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MASQUERADERS.

So my cousin is coming from Europe to fulfill the conditions of his father's will? Well, I don't think much of him, that's sure. Any man that will consent to marry a girl whom he has never seen for the sake of a little money is a contemptible wretch! and here Miss Lillias Sefton stopped excitedly. "But, Lillias," argued her cousin Marian, "be reasonable. Herbert Marston hasn't expressed the slightest intention of complying with his father's wishes—has said nothing at all about matrimony and has no need of the fortune left him conditionally. "Well, that only shows him to be miserly," was the willful retort. "And the matter just settles itself down to this. I thought over the matter all last night and have hit upon a splendid plan, if you'll only consent to it. You know we have received permission to keep house down at the old homestead all by ourselves this summer. Well, no one there knows us, and won't you be Lillias and let me be your maid? If he can't love me in one position as another, I don't want anything to do with him." Both these young girls were beautiful, wealthy and romantic. They were naturally taken with the plan, which, after a little coaxing, her cousin agreed to. In a few weeks they were located for the summer, in the Sefton homestead. "Now," said Lillias one glorious summer evening, "I suppose we may be expecting Herbert Marston daily, as I have left a note, to be delivered to him immediately after his arrival, informing him of my whereabouts. But look, here come two strangers. Maybe one of them is he. Be on your guard." She had no time to say more, for both had approached, and one spoke: "Is Miss Sefton residing here?" Marian bowed comically. "That's my name, sir." "Indeed," with extended hands "Allow me, then, to introduce myself as Herbert Marston." After the necessary greeting had been interchanged, the newcomer glanced inquiringly at the little, white robed figure standing modestly apart. Marian bit her lip amusedly. Lillias didn't look at all like a menial; still her character must be kept, and in reply to his questioning gaze she said. "Maggie, you may go in and help Mrs. Brown about tea. I presume your walk from the depot has given you an appetite." And Marian in her turn looked as though desiring an introduction to Mr. Marston's companion. "Perhaps," said that gentleman, with an odd expression, "before your maid attends to her part of the business she will show my valet the rooms I am to occupy." The valet was a handsome, dark mustached six footer, whose expression belied his position but he had shouldered the valise and stood waiting for his guide to lead the way, so with a look

which signified something more than mere wonder Maggie obeyed the little imperative nod of her mistress and proceeded up stairs. "Phew!" said the valet after depositing his burden, looking up with a smile. "That's what I call warm work. Well, Maggie, are you and I going to be friends?" He spoke rather condescendingly, and the indignant blood rushed into his companion's cheeks as she replied coolly: "I am nothing of a prophet and therefore find it impossible to answer your question decidedly, but I am inclined to think not." "That's bad. But our opinions on that subject differ. Why, if we don't entertain each other what the dickens shall we do with ourselves?" "I have never been at a loss for amusement," responded his companion demurely. "However, if you are dependent upon outside society there are plenty of servant girls about, whom I have no doubt you can readily become acquainted with." "I don't fancy 'servant' as a general thing," he answered calmly. "I have rather high ideas for a valet and consequently have little desire to 'become acquainted' with 'your friends.'" "That man," she murmured softly, "is no more a servant than I am. But he shan't know that I suspect the truth." And she chuckled amusedly at the thought of her own secret, which he was far from divining. After while the master and mistress chatted pleasantly on the old fashioned porch the two servants by the gate were sparring away gayly. "Why, Maggie," said the valet, who answered to the name of John, "you are twice as smart as half the young ladies of the present day. What makes you stay in so degrading a position? Don't you know enough to teach school?" "Yes, I suppose so," replied Maggie, with a mischievous smile he failed to detect. She had been purposely "showing off." "But I'm very much attached to Miss Lillias, and as long as one is obliged to work what does it matter what one does?" "A good deal," he answered much more excitedly than the circumstances would seem to indicate. Everything went on merrily until the night before departure, when visible sadness over shadowed the whole company. John drew Maggie down by the gate. They had become very good friends notwithstanding Maggie's ideas upon their first meeting. John cast a quick glance into her downcast face, and then, as though encouraged by what he saw, went on impetuously: "You must know what to say—must feel that I love you better than any one else in this wide world. And won't you tell me whether or not you can ever return my affections?" Maggie did not answer in words, but her shy little smile spoke, and with a glad smile he took her close to his heart. Explanations followed. Herbert was playing the same game at Lillias. There was a double wedding.—Philadelphia Item.

EL PASO-ROCK ISLAND ROUTE.

Connection to Be Made At Santa Rosa by December 23. This is the Date Set by Both Lines For the Meeting—Work being pushed at Both Ends—Rapid Railroad Building. It has been officially announced that the date for the meeting of the Rock Island and El Paso & Northeastern extensions at Santa Rosa, N. M., has been set for December 23, and that in the remaining eight days of that month the finishing touches will be put on the entire "Arrow Route," so that trains may be started on the first day of the year 1902. A few months ago the constructors were reported to have promised the railroad companies to have the connection made by December 1, and it was even said that the two extensions would probably be completed this month, but as the time mentioned grew nearer it became more and more evident that it would be impossible to have the work done by even the latest named date. Again only a short time ago it began to dawn upon the E. P. & N. E. company that unless something was done to add impetus to the work its extension would not be completed to Santa Rosa by the end of the year. Representatives of the railroad and construction companies were in conference in this city for several days and Mr. Good, who was hunting in Montana, was called here. There were rumors of bankruptcy, forfeiture and other dire calamities, but after several days of wise looking and figuring and conferring, the words "All's well," were passed around and everybody concerned looked brighter. As soon as the wise men from the north departed renewed energy was brought into play to secure greater force and push the work with the completion of the road before the end of the year in view. W. K. Kerr, of Pennsylvania, the financial power of Good & Co., was appealed to by the management of the E. P. & N. E. and he telegraphed Mr. Good that the connection must be made at Santa Rosa by the first of January if it took all the money in the state of Pennsylvania to do it. So Mr. Good is not sparing any expense in getting outfits on the ground to hurry up the construction work and every few days a new outfit may be seen passing through to the front, while day after day from thirty to seventy laborers are shipped out in box cars. News comes from the Rock Island end that their contractors have also been playing in hard luck and may fail to complete the extension to Santa Rosa in time set by the contract. They are also increasing their construction force by large numbers and are doing some of the speediest railroad building ever done in the west. An old railroad man, who has been over the country,

through which the two extensions are being build, says he believes that it will be impossible for the work to be completed in time to have trains running between Liberal, Kansas and El Paso this year. But the date has been set by both construction companies and if outfits and men in sufficient numbers can be secured they will have both ends completed to Santa Rosa on December 23, and then it will be an easy matter to get things in shape for the grand inauguration of the "Arrow Route," the straight shoot from Chicago to El Paso yea, even to the City of Mexico. With the completion of its extension to Rock Island connection at Santa Rosa—the El Paso & Northeastern railroad system will have three hundred and twenty-two miles of track distributed as follows: Main line, El Paso to Alamogordo eight-six miles; Alamogordo to Carrizozo, fifty-eight miles; Carrizozo to Santa Rosa, one hundred and twenty-eight miles. Branches: Turquoise to Jarilla, four miles; Alamogordo to Clondercrot, twenty-six miles, and Carrizozo to Capitan, twenty miles. El Paso Herald. Have you seen the new line of sweaters the S. W. M. Co. got in this week? They are beauties. C. M. Phelps, Forestdale, vt., says his child was completely cured of a bad case of eczema by the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Beware of all counterfeits. Instantly cures piles. Robt. Hurt. Strayed Or Stolen. 12 head of trotting bred colts, two, three and four years old, branded S low down on left side just behind girth; also 3 mares, six, eight and ten years of age. Any person furnishing information leading to their recovery will be rewarded. Address H. B. Sauborn, Amarillo, Texas. Do you suffer from piles? If so do not turn to surgery for relief. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will act more quickly, surely and safely, saving you the expense and danger of an operation. Robt. Hurt. Stricken With Paralysis. Anderson Grumet, of this place, was stricken with partial paralysis and completely lost the use of one arm and one side. After being treated by an eminent physician for quite a while without relief, my wife recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and after using two bottles of it he is almost entirely cured.—Geo. R. McDonald, Man, Logan county, W. Va. Several other very remarkable cures of partial paralysis have been effected by the use of this liniment. It is most widely known, however, as a cure for rheumatism, sprains and bruises. Sold by Robt. Hurt. The excitement incident of set by the contract. They are also increasing their construction force by large numbers and are doing some of the speediest railroad building ever done in the west. An old railroad man, who has been over the country,

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It seems that the Schley court of inquiry is bringing out nothing but what the country has known all along, i. e. that Schley fought the battle in Santago harbor and won it adding new glory to the navy and new lustre to the stars and stripes. No matter what the final conclusion of the court may be the verdict of the people that Admiral Schley is the hero in that memorable fight can not be changed.

The powers that be at Santa Fe while ostensibly going all in their power to secure statehood for New Mexico it seems are not as sincere in their efforts as they might be. Instead of standing solidly for statehood they have allowed dis-sension to creep into their ranks until the people have begun to be a little suspicious. What the people want is to see a little more real work and less talking.

The November term of Lincoln county court promises to be an expensive one, that in itself the size of the docket portends any thing. The court docket shows that there are no less than 150 cases noticed for this term of court, some of which have been in the courts for several terms. It is safe to say that when Judge McMillan convenes court he will dispatch business in a hurry and when the term ends the number of cases left on the docket will be pretty small.

The recent action of the territorial board of equalization in raising assessments upon all real estate is an outrageous piece of machine work, and deserves the severest criticism of all honest taxpayers in the territory. There is no doubt but that there is much wrong with the assessments all over the territory but that is no reason why a certain class of property holders should have their assessments raised while all other classes go free. As a rule real estate is returned at nearer its real value than any other class of property and the board instead of equalizing assessments has made them manifestly more unequal.

As the court of inquiry proceeds the fact that Admiral Schley's actions were only those of a brave man becomes more and more patent. The facts brought out show that the flag ship Brooklyn was one of the first to engage Cervera's fleet when it made its dash out of the harbor and continued to pour shot and shell into the enemy's ships until the last one was disabled and surrendered. Notwithstanding the criticism that has been made of Schley's methods of maintaining the blockade the fact remains that when the Spanish ships showed themselves the grand old sea warrior had his ships in such a position that not one escaped. This alone shows that the blockade was efficient. Even the witnesses for the prosecution admit that Admiral Schley remained in the conning tower of the Brooklyn exposed to the enemy's fire throughout the entire engagement and personally directed the movements of his vessel. Another fact that has been brought out is that more than one third of the holes in the Spanish fleet were the result of shots from the Brooklyn's batteries, Admiral Schley's flag ship. Yet this is the man whom the navy department called a coward and scuff.

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but still much more remains to be said before even the half has been told. In all the territory there is not a country that has such a variety of mineral deposits. The entire country is a perfect net work of mineral bearing leads and veins which if opened would prove valuable for their metals. That this is true is testified to by the great activity that is going on in the mining industry in all parts of the county. In the Bonito country there is more prospecting being done than ever before, while the actual mining and developing work that is being done is far in excess of that of any time in the history of the county. The same is true of the Nogal district and other parts of the county. If the present activity continues it will not be long until Lincoln county will be in the lead as a mining county as well as in the many other things in which it excels.

The unusually large number of prairie schooners that have come to anchor in this port within the last few months show plainly which way the tide of immigration is flowing and no better evidence is needed to prove that Lincoln county is forging rapidly to the front. The most of these people are men with small means who are looking for a place to locate where they can secure land cheap and build up comfortable homes for themselves and families at a small cost. Some few, after a brief stop, set their sails and continued their journeying, but the most of them did better than this. They found a piece of land that suited their purposes and began improving it with the determination of becoming fixtures in the community and county, and as a result the county is becoming dotted with farms and small ranches in every direction. The best land is being rapidly sought out and the country which was formerly the undisputed home of the deer and wild turkey is being transformed into fertile farms and beautiful homes. The country tributary to Capitan is settling up faster perhaps than any other portion of the county, though every portion is getting its quota of these newcomers. It is the permanent settler that makes the country and furnishes the backbone for town hence the future for Capitan and Lincoln county grows brighter and brighter every day.

**Short Stops.**  
No man who is hard up has a soft snap.  
Satire is the salt of wit rubbed on a sore spot.  
Happiness has less use for comfort than indolence has.  
Dead friendship may be resurrected, but dead love—never.  
It's a poor contract who doesn't show up with a bill for extras.  
Summer must be the pride of the seasons, as it goes before a fall.  
A realistic writer is one who is able to realize on the stuff he writes.  
Some magazine poetry is so beautiful that it's too bad it doesn't mean anything.  
When a man tells a woman that he loves her it's dollars to doughnuts he has an ax to grind.  
Probably more young men would cumulate the example of the immortal George Washington if there were more rich widows.  
A man may not appear to advantage with his hands in his pockets, but it is better than having them in the pockets of others.

**Chicago News.**  
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**INDUSTRIES OF LINCOLN COUNTY.**

Providence has done more and man has done less for Lincoln county than for any section of the southwest. We can say it without fear of successful contradiction, that Lincoln county is richer in natural resources than any other section in the territory.

Lincoln county includes the largest and richest mineral belt in the territory, which has not yet been prospected, let alone being developed. The deepest mine in the county is the Old Abe at White Oaks and not to its outside of White Oaks is the American mine at Nogal. The American is only 170 feet in depth and has yielded over a half million dollars in gold. The Old Abe has produced nearly a million dollars in gold returns. There are hundreds of prospects in the county that are more promising on the surface than either of the above mentioned properties, that are lying idle for a lack of capital to develop them and place them among the list of rich producing properties.

The mines and prospects of Lincoln county include gold, silver, lead, copper, cobalt, nickel, wolframite, etc., and vast deposits of both bituminous and anthracite coal, adjacent to these vast beds of coal is the largest and best deposit of iron ores to be found in the United States today. The high character of this iron and its close proximity to an unobtainable supply of fuel, makes possible the establishment of iron and steel works at Capitan at no distant day.

There are other valuable and rare minerals and precious stones not mentioned above to be found in Lincoln county, but up to date no prospectors have bothered to prospect for these.

The county will soon take the lead as one of the heavy producers of as first class quality of lumber. The timber is here in abundance. Just as soon as the demand is made upon us for building material large sawmills will be erected and lumber manufactured and shipped from Capitan. At present small sawmills in the White and Capitan mountains supply the local demand.

The country is covered with a most luxuriant growth of grass that serves to fatten thousands of heads of cattle yearly. No country in the southwest equals this as a stock growing section.

Water "the God of all harvest" which is a most important factor, is here in abundance, and is distributed throughout the country in the form of springs and running streams. The streams which flow down from the White mountains are the purest water found in New Mexico. It is a pure and healthful draught of life saving liquid, fresh from the brew of nature.

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past year that they could reach them by railroad, which is now completed to Capitan and Nogal. They come here to take an outing in the mountains, catch a string of trout from the mountain streams and get a "whiff" of pure air.

In Lincoln county is some of the most wild and enchanting scenery to be found in all the southwest. The country abounds game and fish. There are more bear, deer, antelope, mountain lion, wild turkey, etc., found in the mountains of Lincoln county than in any other section of the territory.

Horticulture and agriculture are among the most important industries. Lincoln county has taken the prizes on her fruits wherever exhibited, for years. All the cereals and vegetables that grow in the temperate zone grow here, and with excellent markets agriculture and horticulture are very paying employment.

In conclusion, there is no county in all the southwest that can excel Lincoln county in natural resources, and the time is not far distant when capital, combined with enterprise and labor will convert these hills and valleys into veritable mines and it is here that thousands of people will be enabled to build up comfortable and happy homes.

The Capitan coal fields are the largest in area of any in New Mexico, covering over four hundred square miles. All experts who have examined these coal fields agree that there are at least five strata of coal of commercial value. These coal measures vary in thickness from three to seven feet. Aside from being a first class coal for steam and domestic purposes, it is also an excellent cooking coal, and is comparatively very free from ash. It is claimed that the coke made from Capitan coal is equal to the famous Connellsville article. There are now two large coal companies operating at Capitan and employing hundreds of miners. This coal finds a ready market at fancy prices.

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A Communication.

Mr. Editor—Allow me to speak a few words in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I suffered for three years with the bronchitis and could not sleep at nights. I tried several doctors and various patent medicines, but could get nothing to give me any relief until my wife got a bottle of this valuable medicine, which has completely relieved me.—W. S. BROCKMAN, Bagnell, Mo. This remedy is for sale by Robt. Hurt.

A Sheepman's Opinion.

A prominent sheep raiser of New Mexico, in discussing the sheep situation this season, is reported to have said: "There is a wide difference of opinion as to lambs in New Mexico. The feeder is offering today \$1 per head, the raiser is holding for \$1.50 per head and has lots of good grass and water, therefore there will be little done in the sheep and lamb trade this season. The banks of this section will carry sheepmen of any consequence for one year, and will loan up to \$1 per head on all sheep at five to ten per cent, so I can not see that there will be many one dollar lambs sold in New Mexico this season. We never had better grass and more water or even better lambs, than I have seen in this section of the country."

"I have long suffered from indigestion," writes G. A. LeDeis, Cedar City, Mo. "Like others I tried many other preparations but never found anything that did me good until I took Kodol Dyspepsia cure. One bottle cured me. A friend who had suffered similarly I put on the use of Kodol Dyspepsia cure. He is gaining fast and will soon be able to work. Before he used Kodol Dyspepsia cure indigestion had made him a total wreck. Robt. Hurt.

A Typical South African Store.

O. E. Larson, of Bay Villa, Sundays River, Cape Colony, conducts a store typical of South Africa, at which can be purchased anything from the proverbial "needle to an anchor." This store is situated in a valley nine miles from the nearest railway station and about twenty-five miles from the nearest town. Mr. Larson says: "I am favored with the custom of farmers within a radius of thirty miles, to many of whom I have supplied Chamberlain's remedies. All testify to their value in a household where a doctor's advice is almost out of the question. Within one mile of my store the population is perhaps sixty. Of these, within the past twelve months, no less than fourteen have been absolutely cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This must surely be a record." For sale by Robt. Hurt.

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Josh Westhafer, of Loogootee, Ind., is a poor man, but he says he would not be without Chamberlain's Pain Balm if it cost five dollars a bottle, for it saved him from being a cripple. No external application is equal to this liniment for stiff and swollen joints, contracted muscles, stiff neck, sprains and rheumatic and muscular pains. It has also cured numerous cases of partial paralysis. It is for sale by Robt. Hurt.

SHERIFF'S SALE. In the District Court, County of Lincoln, Territory of New Mexico. Territory of New Mexico, vs. [defendants] No. 1103 North Homestead Mining Co. NOTICE is hereby given, that by authority and command of that certain Execution issued out of the said Court in above entitled cause and to me directed against those lands and premises of the said defendants hereinafter described and upon which the Court hath herein Adjudged and Decreed the plaintiff's demand and judgment for \$1475.97 and costs \$41.50, to be valid and subsisting lien for and on account of taxes, penalty and interest; and the said sum or any of them not having been paid by said defendants, I will on Saturday the 12th day of October A. D. 1901, at the hour of Nine o'clock of the forenoon, at the front door of the Court House of the said county of Lincoln, situate at the town of Lincoln in said county, offer for sale by Public Vendue, and will then and there sell to the highest cash bidder therefor, the whole of the said lands, tenements and premises named in said Order and Decree in this cause made, and in said Execution described, to-wit: The Homestead Lode, Mineral Survey No. 621, otherwise known as the "White Oaks Homestead" Lode, situate in the White Oaks Mining District, in said county of Lincoln, also that certain Mill site (North Homestead) of fifteen acres or thereabouts, in said White Oaks Mining District, also the South East quarter of the North West quarter of section seven, Township seven south, range 13 east, all in said Lincoln county, or so much thereof as may be found necessary to satisfy the said demand amounting to \$1517.47, together with the costs and expenses attending this sale etc.

The said lands will be sold subject to unpaid taxes thereon from A. D. 1897 to 1901 inclusive, but subject to the payment of said taxes on the 10th day of September A. D. 1901.

ALFREDO GONZALEZ, Sheriff County Lincoln.

SHERIFF'S SALE. In the District Court, County of Lincoln, Territory of New Mexico. Robert U. Stewart as Trustee, by and for the use of the Central Gas Trust, the Brown & Main, Gas and Electric Company, plaintiffs, vs. Barbara T. Gray and Sarah C. Gray, defendants. NOTICE is hereby given, that by authority and command of that certain Decree and Order of Sale made by the Court in above entitled cause, bearing date the 11th day of March A. D. 1901, whereby it is decreed and ordered that the lands and premises in Plaintiff's Complaint described, to-wit: The North East Quarter of Section (19) sixteen of Township (9) nine, Range of Range (20) sixteen East of New Mexico Meridian, containing 320 acres of land, to be the same more or less, and all the right title and interest of the said defendants therein, be sold under the order and direction of the Court, or so much and such parts thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff in his judgment against said Barbara T. Gray in the sum of \$2041.94 and \$36.05 costs of suit, with interest at 10 per cent per annum from the 15th day of October, A. D. 1900, and which sum has not been satisfied, and that the said Court hath directed that the Sheriff of the said county of Lincoln do give lawful effect to said Decree and Order of Sale herein.

Now therefore, in obedience thereto, I will on Saturday the 13th day of October A. D. 1901, at the hour of (1) one o'clock of the afternoon, at the front door of the Post-office in the town of Capitan in said county of Lincoln, being a public place convenient to said tract of land offer for sale by public vendue, and will then and there sell to the highest cash bidder therefor, the whole of the said lands, tenements and premises above described, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said demand, now amounting to \$2077.99, together with the costs and expenses attending this sale etc.

The said sale, with the highest bidder for said property, to be reported to the Court for confirmation, upon which confirmation, title by deed of conveyance will be executed as provided by the Court's Decree and the laws of New Mexico.

Said lands will be sold subject to unpaid taxes thereon. Witness my hand this ninth day of September A. D. 1901.

ALFREDO GONZALEZ, Sheriff County Lincoln. By Wm. Sarris Deputy. R. E. Lead, White Oaks, plaintiff's attorney. 1st publication 5 12

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Items of Interest to Residents of the Town and Neighborhood.

Mining location blanks for sale at the Progress office.
"No trouble to show goods," S. W. M. Co.

The Commissioners were in session for a couple of days this week, it being their regular quarterly meeting.

Ed. C. Pfingsten, member of the board of county commissioners, attended commissioners court at Lincoln this week.

Old fashioned sorghum molasses 75c gallon at the S. W. M. Co.'s, bring a jug.

Take your laundry to W. H. Brewer, at saloon, and he will insure you nice clean clothes for Sunday. He sends laundry to El Paso every Tuesday morning.

J. W. Whitesides informed the Progress that he will soon have a complete line of hardware and crockery in stock. Watch for his ad when his stock arrives.

A. G. Burlingame of Alamogordo, missionary for the American Sunday School Union is in Capitan this week. He will organize schools in several of the neighborhoods in this vicinity while here.

Louis G. Brockway, of Lynn, Mass., arrived in Capitan this week on his way to Lincoln to attend the sale of the North Homestead mine which will be sold under the sheriff's hammer at that place next Saturday.

Sol C. Werner, of White Oaks, chairman of the board of county commissioners, passed through Capitan last Wednesday on his way home from Lincoln where he had been in attendance upon commissioners court.

A. C. Austin was in town in the early part of the week from his home fruit farm and while in town made the Progress force happy by leaving some of the most luscious pears that ever tempted the appetite of an epicure. These pears measured twelve inches in circumference and Mr. Austin states were of the average size, he having gathered some that were much larger. Mr. Austin was justly proud of these beauties as they illustrate the possibilities of Lincoln county as a fruit growing country. Mr. Austin has one of the finest young orchards along the Bonito and he expects it from now on to yield him a handsome revenue each year.

Hon. Sulpio Salazar, member of the board of county commissioners of this county, was in Capitan yesterday and while in town called at the Progress office. Mr. Salazar feels that he is one of the most fortunate men in Lincoln county as he is today completely out of debt, having this week paid the last cent he owed, which was in round numbers \$7,121.00. Besides this he still has his ranches, sheep, etc. left. All of this he has accumulated since he came to Lincoln county. No wonder he thinks Lincoln county is the best country on earth. This is but an illustration of what any man with push and energy can do in Lincoln county.

Lincoln county is a poor man's country, but he need not remain poor long if he will apply himself and take advantage of the many opportunities that the country offers for the accumulation of wealth.

Rev. E. P. Ryland of El Paso delivered two lectures here this week to appreciative audiences. Mr. Ryland is an entertaining talker and a thorough scholar and his lectures were highly enjoyed. The lectures were given under the auspices of the Methodist church of this place for the purpose of raising money to build a Church in Capitan.

Henry Avant and Miss Mattie Barrett were married at the residence of the bride's parents on the Bonito last Saturday. The words that made the twain one were spoken by Squire Rains in the presence of relatives and immediate friends of the contracting parties. May happiness be their portion in life is the wish of their friends throughout the county.

Gallinas in Lincoln County. The Gallinas is a copper district and is the scene of late of large investment by Iowa capital, extensive development being proposed. Jones Taliaferro of White Oaks, the Spence Brothers and others have large properties in the Gallinas. Mr. Taliaferro is having ore hauled fifty miles at a profit.

Jcarilla Placer Properties. The American Placer company of Cleveland, O., has expended \$50,000 in work preparing to operate the Jcarilla placers, and is now about to begin actual gold getting with a big steam shovel and other machinery. The company has 5,000 acres of placers running about 50 cents per cubic yard, and a long reach of pipe line.

The Nogal Camp. Nogal, Lincoln county, N. M., is one of the oldest camps of Lincoln county, and counts some noted mines, including the American and the Heiga Rae groups. Each of these groups is equipped with milling machinery, and both are rich in gold. The American group is owned by the Vanderbilt Gold Mining company of Pennsylvania and New York, and is now idle. The Heiga Rae property belongs to Deiph & Robertson of Scranton, Pa., and is being worked.

Notice. I have opened a shoemaker shop in North Capitan and solicit your patronage. Shop in the rear end of Barber's shop. Satisfaction guaranteed. -BIS-LUVV.

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A Filidsh Attack. An attack was lately made on C. F. Collier of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly proved fatal. It came through his kidneys. His back got so lame he could not stoop without great pain, nor sit in a chair except propped by cushions. No remedy helped him until he tried Electric Bitters, which effected such a wonderful change that he writes he feels like a new man. This marvelous medicine cures backache and kidney trouble, purifies the blood and builds up your health. Only 50c at Robt. Hurt's Drug Store.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

Dearest Alice. Department of the Interior. Howell, New Mexico, August 20, 1901. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Patrick H. Thompson, contestant, against contestant, et al., No. 1463, me to June 9, 1901, for the SW 1/4 Sec. 2, and SW 1/4 Sec. 11, T. 9 S., R. 10 E., by Richard Echols Hoggard, contestee, in which it is alleged that said Richard Echols Hoggard has wholly abandoned said tract, and changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry and next prior to the date of said affidavit, that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States, or as a private soldier, officer, seaman or mariner, during the war with Spain, or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock, a. m. on October 20, 1901, before E. W. Hulbert, U. S. Commissioner at Lincoln, Lincoln county, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on November 7, 1901, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, N. M. The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit filed September 7, 1901, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication. -Howard Leland, Register. David L. Geyer, Receiver.

Forest Lien Selection, No. 635. U. S. Land Office Roswell, N. M., August 27, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that James G. Freeman, whose postoffice address is El Paso, Texas, has made application to select, under the Act of June 4, 1907, (35 Stat. 36) the following described tracts to wit: The SW 1/4, NW 1/4 and SW 1/4 Sec. 2, the SW 1/4, NW 1/4 and SW 1/4 Sec. 3, the SW 1/4, NW 1/4 and SW 1/4 Sec. 4, T. 9 S., R. 14 E., New Mexico Territory.

Within the next thirty days from date hereof protests or contests against the selection of the ground that the land described, or any portion thereof, is more valuable for its minerals than for agricultural purposes, will be received and noted by report to the Commissioner of the General Land Office, Howard Leland, Register.

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Notice for Publication. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., September 13, 1901. 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 Register or Receiver at Roswell, N. M., on October 29, 1901, viz: Francisco Archuleta, Homestead Application No. 720, for the E 1/2 SW 1/4 and W 1/2 SE 1/4, Sec. 24, T. 7 S., R. 10 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Antonio Montoya Felix Perez, Daniel Vial and Mariano Chavez, all of Richardson, N. M. -Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., September 14, 1901. 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 Register or Receiver at Roswell, N. M., on October 29, 1901, viz: Doroteo Lucero, Homestead Application No. 740, for the E 1/2 NE 1/4, sec. 13, T. 8 S., R. 17 E., and Lots 1 and 2 sec. 18, T. 8 S., R. 17 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said lands, viz: Antonio Montoya and Felix Perez of Richardson, N. M., and Epimeno Lucero and Ines Garcia of Arabela, N. M. -Howard Leland, Register.

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Notice for Publication. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., August 31, 1901. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the Probate Clerk at Lincoln, N. M., on October 12, 1901, viz: Mary Jane Reynolds, Homestead Application No. 737, for the SW 1/4 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 33, T. 10 S., and Lots 1 and 3 Sec. 3, T. 11 S., R. 13 E., New Mexico Territory. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Alexander C. Stevens of Angus, N. M., and Eliza W. Peables, Andrew J. Holder and John H. Phillips all of Alto, N. M. -Howard Leland, Register.

Professional Cards. J. Q. WELCH, Resident Dentist. Office at Fuel Company Hospital.

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