

Probate Clerk

The Nogal Republican.

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Mining and Prospecting.

Were Well Satisfied

The party of Illinois capitalists mentioned by us last week, here inspecting the property of the Eagle Mining and Improvement Company and American Gold Mining Company, left for home Tuesday, all highly pleased with their visit and investments. It is the credit of both these companies that not a single investor in their stocks has yet recorded anything but words of praise for the property and its management, all declaring the property to be far better than represented in the east. Milton George, one of the party remained for a few days to assist general manager J. M. Rice in some matters pertaining to the Eagle Company.

The party in the private sleeper, "Lakewood," over the Rock Island.

J. C. Fowler, of Hartford, Ohio, was here the past week looking after mining interests.

The American Company are working on a number of properties, some of which are showing up good ones.

No, Nogal is not Cripple Creek. The Colorado Camp is a world beater but Nogal does show up better with the same amount of development work than did the famous camp at the foot of Pike's Peak.

Mining prospects are looking up in the Eagle Creek and Bnaito country of late. In due time this rich section of Lincoln county will be heard from in a mining way by showing up good paying properties.

The present prosperity of Lincoln county is not a marker to what it will be when the Eagle, American, Iowa and New Mexico, and other Mining companies get in full working way. There is a great future before us—the star of prosperity shines bright in the horizon.

The Rock Island railroad has done wonders for Lincoln county in making it possible for capital to come here and develop our unlimited natural resources. Lincoln county is nature's storehouse and already capital is pouring in at a rate never before seen in any county in the southwest.

MONEY MADE IN MINING.

People who have not studied the subject have for the most part very imperfect ideas as to what is being done, not only in the United States, but also in various foreign countries, in the way of gold and silver mining. To such, may be recommended a consideration of the facts and figures set forth below. The record that has been made by some of the individual gold and silver mines is simply amazing.

The Comstock lode, of Virginia City, Nev., has produced in gold and silver the enormous sum of \$320,000,000. Most of the ore yielded but \$8 per ton in gold.

The Calumet has paid \$50,800,000 in dividends alone.

The Anaconda or Butte, which was sold for \$40,000,000 to the Rockfellers, paid that amount in dividends before selling.

The Alaska-Tradwell gold mine, with ore running less than \$3, has paid \$3,925,000 in dividends.

The Ontario, of Utah, has paid \$13,557,000 in dividends.

The Granite Mountain, Montana \$13,000,000 the stock selling from 10 cents per share to \$75 inside of two years and paying 50 percent in dividends each month.

The Homestake, of South Dakota, on \$3 ore, has paid \$3,333 in dividends every day it has run for the past 10 years.

The Whitewaterstand, South Africa, produced in the first year (1887), only 405,000, but in 1895 it had increased to \$40,000,000 while the output for the last 10 years exceeds \$250,000,000. For 1898 it was \$75,000,000, placing it in the lead among the gold producing countries.

World's Biggest Nuggets.

Few would suppose, for instance, that the world's record to the greatest production of gold nuggets as to size, value and quantity, was held by North Carolina; yet the claim of the Rees mine in Carbarus county in that state for such a record is well substantiated. This mine yielded nuggets weighing 28 pounds, 17 pounds, 16 pounds, 13½ pounds, 8½ pounds, two of 9 pounds each, two of 8 pounds each, 5 pounds, 3½ pounds, two of

2 pounds each, one of 1½ pounds. The Beaver Dam and Sam Christian mines, in Montgomery county of the same state, were also great nugget mines in their days. California has produced some famous nuggets, and a few have been found in Colorado. Contrary to general belief, Alaska and the Yucón have produced no large nuggets. Australia and Siberia have yielded a number, some of extraordinary size.

American stock is going up in price, likewise the gold is being taken out in chunks.

The combined capitalization of mining companies now operating in Lincoln county exceeds twenty millions of dollars. So far they are all backed by good men who will do all in their power to make their respective enterprises a success.

The agricultural as well as the mining resources of Lincoln county are being rapidly developed. Much of the available agricultural land around Angus, Alto, Lincoln, Arabela, Richardson, Corona and other parts of the county has been settled in the last year by a class of good thrifty people who come here to build up homes and grow up with the country. Eastern and central Lincoln county is rich in agricultural and horticultural resources while the western portion is rich in precious metals, both of which combined with the healthful climate go to make it an ideal country for all.

The wise promoter cannot afford to knock his neighbor's business, no more than can the owner of the prospect in the field. The mining business calls for enterprise of an exceptional character. It takes money to develop the most promising prospects. To get this money the owner of the prospect must be enterprising. This enterprise must be of liberal order. The owner of a prospect who "knocks" his neighbor's property or his neighbor's deal cannot expect to be very successful in raising money for his own prospect, says the Daily Mining Record. A liberal spirit must be shown by the community as a whole. Each must be enterprising in assisting in the mutual welfare of the entire district. By these means only can satisfactory results be expected.

The Iowa & New Mexico Mining and Milling company held their second annual meeting on Monday, October 13th, having adjourned from October 9th, for the purpose of inspection of the property. The several directors and stockholders that visited the property arrived in town feeling amply paid for their trip and expressed themselves as being highly pleased with the showing made during the past year as to the permanent improvement in way of development and more than gratified with the rich showing of ore bodies, there having been some exceedingly rich ore struck on several locations on the different claims owned by the company. This company has always been very reticent in allowing any sensational reports being made, and at all times caution their men to abstain from making any reports as to the showing of minerals. The management under Mr S. S. Doak has been satisfactory to both employer and employees. And he was continued in charge for the coming year at an increased salary. The stockholders representing more than two-thirds of the stock outstanding, elected the following directors: S. S. Doak, Wm Despain and E. L. Chase of New Mexico and S. H. Miller Webster city T. B Cookerly Des Moines C. O. Balliett Waterloo, Fred Diekman Klinger, E. Croak Waterloo and H. B. White of Iowa. The directors elected the following officers.
President H. B. White
Vice President S. H. Miller
Sec and Treas., T. B Cookerly.
Manager S. S. Doak.

The company have started work on the foundation for a plant on their copper property and expect to push it through as fast as possible. Those visiting the property are satisfied that the future of this company is an assured success.

An important industry in Lincoln county is the plant of the Rock Island Cement and Plaster company at Ancho station. The present capacity of this plant is fifty tons per day which can be increased to three times that amount. G. A. Bush is general manager.

The Free Gold mining company are preparing to work their placer mines in the Jicarrilla district.

NOGAL REPUBLICAN,

NOGAL, NEW MEXICO.

1.50 A YEAR.

J. H. LIGHTFOOT, EDITOR.

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Republican Ticket.

For Delegate to Congress
BENARD RODEY.

Legislative

For Representative,
25th Legislative Assembly
E. B. HOMAN, of Lincoln County

County

For Sheriff,
R. D. ARMSTRONG.

For Treasurer and Ex-Officio Collector,
E. W. HULBERT.

For Probate Clerk,
ALFEDO GONZALLOS

For Assessor,
ROBERT A. HURT.

For Probate Judge,
FRANCISCO GOMEZ

For School Superintendent,
ACASCIO GALLAGOS.

For Commissioner, 2nd Dist.
AUGUSTIN CHAVEZ.

For Commissioner 3rd Dist.
P. L. KROUSE.

For County Surveyor,
RODEY Nominated.

The republican territorial convention held at Raton on the 10th nominated Hon. B. S. Rodey to succeed himself as delegate to congress. The nomination was made by Dona Ana county and seconded by every county in the territory, there being no opposition. Rodey and Statehood is the slogan.

Nogal will cast more votes the coming election than any other precinct in the county and it will give Armstrong, for sheriff, a handsome majority as well as the entire republican ticket.

The White Oak gang of democratic bosses have given up all hopes of electing anything they want except the sheriff, and now it is given out to trade off Ellis, Coe, Sanger, Mayer, Baca and Chavez for votes for Owens. J. E. Wharton needs Owens in his business, don't you know?

Paul Mayer is telling the anti-Owens democrats that he is supporting Owens because he believes him to be the strongest man that could be nominated and not because he will make the best sheriff. The people of Lincoln county know positively who will make the best sheriff, and will elect Armstrong by an overwhelming majority.

Weiner is worried about his railroad pass being taken away in case he is defeated for county commissioner. He travels on railroad passes for being the whole cheese of the present board.

A large majority of the best democrats of Nogal, white Oaks Bonito, Capitan and Ft Stanton will rebuke the ring at the polls by voting for R. D. Armstrong and others on the republican ticket.

The White Oaks ring Weiner, Wharton, Owens and Mayer have issued a dose to the country democracy that is too bitter for a majority of the best democrats to swallow and no one will more fully realize than they on November 5th.

Paul Mayer, and his very good friend John Owen were here a few hours Saturday trying to save a few votes out of the wreck in this precinct. Paul is spending his money and time in the fatal attempt to elect Owens, he already concedes his own defeat.

In supporting the democratic ring ticket, the White Oaks Eagle opposes the interests of nine tenths of its subscribers and its course is not endorsed by them. But then the Buzzard Bird is never particular where and upon what it feeds, and is never so happy as when its belly is full of political carion.

If a man will attempt to buldoze a citizen to vote for him, or threaten to testify against him in court, he can hardly be the man to entrust with the most responsible office in the country. Vote for the man who uses no threats and makes no promises, and you will be doing your whole duty to yourself, your neighbor and the country.

J. E. Wharton, Sid Wharton, Paul Mayer and Solomon Caesar Weiner, the big four ring of White Oaks, are the men who defeated Whitesides by unheard of methods and forced the nomination of Owens upon the democrats of the country. When the votes are counted in Nogal, Bonito, Ruidosa, Lincoln and Capitan, the big four will know that the independent democrats know where to place the blame.

SPECIAL OFFER TO BIG FOUR.

Five Hundred Dollars for Proof of Some of Their Statements.

The supporters of John W. Owens are busy circulating reports to the effect that Armstrong is a corporation candidate and as such the "Bar W," "V V," "Block" and other companies are spending money for to secure his election.

We are authorized to say that there is now on deposit in the Exchange Bank at White Oaks, the sum of FINE HUNDRED dollars to be paid to any person or persons who will furnish proof that either the "Bar W," "V V" or Block companies have contributed one dollar either directly or indirectly towards securing the election of R. D. Armstrong as Sheriff of Lincoln county.

Now let the Whorton crowd prove their statements and win this offer or forever after hold their peace. The White Oaks gang is making this campaign one false representation. Among other things they charge R. D. Armstrong with being an infidel. (We venture to say that but few of them could find the Lord's prayer in the Bible within one hour's time.) We have it from a White Oaks minister that Mr. Armstrong is a more regular attendant at church than many of the church members of that place. In fact Mr. Armstrong is at church listening to God's word while his accusers are surrounding a card table, drinking whisky and betting "as high as a cats back" on the "hole card." They say that "Armstrong don't travel" in their class. That is to Mr. Armstrongs credit.

They charge Armstrong with being "stingy." Mr. Armstrong is a poor man, laboring hard for every cent he gets and is compelled to economize in order to pay his bills, which he does. If poverty is a crime, Armstrong must plead guilty, for he is not blessed with a great amount of this world's goods, earning an honest living by the sweat of his brow.

Voters, stop and reflect for a moment upon who are circulating these flimsy, false and damnable reports against R. D. Armstrong, study who they are and their motives in so doing. Their motives are selfish and dishonest and should be condemned by all honest democrat or republican in Lincoln county.

First Cast the Beam out of Thine Own Eye. Etc.

The White Oaks gang who are backing Owens for all they are worth to the exclusion of every other candidate on the democratic ticket, and getting so low down in their dastardly attempts to turn the popular tide from R. D. Armstrong that nothing is too contemptible for them to stoop to.

To a certain element they say that Armstrong is too close to spend his money with "the boys" and "point with pride" to how liberal and generous Owens is in "setting them up." Why they say, "don't you know that nine tenths of the saloons in the county are supporting Owens." But when they meet a church member their tactics are entirely different, it is then that they hold their faces in holy horror and whisper the word, "Infidel." "Just think of it, can any church member support an infidel?" This is their argument. But the good church people of Lincoln county will not be caught by any such chaff, they have the records of both candidates before them for the past fifteen years, and R. D. Armstrong can afford to have his record as a clean man looked into by any organization that cares to do so.

It is with ill grace that the charge of infidel comes from the White Oaks poker club, and such men as the Whortons, Weiner, Bellomy and others should be the last people to try and drag religion into a political campaign, their own records will not stand any search light scrutiny.

Sid Whorton, who is all swelled up by his grab of public patronage, his brother, J. E. Salmon Cesar Weiner, and Paul Mayer, the Big Four of the White Oaks ring who think they carry the democratic vote of Lincoln county in their vest pocket, will have their eyes opened when election is over. These four men are directly responsible for forcing Owens on the honest democratic voters of this county, and they will certainly be taught a lesson that they will remember.

Paul Mayer, who is a candidate for treasurer on the democratic ticket, and who admits he is defeated, is telling his friends of trade him off for votes for Owens. It is rumored that there are special reasons for this and if the rumors are based on facts, it can't be truthfully said that Paul is ungrateful. But, even "swapping" will not save Paul's good friend.

Register if you want to vote.

Many democrats are so thoroughly disgusted with the actions of the White Oaks big four ring that the chance they will not go to the polls and vote. Better vote, gentlemen, and in doing so vote your honest sentiments and rebuke the ring.

The White Oaks Eagle, organ of the Wharton gang, pokes fun at the Spanish language and in so doing insults every intelligent native voter in the county. The Eagle and the Wharton crowd are running the democratic party of Lincoln county at present and our prediction is that their balloon wont hold shucks after the November election.

Solomon Caesar Weiner did not have the courage to attend the democratic primary at White Oaks, but waited until the Owens men got control and then come in and joined the majority. If the Whitesides men had carried the delegation, Weiner would have been with them, nothing like being on the wrong side, Sol.

It is reported that the White Oaks ring have asked Sanger to withdraw from the race for Commissioner on the democratic ticket because he refused to "ante up" to the Big four and contribute to their campaign fund. Sanger is too good a man to be dictated to by such unscrupulous politicians.

A leading supporter of Owens declared at White Oaks a few days ago, that "if money and whisky could elect a man, that Owens had plenty of both to use." Some respectable democrats who happened to overhear this remark, declared that it would not be with the help of their votes that Owens would be elected.

The Wharton crowd are howling because W. C. McDonald refuses to support their part of the democratic ticket. Mr McDonald is one of the largest individual tax payers in Lincoln county as well as one of our very best citizens and it is his style to be found on the side of the people. This abuse of Mr. McDonald will not assist in making votes for Mr. Owens, because McDonald's friends are legion in these parts.

Ellis, Coe, Chavez, Sanger and Baca, are being traded off right and left in the interest of the Big Four Ring of White Oaks, but the people are on to their little game and will effectually block it.

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That "insider" story
 J. P. C. Langston, who is not
 any one to be chafed deputy for
 John W. Owens, in the event of
 Owens' election, was here for sev-
 eral days the past week laboring
 in vain to turn back some of the
 democratic votes for his chief.
 Langston is the originator of the
 "Insider" plank in the anti-Arm-
 strong platform. He and Bellomy
 made the wonderful discovery of
 Armstrong's lack of religion
 which they both so eminently pos-
 sess and which they are working
 for all it is worth. This same
 Mr. Langston before the conven-
 tion was loud in his support of
 Whitesides and his denunciation
 of Owens. Of course this is all
 right. Every American citizen
 has a right to change his opinion
 but in this case the "equivocal
 pro quo" is very much in evidence.
 Now, we have no objections to
 Mr. Langston campaigning for
 his friend Owens, in fact we are
 glad of it, for every vote he
 "thinks" he makes for Owens he
 changes three for Armstrong.

But what we most object to and
 what we want to show up is the
 method he is employing under the
 very cloak of christianity. He calls
 the good church member aside and
 after telling him how good he has
 become of late how truly converted
 he is, he spins his little "insider"
 yarn, and seeks to work it for all it
 is worth, paying but little heed
 to the teachings of the Master,
 — "First cast out the beam from
 thine own eye"

"People living in glass houses
 should never throw stones."
 They diged a pit, they diged it deep;
 They dug it for another,
 But in this pit they diged so deep,
 Fell their Patron Saint and Brother.

The registration books for this
 precinct are at the store. Geo. E.
 Sligh, Chas. F. Henley and Fred
 Pfingsten are the registering
 board.

Uncle Bill has again opened up
 his hotel and is ready to attend to
 the wants of the trading public.
 Mr. and Mrs. Henley know how
 to run a hotel and they always
 furnish their tables with the best
 in the market.

Ed Coe, democratic candidate
 for county school superintendent,
 was in town the past week en route
 to White Oaks with a fine load of
 fruit from the Glencoe orchards.

F. C. Matteson, the Capitan
 lawyer, has just returned from
 Tuconari where he has been to
 attend to legal business for Good
 & Company, the railroad contrac-
 tors.

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 1902

MOUNTAIN TIME	EAST BOUND		LOCAL TIER MAIN LINE		WEST BOUND		MOUNTAIN TIME
	READ DOWN					READ UP	
8:00 p. m.	Lv		EL PASO	Ar	7:20 a. m.		
8:15 p. m.			FT BLISS	Lv	7:15 a. m.		
8:41 p. m.			HERFORD		6:49 a. m.		
9:30 p. m.	Ar		JARILLA JOE		6:00 a. m.		
10:40 p. m.	Lv		ALAMOGORDO		4:55 a. m.		
10:55 p. m.			"	Ar	4:40 a. m.		
12:23 a. m.	Ar		OSCURA		3:23 a. m.		
1:05 a. m.			CARRIZOZO	Lv	3:23 a. m.		
1:10 a. m.	Lv		"		2:53 a. m.		
3:00 a. m.			ANCHO	Ar	2:48 a. m.		
3:20 a. m.			TECOLOTE	Lv	2:06 a. m.		
3:18 a. m.			CORONA		1:48 a. m.		
5:25 a. m.			TORRANCE		1:05 a. m.		
2:37 a. m.			MARINO		12:43 a. m.		
5:15 a. m.			PASTURA		12:10 a. m.		
6:05 a. m.	Ar		SANTA ROSA		10:20 p. m.		
					9:50 p. m.		

CAPITAN BRANCH.			
7:00 a. m.	Lv	ARRIZOZO	Ar 5:00 p. m.
8:45 a. m.	Ar	NORTH CAPITAN	Lv 3:25 p. m.
9:15 a. m.	Ar	CAPITAN	Lv 3:00 p. m.

ALAMOGORDO & SACRAMENTO MOUNTAIN RY.			
8:30 a. m.	Lv	ALAMOGORDO	Ar 6:35 p. m.
11:20 a. m.	Ar	CLOUDCROFT	Lv 4:00 p. m.
11:40 a. m.	Ar	COX CANON	Lv 3:50 p. m.

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 North Capitan.
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 El Paso Texas.**

F. M. Crckett, a prosperous farmer living on Bonito, was in town on business.

Granville Bradford, a typo from the Lone Star state, is now with the REPUBLICAN.

S. J. Woodland, better known as "Jim," was circulating among the boys and girls at Nogal the past week.

This office is in receipt of some Black twig apples from the Tully ranch, near Hondo, some of which weigh twenty ounces each.

Uncle Jerry Hoeradle left Monday for San Diego, California. He will go from there to Lower California where he will spend the winter in prospecting.

Henry Emerson, brought some fine specimens of winter apples to this office. They were grown on his ranch in Nogal canyon and are hard to beat.

A. E. Williams left for Mexico Sunday where he goes to accept a position of Engineering for the Mexican government. He will be absent for about two months.

T. B. Cookerly, with the Iowa and New Mexico Mining company is also division passenger agent of the M. K. & T. railway with headquarters at Des Moines, Iowa.

Acacio Gallegos, republican candidate for school superintendent, was circulating among the voters of this section the past week. Acacio is one of the best educated men in Lincoln county and is well qualified to fill the office for which he has been nominated.

L. R. La May, a farmer living on the mesa, five miles south of town, brought to this office some fine ears of corn grown on sod without irrigation. This corn will average about forty bushels per acre. Last year Mr La May had corn on his farm which averaged 65 bushels per acre, grown without irrigation. There are over twenty farms now located on the mesa and all grow good corn vegetables and other fruit without irrigation.

Rev. S. M. Johnson, a prominent divine of Chicago, has under way the establishment of a college in the White mountains of Lincoln county. The principal object of this is to establish a first class school in healthful climate where parents can send their children as well as come and spend a delightful summer themselves. Rev. Johnson stands high among the people of Chicago and we wish him the best of success. We will give more of the particulars in the future issues.

Nogal is now receiving mail twice a day from the railroad.

Alfred Lindly, a printer formerly of Snyder, Texas, is now with the REPUBLICAN.

See that your name is on the registration book. You must be registered if you want to vote.

Mrs M. D. Gaylord and the children are visiting in White Oaks this week, the guest of her sister, Mrs Graves.

The telephone line from Parsons, American mine, Nogal and Walnut to Carrizozo is completed.

Mr Cochorn, who was accidentally shot last week while out hunting on Turkey creek, is getting along nicely.

James A. Hurt, our drug clerk is having a recreation this week and Harvey Jackson is dispensing drugs in his place.

Frank D. Mayo of Alamogordo has located some valuable mining claims at the head of Tourtilito canon.

Mrs. M. F. Anderson was called to Texas Friday in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of her sister.

W. T. Henley and wife left for El Paso Sunday. Mrs Henley will visit relatives at Yaletta and "Skeeter" will attend the Albuquerque fair.

Len Bieuham, a stockman from the Jicarrilla country was here this week on business. He reports stock in fine condition in his section.

The following is the report for the month of September 1902, as kindly furnished us by Earnest W. Halstead, weather observer at N. S. Marine Hospital, Ft Stanton.

Maximum temperature.....	87
Minimum temperature.....	29
Total precipitation.....	0.48
Number of clear days.....	22
Partly cloudy.....	5
Cloudy.....	3
Date of first frost 25th Killing frost 27th prevailing winds, west.	

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, N. M., Sept. 9 1902.

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 30, 1902.

Yas: James H. Crosby, Homestead application No. 1114, for the east half southwest quarter and north half southeast quarter section 30 township 10 south range 10 east.

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

John C. Wharton, George A. Hyde, Fred G. Crosby, Calvin W. Hyde, all of Three Rivers, N. M.

HOWARD LINDLAND, Register.

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Lincoln, New Mexico

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TOP OF THE MORNING SALOON.

CLARK HUST, PROP

BEST BRANDS OF LIQUORS KEPT IN STOCK

When in Nogal make this place head quarters.

Parsons And Vicinity.

O, Lord! fix up the roads between Parsons and Nogal.

W. J. Allon of Waukegan, Ill., and Col. J. W. Lee of Chicago, who have been here for several days on mining business, left for home Thursday well pleased with their visit.

H. Conshrock of Bonito sustained serious injuries Friday receiving a kick from a horse, inflicting a scalp wound about four inches in length. He is getting along nicely.

Miss Grace Austin of Nogal will entertain her Bonito friends at six o'clock tea, Monday evening.

Bonito presents a fine prospect to go Republican at the coming election.

Mr. and Mrs. Pettibone, of Chicago, arrived at Parsons, Monday and will remain here for the winter for the benefit of Mr. Pettibone's health.

P. L. Krouse, of Eagle creek, republican candidate for commissioner has a clear field in these parts quite a concession. — H. B. P.

Octaviano Perca is employed as salesman with the Nogal Mercantile company.

Miss Jessie Gray, sister of Mrs. C. H. Brown, is stopping with the latter and attending school.

Mrs. Harry B. Pray will arrive from Des Moines, Iowa, Friday and Harry has been all smiles since he received the glad news.

Sixty pupils were enrolled on the opening of the public school. There are about one hundred in the district.

Mrs. S. S. Deak has been a guest at the Brown hotel this week while Mr. Deak was over in the Jicarilla district on mining business.

The Nogal Mercantile company have just received the largest and most complete stock of dry goods ever brought to Lincoln county.

Rev. R. P. Pope preached at the Methodist church Wednesday night. He left for Roswell Thursday for his family and will return to Nogal and locate among us.

The Lincoln county teachers' institute meets at Nogal next Saturday the 15th. Our people should do all in their power to aid in making it a pleasant time for our country teachers. They deserve all the encouragement it is possible to give them.

Col. J. Francisco Chavez, will arrive in Lincoln county Friday morning and spend a week here in the interest of the republican ticket.

C. H. Brown is building some new residences in town to rent.

The Judges of election for Nogal precinct are W. E. Dudley, Fred Pfingsten and A.T. Roberts.

The following is the report for the month of September 1909, as kindly furnished us by Earnest W. Hulstead, weather observer at N. S. Marine Hospital, Ft. Stanton.

Table with weather statistics: Maximum temperature 67, Minimum temperature 29, Total precipitation 0.48, Number of clear days 23, Partly cloudy 5, Cloudy 3. Date of first frost 25th, Killing frost 27th prevailing winds, west.

Fall For The Council.

The republican convention for the 9th council district has nominated Hon A. B. Fall of Las Cruces. Judge Fall is known by all old time citizens as one of the very ablest men in New Mexico and will make the district a creditable representative.

THE PROSPECTOR.

The prospector toiling over the mountains in search for hidden treasure must but feel the near presence of God when he beholds their immensity, their rugged grandeur, undisturbed by the storms and sunbeams of ages; these most sublime features of the handiwork of his Maker; this wonderful region where all the seasons are at the same time represented. The flowers bloom in the valley and foothills; further up the mountains the sturdy evergreens, spruce, hemlock and cedar mingle their dark foliage with the tender green of the tamarack; higher still in the very heart of the forest is a lake with its limpid waters sparkling like diamonds wherer a loceat sunbeam finds its way. Here cradled in the mighty arms of the mountains its waters are lulled to sleep by the sighing of the winds through the great overarching pines murmuring a lullaby; higher yet above this picture, than ancient master ever portrayed upon cathedral walls, are the bare black crags, where the eagle nests her young, while higher still, outfolded in a shroud of perpetual winter is the peak, silhouetted against the clouds like a monument above the grave of some ill-fated dead. Selected.

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