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## When to Lie

Rev. C. F. K... (text continues)

## W. F. Coyle, better known as

W. F. Coyle, better known as... (text continues)

## Accidentally Shot

Rev. C. F. K... (text continues)

## Harry W. Hamilton

Harry W. Hamilton... (text continues)

## Judge McMillan Exonerated

Judge McMillan... (text continues)

## Tax Payers Thankful

Tax payers... (text continues)

## Corpse of a Hunt

Corpse of a hunt... (text continues)

## Married

Married... (text continues)

## A Swiss Inventor

A Swiss inventor... (text continues)

A Swiss inventor... (text continues)

## They Will Be Safe

They will be safe... (text continues)

They will be safe... (text continues)

## A Check Drawn

A check drawn... (text continues)

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## Never a Death in the Family

Never a death... (text continues)

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# THE CAPITAN PROGRESS

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A. L. Butcher of Rosebud, Texas, was here last week in search of a missing son that was in these parts when last heard from. Mr. Butcher heard of a man being found dead in the Capitan mountains some time ago and fearing it might be his son he came here to investigate the matter. After his return he writes the following letter to H. S. Wallace which explains itself.

Rosebud, Texas, 3/18-1903  
Mr. H. S. Wallace,

Capitan, New Mexico.  
My Esteemed Friend,

I arrived home last Monday morning the 15 inst. This morning's mail brought me a letter from my son, mailed at Carrizozo. He is in the employ of the New Mexico Oil and Development Co. located nine miles north of Carrizozo. You can hardly imagine the thrill this letter was to me. I have written him to call on you and thank you for your kindness to me. Tell my friend Mr. Gray and also Mr. Hall where the boy is and that I shall always feel under obligations for the kindness you people have shown me. I hope to see you some time in the spring.

Yours in F. C. B.

A. L. BUTCHER

Geo. E. Sugh closed a deal with Messrs. Knight and Haviland, of the Jacarilla mining district, for eleven placer mining claims for A. B. Tancypill and others, of Waterloo, Iowa. Mess. Knight and Haviland have been working their ground steadily for the last five years and have cleaned up a nice little sum therefrom. The purchasers are to be congratulated upon getting some of the best placer ground in the Jacarillas. These gentlemen will immediately commence drilling for water and put in one of the new Wise gold-washing machines. White Oaks Eagle.

The New Mexico Oil and Development Company has struck water in the well being sunk near Flat Top Mountain N. M. The strike was made at a depth of 240 feet. The water is strongly impregnated with sulphur and is decidedly similar to the Carrizozo well. The water rose 100 feet immediately after it was struck.

Wm. Brewer visited Ft. Stanton last Sunday. Mr. Brewer says he found everything in fine shape at the Fort and was never treated more royally in his life. He received an invitation to the Grand Ball to be given at the large dance hall at that place on April 3, and was also told to invite his friends to attend.

## BIG DEAL IS CLOSED.

El Capitan Land and Cattle Co., in New Mexico, Sells Out.

Negotiations for the sale of the El Capitan Land and Cattle company's ranches near Richardson, N. M., to a syndicate headed by W. A. Johnson of Buckner, Mo., have been concluded. The purchase price is \$400,000. This cattle transaction has been pending for some time.

While no formal deeds have been given to the property, the sale is considered completed. The sale includes ranch property, houses, equipment, a general store at Richardson, N. M. and a guarantee of 25,000 cattle. The contract provides a stated price for the cattle, 25,000, and a forfeit for each head falling below that number. The brand of the El Capitan company is known as three boxes on the side. News.

For the first time in nine years the flour mill at San Marcial is idle because not only the local wheat supply is exhausted, but no wheat can be procured from California and Colorado. But the day is coming when the Rio Grande valley will keep many more flour mills running than at present. Homestead lands in other parts of the United States are becoming less and less in extent and the overflow population of the East and Middle West, which is building up Oregon, Washington, Texas, Nebraska, Kansas and the Dakotas will soon turn to New Mexico and Arizona, and especially to valley like the Rio Grande where thousands of acres can be reclaimed cheaply with power pumps. New Mexican.

### The Stomach is the Man.

A weak stomach weakens the man, because it cannot transform the food he eats into nourishment. Health and strength cannot be restored to any sick man or weak woman without first restoring health and strength to the stomach. A weak stomach cannot digest enough food to feed the tissues and revive the tired and run down limbs and organs of the body. Kodal Dyspepsia Cure cleanses, purifies, sweetens and strengthens the glands and membranes of the stomach, cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. Robt. Hurt.

Sheriff Owen arrived here Tuesday from a several days trip after a man wanted for murder.

Mr. Owen succeeded in capturing his man (Curly Carroll) at Tucumcari, and then brought him to White Oaks where the crime was committed. Carroll employed attorney Wharton who went with him and Sheriff Owen to Santa Fe to secure habeas corpus, which was granted by Judge McMillan. Returning to Tucumcari the bond was immediately filed and Carroll once more had his liberty. Only a short while after being released Carroll became involved in a drunken row and was shot to death, two other men, Joe Hoffman and Kenneth Woodard being killed at the same time. The persons accused of killing them are John Young, Verra Carnes and Louis Keiper, all from Clayton, N. M.

The bill introduced by Representative Turner which passed both houses yesterday under suspension of the rules and providing that district attorneys shall not be required to reside within the districts for which they are appointed, is a measure bad in principle and tyrannical in operation. It strikes at the idea of self government in local affairs. It means that the people of a district shall have no voice in the selection of their district attorneys and that the governor of the territory may appoint a lawyer residing in Raton to be district attorney for the district comprising

ing Chaves and Eddy counties, or a lawyer in Grant county to be district attorney for Colfax and Union counties. It is evident that this bill was prepared and rushed through for a purpose; it is also evident that the purpose is not a good one and if carried out would prove detrimental to the people and to the Republican party. It is hoped the governor will give the bill a pocket veto. -New Mexican.

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### Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,  
March 7th., 1903.

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 E. W. Hulbert, U. S. Commissioner at Lincoln, New Mexico, on April 25, 1903, viz: Leslie Ellis, Homestead application No. 2422, for the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , NW $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  and S $\frac{1}{2}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 34, T. 5 S., R. 16 E.

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

GEO. A. PETERS, Lincoln, N. M.  
SAMUEL HURST, Lincoln, N. M.  
HENRY HALL, Lincoln, N. M.  
RANDOLF WELCH, Lincoln, N. M.  
HOWARD LELAND, Register.

### Wind Wrecks Train.

Extra westbound freight No. 864 with Conductor McClurken in charge, was ditched one mile east of Laguna. While rounding a curve six cars loaded with 100 foot bridge girders were struck by the wind and blown from the track.

By the amendment of the Arizona game laws the protection is taken off of ducks and geese. The new law also makes the open season for deer begin a month earlier.

### Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,  
March 14, 1903.

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 United States Commissioner at Lincoln, New Mexico, on May 2, 1903, viz: Ramon Trujillo, homestead application No. 1103, for the S $\frac{1}{2}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  and S $\frac{1}{2}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  sec 23, tp 8 s., r 15 e.

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

Relugio Trujillo, Apolonia Diaz, Rafael Fresques and Pedro Benabides, all of Lincoln, N. M.  
HOWARD LELAND, Register.  
First publication Mar. 20 0t

### A Remarkable Case.

One of the most remarkable cases of a cold, deep-seated on the lungs, causing pneumonia, that of Mrs. Gertrude E. Fenner, Marion, Ind., who was entirely cured by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. She says: "The coughing and straining so weakened me that I run down in weight from 148 to 92 pounds. I tried a number of remedies to no avail until I used One Minute Cough Cure. Four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me entirely of the cough, strengthened my lungs and restored me to my normal weight, health and strength." Robt. Hurt.

### Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,  
Land Office at Roswell N. M.,  
February 25, 1903.

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 United States Commissioner at Lincoln, New Mexico, on April 13th, 1903, viz: Paz R. de Ramirez, widow of Toribio Ramirez, Homestead Application No. 856, for the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 5, N. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  N. W $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 8, T. 9 S., R. 18 E.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Julia Otero, of Lincoln, N. M.; Jose Ramirez, of Arabela, N. M.; Jesus Maes of Arabela, N. M.; Epimenio Lucero, of Arabela, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.  
First publication March 6-6t.

### Wakeful Children.

For a long time the two year old child of Mr. P. L. McPherson, 59 N. Tenth street, Harrisburg, Pa., would sleep but two or three hours in the early part of the night, which made it very hard for her parents. Her mother concluded that the child had stomach trouble, and gave her half of one of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, which quieted her stomach and she slept the whole night through. Two boxes of these tablets have effected a permanent cure and she is now well and strong. For sale by Robt. Hurt, druggist.

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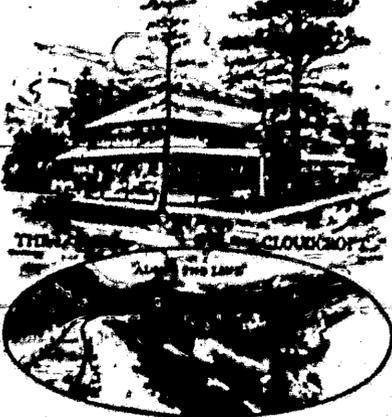
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"It beats me," said the philosopher, "that people will keep piling up money long after they have several times as much as they'll ever be able to use."

Then he went out for a walk. Passing a book store, he saw half a dozen very cheap books which, however, he knew he hadn't time to read and doubted very much if he ever would have time to read.

But they were cheap and he bought them and sent them home to be added to his library, which already contained several times as many books as he would ever have time to read.

Nevertheless, he continued to wonder at the senseless accumulation of money.

### Origin of the Cat.

In Arabian legends the cat is traced back as far as Noah and the ark. It is one of the animals that came off the ark but did not go on. When the other creatures entered for safety during the time when "the doors of heaven were to be opened and the fountains of the deep turned loose," there was no cat among them. Puss' origin is accounted for in this way:

During the time the ark was floating about over the tall mountains mice and rats became an intolerable nuisance to the people on the great vessel, and they complained to Noah that everything was being literally devoured by the pesky vermin. That august personage forthwith called the male lion to his side and began to stroke his back, whereupon the great beast sneezed and, lo, a full sized cat was blown from his nostrils!

### Well Again.

The many friends of John Blount will be pleased to learn that he has entirely recovered from his attack of his rheumatism. Chamberlain's Pain Balm cured him after the best doctors in the town of (Monon, Ind.) had failed to give relief. The prompt relief from pain which this liniment affords is alone worth many times its cost. For sale by Robt. Hurt, druggist.

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### Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,  
Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,  
March 20th., 1903.

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, New Mexico, on May 9, 1903, viz: Apolomo Lucero, Homestead application No. 792, for the SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> E<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> and SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec 32, T. 8, S. R. 18 E.

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

Sebero Gallegos, of Arabela, N. M.; Epimemo Lucero, of Arabela, N. M.; Felipe Sanchez, of Arabela, N. M.; Dorotello Lucero, of Arabela, N. M.

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### What's in a Name?

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The bridge at Belen is completed one third of the way across the Rio Grande. Grading is going on across the river and a force is headed Belen-ward from Aba canyon. The teams are having difficulty fording the river at present on account of rising water and treacherous sands.

Patrick F. Garrett collector of the port of El Paso, whom charges were preferred in relation to his official duties has been declared by the treasury department to be entirely exonerated from all wrong doing charged, his official act being fully sustained.

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## Local and Personal.

Ed Cudaly of Oñaha, is at the hotel.

Mike Cudaly of Chicago is in town.

Geo A. Montgomery is on the sick list.

J. N. Coe was a visitor Monday—more apples.

Harry Little of Parsons, in town Thursday.

Ed J. Coe of Glencoe was in the burg Saturday.

C. W. Howard is agent and operator at Capitan now.

Joseph Gumm of White Oaks, was in the city Wednesday.

Wm. Jones has purchased the barber shop at North Capitan.

C. Heine of Albuquerque registered at the Depot Hotel today.

Jim Latham of Alamogordo, was to be seen in town Monday.

Buy your Imperial flour at the S. W. Mer. Co., Capitan.

Julie Bellamy was in town Wednesday on his way to Torrance.

P. G. Peters' new clerk, — was a visitor from Angus this week.

Will Meera and Jim Lafferty was over from the block ranch Tuesday.

T. C. Hill has had an attack of the grip this week but is better today.

R. A. Hunicutt a Bonito stockman traded with our merchants this week.

Celebrated Parksdale farm butter, 50 cents per pound, at the Mercantile Company store.

Wm. Yates a prominent ranchman from the Capitan Mountains was in town yesterday.

Martin Chavez a prominent Hondo sheep man loaded with supplies in Capitan this week.

Henry Lutz and Dr. Watson of Lincoln was to be seen on the streets of Capitan Monday.

A. C. Stormes of Hondo was a pleasant caller at the Progress office the first of the week.

Spring is coming, so is Xmas. Judging from the weather which do you think will come first?

R. Copeland and Geo. Eaker was in town last Saturday from Angus to the "round-up" here.

Geo. Kullen an old time prospector and miner of this county was in town the first of the week.

Cattle Inspector Latham, of Alamogordo passed through on his way home, via White Oaks.

Ada McKinney, of Alamogordo, was a guest at the Depot Hotel today.

You can get bran, \$1.50 per sack, at the Southwestern Mercantile Co.'s store.

J. J. McCourt of El Paso, with the Armour Packing Co., is calling on the merchants of this section.

The contest suit for sheriff, between John W. Owen and R. D. Armstrong is set for next Monday at Carlsbad.

Wanted.—Hides, sheep pelts, goat skins, etc. Highest market price paid by Welch & Titsworth.

Mrs. W. M. Reily and Miss Kittie Reily was visiting at Carriazo the first of the week, guests of Mrs. A. T. Anderson.

A. J. King, manager of the Southwestern Mercantile Company was up from Alamogordo a couple of days last week.

H. S. Wallace, postmaster, is visiting at Alamogordo this week. Mr. Ritter is in charge of the office.

Grand rest for business men; (Sunday) So if you want watered goods you had better "B" Saturday night before M.N.

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Wm. Hale of Ruidoso, loaded with flour from Welch & Titsworth's for J. D. Prude, the Ruidoso merchant.

Charles Jones left for Albuquerque Saturday where he has relatives and friends that he will visit for the next few weeks.

J. N. Claggett traveling auditor for the E. P., N. E. was in the city several days this week looking after the company's business.

Adolph Becker of Belen, arrived here on this morning's train. He has a position with the Southwestern Mercantile Co.

Mrs. T. P. Lea of Roswell, arrived on the morning train on her way home. She has been visiting friends and relatives at Alamogordo.

A. Newran and L. S. Patterson, photographers for the National Directory and View Co., Chicago, are stopping at the Meers hotel this week.

Joe Salmon returned Wednesday from Roswell. Mr. Salmon invested in some choice town property while at that place.

E. W. Peoples of Little Creek passed through Capitan Wednesday en route to the Santa Fe cut off to put his teams to work on the grade.

Welch & Titsworth received a car of corn today and say they will get a car of seed oats when the Ry. Co. get through with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith were visitors to Capitan Tuesday. Mr. Smith is one of our prominent ranchmen near Walnut. He has a large pasture and his cattle are doing fine considering the amount of cold weather we have had.

Thomas Webber was in town Monday. He is one of the new farmers from the high Mesa. He has a farm in the center of the district and you bet he has got the sod to rolling.

Wm. Johnstone of Ft. Stanton was a pleasant visitor to Capitan Monday. Mr. Johnstone came to Ft. Stanton two years ago as a patient but has thoroughly recovered and is now working as an attendant.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hurley left Monday for Oscura. Mr. Hurley has been telegraph operator and freight agent at this place for the past several months. He resumes the same occupation at Oscura and C. W. Howard of Leonceta will fill his vacancy.

J. C. Wharton of Hondo, of the firm of M. A. Wharton & Co., was here on business Saturday. Mr. Wharton is just completing a large store building which he expects to have filled with a complete line of general merchandise.

Effective March 29, 1903, the Golden State Limited will be discontinued as a daily train. After that date until further advice this train will be run semi-weekly.

W. C. English, a ranchman from the Ruidosa was in town Saturday and Sunday. Mr. English has a nice band of Angora goats which are doing well considering the severe cold weather we have had. He has lost only four head during the winter.

\$30.00

To Mexico City and Return Via the Mexican Central Railway.

On account of the Cattlemen's convention in El Paso, March 10, the Mexican Central railway will tender a rate of \$30 to Mexico City and return. Special arrangements have been made for the extension of tickets reading into El Paso when holders wish to take side trip to Mexico.

Tickets on sale March 11 to 14, inclusive. Limit thirty days from date of sale. Stop-overs permitted.

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W. S. MEAD,  
Commercial Agt., El Paso.

W. R. Marton of Alamogordo, General Manager and Superintendent of the E. P., N. E. was up in his private car Wednesday. R. S. Sumner, Chief Engineer, was with him.

W. J. Barrows passed through town Wednesday on his way to Lincoln. He is employed by the government to take the financial statements for the last three years of the different counties of the territory.

Last Saturday eve there was given a grand social hop at Moore's Hall which proved a success. Every one seemed to enjoy themselves splendid. The greatest attraction of the ball was a step in a quadrille by a young Miss Reily, whose form and figure is not surpassed in this country. Everything passed off nicely until the music said enough.

Ira Sanger has been suffering from a slight wound in the leg caused from a hay hook that he accidentally stuck in his leg several days ago. It was thought not to be serious at first, but after several days, while on his road to Roswell, it began to give him great pain and he became unable to travel. He procured a room at Picacho where he was treated for several days and was able to return home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Remington, accompanied by their son A. Remington and Capt. Lea of Roswell, was in Capitan Sunday, taking the train for Alamogordo. Mr. Remington is the inventor of the automatic railroad switch and bridge danger signal. He has the contract to put in an automatic switch at Alamogordo and El Paso and expects to secure a contract to furnish the whole line with these automatic signals.

### Notice of Estray.

One bay horse about three years old, branded J on right shoulder has been on and about my premises since April 1, 1901, in precinct No. 1, county of Lincoln, territory of New Mexico. Above described horse took up with my horses when about one year old. Affidavit has been made before justice of the peace of above precinct and said affidavit filed with county assessor.

Unless the owner of above animal be found within the time required by law, sale of same will be ordered by the county assessor according to law. Any person claiming the above animal may apply to the undersigned at Lincoln, N. M., by mail, or in person at his ranch on Lincoln and Capitan road about five miles above Lincoln. 3t DAVID GALLEGOS

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#### Curly Carroll Caught.

Sheriff Owen arrived here Monday with Curly Carroll, the slayer of Juan Barreras. The circumstances of this killing are well known to Eagle readers. Barreras was enamored of a certain dusky sinorita, and Carroll was a successful rival. Barreras knocked, Carroll refused to open; Barreras with a drawn dagger in hand kicked in the door, his weapon flashing in the moonlight as he entered. Carroll sent a leaden messenger tearing through his heart. Barreras kicked the bucket. Carroll and his company went out into the night and were swallowed up.

Barreras' blood which ran ten feet from the door out of the cabin where he died, stoged in a pool, soaking into the earth, and discovered him to his friends. The widow came up from El Paso and with relatives buried Barreras. Carroll traveled for a year, and finally wound up in the officers' hands at Tucuman, New Mexico, last week. He is now the prisoner of Sheriff Owen en route to Socorro where he seeks the privileges of the habeas corpus. Escal do, nomas. White Oaks Eagle.

Says the Las Vegas Optic: The legislature has taken away from the people the right to choose their own officers; it has even done worse. It has legislated all the county officials of one county (Guadalupe), out of office. These officials were elected last fall by the people and the legislature should have had the decency to allow them to retain their positions until their terms of office shall have expired any way.

#### Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local application as they can not reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous services.

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#### Schoolboy Answers.

Here are some gems of school-boy answers to examination problems collected by University Correspondence:

"John Wesley was a great sea captain. He beat the Dutch at Waterloo, and by degrees rose to be Duke of Wellington. He was buried near Nelson, in the poet's corner at Westminster Abbey."

Asked to name six animals peculiar to the Arctic regions, a boy replied: "Three bears and three seals."

"The sublime porte is a very fine old wine."

"The possessive case is the case when somebody has got yours and won't give it to you."

"The plural of penny is twopence."

"In the sentence, 'I saw the goat butt the man,' 'butt' is a conjunction, because it shows the connection between the goat and the man."

"Mushrooms always grow in damp places, and so they look like umbrellas."

The difference between water and air is that air can be made water, but water cannot. London Express.

#### SEVERE ATTACK OF GRIP

Cured by One Bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"When I had an attack of the grip last winter—the second one—I actually cured myself with one bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says Frank W. Perry, editor of the Enterprise, Shortsville, N. Y. "This is the honest truth. I at times kept from coughing myself to pieces by taking a teaspoonful of this remedy, and when the coughing spell would come on at night I would take a dose and it seemed that in the briefest possible interval the cough would pass off and I would go to sleep perfectly free from cough and its accompanying pains. To say that the remedy acted as a most agreeable surprise is putting it very mildly. I had no idea that it could or would knock out the grip, simply because I had never tried it for such a purpose, but it did, and it seemed with the second attack of coughing the remedy caused it to not only be of less duration, but the pains were far less severe and I had not used the contents of one bottle before Mr. Grip had bid me adieu." Sold by Robt. Hurt.

Thomas Garcia, who lives near Belen was killed one day last week as the result of a quarrel between W. S. Tucker and a Mexican both of whom were employed by the grading outfit working upon the Santa Fe cut off. Tucker shot at the Mexican, the bullet missed its mark and landed in the body of Garcia who was setting in a building in range with the line of the bullet.

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