time and circumstances have calmed all true hearts which at one time mayhap beat in anger and hatred. A quarter of a century has united the broken links of State and healed the wounds of individual misfortune. The political significance of Mason and Dixon's line is fast being obliterated by the hand of commerce and the better social and business understanding of all sections of our common country. There is no longer the North and South of even a few years ago. Anything that still tends to revive the bitterness of the past or perpetuate those feelings is beyond any conception of the qualities of patriotic modesty, or the demands of honest intelligent citizenship. There should be nothing there is nothing; there can be nothing that shall ever again have power to reopen those wounds or sever again the bonds of brotherhood which have come from one of the most critical contests in the world's history. The record of that war has been written and re-written; told by men of widely differing views; by those well informed to speak but unreliable because not impartial; by those who would be just but who were not well informed, and by those combining both qualities to some extent. The wisdom of man is finite; his knowledge is limited. From the conflicting testimony each of us, aided by honest, discriminating judgment, has the right to make up a verdict for personal guidance. The defeats and victories, failures and triumphs will never be fully explained or comprehended. We know that the great and all important settlement came. The clouds broke and rolled back. Over the awful field of carnage shone once more the sun of peace. The fierce strain upon our experimental institutions was stopped. The wisdom of the fathers was vindicated and out of the heat of civil war has come to us an undisputed indivisible union of indestructible states, resting upon the old constitution, with the old flag floating over all.

There are some here who have stood in the ranks of war. Who have done their duty from the picket line to the deadly charge. They have seen death on every hand and know from bitter experience what it has cost to bring us peacefully united to the closing years of the nineteenth century. And while we remember those who have gone we forget not those who still survive and would see them honored and rewarded according to their degree of merit. Those who dared to do and feared not to die, are passing rapidly away. In a few short years the great armies of men who were so full of life and hope and courage will be known no more this side the line that marks the boundary of man's short period. But the influence of those who have lived and died nobly goes on forever. Pericles once said, "the whole earth is the sepulchre of illustrious men," and Edward Everett

has continued, "All time, he might have added, is the millennialism of their glory." We honor the memory of the dead and the presence of the living, who were and are heroic in thought and action. Men who fought with high purpose were made great within themselves, by testing and developing their best qualities. Mercenary, ignoble conduct, inordinate longings after the "flesh-pots" of creation, loud vaunting and boasting of *we*, have never been characteristic of heroes. I have no false colors to paint the skies in honor of time servers moving in the shadows of nobler men and shining by the reflected light of the great achievements of others. The pure gold of truth and common sense should be the setting for the great and good who proved manhood by manly deeds. Indiscriminate praise—adulation—cannot change the facts. It is the substitute of the flatterer for plain speech and simple eulogy. Justice to the worthy demands fair and impartial judgment of all under all conditions.

Physical demonstration on the field of battle never brought out a hero unless there had been a preparatory work of mental and moral forces which studied the heart and nerved the arm to strike the blow in the name of right as it appeared from the higher ground of mature consideration, crystallized into principle. The most severe struggles that tried men's souls were in the silent watches of the night when the careless, the thoughtless and the reckless slept, and recked not of the uncertainty of the morrow. He who looked far away, north or south to a pleasant home and friends, saw children at play: saw wife, mother, sweetheart, who might look in vain for him who could heroically press back the tears from sleepless eyes, look beyond the vision of love, and say; "This is my duty, this sacrifice will I make if need be, not alone for my country but for man's honor." He was a hero.

A new generation has risen since the war and upon the wisdom of them and those who come after will depend the future harvests of the seed sown by their predecessors. By mutual concessions for general protection our government was formed, but to the individual is retained such rights and privileges as no where else are recognized; and in each factor is held the power, which, in its influence combined with others, must make what there is and is to be of good and evil, right and wrong in the government which they make, because it and the people are one and inseparable. Therefore it is the conduct of individuals and what relates to them as such that I shall chiefly consider for a few moments, leaving it with you to develop farther anything that may appear to your minds worthy.

We say truly that this is an age of progress. We may say with equal truth that this is a world—a universe—of progress. Not continual change to new things under the same conditions, but the irresistible expansion and development of the unseen, unknown forces

which lie deep in the heart of Nature, and which have done the great work from the dawn of creation through the countless ages to the present time. We may see in history what appears to have been decadence at times, but careful study will clearly show constant progress in fact, humanity in reality ever advancing, emerging from apparent disaster, stronger and nobler, higher in civilization, with greater resources and more completely equipped.

We are all developing in some direction, and according to our thought is that development. Each possesses an inborn force which is the basis of the individualism in him or her, and which, combined for a given purpose with the similar but vastly differing units around, constitutes the total of man's power in that direction, relating back and resting as surely upon the unit—the individual—as an arithmetical sum does upon its units. Nothing outside ourselves can make us or make us alike to any great extent, except the ascendancy of that superb vigor that we call superior will power, or the unperceived influences which come from those whose thoughts and development are in harmony with our own.

All the wealth expended or blood shed in man's history has never yet made a man or woman better, or greater except as the action has supplied the seed that has come to the individual, taken root as a motive thought, and developed into lofty principle. What is a Marathon or a Saratoga, a Waterloo or a Gettysburg only as it shows the then tendency of thought and feeling for each one of us to consider and take hold upon as an instance of the potency of resistance to wrong, embodied in the courage and manhood of those who marked the world's advance in them.

True courage, the courage of high character which leads to heroic action, must be preceded by and result from elevated thought, and this by intellect developed to the thought. When the mind, by reason, touched by kindly charity, has decided for itself, and impelled by moral force, determines to risk all for the right as it is perceived by that mind, the courage is there. In action we call it heroism. When it sacrifices for country it is patriotism. When it protects the weak and innocent from insult and injury it is the highest type of manliness. That kind of courage is not found only in a struggle of arms nor is it necessarily found there. The battles that make men and women truly great do not demand a bloody field of action.

Magnanimous thought and tender feeling are the invisible forces which can drive out selfishness and malice and jealousy and all the corrupting throng that contend in the daily struggle for supremacy over the individual, striving to mar and deface the beautiful structure that is possible from the Divine spark kindled at birth, which may be lit up and made gloriously radiant. Some one has said "To seek with all our strength the highest welfare of the world we live in, and the realization of its ideal greatness and nobleness and blessedness—this is being religious." The religion of each is his or her own, and is indicated by the degree of perfection of the character that reveals it.

No one who has ever considered at all has failed to see that life is a continual combat of opposing impulses and influences with ones self, and of conflicting interests in relation to others. The great battle is going on everywhere. Forces unknown yesterday are busy to-day and to-morrow will come others now dormant. It seems to me that this is a most important epoch, and that the contending elements of good and evil in man are engaged in such a warfare as never known before. And is the result doubtful, do you think? No, while science and thought have opened the secrets of the earth, they have ascended to higher realms. The mind's scope is still limited but it is being ever broadened and deepened in the power of its dominion, and fortified as well against dogmatic superstition as against chaotic darkness.

Great work has been done and its record endures in song and story, in the pages of history and in the revelations of scientific and philosophic research. Now in the year 1890, as we stand at the highest point ever attained, who is there who cannot say with Tennyson:

"Yet I doubt not thro' the ages one increasing purpose runs,
And the thoughts of men are widened with the process of the suns."

As time passes, the things of the past rapidly recede and become dim. The present alone is said to be real, while the

future lies all along from the present to the vast unknown illimitable. What is the actual present? It is but the instant now and immediately we are pressing forward into the great beyond. What do we know of the present? What is its reality except as it comes by the knowledge of the people and things that have lived and been before, (though they now are); colored by the visions of the future. You may say: this is a practical age; we are not dreamers; we are living in the present; we do not imagine, we reason. It may be so, yet it may also be a good plan to try to find out what we are doing, and how we are doing it.

Have you ever thought of the secret currents of the heart and the hidden recesses of the mind? Stir those currents with the touch of inspiring force, and see how strange new pulsations will quicken, and throw a flood of new light into the mind and disperse the dark shadows. And with this new light—this inspiration—will come the revelation that will appear on every side in all things. Inspiration and revelation were not reserved to be held forever between the two lids of that great book we call the Bible. Are these dreams or are we just waking to a realization of what lies beyond the old horizon and the perception of the physical senses.

Life is what we make it in our strength or weakness, each one for him or herself. The one who gathers the tangled threads of the past, touches them with the bright colors of the future, and weaves a bright airy fabric which lasts for a day, is perhaps to be envied. It is a happy disposition. Such make the world more pleasant and agreeable for the time being. Those who by the perversion of nature in creation, or by developed vice, live in the shadow of their own baseness, and with the poisoned tongue and disgraceful manner of life expose the distorted mind and blackened heart, are to be pitied. Over those we can afford to cast the mantle of charity.

The lives that have been and are capable of true greatness, of courageous thought and heroic conduct, must have passed through struggles which no human eye has ever seen and none but they will ever understand. Out of the sight of the world and beyond the reach of corrupting forces—from the fountain head of man's immortal being—has come the might to triumph over sorrow and misfortune; to rise superior to environment that would have cast down and destroyed the better part of weaker souls. We see them but we never know them. They know what it is to "laugh with a sorrow at the heart," and spr'd sunshine for the pleasure of others. The record of their greatest victories is written in the heart and will be—

"Gathered like a scroll within the tomb;"
"Unread forever,"
while the results manifested in character which has made better the world they lived in, go on to the end.

The past has had noble, illustrious manhood, and pure, splendid womanhood. This generation is higher in the scale of civilization, superior in developed forces to any of the past. We cannot see far into the future, yet we see there possibilities little dreamed of in the past—possibilities for the human race and for our country, for things high and glorious. Will the personality of the world be strong enough to grasp them? In the great plan it must be so. Greater exertion, nobler aims and higher aspirations will alone aid us to assist in the peaceful and happy solution of the problems of to-day, and those already foreshadowed as of the coming time.

From individual thought and individual action emanates the strength or weakness of every nation and every government. Upon the integrity of its units depends the sum of man.

'Tis now many years since the song of battle softened, let us hope forever, to the sweet melodies of peace. From the purple field has sprung a new and more perfect union, cemented in the fraternal life-blood of America's children, gathered from the chilly northern clime and the sunny southern land, and embracing many tongues and nationalities. May it be ours to aid in eradicating every vestige of that lingering sectional prejudice, which should long ago have been forever put to rest with the tears shed and flowers strewn in memory of the brave dead.

We may read, study, observe, think—develop and enlarge the mind with the principles of right and justice and liberty, and the nobleness of man's station in the universe. The knowledge of the world is at our command to draw from. We have the past as a guide for our footsteps which reach out into the future.

The great sacrifice which we commemorate has not been in vain. Over the altars raised in turmoil and strife, consecrated at the cannon's mouth, on every battle-field in this broad land, all the way from Manassas to Appomattox; whereon was offered the priceless treasure of the hearts of the best and the bravest of our country, North and South, has risen the magnificent temple of peaceful permanent union, dedicated to the cause of mankind, living, speaking testimony to the strength and endurance of republican institutions. In that temple it is our privilege to worship.

Each of us has a constant never-ending battle within. We need all the energy and patience that the centuries have bestowed upon this age. May there be victories for each one such as belong to true men and women, and which united shall make strong the weak, lift up the dependent, and blot out of this fair land the tears and anguish of innocence and love.

"Enough, if something from our hands have power,
To live, and work, and serve the future hour."

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THE INTERPRETER,

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The following from the Las Vegas Optic, the leading republican paper in the Territory, has a vein of honesty seldom found among politicians. Its allusion to the New Mexican is every word the truth:

"Col. Max Frost has the fatuous luck of keeping himself in hot water during the larger part of his time. At present he is laboriously contemplating the propriety of calling out the editor of the Santa Fe Sun at twelve paces. If Max could ever get his consent to cease his silly, monotonous and tiresome editorial squeak about "boodle and boodlers" his page of the New Mexican would carry more influence than it does. The Optic is no enemy to Max but his faults in journalism are so glaring that we cannot well help noticing them. Your chirp about boodle is humbuggery, Max, and you know it very well; and you know furthermore that you are just about as sensitive to the seductive influence of boodle temptations as any man now living.

Geo. B. Barber and Frank Lesnet are the two members of the Republican Territorial Committee for Lincoln county. While such men are selected to look after affairs for the republican party in this county, democrats will be treated with a gentlemanly and decorous regard, and it behooves the democrats to be on their guard, as Barber and Lesnet are workers, of a character that is not on a par with the self constituted leaders of so called auxiliary schemes—they are in to win. The "patriots" are for the spoils and of late seem to have received them.

Governor Prince, in a now well known interview with a Chicago reporter, called our Mexican fellow citizen "greasers," and spoke of them in a most disparaging manner. His last outbreak was to go into the justice of the peace court at Santa Fe, and tell the justice of the peace, a Mexican gentleman, that he was a "d—d fool." As Governor Prince is the leader of the republican party in New Mexico, it is to be presumed that he speaks for his party when he thus wantonly insults our Mexican fellow citizens. It is only following up what another famous republican said about the people of New Mexico when he called them "a set of hooded whores and blanketed horse-thieves;" and is thoroughly in

keeping with the infamous republican minority report against the admission of New Mexico which insulted our Mexican fellow citizens in the grossest and vilest manner. The Mexicans are notoriously a polite race, but their manly pride will assuredly make them resent in a most emphatic manner these continued and infamous insults of the republican party both in the nation at large and the Territory.—M. V. Democrat.

The defections from the republican ranks here have been so great that there has been a call for the "last reserve, forlorn hope—boys of eighteen years stand forward! your fathers refuse to wear the "Black Cap." What a commentary! Even the Valencia county sheep can't be counted on. Shades of Lincoln, Grant, Garfield! where, Oh where, is the "G. O. P.?"—M. V. Democrat.

Railroad Competition Again Bought Off.

It seems pretty well understood that the Santa Fe railway company has finally secured complete control of the Frisco and Atlantic & Pacific roads. This acquisition makes the A. T. & S. F. nearly double the largest railway system in the world, increasing it by over 1,400 miles. Those conservative Englanders begin to realize what greatness the future has in store for the southwest.—Raton Reporter.

It does seem as though the railroad monopolies—which includes the Rock Island, the U. P. and Santa Fe lines have all conspired together to euchre northern New Mexico and the Panhandle of Texas out of an east and west line of railroad. What we now need is some live, wide awake railroad organizer to take hold and get out a charter for a line of railroad from Liberal, Kansas, to Albuquerque New Mexico, via White Oaks. New Mexico will never become rapidly prosperous until we can properly get an east and west outlet. As it is now the Santa Fe has the Territory completely muzzled, besides having run a successful bluff on the Rock Island and stopped her short at Liberal, Kansas—just as the latter was about to enter the territory and save us from the clutches of the S. F. Octopus. The U. P. or the D. & Ft. W. and the Santa Fe are in a queer predicament—one company is "afraid and the other is not." If the Rock Island and U. P., which companies are working together, undertake to push their Liberal branch down into eastern New Mexico and on through to White Oaks and Albuquerque, then the Santa Fe will bob up and declare competition by opening up the Frisco and Atlantic Pacific line, and by this means the Santa Fe keeps standing a monumental bluff on the aforesaid

roads. In the meantime eastern New Mexico with its vast coal and iron fields and millions of acres of fine farming land lies undeveloped and unknown. Here lies a rich stretch of fine, "free," government land, 195 miles long and 85 miles wide, comparatively unknown and undeveloped, and all because we accidentally happened to be the victimized grounds of a railroad bluffing scheme.

The people can console themselves on one point, however, and that is the formation of the Neutral Strip or No Man's Land into a territorial form of government, which fact will be the forerunner of an immense immigration to our sister territory, and we hope that some company will see the immense benefit and traffic to be secured by building a cut off line from White Oaks, New Mexico, to Liberal, Kansas.—Clayton Enterprise.

DECORATION DAY.

Last Friday, the G. A. R. and the W. R. C., with a large number of the citizens of White Oaks, assembled at the Congregational Church at 3 o'clock, p. m., from whence they proceeded to the Cemetery, and with flowers and evergreens decorated the graves of departed soldiers and friends. In the evening Comrade Lane called to order a large assemblage of the citizens at the Church, which was handsomely decorated with flags, wreaths and floral offerings. Rev. S. W. Thomas offered an earnest and touching prayer. The singing, by the quartette, of memorial hymns was rendered with good effect. Hon. John Y. Hewitt made an address, instructive, dispassionate and in a strong argumentative manner—dwelt upon the pension question especially. His address demonstrated the position maintained by the best thinkers in the G. A. R., that they were not seeking or asking for pensions for the unworthy; or do they ask such as alms, or as paupers. He counseled moderation and a conservative course; to avoid the extremes, and above all, gratitude to the Country for the munificence which the government was, and is, treating the old soldier. Mr. Hewitt was listened to with marked attention and considering the indisposition of the speaker, he being afflicted with a throat trouble, the address was exceedingly good.

The surprise of the evening was the masterly oration of our fellow-townsmen, W. C. McDonald, whose address will be found in this issue, which after much persuasion we are enabled to give to our readers, and we are proud of it and the orator, and the audience by their enthusiastic approval bear us out in assenting that, a more scholarly and well delivered address was not listened to in the Territory. It is worded with pathos, eloquence and

dignified sentiment. The committee who had charge of the arrangements, deserve the thanks of all for the very successful observance of the day, and above all the tact displayed in the selection of speakers. By some the G. A. R. people have been accused of being inclined to partisanship, but their actions on this occasion dispel, to a great extent, the accusation. Rev. Lane, at the close, delivered a few short and pleasant remarks, when the services of the day closed with singing America, and a benediction.

Official Changes.

W. B. Bunker, clerk of the district court, retires to-day, and M. A. Otero, jr., appointed as his successor by Chief Justice O'Brien, will qualify on Monday, having already filed his bond. Mr. Bunker has made hosts of friends among the legal fraternity and litigants as well, by his gentlemanly deportment and affable demeanor in discharging the functions of his office. Mr. Otero, the new clerk, is too well known to need any mention; suffice it to say that his honor could not have made a better selection, the appointee certainly possessing all the requirements necessary to make a competent, faithful and popular official. He will retain his office of probate clerk until a new board of county commissioners shall be elected next fall.—Optic.

The continued drouth is beginning to cause stockmen in this vicinity much uneasiness, not to say expense. Messrs. Young & Taliaferro will drive their stock in from the Gallinas to the Jones well in the Jicarillas. In the lower country, cattle are dying rapidly, the Carrizozo Co. being the heaviest sufferer. The streams from the White mountains are nearly all dry. Rain is the prayer of everyone this week.

The Republican "Auxiliary" Club, held a large and enthusiastic meeting last Saturday evening. The attendance all counted was five, two of these, young men under 18 years of age.

The two soldiers who deserted from Fort Stanton this week, reached the R. R. and took the train at Carthage—they cut the wire at the Fort Craig crossing, and in two other places. With the four mule outfit they succeeded in their escape leaving the mules at Carthage. They went along in style, and now the several detachments in search can go home and report.

Mr. White, of Seven Rivers, and J. B. Matthews, of Lower Penasco, report that on last Wednesday and Thursday there was the heaviest rainfall that has been known for years in their section of the country. Cattlemen say that in a short time grass will be abundant there, and there will be no more reports of cattle dying.—M. V. Democrat.

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WHERE WE GO.

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 Fort Stanton mail arrives 5:30 P. M.
 Leaves 7:30 A. M.
 Red Cloud mail leaves 2 P. M.
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LOCAL MATTERS.

Gospel.

The smallest truth can better stand
 The wear and tear and racket
 Than any lie that has to have
 Ten other lies to back it.

Lemons and Oranges just received.—A. Ridgeway.

Page Otero and party will be in the Jicarillas next week, again.

New Ladies' Hats just arrived.—Goodman, Ziegler & Co.

Gov. Prince is seriously ill at Santa Fe. His sister and other relatives have been telegraphed for.

The Jicarillas will have a little life infused again—the Well Co. are to re-new operations at once.

Fine Flannel and Seersucker Coats—also White Vests.—Goodman, Ziegler & Co.

The Parker boys, James and Morris, and Ernest Langston are expected home soon, to spend their summer vacation.

We are not authorized to mention any names, but it is quietly rumored that the new Supreme Court judgeship will go to a Whits' aks attorney.

Wm. Gallacher is the proud recipient of a girl baby. It arrived Monday morning—mother and child doing well.

It will require an army of 40,000 to take the eleventh census, not including the large number of special agents employed to take additional statistics.

Editor Erwin of the Roswell Register, came in from the Rio Grande yesterday, on his way home. He was the guest of Major Caffrey, and left for Roswell this morning.

Massino Olgin who plead guilty to horse stealing last week, and in default of bail was sent to jail, was released under a bail bond to appear before the grand jury at the next term of court.

This morning we received a letter from our old townsman, John P. Eakers. He is located at Rico, Colorado, and says that times are good there—Carpenters wages are \$4 per day. He wants the INTERPRETER, which he shall surely have.

The contract for carrying the Mail from San Antonio to White Oaks, has been sublet to Wm. Lane & Co., of this place, who will on July 1st, commence business with a complete outfit. They are daily expecting some new Concord coaches which will be placed on the line at once.

The Las Vegas Optic asks all concerned to hold up their hands and swear that the job to build the Agricultural Colleg was let square. A good hint has gone out that the whole letting of the contract was a gigantic fraud. If this is the case, it is a good time now to call a halt.

Mormons Passing.

New York, June 4.—One hundred and twenty Mormons arrived at this port this morning on the steamship Wisconsin, from Liverpool, under the leadership of Elder Wiley, representing the Union Pacific railroad, and Elder Prind, of the Mormon church. They are en route to Utah.

Dan Diehl and A. Anderson have gone to the Capitans to build a house—will be away some time.

J. P. C. Langston and wife made a flying-trip to Lincoln this week.

Treasurer Young is at Lincoln this week, attending to the wants of the county commissioners who are in session, and any one else who may have business with the County Treasurer.

Harry Taliaferro has come back from school and is behind the counter at Young & Taliaferro's again. Harry has studied hard the past School term and his friends are pleased to see him back again.

Among the patents issued at the Las Cruces Land Office are the following:

Lincoln County—John H. Stone, 652; Thomas B. Gordon, 657; Wm. H. Hudgens, 671; John Walters, 680; Edward G. Bennett, 782; Jacob Snover, 1338; Juan Jose Duran, 1343; John Windsor, 1344; Henry Windsor, 1345; Elijah Helms, 1353.

One of the greatest mistakes by the city of El Paso was its failure to secure the building of the White Oaks railroad. As it now stands the Pecos Valley road, which will be built to Eddy within the next year, will cut off a large trade that might have been directed in channels that would have brought in to El Paso for all time to come.—Las Cruces Republican.

An occasional steer trade is being made. M. E. Richardson writes that he has sold the El Capitan Company's steers. Clark M. Carr writes that he has sold the steers of the Cebolla company. There are still some good bargains to be had by those coming into the territory after them.—Stock Grower.

FOR SALE CHEAP.
LIGHT RACINE WAGON:
FOUR SPRINGS AND CAMOPY TOP.
 JOHN H. CANNING,
 Fort Stanton, N. M.—52
CITY BARBER SHOP.

OSCAR DYER has lately placed in fine shape, his barber shop, adjoining the Little Casino, where he has a good stock of razors, comfortable chair, clean towels, &c. Oscar is reasonable in his charges, and those desiring a good clean shave, hair cut, or shampoo, can procure the same at any time.

NOTICE.

On May 22nd, there was arrested, one Hugh Leper, a horse thief, who had in his possession the following described horse: One dun horse about 14½ hands high, branded on left shoulder with letters JB conjoined. The horse is now in my possession. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying the expense of this advertisement and care of the horse.

J. P. C. LANGSTON, Constable.
 White Oaks, N. M.

Nepotism at the Pen.

An act of the 28th Legislative Assembly practically stripped the Warden or Supt. of the New Mexico penitentiary of authority, making him a mere figure-head, and clothed the board of managers consisting of the auditor, treasurer and solicitor general of the territory, with almost autocratic control of the institution. At least, two of these managers, Auditor Alarid and Treasurer Antonio Ortiz y Salazar, both of whom have held office for nearly a quarter of a century, seem to be making the most of the extraordinary power vested in them. Not satisfied with transforming the institution into a corrupt political machine, they appear to be making it a kind of a house of refuge for their numerous impecunious relatives. Witness the following carefully prepared list of relatives of the two distinguished gentlemen who now hold subordinate positions in the penitentiary:

RELATIVES OF MANAGER ALARID.	
	PER MO.
*Luis Alarid, son, steward.....	\$ 60 00
Am' Ortiz, brother-in-law, guard.....	30 00
Jesus M. Baca y Tofoya, brother-in-law do	30 00
Santana Herrera, cousin, guard.....	30 00
Jose Ignacio, cousin.....	30 00
Total.....	\$210 00
Auditor Alarid's salary.....	175 00
†Total salary Alarid family.....	\$385 00
RELATIVES OF MANAGER ORTIZ.	
†Celestino Ortiz, son sec. board.....	\$ 75 00
Canuco Alarid, consin, captain.....	50 00
Ricardo Alarid, cousin, guard.....	30 00
Evaristo Duran, nephew guard.....	30 00
Total.....	\$185 00
Treasurer Ortiz y Salazar salary....	175 00
Total salaries Ortiz family.....	\$360 00
RECAPITULATION.	
Total salaries Alarid family.....	\$4,020 00
Total salaries Ortiz family.....	4,320 00
Total salaries two families....	\$8,340 00

*The employes of the penitentiary are boarded free by the territory.
 †Celestino Ortiz is also one of the clerks in the dry goods house of Grunsfield, Lindheim & Co., where he puts in most of his valuable time.

‡The Sun has been unable to ascertain the exact amount of profits derived by the Alarid family from their milk and wood contracts with the penitentiary, but presume they are not suffering therefrom.

For Simon-pure, unadulterated, monumental nepotism surely the New Mexico penitentiary beats the world.—Santa Fe Sun.

In addition to the above, serious charges have been preferred against the management, implicating the "Alarid and Ortiz" people in a scandal now being investigated by Managers. No one doubts that the report will be a complete whitewash.

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Ye Towne Halle, White Oaks,
Friday night, Ye Sixth of
June, Ano Dom, 1890. N. S.

- I. On ye way to Skule.
- II. Ye Mornynge Leffon.
- III. Ye Noone Houre.
- IV. Ye Afternoon Seffion.

PEDAGOGUE—Pythagoras Benoin
Corey.

BOYE SCOLLERS—Grover Cleve-
land, Benjamin Harrisson, Simms
Honeysuckle, Solomon Socrates
Honeysuckle, Johnine Bull Mc-
Court Honeysuckle, Hans Von
Heimmer Heison Stewart, Pete
Jaekson Browne, Michael O'Flynn
Parker.

MAYDENNE SCOLLERS—Susanna
Salvation Hull, Prudence Ann
Rudisille, Hannah Maria Parker,
Betsy Jane Buckner Honeysuckle,
Mehitable Bradford Lane, Peggy
Experience Parson, Temperance
Reed Honeysuckle, Jerusha Jemi-
ma Brown, Naomi Desire McCourt.

YE COMEITTEE—Squire Josephus
Ketchum Rudisille, Capt. Shubal
Cotton McDonald, Mistress Sybil
Strong Honysuckle.

N. B. At ye noone houre ye
younge menne may afk to fee ye
younge maydenns home, which is
proppeyce.

N. B. For as much as ye babies
in arms are fometimes troublefome,
ye mothers are prayed to take them
to our nabour, Pete McCourt and
he will give them catnip tea to
footh them, if so be they cry ob-
streperoufly.

N. B. Any younge folks that
be sparking can have a fettle to
themelves, their payments be wil-
linge.

Ye younge menne are warned
not make eyes at ye maydenne
scollers, and so difconcert them.

N. B. Ye good people are re-
quested to put bye theyre fpruce
gum.

Ye doors of ye Halle will be un-
latched att earlie candle light and
ye examination will begin att 8 by
ye clocke.

Ye good people who come earlie
may choofe beft settles for 35cts.
and avoid wrinklín theyre Sunday
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may come for 25 cents.

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man, Ziegler & Co., on and after
Monday next, for ye reserved
feats.

The house of representatives on
yesterday, (2nd) passed the house
bill providing for an additional jus-
tice of the supreme court of New
mexico. The bill goes to the senate,
where its passage is also assured.

The census enumerator will ask
some unpleasant questions from
each and every one, but they must
be answered. For instance, he
will ask you how much money you
owe, why you don't pay your
debts, whether you can read or
write, whether you are divorced,
a criminal or an idiot, how many
relatives you have in the peniten-
tiary, and similar unpleasant ques-
tions, and you are expected to
smile like a cherub, and give him
clear and full answers instead of a
beating.—M. V. Democrat.

About sixty small ranchmen,
sheepmen and farmers from Lower
Penasco, Seven Rivers and the Pe-
cos are in town. They are here on
an injunction case wherein W. A.
Miley is plaintiff, and James Ger-
ald and others are defendants.
Messrs. Rynerson & Wade, and
Col. A. J. Fountain will appear for
the plaintiff, and Messrs. Fall &
Young for the defendants. The
case will come up before Judge
McFie on Thursday next at 10
o'clock. The case is one of the
right of the defendants to go up the
Penasco above the plaintiff and
take water out of the stream in a
ditch to the detriment of an older
ditch built by plaintiff. This is
the first of a long series of impor-
tant water-right cases which will
arise in New Mexico. Both par-
ties seem to be confident of win-
ning and at present we will make no
comments.—M. V. Democrat.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT ROSWELL, N. M., May 8, 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, and that said proof will be made before Probate Clerk of Lincoln Co., at Lincoln, N. M., on Saturday, June 28, 1890, viz: Edward Schafer, pre-emption D. S. No. 3509, for the E. 1/2 S. W. 1/4, Sec. 24 Tp. 6 S. of R. 11 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

- Edward Fitzpatrick of White Oaks, N.M.
George Fitzpatrick, " " "
Chas. M. Bryan " " "
Bird Dyer " " " "

Any person who desires to protest the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence, in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

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DEMOCRATIC CALL.

The Lincoln County Democratic Central Committee having met in the town of Lincoln on April 23rd, 1890, has appointed Thursday, August 14th, 1890, as the time, and selected the town of Lincoln as the place for holding the County Convention.

The purpose of said convention shall be the nomination of candidates as follows:

- One candidate for Probate Judge,
- " " " " Clerk,
- " " " Assessor,
- " " " Sheriff,
- " " " Treasurer,
- " " " Coroner,
- " " " Supt. Public Schools,

Three County Commissioners.

The election of 14 delegates to the Legislative District Convention.

The selection of a County Central Committee composed of one member from each precinct.

The members of the Central Committee for Precincts 1-2-3-4-6-8-9-11-12-13-15 and 16 respectively, are directed to give due and timely notice in their respective precincts for the holding, at a certain time and place therein, on Saturday, August 2nd, 1890, primary conventions for the purpose of selecting delegates to said county convention.

The said precincts shall be allowed one delegate for every 20 votes, and for fractions of 10 or over cast for the Democratic candidate for delegate to congress in 1888, but each precinct shall be entitled to at least one delegate, as follows:

- Prec't No. 1—Lincoln 8 del.
- " " 2—San Patricio . . . 2 "
- " " 3—Ruidoso 2 "
- " " 4—Picacho 4 "
- " " 6—Las Tablas . . . 2 "
- " " 8—White Oaks . . . 9 "
- " " 9—Upper Penasco 4 "
- " " 11—Nogal 2 "
- " " 12—Bonito 4 "
- " " 13—Red Cloud 1 "
- " " 15—Lower Penasco 1 "
- " " 16—Weed 4 "

Total 43

All good citizens desirous of contributing to a responsible administration of county affairs, are cordially invited to join us in sending delegates to the County Convention.

JONES TALIAFERRO, W. S. RYAN,
Secretary pro tem. Chairman.

DISTRICT DEMOCRATIC CALL.

The Lincoln County Democratic Central Committee, representing the Legislative District composed of the counties of Lincoln, Chaves and Eddy, having met in the town of Lincoln on April 23rd, 1890, has appointed Thursday, August 21st, 1890, as the time, and selected the town of Roswell as the place for holding the District Convention.

The purpose of said convention shall be the nomination of candidates as follows:

One candidate for the Territorial Council.

One candidate for the Territorial Assembly.

Said convention shall elect delegates from the respective counties to the Territorial convention.

The respective counties shall be allowed delegates to said District convention, as follows.

- Lincoln County, 14 delegates.
- Chaves " " 7 "
- Eddy " " 7 "

The several counties are urged to maintain their party organization and to contribute their support in encouragement of party fealty.

JONES TALIAFERRO. W. S. RYAN,
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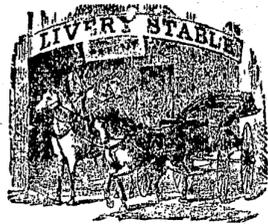
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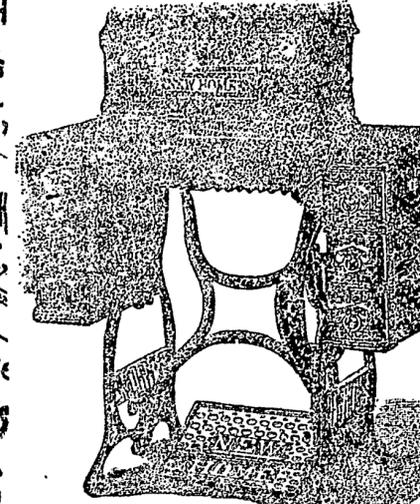
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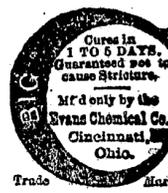
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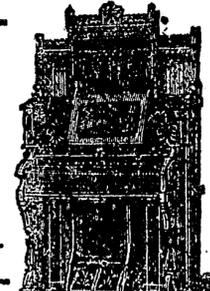
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