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Rodey's Methods.

Delegate Rodey and his impolitic manner of doing things is making enemies instead of friends for New Mexico in the fight for statehood. At the irrigation congress held in Ogden and at which Delegate Rodey was present, he made one of his characteristic speeches, attacking the east so bitterly that he was roundly hissed and severely criticised by following speakers. The fact of the matter is that Delegate Rodey has reached that stage of the game where his usefulness, if he ever had any, is at an end. He is so unreasonable and egotistically aggressive that he is constantly defeating the very ends which he is trying to serve. In other words, Mr. Rodey's methods do not appeal to thinking people, but on the contrary, constantly antagonize them.—Silver City Independent.

The New Judge.

The dispatches from Washington confirm the report that Judge W. H. Pope of Santa Fe would be appointed to the vacancy now existing on the bench of the supreme court of New Mexico. At a conference between Attorney General Knox and the President the appointment was agreed on and Judge Pope will be the next judge of the Fifth district.

Judge Pope is a South Carolinian by birth but has long been identified with New Mexico. His early education was secured at Atlanta, Georgia, and after graduating from the high school there he attended the University of Georgia, receiving the degree of Master of Arts. In 1890 he completed the law course in the same institution. He soon entered the firm of Smith, Glen & Smith, the senior member of the firm being Hon. Hoke Smith, Secretary of the Interior under the second Cleveland administration. In 1894, breaking down in health from overwork, he came to Santa Fe, and soon became associate editor of the New Mexican. The next year he resumed the practice of his profession and has ever since enjoyed a lucrative practice. He is a prominent Odd Fellow and in religion is a Presbyterian.

Report of the Grand Jury of Lincoln County.

The following is the official report of the grand jury of Lincoln county for the September 1903 term:

TERRITORY OF NEW MEXICO, }
County of Lincoln. }

To the Honorable Frank W. Parker, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the Territory of New Mexico, and presiding Judge of the Third Judicial District court thereof, sitting as presiding Judge of said Fifth Judicial District court, said county, by reason of a vacancy in the office of presiding Judge of said district.

The Grand Jury for this, the September, A. D. 1903 term, for said county of Lincoln, having completed the work for which they were impanelled, respectfully make the following report, and ask to be discharged.

We were organized on the 8th day of the month, and from that day to this, the 23rd day of said month, we have been in session, excepting Sundays. We have usually convened at nine A. M. and have held a forenoon and afternoon session, and to the best of our ability have endeavored to carefully and patiently examine into the numerous criminal cases brought to our attention.

At the beginning of our session we were confronted with 36 cases, wherein preliminary examinations had been held before the justice courts of the various precincts in the county, and in addition to this large number of cases we have examined into and disposed of a large number of cases which were brought to our attention during the session.

We deem it proper to call your attention, and through you, the attention of the various justices of the peace in Lincoln county, to what we believe to be a subject of importance, and which if attention is paid thereto, will result in a more economical administration of the affairs of the county. We refer to the many cases sent up from the justices' courts which in our opinion should be disposed of and final jurisdiction assumed by said justices of the peace. If this were done the indiscriminate bills of witnesses which are often recognized to appear before the grand jury could be dispensed with. Of course where there is a genuine felony case we recommend the strictest investigation by the justices of the peace of the several precincts of the county, but it is nevertheless true that many of the cases we have examined are not felony cases, but cases of misdemeanor and should have been disposed of in the lower courts, and we believe further that there are often instances where the justices of the peace could issue warrant for a lower grade than asked for, and the ends of justice be subserved and large sums of money saved to the taxpayers of this county.

We beg to call attention to a condition of affairs which has existed for some time in the Northwestern portion of this county, more especially in and about the settlements of Corona and Torrance. It has been made apparent to this jury that there is a great necessity of a stricter enforcement of the criminal statutes in the sections referred to, and while some effective work has been done by the officers of the law, yet there is great need of a more rigorous application of the law to the violators of the criminal code in the northwestern section of. The deadly weapon act has been openly and notoriously violated, and in those cases where we could secure the evidence we have returned indictments. The cost to the county for maintaining law and order in those sections has been very large, and unless the officers make a continued and still more vigorous application of the law the cost will doubtless increase. We especially urge upon the justice of the peace of precinct number thirteen to use the utmost diligence and to see that the severest penalties possible under the deadly weapon act are imposed to the lawless characters found in those sections, and we believe that the honest law-abiding citizens of Corona and Torrance will sustain the officers of the law in their efforts to enforce same.

We have endeavored to carefully comply with the instructions given by your Honor, and in accordance with same have examined various county officers, and beg to submit herewith the reports of the several sub-committees relative thereto, as follows, to-wit:

We have returned 34 indictments and have refused to indict in 36 cases, where it was deemed the evidence did not warrant a prosecution.

We would respectfully solicit your Honor's intervention in this behalf, that we are given regular terms of court in the future, and we respectfully request that your Honor call the attention of the proper authorities at Washington to the situation in the Fifth judicial district, to the end that a judge may be speedily appointed to fill the vacancy now existing, and that defendants in criminal cases, as well as litigants in civil cases, may be afforded an opportunity for speedy trials.

We wish to thank your Honor for your uniform courtesy to us during our session, and also thank the various court officials who are here with you for their prompt and efficient aid in the transaction of our business.

Respectfully submitted.
GEO. L. CHRISTY, Foreman.

To Geo. L. Christy, Foreman.

Your committee appointed to investigate the County Clerk's and Treasurer and Collector's offices, beg to report that we have carefully examined the books of the clerk and find that the same are being neatly kept and in good order.

In the office of the treasurer and collector we find that strict account is being kept of the County finances, and that all the funds are properly accounted for.

Have looked into the matter of licenses and so far as we can ascertain find that all liquor licenses have been paid.

A. M. KROMANSON,
J. M. PREVINER,
F. SALAZAR.

To the Grand Jury of Lincoln County now in session

We, the undersigned committee appointed by our foreman, beg to submit the following report:

After a careful examination of the jail and grounds surrounding, we find the jail in good order and the prisoners well provided for, with good food and plenty of comfortable bedding. The grounds surrounding the jail are in good order.

After examining the repairs and improvements of the interior of the court room, the exterior of the courthouse, also the exterior of the jail, we recommend the board of county commissioners for said repairs. And after examining the books of the sheriff we find no saloon without a license.

And, furthermore, we we would recommend that the board of county commissioners make the following repairs and improvements: The repainting of the wood work on the interior of the jail; also that the walls of the interior of the jail be whitewashed. And also that the windows of the jail be replaced by new ones.

(Signed),
EMIL FRITZ.
CAMILO NUNEZ.
JOHN R. CROWL.

Socrates Literary Society.

The Socrates Literary Society of Capitan will give an entertainment in the schoolhouse, on Friday evening, October 30, for the benefit of the Teachers' Institute of Lincoln county.

Address - - - - Prof. Jones
Rec.—"Words of Welcome." - Maggie Prude
Rec.—"Doll Rosy's Bath." - Dott Bidson
Music, Willie Booth, Annie, Winnie & Jessie Cox
Rec.—"The Land of Pretty Soon." Ben Romero
Song—"The Old Church Tower."
Misses Mae Shehan & Jessie Cox
Rec.—"Fie's Letter." - - Velma Hill
Music.
Rec.—"Little Girls' Hopes" - Sallie Murray
Fan Drill—"Jerry and Me."
Misses Bird Latrell & Myrtle Bidson
Rec.—"The Chickens." - - George Taylor
Instrumental Music (Spanish Fandango)
Miss Myrtle Bidson
Rec.—"How Two Made Kept House in a Shoe."
Mattie Payne
Music.
Play—"The Gypsy Fortune Teller." Beth Martin, Bird Lantrell, Myrtle Bidson & Lena Mankin
Music.
Rec.—"When the Teacher Gets Cross."
Dollie Renfrow
Reading - - - - - Earl Taylor
Music.
Rec.—"The Fireball Story." Sam Williams
Play—"In Want of a Servant." - Charley Cox
Beth Martin, Ada Martin, Myrtle Bidson, Jessie Cox, Hoyo Craig and Morgan Riley.

Welch & Titsworth.

STOVES
STOVE PIPE
TAPER JOINTS
ELBOWS
WINDOW GLASS

Welch & Titsworth.

THE CAPITAN NEWS

CAPITAN, - - NEW MEXICO

St. Paul, if we mistake not, is the first large city to take decisive action against the toy pistol of 1904, but St. Paul will be less lonesome as time rolls on.

Now that beef has gone up, it is probable that there won't be so much of it go down with people who must keep the living expenses below a certain figure.

"We are in the hands of a receiver," writes a Billville editor, "and may the Lord make him duly thankful for what he is about to receive!"—Atlanta Constitution.

It is thought that the Humberts, the big Paris swindlers, will get but a light sentence. It will be remembered that they were wise enough to steal several millions.

Manila correspondents say the sultan of Sulu is so infatuated with Singapore that he will never return to Sulu. First they had him die, and now they have him resign.

Colombia "prefers war to humiliation." Our sympathy with that noble sentiment is somewhat chilled by the consideration that South American republics prefer war to almost anything.

The Washington baseball team is for sale. It is apparent that the owners of the team have a good deal of nerve. They ought to offer to give it away with half a pound of tea or something.

A sixty-horse power engine used on western ranches will plow sixty acres a day. Between that great machine and the automobile people who like horse meat should be able to get it at bargain rates.

Egyptian mummies under a recent customs decision are to be admitted to this country without having to pay duty. Although no protest by some infant industry has yet arisen, you never can tell.

Persons who come back wearied and exhausted by the pleasures of their coming tour should cheer up with the reflection that about fifty weeks must intervene before they have the same experience again.

An English clergyman has entirely lost his memory as the result of taking a bath—a circumstance which will confirm many people in their conviction that bathing is not only foolish but a dangerous custom.

That American girl who is going to paint a portrait of the empress dowager of China should be careful not to make it true to life if she cares to get her pay without making the collection of it in an international incident.

Britain has given liberty to seventeen unreconstructed Boer prisoners. The most dangerous feature about these irreconcilables is that they refuse to work. Even a small number of idlers may make considerable trouble.

According to a Cabin, Mo., dispatch a man has just died down that way who took out a life insurance policy [illegible] that he saw his [illegible] body. And no doubt there will be people who wonder if the company did not protest against paying.

LEARNING TO SWIM

HOW NEW YORK WOMEN ARE TAUGHT THE ART.

The Overcoming of Fear the First Qualification Absolutely Necessary—One Pupil Tells of Enjoyments Procured by a Few Lessons.

The only place in the city where swimming is scientifically taught to women, so far as careful search could determine, is in the basement of a building uptown, says the New York Sun. Here a stalwart English woman, with muscles trained to steel-like texture, laments over the lack of space at her disposal and does the best she can with ambitious pupils.

Six strokes will take an average swimmer across the tiny pool, and at first sight it would seem a mockery to attempt to teach an art which more than any other demands plenty of space and breathing room. But the science of swimming, it seems, can be taught in space that would bring contempt to the heart of an agile gold fish.

"If you can swim around this pool you have taken twelve strokes; if you can take twelve strokes you can keep on and take twenty-four; by the time you have taken twenty-four strokes without assistance you have mastered the greatest difficulty," says the instructor.

"And that is?"

"The innate fear, the lack of confidence. As soon as that is overcome the rest is easy."

Could Do Only the Six Strokes.

The apteet pupils, according to the English swimmer, are those who the most quickly conquer their dread. To teach the stroke is the easiest part of the lesson.

"One in whom this dread is not abnormally developed can be taught to keep afloat and make some progress in ten lessons. Twenty lessons make an expert swimmer of one, and after that a pupil may be taught all sorts of fancy strokes, the Indian, or trudgeon, the English or the American racing stroke, the dog stroke, to turn somersaults and even to dive.

"The water in the pool is at a temperature of 85 degrees, while the temperature of sea water is rarely above 75. This increase of warmth permits a longer stay in the water, but the real limit is the strength of the skin, which makes swimming in the ocean so much easier than in lake or river, or, in fact, any fresh water.

"I plunge much the new pupil is [illegible] never cover her mouth and nose, and if she doesn't move she is all right.

"As soon as she has learned to float she can easily be taught to move her hands and feet a little and then a little more, until she has mastered the breast stroke, which is the easiest of all."

"What do you think is the most graceful stroke for a woman?"

The teacher gave an exhibition of the side stroke, which to the onlooker certainly possesses merit of grace which the forward or breast

One of the First Strokes.

stroke does not. More of the head is above water, the motion is more plainly visible, and that long, outward sweep of the arm which makes swimming a delightful exercise to watch is there seen at its best.

The Indian or "trudgeon" stroke was then given. Next, the teacher turned forward and back somersaults, turned over in the water as if she were rolling down a glassy slope and enjoyed it, too. It was wonderful what could be accomplished in the little space at her disposal.

There are many motives leading one to learn to swim. One woman frankly admitted her method of procedure.

"I was dreadfully afraid of the water," she said. "Always have been so afraid that I simply could not make up my mind to go in, although I missed many a good time.

"One day I went to the swimming school and there acquired enough confidence not to scream when I found that my toes would not touch. I only took ten lessons, but that was sufficient for my purpose.

"The next time I was invited to

but begged one of the men to teach me. There is nothing a man likes quite so well as to teach a woman to swim. Said he to me:

"'You must have perfect confidence in me, trust me,' with an accent on the 'trust.'

"I turned my eyes toward him with a look of absolute confidence. I had learned it of the little English woman at the swimming school.

"'You won't let me drown?' I asked pleadingly.

"There was another girl, but she stood shrieking on the shore.

"'Brave little woman!' he remarked as we plunged in and started for the raft.

"I put one hand on his shoulder and used my other arm and feet as propellers as he told me, and when we reached the raft and he lifted me tenderly on it, he said:

"'I'll make a swimmer of you yet.'

"Of course, it wasn't up to me say anything, but I did smile when I saw my rival in her silk bathing suit—mine was only mohair—standing in the water up to her knees and looking with longing eyes toward us. It had only cost me $15 to get that advantage.

"Coming back I did feel a little afraid. The tide had risen and it was quite a distance from raft to shore. You know the way the sea surprises you sometimes. I clung to him and he soothed me gently.

"When we finally reached shore, he said:

"'Do you know I like you better in the water than I ever have anywhere else; you always seem so sure of yourself and have little opinions of your own and don't need to be told things, but you were just adorable in the sea. A man does like a woman to have confidence in him, if a woman only understood that a little better.'"

NUTS AND TOMATOES HIS FOOD.

Minneapolis Man Says He Was Saved From Death by "Fast Cure.

Peter Johnson has had nothing to eat but handful of nuts and a raw tomato a day for nine months. He is a living example of the so-called fasting fad.

Johnson had partial paralysis of the left side a year ago, and was the victim of bright's disease, weighed 240 pounds, suffered from asthma and was informed by his medical advisers that he could not live more than a month or two. Now Johnson weighs 170 pounds, is harder than nails and free from aches and pains.

Johnson fasted nearly forty days, when he began his "cure." Then, as he tells the story:

"I ate half a tomato a day for a week and then increased to a whole tomato. After a while I added a half pound of mixed nuts. Three weeks from the time I began eating I was told to eat more by degrees, but never to overfeed. I shall never take a chance. The tomato and the nuts with plenty of water, keep me in splendid condition. I am as sound as the day I was born. I can do four times the day's work I used to do."—New York Herald.

Tale of a Horse.

There was much talk in Berlin when it became known that Emperor William, on the occasion of his recent visit to Rome, had taken with him his saddler. Now, however, a satisfactory reason has been given. The Kaiser, it appears, ordered that only one of his horses should be sent to "the Eternal City," and it happened that the horse selected for this purpose had a short tail.

The Emperor became aware of this fact at the last moment, and, thinking it very probable that he might desire to wear his hussar uniform in Rome, in which case he could not appear in public thus arrayed on a horse with a short tail, long tailed horses being indispensable in Hungary, he at once ordered his saddler to accompany him, and to bring with him a [illegible]

SUFFERED FOR FIFTEEN YEARS

Completely Restored to Health.

Mrs. P. Brunzel, wife of , Brunzel, stock dealer, residence 3111 Grand Ave., Everett, Wash., says: "For fifteen years I suffered with terrible pain in my back. I experimented with doctors and medicines but got little if any relief. I actually believe the aching in in my back and through the groin became worse. I did not know what it was to enjoy a night's rest and arose in the morning feeling tired and unrefreshed. My suffering sometimes was simply indescribable. Finally, I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and got a box. After a few doses I told my husband that I was feeling much better and that the pills were doing me good. When I finished that box I felt like a different woman. I didn't stop at that, though. I continued the treatment until I had taken five boxes. There was no recurrence until a week ago, when I began to feel miserable again. I bought another box and three days' treatment restored me to health. Doan's Kidney Pills act very effectively, very promptly, relieve the aching pains and all other annoying difficulties. I have recommended them to many people and will do so when opportunities present themselves.

A FREE TRIAL of this great kidney medicine, which cured Mrs. Brunzel, will be mailed to any part of the United States on application. Address, Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all druggists, price 50 cents per box.

Quite a number of Eastern college men came out West this summer to harvest wheat, but more stayed at home to sow wild oats.

Ask Your Dealer for Allen's Foot-Ease.

A powder to shake into your shoes. It rests the feet. Cures Swollen, Sore, Hot, Callous, Aching, Sweating feet and Ingrowing Nails. Allen's Foot-Ease makes new or tight Shoes easy. Sold by all Druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

There are better ways of making money than by counterfeiting.

The secret of the popularity of Baxter's "Bullhead" 5 cent cigar is revealed in one word—"quality."

When the full infantry force of the country is called out all the babies will be up in arms.

Piso's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as a cough cure.—J. W. O'Brien, 501 Third Ave. N., Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 6, 1900.

"Western men are not what they once were," said the old-timer. "What were they once?" asked the tenderfoot. "Boys," rejoined the old-timer sadly.

Defiance Starch is guaranteed big-gest and best or money refunded. 16 ounces, 10 cents. Try it now.

Lending a man a dollar is a deed of trust.

PUTNAM FADELESS DYES color Silk, Wool and Cotton at one boiling.

"Do you think I will be able to mold public opinion?" asked the candidate who had just let out his maiden speech. "Oh, I guess so," replied the veteran politician. "The anecdotes you worked up were certainly spoilly enough."

The mildest tobacco that grows is used in the make-up of Baxter's Bullhead 5-cent cigar. Try one and see.

The best possible throw of dice is to throw them into the sewer.

Try one just once and I am sure to come again. Defiance Starch.

Given that man that his wife thinking she was a burglar, perhaps Women will be seen hereafter [illegible]

[illegible] Bullhead being [illegible]

The "Best-Girl" Habit.

"Why," asked her anxious and excited mother, "do you think he 's coming to the point at last?"

"Well," the maiden replied, looking demurely down at the rug, "when he took me in his arms and kissed me last night he said he'd got so used to me he didn't believe he could ever break himself of the habit."

A Combination of Discomforts.

"I see that those progressive Mexicans get the latest weather report stamped across the envelopes of the letters they receive."

"Well, it must be enough to make a man feel pessimistic to get an envelope stamped 'Continued rains and much colder,' with an unexpectedly large bill inside."

Maternal Pride.

First Young Wife—The photographer said my baby was the prettiest baby he'd ever seen.

Second Young Wife — That's strange. He said the same thing about mine.

First Young Wife—Well, I suppose he saw your baby before he saw mine.

Unsportsmanlike.

First Chauffeur—Puffer ought to be put out of the auto club. He's no true sportsman.

Second Chauffeur—Why, what's the matter with Puffer?

"He runs people down promiscuously, without ever tooting his horn. A regular pot-hunter."—Kansas City Journal.

Wanted the Real Thing.

"Matilda!" shouted old Crawfoot angrily, "stop pounding on that piano."

"Oh, papa," lisped the girl in gingham, "the paper says music will kill mosquitoes."

"Well, then, why don't you play music?"

In Kansas.

"Do the Kansas farmers expect much for their money?" asked the hat salesman.

"I should say so," responded the lightning-rod agent. "After they buy a lightning rod they expect you to send along a thunderstorm so they can test it."—Chicago News.

Both Sides Of It.

She—It's lots of fun to flirt with a man till you get him to propose and then say "No."

He—Yes, and it's lots of fun for the man, too; but he runs an awful risk.

She—How's that?

He—She might fool him and say "Yes."

Changes His Mind.

"My doctor," remarked the Nervy Boarder, "thought I was drinking too much strong coffee, but he changed his mind."

"What made him do that?"

"Took a meal with me at the boarding house and had some himself."

Where She Drew the Line.

Mrs. de Fashion—My dear, I have picked out a husband for you.

Miss de Fashion—Very well; but I want to say now, mother, that when it comes to buying the wedding dress I am going to select the materials myself, so there!

GRATEFUL, HAPPY WOMEN

Miss Muriel Armitage.

THANK PE-RU-NA FOR THEIR RECOVERY AFTER YEARS OF SUFFERING.

Miss Muriel Armitage, 36 Greenwood Ave., Detroit, Mich., District Organizer of the Royal Templars of Temperance, in a recent letter, says:

"I think that a woman naturally shrinks from making her troubles public, but restored health has meant so much to me that I feel for the sake of other suffering women it is my duty to tell what Peruna has done for me.

"I suffered for five years with uterine irregularities, which brought on hysteria and made me a physical wreck. I tried doctors from the different schools of medicine, but without any perceptible change in my condition. In my despair I called on an old nurse, who advised me to try Peruna, and promised good results if I would persist and take it regularly. I thought this was the least I could do and procured a bottle. I knew as soon as I began taking it that it was affecting me differently from anything I had used before, and so I kept on taking it. I kept this up for six months, and steadily gained strength and health, and when I had used fifteen bottles I considered myself entirely cured. I am a grateful, happy woman to-day."—Miss Muriel Armitage.

Peruna cures catarrh of the pelvic organs with the same surety as it cures catarrh of the head. Peruna has become renowned as a positive cure for female ailments simply because the ailments are mostly due to catarrh. Catarrh is the cause of the trouble. Peruna cures the catarrh. The symptoms disappear.

Female Weakness is Pelvic Catarrh.

Always Half-Sick are the Women Who Have Pelvic Catarrh.

Catarrh of any organ, if allowed to progress, will affect the whole body. Catarrh without nervousness is very rare, but pelvic catarrh and nervousness go hand in hand.

What is so distressing a sight as a poor half-sick, nervous woman, suffering from the many almost unbearable symptoms of pelvic catarrh? She does not consider herself ill enough to go to bed, but she is far from being able to do her work without the greatest exhaustion. This is a very common sight and is almost always due to pelvic catarrh.

It is worse than foolish for so many women to suffer year after with a disease that can be permanently cured.

Peruna cures catarrh permanently. It cures old chronic cases as well as a slight attack, the only difference being in the length of time that it should take to effect a cure.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

DEFIANCE STARCH 16 OZ. 10 CTS.

It is the purest, cleanest starch made.
It is free of injurious chemicals.
It can be used where ordinarily you would be afraid to use starch of any kind.
That's Defiance. Your grocer sells it.

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SECRET SOCIETIES.

MYRTLE LODGE NO. 19, K. of P. Meets every Saturday, at 8 p.m., at K. of P. hall. Visiting Knights cordially invited.

H. F. JOHNS, K. of R. & S. S. J. FULLER, C. C.

EXCELSIOR LODGE NO. 1, I.O.O.F. Meets Every Thursday night at their hall in North Capitan. Visiting brothers cordially invited.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD. Meets at their hall in North Capitan on the first and third Wednesday of the month, at 8 p.m. Visiting members invited.

REDMEN. Meets every Monday night at 8 o'clock at their hall in North Capitan. Visiting Redmen cordially invited.

SELECT KNIGHTS AND LADIES. Meets on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month in North Capitan. Visiting members of the order are cordially invited.

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This trouble with Turkey, it is hoped, will not interfere with our Thanksgiving dinner.

An exchange says: The campaign of '94 will be fought mainly on the personality of the candidates. Presumably it hasn't much faith in the planking of either party.

Judge W. H. Pope has been nominated for judge of the Fifth district, and associate justice of the territorial supreme court. The judge is a gold democrat, and it remains to be seen whether the president will endorse his nomination. If he does, there is bound to be another roar.

The Alamogordo Journal, a neatly printed, well-edited paper came to our exchange table this week. It is a four-column, 16 page paper, democratic in principle, with two educated journalists at the helm—S. M. Wharton and Jno. A. Haley, newspapermen from the shoes up, and democrats of the right stamp. Its columns are well-filled with local and general news, and a good advertising support. The Journal is an up-to-date paper, published in an up-to-date town, and will do much for Alamogordo, Otero county and New Mexico generally.

Some fellows are always taking exceptions to what the newspapers have to say about them. As a matter of fact the man who gets mad at what the newspapers say in the way of news and about him, is generally just the man who should return thanks three times a day for the things the newspapers know about him and don't print. There is not one man in ten that the newspaper man could not print something that he does not want the world to know. The idea is to be thankful for what the newspaper man knows and does not publish. The man who expects most favors from the newspaper, is the man who doesn't take the paper, or if he does, never pays for it.

The Nogal Murder.

The investigation into the murder of Frank May by Jim Henley, of Nogal, was concluded Saturday evening before Justice of Peace Eidson of this precinct. The investigation lasted two full days. Seventeen witnesses were examined. Wharton & Hall appeared for the Territory and Col Prichard of White Oaks appeared for the defendant. Considerable interest was taken in the trial. The defendant was admitted to bail in the sum of $2,000. The general opinion is that the bond was small considering the gravity of the charge.

Territorial Notes.

Judge B. S. Baker of Albuquerque will open court at Roswell on Monday, Nov. 2. It is a year since Judge McMillan held the last term of court in Roswell, and the jail is said to be crowded with prisoners awaiting trial.

Elmore Freeman, aged 30, son of Judge Freeman of Carlsbad, killed himself last week while temporarily demented, sending a bullet through his heart. The deed was committed at the home of his father. Just before the funeral service, fire destroyed a large large barn on the property of Judge Freeman, causing much excitement among the mourners.

Articles of incorporation have been filed in the office of the territorial secretary for the Bonito Mining and Reduction company, principal offices at Parsons, this county. Incorporators: Geo. L. Gibson, Thos. B. Grist and R. C. Dryden of Parsons, and Messrs. Roy, Coffee, Richards, Warner, De Tamble and Hipple of Chicago. The capital stock is $100,000, divided into 1,000 shares of the par value of $100.

Angus Notes.

A little daughter arrived at the home of James Crockett Sunday.

F. M. Crockett made a business trip to Clear Water this week.

Mr. Wingfoot has moved his family to Angus.

Rev. Don filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Mrs. P. G. Peters and daughter Lucille visited at Nogal last week.

We claim YOUR patronage.

We will do OUR part to merit the same.

We solicit the OPPORTUNITY.

The Southwestern Mercantile Co.

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Stage leaves Capitan at 12.30 p.m. From McCorkle Hotel.

Mrs. Atkinson and children of Three Rivers, visited old friends here this week.

The school enrollment has now reached 49, and the attendance is almost perfect.

The school entertainment held Friday evening was well attended. P. G. Peters of the school board, delivered the opening address on the theme "What is an education, and what is its value." Those who have donated to the school are Crockett, Hoy, Burrell and Pilcher.

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Local and Personal.

The local merchants report business slow.

The weather for the past week has been delightful.

The commercial drummers are again beginning to get around.

Charley Rogers and family have moved out to the Gray ranch.

Jerry Hudson of Roswell has lately become interested in some promising mining property on the Bonito.

A. Rogers, the painter and paper hanger, has work on hands that will keep him busy for quite a while.

Foster & Burkett, of Roswell, have purchased the Capitan-Lincoln division of the Roswell stage line from D. W. Scott.

Rev. Dr. Chalmers Dyke of New York state has succeeded Dr. Kirk as chaplain at Fort Stanton, where he is much liked.

Mrs. H. P. Halstead, who has been visiting her relatives in Lincoln the past three months, returned Wednesday to her home in Oklahoma.

Lieut. Newton, wife and daughter, left Wednesday for Alamogordo, where they will spend the winter. The Lieutenant was an attache of the sanitarium at the Fort for the past year.

Lincoln is reported, to be doing a good business. The merchants report an excellent wool clip, and that it is moving at fair prices. Fruit substantially none, and hay very short.

Dr. Chambers Dyke, the new chaplain at Fort Stanton, will hold church service next Sabbath in the chapel at Capitan at 3 p.m., when we expect the people of Capitan will give him a cordial welcome by a full attendance.

W. F. Peacock and family have moved from Bonito to Roswell. A sixteen-year-old son accidentally shot himself some weeks ago with a 22-caliber rifle, from the effect of which he died, and the family wished to remove from the scene of the unfortunate accident.

M. R. Robles, connected with Harrell Stamp Mill Company of El Paso and James Dowsin, of Austin, Texas, who are interested in some valuable mining property, in the Nogal, mining district, are spending a week with M. M. Duke, on Tortalito canon.

Tom McGreevy, lately received a letter from a sister in Ireland inviting him to return to the land of his birth, and suggesting that he "bring a negro with him," as her brother Mike says they make nice pets, and might be trained to work in the garden; but if too wild and hard to capture, not to delay." It is possible the poor lady never saw a negro and knows nothing of his peculiarities. Tom politely refused to accede to the request, on the ground that they could not live there.

Sheriff Armstrong came in on Wednesday from Santa Fe, where he delivered a batch of prisoners at the penitentiary who were sentenced to various terms of imprisonment by the district court.

W. A. McIver, of Nogal, has gone to Altar, state of Sonora, to take charge of some valuable mining property for The International Development Company, in which he is interested. Mr. McIver is largely interested in this district also, and is a practical theoretical miner.

R. A. Hughes, a mining expert from Hot Springs, Arkansas, was looking over the Bonito mining country the past two weeks. He was well pleased with the indications, and said he was of opinion that the Bonito mining district will surprise a great many people before long. All that is needed is more work.

Card of Thanks.

To all those who so charitably sympathised with us in our grief at the death of our son and brother, and assisted us in our time of need, we greatfully return our heartfelt thanks.

ANN and MRS. MAY.
SILAS MAY.

The Law's Delays.

On Monday last at Lincoln a case came before Judge Blanchard which bids fair to become famous in the annals of our minor courts. Victoriano Lucero was arrested in July charged with larceny of a horse. In his examination, July 31, before Judge Kidson in this precinct, the defendant asked for a postponement to give him a chance to get his witnesses, and the case was continued until Aug. 15. On that day the territory was obliged to ask a continuance, the prosecuting witness having been shot at Pecacho. The case was again continued until Sept. 15. On that day the defendant applied for a continuance, on the ground of the absence of a material witness in his behalf, who had not been served, and the case was continued to October 1. On that day the defendant moved a change of venue, with an affidavit directed to the impartiality of the justice of the peace. So the case was sent to precinct 1. On Monday it appeared that the defendant had got himself shot somewhere near Roswell, which necessitated a continuance until October 24, and may, of course, still further postpone the case. So are the laws delays illustrated even in small cases.

U KNEAD IT.—The Southwestern Mercantile company received this week a carload of the famous "U Knead It" flour. Prices right.

Star Brand Shoes are the Best. For sale by Welch & Titsworth.

Stock Ranch for Sale.—320 acres of patented land for sale, 8 miles east of White Oaks and north of Patos mountain; 20 acres in cultivation; has good ranch house and a well of good water in yard; an abundance of wood, and is directly in the coal belt, and has one or more openings showing a good quality of coal; has good ranges around it and is fine grass land; is an ideal ranch for Angora goats. For further information address the News.

NOTICE TO HAYMEN.—Make hay while the sun shines. Go to the S. W. Mer. Co., where you can save money on your bailing ties.

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

Hondo Happenings.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hobbs are the parents of a nine-pound girl.

Henry Fritz shipped several loads of wool to Roswell last week.

Walter Hyde is baling the Block company's hay on the Pecacho ranch.

Revs. Pope and Jackson have been holding services at the school house the past week.

Gathering of crops continue, and preparations for the coming season are in order.

W. A. Hyde has returned from Roswell where he purchased twelve thoroughbred Romboulet rams.

W. C. Hyde is busily engaged making hog-proof wire fence, to keep his porkers out of the garden.

James Tally has gone to his old home at Hamilton, Texas, to wind up his business there, when he will return.

J. C. Wharton was a Roswell visitor last week. He purchased three registered Durham cows from the Hamilton herd.

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OUR WIT AND HUMOR

SOME GOOD JOKES, ORIGINAL AND SELECTED.

Maternal Pride Admitted of No Rival to Her Baby—Tramp Proved an Alibi—Two Different Points of View.

Neat Scheme of a Clubable Wife.

"I think," she said, "that I have a little the best of my husband."

"How is that?"

"Why, he thinks I give too much time to my clubs, so I offered to give up one of mine for every one of his that he would give up."

"Well?"

"Well, he belongs to two and I belong to eight. Yes, I think I have a little the best of him."—Chicago Post.

Deluded.

"You look downcast," said the sympathetic person.

"I am," said the man who was late to work. "I'm the victim of a whole deception. Last night one of my boys fell off a safety bicycle and sprained his wrist; another set himself on fire with safety matches; my little girl upset a safety lamp and I cut myself with a safety razor. What I am looking for now is something marked 'Dangerous.'"

Cold Comfort.

"The weeds," remarked the man who was born tired, "are about to take my garden."

"Speaking of gardens," said the industrious person, "I have noticed that the prodigious rake is never able to hoe his own row."

A Sickly Joke.

"What is your husband's doctor, allopath or homeopath?"

"I don't know. My husband calls him his 'biographer.'"

"What does he mean by that?"

"Well, the doctor is at work upon his life."

'Twas Ever Thus.

Phyllis—So you and Fred are really engaged, are you?

Sibyl—Yes; we have arranged to form a life partnership.

Phyllis—Isn't that just too lovely! And of course Fred will be the silent partner.

It Comes Back.

Subbubs—Do you really mean to say you keep a cat?

Backlotz—Yes.

Subbubs—I shouldn't think you'd want one around the house.

Backlotz—I don't, but the cat insists.

Couldn't Have Been He.

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What He Deserved.

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Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, cure Summer Complaint, Feverishness, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders and Destroy Worms. At all Druggists', 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

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Try One Package.

If "Defiance Starch" does not please you, return it to your dealer. If it does you get one-third more for the same money. It will give you satisfaction, and will not stick to the iron.

"Well," she said, "the Browns have accepted our invitation and are coming to spend a week with us." "Hang it all, Maria," he complained, "you must have made that invitation too cordial."

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Sentimental Maid—Of course, one must be inspired before he can write poetry. Practical Poet—Sure thing. He must be inspired by a realization of the fact that he needs the money.

If you don't get the biggest and best it's your own fault. Defiance Starch is for sale everywhere and there is positively nothing to equal it in quality or quantity.

A farmer had a cow he called Zephyr because she seemed an amiable heifer; but one day he drew near and she kicked off his ear—now the old man is a trifle dephyr.

Exit ice man, enter coal man. Heft your purse; which is worse?

"It beats all" how good a cigar you can buy for 5 cents if you buy the right brand. Try a "Bullhead."

"Mammy," said little Gladys, "when I grow up and get divorced can I eat all the ice cream I want?"

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Sold by retail shoe dealers everywhere. Look for name and price on bottom.

That Douglas must force one Light process there is value in Douglas shoes. Lorenz is the highest grade Pat. Leather made. Fast color eyelets used. Our $4.00 Gilt Edge Line cannot be equalled at any price. Shoes by mail, 25 cents extra. Illustrated Catalog free. W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass.

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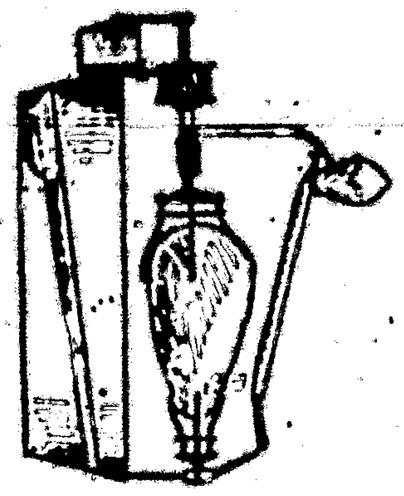
Automatic Meat Baster.

Probably not many of the large number of people who enjoy eating a good roast of beef realize the processes it passes through on its way from the slaughter house to the table, but any one who has had any experience in the art of cooking knows that one secret which adds in no small degree to its palatability and sweetness lies in basting the meat frequently with the gravy in the dripping pan. Now, if the cook is in a hurry, this seemingly small portion of the labor of preparing the meal is apt to be overlooked, resulting in dry roast instead



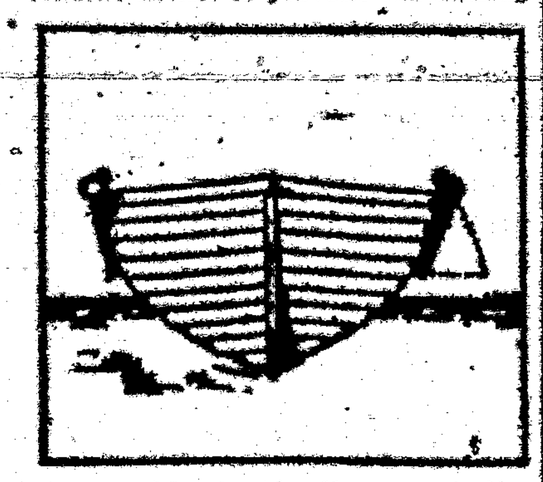
Pours juice over the roast.

of a juicy one. The inventor is of the opinion that this work of basting the meat should be done automatically, any way, so he has designed a dripping pan with an apparatus attached to pour the juice continuously over the meat. As shown in the picture, the piece of meat is suspended by hooks between two rotary shafts, one of which is revolved by a spring motor. Projecting at right angles from this shaft is an arm which carries a sort of bowl or spoon, while directly over the meat is a perforated pipe. To set this automatic basting machine to work it is only necessary to wind the motor and place the pan in the oven. Each revolution of the shaft the spoon enters the trough in the dripping pan, takes up a quantity of the juice, elevates it to head of the perforated pipe and discharges. The gravy flows through the perforations and falls on the revolving roast, while the spoon resumes its journey to the bottom of the pan once more.

Lambert H. Edgar of Philadelphia, Pa., is the inventor.

A Safety Skiff.

The man who rocks the boat is to be found in all communities and in all ages, and his pranks will continue to figure in current history until boats are fitted with some means of preventing his dastardly work. The cut herewith produced shows a device of automatic action to prevent the sinking



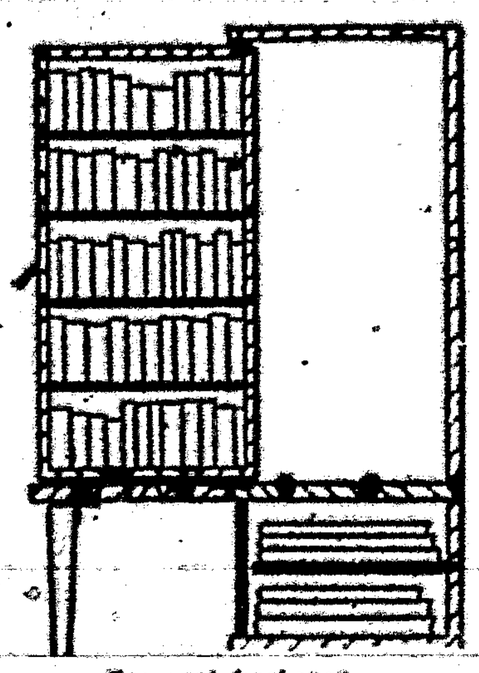
of a small boat under these or similar circumstances. Fastened to the gunwales of the craft on either side is a collapsible pocket, held normally in close relationship with the sides of the craft, but in case of the boat being upset [illegible] of water [illegible] sizing of the boat. As the position of the craft is disturbed from the proper one, the weight attachment on the pocket on the lower side causes it to expand and fill with air, and as soon as this pocket touches the water the further progress of the boat to destruction is arrested and the boat prevented from filling.

Siberian Asbestos Mining.

A prominent Moscow firm, N. & P. A. Korzenctzof, has been granted permission by the Irkutsk Department of Mining to work asbestos mines not far from the Kutai, an affluent of the Angara. The asbestos layers are found seven feet from the surface. There are some asbestos mines in the Urals, in European Russia, but the larger part of the asbestos used for insulators in Russia is imported. Judging from the samples, the Siberian asbestos excels even the Alpian, and is in no way inferior to the Canadian product.

Compact Book Arrangement.

Cases for books, files, libraries, etc., have generally the drawback of not utilizing to greatest advantage the space occupied. Until the stack system was devised, shelf room was practically limited to the amount of available wall space. In file rooms particularly, the advantage of having all the cases adequately protected from dust and abrasion is of paramount interest. A recent German invention is designed to economize storage space, and while affording protection, at same time it enables the inspection of a single book, or file, without exposing the whole contents of the case. For this purpose the case is divided into vertical section, each of which is mounted on rollers and provided with handles, and so being made perfectly independent of each other. The cases may thus be made much deeper than is usual with library shelves, and, as shown, the



Compact bookcase.

books are placed in them edgewise, so that when a section is drawn out for inspection the books are readily accessible. A cupboard base may be provided to serve for the storage of large books, maps, or the like. Indexes are placed on the front of each section, or compartment, so that any particular classification can be readily located.

Purifying Air.

The cooling and purification of air for office buildings, says Engineering News, is most effectually accomplished by forcing the air through a water spray. The excess of water in the air is then removed by centrifugal force. To do this a series of tubes are provided in which spirals are so placed as to give the air a whirling motion, causing the suspended particles of moisture to be thrown outward, and thus brought into contact with the tubes, from which the moisture flows through perforations to a drip-pan below. By providing a thermostat and steam heating coils it is then possible to have air at the same temperature throughout the year, and not only to have the same temperature, but the same moisture content. A plant of this character was recently installed in the Park Row Building, New York, [illegible]

LIVE FALSE-FACE AS A GIFT.

Iroquois Indians Present a Ga-Gon-Sa to Mrs. Converse.

The Iroquois Indians of New York state have sent to Mrs. Harriet Maxwell Converse, 420 West Twentieth street, New York, a "live" or real false face as a mark of their appreciation of her devotion to them for many years.

The false-faces figure prominently in all Iroquois mystics and medicine mysteries. They are usually made of basswood, which is seasoned for a long time before being carved into the various fantastic, yet symbolical, faces in common use among the Iroquois. But in the case of the mask sent to Mrs. Converse, the wood was taken from a living tree, thereby retaining a portion of the "live" heart and spirit of the tree which was left towering in the forest.

In making their medicine masks, the Iroquois select the porous basswood not only for its absorbent qualities, which are supposed to draw out

disease, but for its various medicinal values. A tea made of the bark will cure a cold and relieve spasmodic affections, and the astringent sap is a relief when applied to wounds and bruises.

This false face is painted red—the life color—and crowned with long white hair. It is kept in a pine box with a glass cover. By its side hangs a gourd medicine rattle on which are inscribed the names of various medicine men, and a small horn rattle such as the female members of the medicine society use in their secret dances, and, as token of their medicine song, an ancient flute. A package of sacred tobacco is placed in the box to keep this false-face "healthy."

Once each year the false-face must be returned to the reservation, when the leader of the society will wear it at the New Year's feast that it may "dance with its brothers." It must not be touched by any person other than Mrs. Converse or this leader, as it is liable to poison whoever else may handle it.

Babies for Sale.

A Chinaman travelling in China sells his child, showing Chinese [illegible]

NEW WIRELESS SYSTEM.

Successful Test Made at Chicago Recently.

A new system of wireless telegraphy has recently been put to a successful long-distance test on Lake Michigan. While Mrs. Emily Piggott, mother of the youthful inventor of this new system, ticked prearranged messages from her home in Garfield avenue, Chicago, the son, G. S. Piggott, stood with his father, S. Piggott, on the main deck of the whaleback steamer Christopher Columbus and received the messages ticked out by his mother's hand.

In this new system, which the Piggotts hope to make commercially practicable, there is no pole at either the receiving or the sending station, and although in the recent tests the receiver was exposed on the deck of the vessel, the transmitter was in the room of a house. An intensifier makes the poles unnecessary.

To prevent the interference of foreign currents, each instrument is tuned to respond only to a current of a certain rapidity of alternation.

They're Building Downward.

The New York Times is about to erect a new building with some rather striking features. It will represent the utilization of all the commercial possibilities of the ground to a marked degree. It is to have a basement no less than fifty-five feet deep, and through this basement will run obliquely the new Rapid Transit subway or tunnel which is now being completed in New York. It is the intention of the Times people to make use of the road by putting the papers aboard the cars while the trains are still in the building, and in this respect at least it will have a very unusual advantage over its contemporaries. Curiously enough, also, the railroad will run through the building on a bridge, for there are two sub-basements below the main basement. The lower of these basements, fifty-five feet below the street, will be utilized for boiler and press rooms.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, } ss.
Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,
(SEAL) Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

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Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Piano Practice Causes Disease.

A Berlin doctor has discovered that piano lessons at an early age are responsible for numerous cases of nervous diseases. Out of 1,000 cases among children 600 were to be attributed to piano practice.

You never hear any one complain about "Defiance Starch." There is none to equal it in quality and quantity, 16 ounces, 10 cents. Try it now and save your money.

Many a man's nose blushes for the acts of his elbow.

A smile of satisfaction goes with one of Baxter's "Bullhead" 5-cent cigars.

Colorado boasts of such delightful breezes that they even turn the weather vane.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

"So the umpire stopped the game in the sixth inning. How was that?" "Why, I hinted out only but on his head."

To Cure a Cold in One Day.
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c.

You can't always tell a man by the company he keeps. The jail warden may be one of the best men in town.

Defiance Starch is put up 16 ounces in a package, 10 cents. One-third more starch for the same money.

Is it not evident that baby must remove fingering, otherwise [illegible] more tooth-ache?

Baxter Bailey's "Bullhead" 5-cent cigars.

The "[illegible]" substitute, [illegible]

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Notice for Publication.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
September 11, 1908.

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 October 27, 1908, viz: Clay C. Ward, upon Homestead application No. 2080, for the E½ SE¼ Sec. 28 and W½ SW¼ Sec. 29, T. 7 S., R. 17 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: T. B. Mock, H. W. Click of Arabela, N. M. and Dan McFarland, George McFarland of Richardson, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

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Notice for Publication.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
September 19, 1908.

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 November 3, 1908, viz: Abelino Montoya, upon Homestead application No. 1906, for the North East Quarter of Sec. 30, T. 7 S., R. 16 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Jose Alvino Carillo, Antonio Montoya, George Steel and Juan Garcia, all of Richardson, New Mexico.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

September 25, 6t.

Notice for Publication.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
September 19, 1908

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 November 3, 1908, viz: Antonio Montoya, upon Homestead application No. 1904 for the South East Quarter of Sec. 17, T. 7 S., R. 16 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Abelino Montoya, George Steel, Jose Alvino Carillo and Juan Garcia, all of Richardson, New Mexico.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
September 11, 1908.

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, New Mexico, on October 31, 1908, viz: Eli. C. Pingston, upon Homestead application No. 2081 for the South West Quarter of Sec. 20, T. 9 S., R. 16 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Robert Bourne, Wm. S. Bourne, C. C. Bourne and Albert E. Pingston, all of Nogal, New Mexico.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
September 11, 1908.

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 October 31, 1908, viz: Nicholas Bustos, upon Homestead application No. 2081, for the S½ NW¼ and S½ NE¼, Sec. 29, T. 11 S., R. 14 E.

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

Martin Brown, Lawrence Hale, Peter O. Hale and James W. Poole, all of Baldone, New Mexico.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
September 11, 1908.

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 October 27, 1908, viz: J. Thomas Rhodes, upon Homestead application No. 1986, for the W½ NE¼ and E½ NW¼ Sec. 27, T. 7 S., R. 17 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: T. B. Mock and H. W. Click, of Arabela, N. M.; Dan McFarland and George McFarland, of Richardson, N. M.

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Notice for Publication.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
September 11, 1908.

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 October 31, 1908, viz: Leo E. Wilson, upon Homestead application No. 2080, for the SW¼ of sec 28, T. 7 S., R. 17 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Thomas E. Rush of Arabela, N. M., Henry Click, George McFarland and Henry McFarland of Richardson, N. M.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
September 11, 1908.

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, New Mexico, on October 31, 1908, viz: Eli. C. Pingston, upon Homestead application No. 2081 for the South West Quarter of Sec. 20, T. 9 S., R. 16 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Robert Bourne, Wm. S. Bourne, C. C. Bourne and Albert E. Pingston, all of Nogal, New Mexico.

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Notice for Publication.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
September 11, 1908.

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, New Mexico, on October 31, 1908, viz: Albert E. Pingston, upon Homestead [illegible]

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that said proof will be made before the Register or Receiver at Roswell, New Mexico, on November 3, 1908, viz: Jose Alvino Carillo, upon Homestead application No. 2078, for the North East Quarter of Sec. 17, T. 7 S., R. 16 E.

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

Antonio Montoya, Abelino Montoya, Nicholas Chavez and Casimiro Esequea, all of Richardson, New Mexico.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
September 17, 1908.

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, New Mexico, on October 31, 1908, viz: William E. Bourne, upon Homestead application No. 980, for the E½ NE¼ and N½ SE¼, Sec. 30, T. 9 S., R. 18 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Bowen Simmons, Robert Bourne, Albert E. Pingston and Eli C. Pingston, all of Nogal, New Mexico.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

First Publication September 25, 1908. 6t.

Estray Notice.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that on or about the 20th day of May, 1908, he took up one dun horse about five years old and about 14 hands high, branded C A on left thigh. The said horse has been running at large near Red Lake and Carrizozo Spring, in precinct 2, this county, for more than two years. The owner of said horse will forfeit the same at the end of seven months from the date of first publication of this notice, unless he or his agent claim the same, prove ownership and pay the legal costs thereon within that time.

F. M. Jetmore.

Nogal, N.M., September 25, 1908.

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Portland, Maine, Oct. 17, 1905.

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