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### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Items of Interest to Residents of the Town and Neighborhood.

W. M. Reily was a Lincoln visitor last Sunday.

Dick Werner has been quite sick for several days.

Tom Daugherty, of the Fuel company, is in El Paso.

F. C. Matteson is in El Paso this week on legal business.

El Paso is promised an electric street railway by January 1st.

Ladies dark mercedized skirts, fleece lined, at the S. W. M. Co.

W. M. Witcher went to El Paso last Friday, and returned home Wednesday.

John Owen and Silas May, of White Oaks, transacted business here last week.

T. H. Moore and family enjoyed a pleasant outing in the Capitans last Sunday.

S. T. Gray went to El Paso Monday on business of the Improvement company.

J. V. Ormond and H. I. Morgan spent Saturday and Sunday in the Ruidoso country.

R. W. Curtis, travelling freight and passenger agent of the T. & P., was in town this week.

The board of county commissioners met in regular session at Lincoln on Monday, Oct. 1st.

Master Charlie Curry, of Lincoln, is spending a week here with his friend, Morgan Reily.

Jim Howard has been convicted for firing the shot that killed Goebel, and the death penalty assessed.

It is understood that a decision in the Swindle injunction case will be rendered within the next few days.

George Sutherland, formerly of Capitan, but now of Roswell, was here last week greeting his old friends.

A coat hanger free with every suit or coat and vest ordered from the Continental Clothing Co. S. W. M. Co., agents.

Deputy Sheriff Rowland went over to Lincoln Saturday, on official business, and on Monday left Lincoln for Roswell.

Captain Sam Nuckols has gone to the Capitans to do the assessment work on some valuable iron claims he has there.

Dr. Gillette and Deputy Wm. Smith were in Lincoln Monday on business before the board of county commissioners.

Agent Wilcox is now installed in one of the company houses at the camp. This will be a more comfortable winter residence than the box cars he was using.

The short, the slim, the stout, the tall, Whatever the figure, we fit them all.

S. W. M. Co.

Conductor J. L. O'Shea, for the past season in charge of the passenger train between Alamogordo and Cloudercroft, has relieved Conductor Joe Graham on the main line run.

The interior of Texas has suffered the past week from floods. The Trinity, Brazos, Nueces and Colorado rivers and their tributaries have had unprecedented rises, and much damage has been done to the bottom lands by the waters. It is said that the rise in the Colorado river was greater than that which carried away the great dam at Austin.

After all, El Paso will have a mid-winter carnival. The plan, after having been practically given up, has been revived, and preparations are being made for a grand time. The dates set are January 17, 18 and 19, 1901.

Mill No. 2 of the Alamogordo Lumber company will begin cutting lumber in a few days, and the box factory will begin operations about the same time. It is expected that another train will have to be put on the mountain line to keep up a sufficient supply of logs.

The El Paso Herald has put in a linotype machine and expects soon to put in another. It is to be hoped they will also lay in a new supply of head letter, as the combination of the old letter with the clean, new body letter is not very attractive.

Tariero Gomez, of El Paso, has brought suit for \$20,000 against the El Paso & Northeastern railway. He alleges that while in the employ of the company last April, he was compelled to ride on the pilot of an engine and that while so doing the engine struck a cow and he was crippled.

The city government of Galveston is in financial distress and immediate action is necessary. Up to a late hour Sunday Governor Sayers had not been heard from in regard to the proposition made by the city council to have the state advance funds to maintain the municipal government and tide over the crisis.

It has been suggested that it would be a good idea in having dances that they be given on Friday or Saturday nights. A large number who attend are pupils at the school, and when a dance is given in the early part of the week, it is usually the case that there are quite a number absent from school the next day.

The Republican county ticket will be found elsewhere in this issue of EL CAPITAN. The party is to be congratulated for putting so representative a ticket in the field. Every man on the ticket is well known, and is thoroughly qualified to fill the position for which he is the nominee. This ticket will assuredly be elected November 6th.

"Not to be had elsewhere" is the slogan of the Royal Tailors, of Chicago, on a big line of fall and winter styles in cloth goods for men's wear. They know how to tailor them, too. J. V. Ormond has the Royal samples. He does the measuring and the rest of it is done in Chicago. You see just as good tailoring once in a while, but not at the same price by a long shot. Mr. Ormond has the "edge" on the tailoring business of Capitan. See his samples.

Nothing of importance was brought out in the preliminary examination of Secundino Stogden, the half breed Indian accused of murdering Mrs. Caterina Harper at Alamogordo. He admits that he was at the house a short time before the crime was committed, but says that when he left the woman was alive and well, and he denies all knowledge of the crime.

On the 2nd the striking miners in Wilkesbarre had a parade with fully 16,000 men in line, the column requiring one hour and 20 minutes in passing the reviewing stand occupied by President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers. The demonstration was characterized by the most perfect order. After the parade a mass meeting was held, at which President Mitchell addressed an audience of 20,000 men.

Latest reports from the great strike of coal miners in Pennsylvania are encouraging to an early settlement. Many of the mine operators are offering advances of 10 to 25 per cent, but wish to ignore the unions. However it is thought the union will be recognized in a few days and that the demands of the men will be acceded to. This has been the most orderly strike on record. Not an act of lawlessness nor a disturbance worthy of notice has been perpetrated by the strikers, which speaks well for their discipline.

Every American citizen has an ambition to be well dressed. His self respect prompts him to take pride in his personal appearance, and quite naturally he likes to appear in a becoming and stylish manner. People often base their judgment of a person on the evidence of his clothing. Neatness in dress favorably impresses the world. Time was when high prices prevented a man of moderate salary from wearing stylish, made-to-order garments. That time has passed; the best is easily within your reach if you order your clothing from the S. W. M. Co.

Boards of county commissioners throughout New Mexico will be elected this year under the new law, which extends the terms of office of members. The new law reads as follows: "That at the general election of 1900 there shall be elected three county commissioners in each county of the territory of New Mexico. The commissioners from the first district shall be elected for a term of four years from the first day of January after the election. The commissioners from the second and third districts shall be elected for a term of two years from the first day of January after the election; and that at the general election of 1902, there shall be elected two county commissioners, one from the second district for a term of four years, and one from the third district for a term of two years; and that at the general election of 1904, there shall be two commissioners elected, one from the third district for a period of four years, and one from the first district for a term of two years, and thereafter, at each general election, one of the county commissioners, successively, beginning with the county commissioner of the first commissioner district, shall be elected for a period of four years."

The Department of Agriculture is investigating the matter of grazing on forest reserves, and in all probability the order recently made by the Interior Department excluding sheep from the reserves will be rescinded. This was only a temporary order, made for the purpose of giving the proper authorities time in which to look into the matter and collect sufficient data upon which to base regulations and restrictions governing the grazing of sheep and goats on forest reservations. The prevailing opinion seems to be that a limited amount of grazing on these reserves, instead of being a detriment, would be beneficial and a protection to the forests, in this, that if grazing be prohibited the grass would grow up during the spring and summer months and dry up during the fall, and thus greatly increase the danger of fire that would burn over thousands of acres and destroy the timber thereon before it could be controlled. If sheep are allowed to graze on the reserves they will keep the grass eaten close to the ground and any fire that might get started would soon be extinguished for lack of fuel. Thus

it will readily be seen that grazing on the reserves with proper restrictions would be a benefit both to the sheep and forests. There is always an abundance of good grass in these reserves and this being the case the sheep would not harm even the young trees.

### Obituary.

On the tenth of September, 1900, Ralph Galucia departed this life at Nogal, New Mexico, surrounded by a host of friends, as well as father, mother, brothers and sisters.

His sickness was lingering, lasting about twenty days. He was attended by Drs. A. G. Lane and Paden of White Oaks, who used all their skill for his relief. In the midst of life is death; such is the end of man.

We can only say: Ralph, we miss you.

Ralph was the son of our esteemed citizen and merchant, Mr. George A. Galucia. He was a promising young man about seventeen years of age, and well respected by everybody.

The sympathies of the people of Nogal and vicinity are with the bereaved family.

A FRIEND.

Nogal, N. M., Sept. 25.



For sale only by  
J. V. ORMOND

Must Be Born Again.  
One day a gentleman called at the office of a certain newspaper, and said to the editor:

"Sir, it is announced in your paper that I am dead."

"Well," replied the editor, "if it is in our paper it is correct."

"It is not correct, for here I am alive," rejoined the other.

"Well, it can't be helped," said the editor.

"But I expect you to contradict it," said the injured man.

"No, I can not do that," said the editor, "as we never contradict anything that appears in our paper. I will do anything I can do. Tomorrow I will put you in the list of births."—Ex.

### Trouble in the Caravan.

It was a hot day and the elephant was thirsty.

"I haven't had anything to drink today," he said, turning to the camel. "I am told you carry a supply for three or four days. Could you place a few of your concealed water pouches at my disposal without too much inconvenience?"

"I don't have to carry water for the elephant," irritably answered the camel, humping itself along still faster; "I am part of the show."—Chicago Tribune.

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wood bison summarizes the register of these buffalo estimated to exist during the last ten years as follows: Estimate in 1889 of Professor Hornaday, now director of the New York Zoological society, 580; Russell, 1894, a few hundred; Jarvis, 1897, about 300; Moberly, 1897, 250 to 300, and Stone, 1899, 50. The home of the wood bison has been in the neighborhood of the Great Slave lake in the northwest territory. Within the last six years these bison seem to have worked northward, and Mr. Allen says: "It is pretty safe to assume that they have been exterminated entirely from their former range south of the Peace river, and that a few years more will suffice for their complete extermination." Frank Russell, who hunted the wood bison in 1894, wrote of them in 1895, saying: "The herd at present consists of a few hundred only. They are so wary that only one effective shot can be fired, when they betake themselves to instant flight, and, as with the moose, pursuit is altogether futile. They cannot be hunted in summer, as the country which they inhabit is mosquito infested and a wooded swamp at this season. They can only be killed by stalking in midwinter, when their pelage is at its best. The Indians along the Peace and Slave rivers make occasional trips into the buffalo country with dog teams to establish lines of marten traps. When they discover a band of buffaloes, they, of course, kill as many as they can, but they have not made systematic efforts to hunt them for their robes, as they have the musk ox. Fortunately the officers of the company have exerted their influence toward the preservation of the buffalo, not trading for the robes until the recent advent of rival traders. During the winter of 1892-93 forty buffaloes were killed, the largest number that had been secured for several years. I saw most of these robes, which were very dark, the hair thick and curled, making a robe superior to that of either musk ox or plains buffalo. They were so large that the Indians had to cut many of them in half for convenience in hauling on the sleds. From \$10 to \$50 is paid for the robes."

**Smoothing the Way.**

The Duke of Cambridge is a brave soldier and a kind-hearted gentleman, but he is not a scholar. He has been recently in Rome, and one of his experiences there is told in the London Chronicle, as especially characteristic of all persons concerned. On the occasion of a visit to the Vatican, the duke, hearing from a friend that it was proper to talk Latin there, rather nervously brushed up a few phrases and passed. The Vatican, on its part, hearing that the duke spoke nothing but English, was equally perturbed. All guards who could speak English were ordered to the front. The chamberlains of English nationality or speech were required to attend, and the pope himself practiced the English sentences he had learned from an English resident in Brussels fifty years ago. The gallant duke, when he arrived at the outer portals of the Vatican, was addressed by a guard, who said: "This is your room, Your Highness." The duke started with relief—he was to talk Latin for a moment, of his Latin. The same experience met him at each turn, and in the ante-rooms it was repeated. Reaching at last the doors of the pope's private apartments, the duke was met by a messenger, whose mother was English and whose own accent is native, who offered to take His Royal Highness' hat. Presently the pope, evidently priding himself on the vernacular, asked his visitor to "sit down." "Well, I'll be hanged!" blurted out the astounded duke.—Youth's Companion.

**A Boy Inventor.**

How important to the world may be the turning of boy's thoughts into the right channel is indicated by the fact that the telephone was originated by Prof. A. G. Bell when he was a boy. His father, the venerable Prof. A. S. Bell, gives an account of the matter in a letter published in Mr. George Bell's new work, "Flame, Electricity and the Camera." In the boyhood of my three sons I took them to see the speaking-machine constructed by Herr Faber, and we were all greatly interested in it professionally. To test their theoretical knowledge and their mechanical ingenuity, I offered a prize to the one who should produce the best results in imitation of speech by mechanical means. All of course, set to work, but nothing of startling novelty was devised. The scheme of my second son, A. G. Bell, was, however, the best. This contest—as well as the whole course of the boys' education—directed their minds to the subject, until the sole survivor of the race came to the conclusion that imitative mechanism might be dispensed with, and merely the vibrations of speech be transmitted to an electric wire. This was entirely his own idea. He illustrated it to me by diagrams, and sketched out the whole plan of central office communication long before anything had been done for the practical realization of the idea. I can claim nothing in the telephone but the impulse which led to the invention.

**Watchmen Must Run Ahead.**

Newark (N. J.) officials have decided that an automobile is subject to the same law as a traction engine, and should be preceded by a watchman by at least an eighth of a mile.

"Oh," replied the earl, "I got it from my ancestors."

"And what did they get it from?" inquired the collier.

"They got it from their ancestors."

"And what did their ancestors get it from?"

"They fought for it."

"Ah, well," said the collier, squaring up to the earl, "come, and I'll fight thee for it."

**Ceasty Fly Try.**

Because Armond Smith put a molasses-smeared palm leaf on his pillow to catch the flies which were worrying his bald head his wife had him arrested and charged him with trying to smother her.

They were camping at Lake Winola, Pa., when the trouble occurred.

The husband had the fan and molasses method of ensuring the flies arranged, and his wife turning over afterward rolled her face on the fan. She screamed murder, sprang from her bed and rushed into the dark. The molasses got into her mouth and nose and nearly smothered her.

She accused her husband, and had him arrested.

Alderman Donohue took a week to consider the case.

**No Street Counting.**

The city council of Peru, Ill., has just passed this ordinance:

"Whoever shall in said city congregate on or upon any of the streets in the city of Peru for the purpose of counting, making love or spooning, or carrying on courtship shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined not less than \$3 or more than \$100 for each offense."

Mayor Hoover says: "I do not oppose courtship when it is conducted in an ordinary manner. But when it is carried on in indiscriminately and in a style offensive to the public I believe it, like all other nuisances, should be abated. The ordinance will, I think, bring about the desired result."

The way some eat one would think they considered themselves a part of their food.

The small boy can never understand why his mother whips him "for his own good."

**Two Cousins Binding Atlantic.**

It is asserted that the future will connect two continents by the Atlantic to the Pacific ocean. The value of such a connection can not be estimated. It will bring prosperity to the nations as surely as Hector's Stomach Bitters brings health to the dyspeptic. Try it for indigestion, constipation, dyspepsia or biliousness.

**Are You Using Allen's Foot Ease?**

It is the only cure for Swollen, Smarting, Burning, Itching Feet, Corns and Bunions. Ask for Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder to be shaken into the shoes. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 23c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Mr. Knowlton has a regular clientele he cannot see the ground that is pointed out him from all directions.

Even if your enemy is small as a fly, says a proverb, think him the size of an elephant.

**WHAT A MOGUL CAN DO.**

That was a remarkable demonstration of what a Mogul can do, that occurred on the New York Central the other day, when engine No. 918, one of the new Moguls, hauled out train No. 11, the Southwestern Limited, made up of two mail cars, five passenger coaches and nine Wagner cars, sixteen cars in all. The total weight of the train was 1,892,000 pounds, or 910 tons, and the length of the train, including the engine, was 1,212 feet, or nearly a quarter of a mile. This engine made the running time of the train between New York and Albany, 143 miles, in three hours and fifteen minutes.

There is no railroad in the world which has a better roadbed, more skillful engineers, or better equipment, backed by loyal men always alert for the safety of their passengers, than the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad. What road can match its corps of men, from President Calhoun down the long line of employees, to the humble and faithful trackmen who watch their sections of rails through the long hours of the night and day, in order to safeguard the lives of the travelers on trains whirling by their humble stations, many of which nestle closely to the rails under their guardianship.—Editorial from the Albany Times-Union.

When a man picks up a baby all adjacent women scream: "Put your hand on its back!"

**Don't get the Bowels.**

No matter what ails you, headache to a cancer, you will never get well until your bowels are put right. CASCARETS help nature, cure you without a gripe or pain, produce easy natural movements, cost you just 10 cents to start getting your health back. CASCARETS Candy Cathartic, the genuine, put up in metal boxes, every table has it. Put up stamped on it. Beware of imitations.

Don't depend on luck for anything. If it comes, all right, but don't depend on it.

**TEETHINA**

was first used by Dr. Charles J. Moffett, a graduate of Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa., in his extensive and successful treatment of children in Georgia, in overcoming the troubles incident to teething and the hot summer.

TEETHINA (or the Food) combats the effects of hot weather and keeps the digestive organs in a healthy condition, and has saved the lives of thousands of children in the doctor's native state, where physicians prescribe and all mothers give it, and it is criminal in mothers of our nation to allow their babies and little children to suffer and perhaps die when relief can be so easily obtained by giving TEETHINA.

Cost 25 cents at druggists, or mail 25c to C. J. MOFFETT, M. D., St. Louis, Mo.

A woman is never sure that a pair of new shoes are the right size unless they pinch her feet.

**RELIABLE SOLICITORS WANTED**

at once on Chautauque, Carlin, Kindergarten, Standard and Holiday Books. Most liberal terms. Square treatment. See stamps bring-Holiday outfit by return mail. Post-Deborah Pub. Co., 418 Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill.

Be constantly prepared for any misfortune.

**Hall's Catarrh Cure**

Is a constitutional cure. Price, 75c.

It is hard to get up romance about a man who eats with his knife.

**The Best Prescription for Chills and Fever**

is a bottle of ROGERS' BLUE CHILL CURE. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price, 50c.

Is there anything more disagreeable than a bossy woman?

**THREE DOSES OF ROGERS' BLUE CHILL CURE**

will cure any case of Chills and Fever. Price, 50c. No cure—no pay. All Druggists.

The Mexicans say that "when a woman whistles the mother of God weeps."

**Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.**

For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic—See a bottle.

Many of the fair sex act as if they would prefer being called stylish to sensible.

Sweat and fruit acids will not discolor goods dyed with PUTNAM FADELESS DYES.

Woman's wrongs are equally as important as woman's rights.

Fruit is a necessary article of diet. Its prime essences are in Fidelity's California Fruit Gum.

Good manners will tend to make anyone attractive.

**Face Care**

can be done by the eighty percent of a touch cure. J. W. O. Burt, 23 Third Ave., N. Manhattan, Minn., Jan. 6, 1900.

Some men seem to wear side whiskers to keep their head level.

**Hint to Housekeepers.**

To preserve summer skirts and dresses use "Fauless Starch." All grocers, 10c.

We sometimes see strange sights when we look out ten-story windows.

Mrs. A. G. Russell, Nashville, Tenn., writes: "My mother-in-law (dear friend) is the greatest blessing to teaching children that the world has ever known."

When you are wronged people say, "It's a shame," and that usually ends it.

**Don't Take a Nasty Medicine**

when a pleasant one will give better results. If you suffer from Malaria, Liver troubles, Kidney or Bladder troubles, Cramps, Colic or that general run-down feeling nothing will do you as much good as Wolfe's Aromatic Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Pleasant to take, and guaranteed like other patent medicines. Gives strength and tone to the system and is good for the whole family. Doctors recommend it and druggists sell it.

Come people on the eve of matrimony handle the truth as carefully as some fishermen.

**WHY SUFFER WITH BACKACHE?**

I have suffered several years with backache, and after taking one bottle of Smith's Sure Kidney Cure, I have been cured. Since then I have not been troubled with my back. Too much cannot be said in its praise.

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Opportunities sometimes serve the man, but more often the man must create the opportunities.

**Ladies Can Wear Shoes.**

One's smaller feet using Allen's Foot-Ease. It makes tight or low shoes easy to wear, soothes, soothes, itching feet, softens corns and bunions. All druggists and shoe stores. Price 25c. Sample sent FREE by mail. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

No wife truly loves her husband who will not give up some pleasure to delight him.

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Teething children, especially in summer, are a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it.

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Some men are so polite that they take off their hats when talking to a lady over the telephone.

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The De Laval Cream Separators have been awarded the GRAND PRIZE by the International Jury of Awards at the PARIS EXPOSITION, over many separator exhibits from various countries, the De Laval superiority being unarguable in every material respect.

Larger awards of different grades of medals, were made to several other makes of separators.

Some people act as if life was a perpetual funeral.

Does a man ever become so old that people do not "watch him?" A true face is more desirable than a beautiful one.

**WOMAN'S KIDNEY TROUBLES**

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is Especially Successful in Curing this Fatal Woman's Disease.



Of all the diseases known with which the female organism is afflicted, kidney disease is the most fatal. In fact, unless early and correct treatment is applied, the weary patient seldom survives.

Being fully aware of this, Mrs. Pinkham, early in her career, gave exhaustive study to the subject, and in producing her great remedy for woman's ills—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—was careful to see that it contained the correct combination of herbs which was sure to control that fatal disease, woman's kidney troubles. The Vegetable Compound acts in harmony with the laws that govern the entire female system, and while there are many so called remedies for kidney troubles, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the only one especially prepared for women.

The following letters will show how marvellously successful it is:

Aug. 6, 1899.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I am failing very fast, since January have lost thirty-five or forty pounds. I have a yellow, muddy complexion, feel tired, and have bearing down pains. Menstruation has not appeared for three months; sometimes I am troubled with a white discharge, and I also have kidney and bladder trouble. I have been this way for a long time, and feel so miserable I thought I would write to you, and see if you could do me any good."—Miss EDNA FREDERICK, Troy, Ohio.

menstrual, falling of the womb; and kidney trouble. I also had a pain when standing or walking, and sometimes there seemed to be balls of fire in front of me, so that I could not see for about twenty minutes. Felt as if I had had no sleep for two weeks. Had fainting spells, was down-hearted, and would cry. At last, Mrs. BERTHA ORR Second and Clayton Sts., Chester Pa.

Sept. 10, 1897.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound according to directions, and can say I have not felt so well for years as I do at present. Before taking your medicine I was a miserable person you never saw. I could not eat or sleep, and did not care to talk with any one. I did not enjoy life at all. Now, I feel so well I cannot be grateful enough for what you have done for me. You are surely a woman's friend. Thanking you a thousand times, I remain,

Ever yours  
Miss EDNA FREDERICK, Troy, Ohio.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I cannot find language to express the terrible suffering I have had to endure. I had female trouble, a liver, stomach, kidney, and bladder trouble. I tried several doctors, also quite a number of patent medicines, and had despaired of ever getting well. At last I concluded to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and now, thanks to your medicine, I am a well woman. I can not praise your medicine too highly for I know it will do all, and even more, than it is recommended to do. I tell every suffering woman about your Vegetable Compound, and urge them to try it and see for themselves what it will do."—Mrs. MARY A. HIRL, No. Manchester, Ind.

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DICTATOR CHOKER sits on his Saratoga throne and his sway is as absolute as was Mr. Bryan's control of the Kansas City convention.

MR. BRYAN continues to talk about money being the master. And Chairman Jones goes right ahead collecting the "master" for campaign purposes.

THE betting in the East is stated to be three to one on McKinley based, no doubt, on the hard and cold calculation that prosperity will win.

THE Hon. James S. Hogg opened charged the Hon. Joe Bailey with consorting with trusts. Is the octopus getting in its deadly work among the Texas Democrats?

WE were glad to notice the positive tone of Mr. Altgeld's interview in reference to the Anarchists of this and other countries. Surely he is an unquestioned and unquestionable authority upon that topic.

IN his criticism of the Philadelphia platform Mr. Bryan was not fair enough to concede that the Republican nominees are standing by every word of it and not striving to conceal any particular plank.

THERE are over thirty thousand bank depositors in Colorado now, an increase of nearly a hundred per cent in four years. Perhaps this is one of the many valid reasons why McKinley will carry Colorado this time.

IT would seem under all the circumstances as if the Sugar Trust ought to do something handsome for Richardson of Tennessee; at least they might subscribe for a copy of his book—without any of the long-talk, either.

MR. BRYAN has not yet said anything in the press of the economic independence of the Nebraska hog, which is worth \$4.50 more per head now than it was four years ago. It is really a nice of the Nebraska hog to be so valuable.

Democrat of Kentucky and North Carolina.

THE total vote of Alabama in the recent election was 150,000. Alabama has two United States Senators and nine members of the House of Representatives. According to the census returns there must be some "government without the consent of the governed" in that state.

MR. J. J. WILLETT of Alabama thinks that Mr. Bryan is very strong. This is the same Mr. J. J. Willett whose unerring judgment impelled him some time ago to insist that Augustus Van Wyck of New York, one of the chief of the Ice Trust conspirators, was the only proper nominee for the presidency.

HERE is another sentence from Mr. Bryan's speech of acceptance which has a decided application to those Southern states where disfranchisement of the negro is practiced: "Once admit that some people are capable of self-government and that others are not, and that the capable people have a right to seize upon and govern the incapable and you make force—brute force—the only foundation of government and invite the reign of the despot."

THESE is a certain skirmish a Colonel (general he come-to-call-himself) got a slight scratch on the leg. The wound was a matter of great glory to him, and he nursed it through after days, growing lazier every year that the memory of his bravery might ever be near him.

ONE day late in his life as he sat nursing his leg and pondering the glorious past, a young man visiting the family for the first time, approached and sympathetically remarked:

"Lame, general?" "Yes, sir," after a pause and with inexpressible solemnity, "I am lame."

"Been riding, sir?" "No!" with rebuffed sternness. "I have not been riding."

"Ah, slipped on the ice, general?" "No, sir!" with actual ferocity. "Perhaps, then, you have sprained your ankle, sir?"

WITH painful slowness the old man lifted his pet leg with both hands, set it carefully on the floor, rose slowly from his chair, and looking down upon the unfortunate youth with mingled pity and wrath, burst forth in the sublimity of rage:

"Go read the history of your country, you puppy!"—New York Press.

He's A Cuckoo.

THIS story was told recently at a smoker given by the alumni of the University of Ichigan at Chicago.

"A young man and his wife, not long married," said the relator of the incident, "lived down on the South Side, where they had a pretty little two story brick. One of their wedding presents was a large clock which told the hours and half hours by means of the cuckoo's cry instead of the usual chimes or the sounding of a bell. One night the college fraternity of which the man was a member gave a banquet, and it was accordingly late when he arrived at the front door of his home. He thought that discretion was the better part of valor, so that when he got inside he began to remove his shoes before going up the stairs. Unfortunately he was not very happy in his execution of this act, for one of his shoes slipped and made a noise that could be heard all over the house. A moment later his wife's voice came from the head of the stairway.

"Is that you, Charles?" "Yeah, dear."

"What time is it, Charles?" "Bout twelve."

"And then," said Charles in telling the incident afterwards, "that blamed clock began to cry out. But it cuckooed only three times, and I had to stand there like a fool and cuckoo the other nine."—Detroit Free Press.

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To leave off your coat there's No knowing where you'd stop? For you're just the sort That needs an iron hand To keep you in your place, And that is in your coat! No velvet paw, No angel's touch will ever lead you Like these But a few swift lines May make you see The error of your ways. It may be true that you have your Trousers made with high hips— Whatever that may mean— And that you sport a belt In which you seem to have Perfect confidence, but, oh, Lal—lal-la-lal! Poor thing, Don't you know That if you wear dress waists You must have dress shields And a pulley belt, One of the new straight frontones, And safety pins, And latticework effects, Through which there is a dim Shadowy view, low necked, Cut 'v And finished with a fence Through which runs baby ribbon, So called, Though not for infants' wear Exclusively. And dinky little bows? It takes all this To make a shirt waist possible. But there are lots of things, Shirt waist man, That you've yet to learn. Take heed. Cling to your coat And shoes And socks And other queer things you wear, For, truly, shirt waist man, You are a sight To make the angels flap their Wings and coo with merriment! Now, be nice. Put on your coat And try to forget you ever took It off and wore high hips. Shirt waist man, You won't do! —Kate Masterson in N. Y. Sun.

Tallest of Living Men.

THE biggest of living men is Lewis Wilkins, who is now arousing great interest in the scientific circles of Europe. Wilkins was born on a farm near St. Paul, Minn., in 1874. When he was but ten years of age he measured six feet in height and now has grown to the tremendous height of 104 1/4 inches—just three-quarters of an inch less than nine feet—and weighs 364 pounds.

There have been other tall men and women before Wilkins, and scientists have striven in vain to account for these freaks of nature. Only lately a plausible story has been put forward by a French physician, Dr. Marie, who says that gigantism is nothing more or less than a disease. This disease generally occurs in patients between the ages of 18 and 35 and is first called "acromegaly" (from two Greek words meaning enlargement of the extremities). If the patient is not attacked until after he is 18, the ends of the bones in the arms and legs are enlarged and prolonged slightly, but if this disease has attacked a child at or soon after birth gigantism is the result. The bones are prolonged all along their length, growing unnaturally, and the result is a giant.

When you see a big man it is therefore a question whether he is unusually strong or whether he is a sufferer from acromegaly. All giants have not been acromegalic, according to Dr. Marie. He mentions two giants in the French army who did not belong to this class. One was Charles Frenet, a cavalry soldier, who was 6 feet 11 inches tall, and the other was Marnat, a drum major in the Nineteenth regiment of infantry, who measured 6 feet 9 inches.

Perhaps the greatest giant who ever lived before Wilkins was Charles Byrne, an Irishman. He measured 9 feet 2 inches. His skeleton is still preserved, proving his enormous size. He was probably acromegalic.

Other giants are Constantine, born at Zurich, in Switzerland, 8 feet 1 inch; Harold, born at Leipsic, 7 feet, 5 inches; and Lady Emma, 8 feet 1 inch.—Golden Penny.

A damage suit has been brought in El Paso against the E. P. & N. E. R. R. by S. S. McComan, a carpenter, for personal injuries alleged to have been sustained by reason of a stick of timber falling from a car near Ft. Milan. Damages are asked in the sum of \$20,000.

Notice is hereby given to the heirs of the said Edgar J. Phillips and to all persons whomsoever:

That whereas a certain document purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Edgar J. Phillips, late of the said County of Lincoln, has been filed in this court and probate thereof is demanded by the executor therein named and appointed; now therefore the court doth order that proof of the said will and testament be made before this court at the November term thereof, to-wit on Monday, twelfth (12th) day of November, A. D. 1900, at the court house of the said county, at the hour of 10 o'clock of the forenoon of said day. Any person interested therein having cause to show why the said will should not be admitted to probate, will then and there be heard.

By order of the Hon. W. F. Blanchard, Judge of said Court, this fifth day of September, A. D. 1900.

I. L. ANALLA, Clerk of said Court.

Notice to Heirs.

In the Probate Court in and for the County of Lincoln and Territory of New Mexico.

In the matter of the last will and testament of the late Francisco Sanchez y Garcia, deceased

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Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Roswell, N. M., September 11, 1900.

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 the Probate Clerk, at Lincoln, N. M., on October 20th, 1900, viz.: Bernardino Padilla, Homestead Application No. 334, for the E 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 30, and E 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec. 31, T. 8 S., R. 16 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz.: Ramon Trujillo, of Lincoln, N. M.; Refugio Trujillo, of Lincoln, N. M.; Jose Romero, of Lincoln, N. M.; Filomeno Peralta, of Lincoln, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

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Stray Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has taken up the following described horses near Capitan, Lincoln county, New Mexico, as strays:

One gray horse, 13 years old, branded on left thigh; one gray horse, ten years old, branded on left thigh JP connected; one dark horse, branded J-N on right hip, S over A on left shoulder and G on right jaw, 8 years old.

J. C. McCoy.

Weather Report.

The following is a summary of the weather report for the month of September, as furnished by Ernest W. Halsted, voluntary observer at Fort Stanton:

Maximum temperature 83, dates 14 and 15; minimum temperature 40, date 29; total precipitation 6.06; number of clear days 14, partly cloudy 11, cloudy 5; prevailing direction of wind southwest; heaviest rain of the season 3rd and 4th.

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