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ORES, MINES AND MINING.

SOMETHING ABOUT ORIGIN OF MINERALS.

Theory Advanced That Minerals
Grow Like Vegetables.

The Process Said To Be Slow

Specimens Recently Taken From a
River in California by Scientists,
Said to Practically Demonstrate the
Correctness of the Theory.

A theory is now advanced that minerals grow and mature just as do vegetables and other things, and that nature's processes, though much slower, are in constant action.

Prof. J. M. Taylor, Pacific Coast expert, is quoted as follows:

"Specimens of minerals of recent growth were taken from the bed of an old river channel near Forest Hill, California. On the bark of a tree which had been deposited there before the channel had been filled up, some 200 feet below the surface. These specimens were found, varying in size from a pea to a hen's egg; in places the bark had decayed and the metal had taken its place, showing the grain of the bark perfectly. When these specimens were pulverized they failed to show a trace of free gold, but a chemical analysis showed that they contained \$17 per ton in gold, with a trace of silver and zinc blend, combined with iron, sulphur and other elementary substances, usually found in what are termed rebellious gold ores.

"Crossing the bed of the channel, in the rocks in place, were numerous small veins. The concentrated ore from these veins showed about the same combination of base metals and elementary substances, the only difference being that the concentrated ore showed more silica and about three times as much gold and silver. It is evident that these minerals were formed from the decomposition of these veins in place, or a portion of them that had become disintegrated by the action of water, and deposited in the channel. It is a well established fact that everything pertaining to terrestrial physics is continually undergoing a change.

It is also true that electricity is generated by friction and decomposition, and that it is the only element or substance over which we have any control which enables us to transmit metals from a solvent and redeposit them in a crystalline state. It is natural for us to believe that electro-magnetism is the force in nature which works this change in metals, re-depositing them at the nearest point of attraction.

"Intelligent mining men believe that some process will yet be discovered whereby electricity will enable them to extract the precious metals from their combination with baser metals at a less cost than has heretofore been done."

The Daily Mining Record has this to say regarding the foregoing proposition:

"It is proper to state that in this connection that for a long time past experiments have been carried on by skilled electricians whereby in the present state of progress it has been distinctly determined that ores containing precious metals can be rapidly segregated by electrical appliances from their associate base metals which do not carry them. The mechanical process which accomplishes this is well nigh completed, and when fully perfected will be publicly announced and freely exhibited.

"Colonel Taylor concludes his report by stating that 'it matters not in what condition gold is found in nature, it is subject to the same natural laws that all other metals are. Metals by natural decomposition are so prepared as to admit of their being transmitted and redeposited. The exact manner in which this is done is one of the unknowable secrets of nature, as incomprehensible to the human mind as is the exact manner in which the electric fluids are formed or set free by the decomposition or the digestion of food taken into the human stomach, which is carried or impelled by some force to every part of the system.'"

Dr. J. F. Mains went to Jicarrilla to resume work on his mining prospects.

Your assessment work should be looked after before the first of the year.

GREAT OPPORTUNITIES.

The Cripple Creek Mining Record some time ago devoted considerable space and attention to the subject of opportunities for the profitable investment of capital in prospects and afterwards developing them into mines, and the EAGLE has often thought that it would certainly prove advantageous to this mining district if more money were expended in prospecting and exploiting the ore deposits before so much expensive machinery is purchased, for the reason that such purchases often prove valueless, the machinery not being fitted for ores developed. Experimenting is probably cheaper in the prospecting stage of a mining property than when machinery is to be put in for treating the product.

Despite the fact that there is a tendency to syndicate everything in the shape of a mine or prospect at this time, yet there is in this intermountain region, opportunities left for the profitable investment of a limited capital. There has never been greater opportunity in this district for the converting at a little cost, a prospect into a mine. The famous Compromise was discovered by the investment of a small amount of cash in the hands of an intelligent prospector on a prospect which had been idle and neglected for several years. There are other opportunities as promising, waiting for the expenditure of a small amount of cash by some such intelligent prospector as H. C. Crary, who located the ore bodies of the Compromise, and made that property one of the most valuable in this part of New Mexico. Some of the richest specimens of gold ever exhibited here since the first opening of the Old Abe, were taken from the Compromise. Further development opened up fine ore bodies sulphide ores, running \$20 to \$70 in gold to the ton. It is probably one of the most valuable mines in South New Mexico, and was opened up to its present condition by an expenditure of about \$3,000.

There are many other prospects here that promise just as much as the Compromise did when H. C. Crary took it. And the same opportunities for a small amount of capital to turn a prospect into a mine exist now that existed then. The prospector or miner who knows what he is doing and has a little money behind him, may find ample chances here yet

to cushion the future with velvet and quadruple his money, by looking up a promising prospect and putting a few dollars into its development.

Again the EAGLE would like to emphasize the fact that prospectors and investors should be encouraged, and when the tendency to take hold of an undeveloped property is manifested, and some individual or company is ready to take hold and do something, and invest capital, no matter what may be the amount, in the development of mines and prospects in this district, the rights of the investor should be scrupulously protected. A mining country is not developed by one producing mine, however magnificent its yield, but by transforming prospects into mines. It is infinitely better for the mining district for investors to liberally share the ups and downs of embryonic mines, and uncover the hidden wealth of our great mineral fields rather than limit the expenditure of capital to the production of wealth already in sight. But capital is entitled to honest treatment, and the people of this community should see to it, that when investments are made that are calculated to yield results, that uncalled-for litigation and criminal persecution, such as has been witnessed here should stop. This town and this mining camp is to a great extent what the people have made it, and their future depend greatly on the course of events as effected by the inhabitants hereafter. It is a law of the inevitable that nothing can remain at a standstill. A town, a mining camp, must either move forward or go backward. It is time this community was taking a tumble to itself, and instead of Tom antagonizing Dick and both of them trying to quash Harry, all had better stand together for mutual interests and pull together for the general welfare of the community.

It is true that White Oaks has had hard knocks during the last year or two. This is unfortunate. But these conditions may be avoided, partially, if not entirely in the future, and opportunities made if they do not come, for better conditions. Organization and a union of sympathy and a pull all together for the investment of capital in our mines and prospects would bring good results. Don't condemn it unless you first try it.

His Accidency.

The Optic is not opposed to Delegate B. S. Rodey, neither is this paper particularly in favor of the delegate. It does not care a continental, as Max Frost would say, whether Rodey downs District Attorney Chas. A. Spiess as a representative of New Mexico's interests at Washington, with a mental reservation that the Optic always has a warm spot for the boys around home. If the delegate continues the use of printer's ink he will soon write himself out of office. In his 'departing plea' for statehood for New Mexico, Mr. Rodey says: "We have such a small amount of property returned for taxation, that we must perforce 'tax it high' to get money enough to pay our running expenses and fixed charges." There is just where the joke comes in. "Tax it high!" That's the financial policy of Rodey and others. "Tax it high!" What for? To pay salaries, high official fees. Suppose, Mr. Rodey, you cut down expenses, and then there will be no need to "tax it high." Rodey as a candidate with 'tax property high' on his flag is an unique figure, or rather figure head in politics. Optic.

From reports it seems that Guadalupe county has doubled its population since the census was taken, the greatest increase in population being along the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroad extension, but also a great increase in population being noticeable around Fort Sumner and other points a distance away from the railroad. Similar reports come from southern Union county and western Lincoln county, and it is estimated that the increase of population which has come to New Mexico from the building of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroad through the territory alone, already amounts to 20,000, and if present plans for settling up the country through which it passes are carried out, will amount to five times as much until the next census is taken. Santa Fe New Mexican.

Dolph, Robertson & Co. put a force of miners to work this week on the Homestake Extension. This claim is northwest of the South Homestake and the Compromise overlaps its boundary on the northwest corner. It is in a good locality, and may prove to be a mine of value.

Seventy-five car loads of apples have been shipped out of the Pecos Valley this fall. Good for the Pecos Valley! That apple crop is a better argument for admission than all Printer's Ink Rodey's effusions.

LEASES ARE NECESSARY.

Since the agitation was started in favor of greater liberality in the granting of leases, the companies that own properties in the district have granted perhaps 150 new leases. It is said that the number of applications runs into the thousands, and, further, that the companies are disposed to grant as many as possible on the most favorable terms.

Within the last thirty days over 400 men have started to work on leases, and as many more will be digging away before the end of the month. All of the undeveloped territory and the ground not at present being worked within the productive area, with a few possible exceptions, will be the scenes of great activity within a very short space of time now.

The leasing system is what made the Cripple Creek district. It is necessary to the prosperity of the camp, and when that fact was pointed out by the Times-Citizen, the companies were only too glad to accede to a request that was most reasonable in every particular. We are happy to note that the companies have in every case reduced the royalties and this is a further inducement to more rapid development work. As a result, several strikes have been reported, even in the few weeks that have elapsed, and more are to follow, just as surely as the night follows the day.—Times-Citizen, Cripple Creek.

The Crawford Copper Mines.

Arthur P. Green left yesterday morning with a force of men to work the Crawford copper mines. The mines are in the Three Rivers district, and have been worked at different periods for several years. Peter E. Lacey and Frank Crumb are among the number of miners Mr. Green took from here. The EAGLE will likely have information concerning the progress of the developments from time to time.

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FROM JICARILLA.

Correspondence.

Jones Taliaferro, H. C. Crary, Charles Spence and a mining man by the name of Oglesby, took dinner here en route home from Gallina. Crary and Oglesby looked at a number of claims over the district and also inspected the big placer machine in ancho gulch.

A brother-in-law of Jose Mottoyo has a store on the east side of ancho gulch, near the American placer company's machine.

Joseph Ross and Ed Orthofer passed through camp with a load of freight for store at Gallo.

F. Fambrough was in camp looking after cattle of the El Capitan company.

Wm. Fitchpatrick returned from Lone mountain and intends to soon go to Gallina mining district to look after his interests there.

Samuel McFadden is in the Jics from railroad work near Santa Rosa. He is taking a lay-off and may locate in Jicarilla.

More mining deals pending and it is probable that a number of claims will be transferred to parties able and willing to do more and better development work than the present owners.

There are but few openings in camp that prospect the ground one hundred feet below the surface.

In Colorado W. S. Stratton is said to be filling up about 150 shafts or prospect holes on his claims some as deep as 350 feet, others less, but he succeeded in finding good ore. And while it is not claimed the Jics ever will rival Cripple Creek or Creede, it is believed that the money likely to be used here in the near future to prospect and develop a few claims, will show values therein that will encourage others to follow with means, and make paying mines of good prospects. Mis-sourians are now welcome.

The knackers may take a rest, the mineral is here and capital is beginning to come in and mining men will show it up in paying quantities.

The Cerillos Smelter Will Start.

The Cerillos smelters will be blown in January. Local miners and shippers have been informed that the company is now ready to receive ores and will be ready for business about the first of the month. The smelter is to be kept going day and night from the very start. It will not be confined to the treatment of company ores, but will handle all the products of the district. There are separate stacks for the treatment of lead, gold and silver ores.

In order to provide for the grain traffic of west Texas, a 250,000 bushel elevator will be erected at El Paso.

THE FATHER OF ALL GOATS

By Arthur Caton Thomas.

Somewhere over ten years ago, two Englishmen traveled to Angora to hunt the wild goats of the mountains. The trip was made for their own pleasure, but by means of their experience, we know what the father of all the wild goats in the world looked like, for the progenitor of the wild goat was the progenitor of our goats of today.

The account of this trip was published in a magazine, and we thus have the only imperishable description of the animal under consideration. Not only is the magazine inaccessible to most persons, it being found only in the large libraries, but the article itself seems to have been forgotten.

The father of the goats is known to scientists by the name of "Capra Egagrus," and it is mentioned by Homer, the Greek poet, as abundant in the Aegean Islands. Other classical writers mention this goat.

In the mountains on the extreme western border of Angora these wild goats abound in large numbers, but the party of which I spoke had only a short time at its disposal and hunted in the mountains nearer the sea coast.

Maimum Dadg, or Monkey mountain, was first explored. This cliff rises abruptly from a plain to a height of 15,000 feet. In front is a salt lake, ten miles long and five miles broad. The surrounding land is an impenetrable swamp. In the still waters of this lake could be seen the reflection of Runt Dagh, Milk mountain, three miles away. After Maimum Dadg had been traversed the party proceeded a short way inland to another mountain, the name of which is not given. As the trip was purely in the cause of sport, a description of their adventures would not add to the interest of this article.

Our readers may have a curiosity to know what the father of all goats looks like.

He is of a light brown color, female a little lighter. In old age his coat turns to a light gray, with the exception of a black stripe over the shoulders.

His horns grow very long, upwards, and then backwards. He wears a patriarchal beard of no mean dimensions. These goats are exceedingly active, and inhabit the high and rugged parts of the mountains. Hunters experience much difficulty in getting near enough for a shot. Their food is very simple—coarse grass, shoots of low shrubs and leaves.

It must be a wonderful sight to see the wild goat, bounding along the dizzy heights, far over one's head, with great accuracy and rapidity.



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BIG MINING DEAL.

Yesterday Michael McDonald, an old prospector living at Tularosa, sold to the International Mining, Land and Cattle Company of this city, sixty claims in the Burro and San Andreas mountains of New Mexico, for the sum of \$30,000.—El Paso News.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Frank I. Marsh was in from Jicarilla Tuesday.

Dr. Henry G. Miller returned from a trip east, last Friday.

E. R. Cline has finished his residence and corral in Jicarilla.

H. C. Cray returned yesterday from a trip to Estey City.

U. D. Long of Albuquerque, has shown up in Jicarilla again, looking for gold.

Rev. R. P. Pope will preach to the Baptist congregation here Sunday night.

B. F. Gumm tumbled out of his wagon Monday and sustained a number of bruises.

Jos. Ross has moved his family to town from Jicarilla in order to send his children to the public school.

D. M. Estey, President of the Estey Mining & Milling company, was in the city several days last week.

Phil Reasoner and son, Dixon, are doing assessment work of the properties of the American Placer Co. in the Jicarillas.

Judge W. F. Blanchard was in the city yesterday. The judge was pretty badly shaken up by a fall, from his cart, last week.

The Old Abe mine has laid off most of its force for a time, pending the conclusion of a sale of the company's gold and coal mines.

G. B. Oman, the EAGLE'S foreman, was called to El Haso last Saturday to attend a sick wife and baby. The EAGLE'S has had a d-1 of a time as a consequence.

The H. O. O. T. Mandolin Club under the direction of Prof. Reyes with his violin will aid with the music at the services at Plymouth church next Sunday night.

Rev. E. T. Goodson, presiding elder of the El Paso district, will preach at the Methodist Church Saturday, at 7 o'clock P. M., and will hold quarterly conference at the close of the service: will also preach Sunday morning at 11 A. M., and at 7 P. M.

Charles B. Smith and family, W. H. Hutchins and family and Miss Lula Smith came in Friday night from Victor, Tex. Charles Smith and family have been visiting home folks at Victor during the past month, and Miss Lula Smith, his sister, and W. H. Hutchins and family returned with him for a short visit here.

Constable John W. Owen came in last night from Gallina, having in custody thirty-five men, charged with trespass on timber lands in the Gallina mountains. There are also five witnesses here to testify for the state. The examination is going on before Justice Collier this morning.

OF LOCAL INTEREST.

Sunday At Plymouth Church.

Last Sunday Dr. Miller was again in his pulpit at Plymouth Church, and was greeted with large and expressive congregations. Dr. Miller expressed himself as pleased and encouraged by the outlook and the hearty welcome which greeted his return.

Next Sunday his subject will be, in the morning at 11 o'clock, "The four greatest questions of religion. 1, How shall I find God and come to him? 2, How can I get rid of the curse and burden of sin? 3, How shall I find the deliverer, who will give me freedom from this curse and burden? 4, What shall I do when suffering and trial comes upon me?" At night, 7 o'clock, "A Christmas message—Our Rose garden in the Desert."

On Friday night, at 7:30 o'clock, Bible lecture and prayer meeting. Everybody is invited and will be welcomed.

New Year's Eve Ball.

The Knights of Pythias people have decided to give another ball, this time, on new year's night, to take the place of the entertainment they intended to give at that time. The rituals for the side degree have arrived, but the work required to produce this splendid farce is greater than was anticipated, and it will not be possible to present it before February 22, and is now set for that date. Prof. J. L. Reyes and his orchestra will furnish the music New Year's night.

Barrenger-Collard.

On Christmas day at high noon at the bride's home on Bonito, J. B. Collard and Miss Mattie Bird are to be united in marriage. The Rev. S. E. Allison of this Methodist church will officiate.

Three candidates for the ranks of Knighthood will ride the goat the first heat at the K. P. Hall to night.

The Epworth Leage will have a special service at 3 P. M. All are most cordially invited to attend these services.

S. E. ALLISON, Pastor.

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PROGRAMME.

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March and song School PRAYER

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Recitation, "When He appears" Ruth Thompkins.

Song, "King of Kings" School

Recitation, "They watched their flocks by night" Mabel Ramsdale

"Christmas Bells" and March. Myra Wingfield.

Recitation, "God's gift" Nep Taylor.

Song, "Our Merry Xmas Day" Intermediate class.

Recitation, "To All People" Charles Thompkins.

Quartette, "No room in the inn."

Steve Campbell is in the city. Noisy as ever.

W. E. McBrayer of Jicarilla, bought supplies here last week.

John A. Brown, Geo. Weishar and W. S. Ross are doing assessment work on the Prospect, in which they are joint owners.

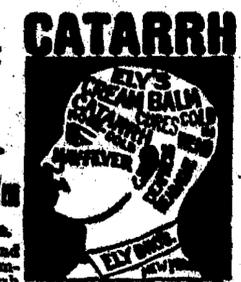
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 Jicarilla mail departs Tuesdays and Fridays, 7:00 a. m. Arrives 8:30 p. m.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Thomas H. Walsh. Apex Gold Mining Co. and Thos. O. Johns. No. 1197. In the District Court. Notice is hereby given that, by authority of a writ of Vendition Exponas, issued out of the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of New Mexico, in and for Lincoln County, in above styled cause, and addressed to the sheriff of Lincoln County, N. M., and commanding me to sell all of the attached property heretofore levied on in said cause and now in my possession, to wit: One steam boiler and 1500 feet of wire cable, one air compressor, one steam boiler, one steam engine, all at North Homestake Mine on Baxter Mountain in White Oaks Mining District, Lincoln County, New Mexico; also one Knowls pump, one engine and boiler, one lot of shafting and belting and one Huntington mill, all in the North Homestake mill house at said White Oaks, New Mexico; also one lot of pipe at said North Homestake mill, 32 pieces of pipe at the said North Homestake mine and one lot of tram rails; also all the contents of the North Homestake boarding house, near said North Homestake mill, consisting of bed room sets, carpets, mattresses, stoves, office desks, chairs, one couch, tables, side board and other household utensils, belonging to said defendants in said boarding house; the contents of the store room at the North Homestake Mill, consisting of tools, brass valves, steel &c., being the entire contents of said store room; the contents of the blacksmith shop at said North Homestake mill, consisting of one forge, one vice, hammers, tools, &c., being the entire contents of said shop; one Sinker pump at North Homestake well near said mill; and all the right title and interest of said defendants in and to that certain piece or tract of land, lying and being in Lincoln County, New Mexico, and in White Oaks Mining District, and being a part of the S. E. 1/4 of the N. E. 1/4 of Sec. 35, in T. 6, S. R. 11 East, containing fifteen and 1/4 acres, and known as the North Homestake Mill Site, together with all and singular the improvements, houses, buildings, tenements and appurtenances, thereunto belonging; And to cause to be made thereof the sum of Seven Hundred and Twenty Three Dollars damages, with interest thereon, from the 16th day of September, 1919, at six per cent per annum and all costs of suit amounting to Twenty seven and 15-100 Dollars, together with all the costs of holding and caring for said attached property, as well as all costs made on this writ, which by the judgment of said court on the 16th day of May 1901, Thomas H. Walsh recovered against the said Apex Gold Mining Company, and Thos. O. Johns; I will on Jan. 17th, 1920, at the shaft house of the North Homestake Mine, which said mine is situated on Baxter Gulch in White Oaks Mining District, Lincoln County, New Mexico, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following property, to wit: 1 steam boiler, 1500 feet of wire cable, 1 air compressor, 1 steam boiler, 1 steam engine, 32 pieces of pipe and 1 lot or parcel of tram rails; and that I will, on said Jan. 17th, 1920, at the said North Homestake Mill, situated on the North Homestake mill site, in the gulch west of the town of White Oaks, New Mexico, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m. of said day, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following attached property, to wit: 1 Knowls pump, 1 steam engine and boiler, 1 lot or parcel of shafting or belting, 1 Huntington or mill, 1 lot of pipe, &c., the contents of the North Homestake boarding house, near said North Homestake mill, consisting of bed room sets, carpets, mattresses, stoves, office desks, chairs, one couch, tables, side board and other household utensils, the contents of the building known as the store room at said North Homestake mill, consisting of tools, brass valves, steel &c., being the entire contents of said building; also, all the contents of the blacksmith shop at said North Homestake mill, consisting of 1 forge, 1 vice, hammers, tools &c. And 1 Sinker pump at the well on said North Homestake Mill Site; also, all the right, title and interest of the said Apex Gold Mining Company, a corporation, and of the said Thomas O. Johns, defendants in said above styled cause, in and to that certain piece, or tract of land lying and being in Lincoln County, New Mexico, and in White Oaks Mining District, and being a part of the S. E. 1/4 of the N. E. 1/4 of Section thirty six (36) in township six (6) south range eleven (11) east, containing fifteen and three fourths acres, and known as the North Homestake Mill Site, together with all and singular the improvements, houses, buildings, tenements and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in any wise appurtenant; and that I will execute and deliver to the purchaser of said real estate, a good and lawful deed of conveyance for the same. All of which goods, chattels and real estate will be by me sold at public auction, said sale to be held at the time and place named and so continue until all of said property, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment of plaintiff and all costs of suit, and of this writ, has been sold. This Dec. 19th, 1919. A. W. BROWN, Sheriff of Lincoln County, N. M. Plaintiff's attorney is J. H. Wharton, White Oaks, N. M.

CELERY.

15,000 Dozen Bunches off Nine Acres. Mr. W. M. Farmer of this place is probably the most successful celery grower on a small scale in the west. He has now, on his place just east of town, nine acres of the choicest celery to be found anywhere and while not as large as the California and Colorado products with which it has to compete, is much finer in flavor. Indeed it is conceded that Pecos Valley celery cannot be excelled for flavor. The product of this locality is shipped by express in boxes somewhat resembling apple boxes at a special rate, yet outside of a radius of say 600 miles, a grower here cannot compete with other localities because of the high rate charged. Most of the celery raised here is marketed in Texas and Oklahoma where it holds first place. This year off the small field put in by Mr. Farmer he will raise 10,000 dozen bunches which will be marketed between now and March 1. The season is usually about five months extending from October to March. As a profitable industry celery culture is par excellence for this Valley as no parasites of any kind prey upon it and there are always large returns for a little work and small investment.—Roswell Register.

Rev. Irl R Hicks is Not Dead.

Notwithstanding a widely current rumor that the Rev. Irl R. Hicks was dead, he never was in better health, and never did a harder or more successful year's work than that just closing. He has just completed his large and splendid Almanac for 1920 and, with his staff of able helpers, has brought his journal, Word and Works, justly forward into international reputation. For a quarter of a century Mr. Hicks has grown in reputation and usefulness as the people's astronomer, and forecaster of storms, and the forecaster of coming seasons. Never were his weather forecasts so sought after as now, his timely warning of a serious drought this year having saved the people from loss and suffering. Millions of bushels of wheat were harvested through his advice to plant crops that would mature early. The American people will certainly stand by Prof. Hicks, when it costs them so little and the benefits are so great. His fine Almanac of 200 pages is only 25c and his splendid family journal is only one dollar a year including the Almanac. Send to Word and Works Pub. Co., 2201 Locust St., St. Louis, Mo. F. H. Payne, with G. E. Hubbard & Co., of this city, went over the White Oaks this morning to sell Christmas goods for the house.—El Paso News.

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The decision of the Schley court of inquiry is handed down to the nation, and is received by the people, with about the same degree of pleasure the news of the death of a president is received. The verdict of the court is guilty in eleven charges, with Admiral Dewey dissenting and rendering a minority report in which the action of Schley is vindicated. Congress will probably take the matter up at the present session.

White Oaks offers an unlimited field well warranting the capitalist and prospector to investigate its resources, which are varied and abundant. More gold mines will be opened here, producing as much and as rich ores as any that have heretofore attracted wide attention. There are any number of prospects which warrant development in the vicinity of the Old Abe, North and South Homestake mines; and some individual or company, who want mines for what they will produce, instead of for speculative purposes, will take hold of and develop these properties and thereby add to the activity of the camp.

Garrett is long enough to loop the loop and will make those Texas reps go way back and sit down before he gets through with them. The President is on to the Texas republican; knows he is of the patronage sort. And if it were not for the federal appointment there wouldn't be republicans enough in the state aside from the Negro population, for a corporal's guard. A republican must have a little pie down in that country to keep him in line. Otherwise he votes with the majority and in the interest of his country. He gets an object lesson, so to speak, and sees conditions as they exist.

Attorney Heflin, of Silver City, was shot last week by a gambler and would-be bad man by the name of Childers. Attorney Heflin was trying to collect an account that had been placed in his hands.

Republicans all over the country are hysterical over the President's appointment of Pat Garrett as collector of customs at El Paso. Teddy is a terror in reality to them.

Senator Elkins introduced New Mexico's enabling act, and has promised Mr. Rodey to help him get it through congress.

The recent slump in copper is regarded by mining men to be only temporary, and caused wholly by stock manipulations.

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FACING A CRISIS.

Today we stand face to face with a serious crisis. Figures furnished by the latest report of the superintendent of public education show that the colored children between the ages of six and eighteen in the city of New Orleans number twenty thousand at least. Of these, only 5,093 were in the public schools last year. Perhaps two thousand were in private schools- This leaves twelve thousand unaccounted for. Those above fourteen may have been at work; that would still leave ten thousand too young to work, and yet unable to get into school. Under these circumstances, it ought not to be a matter of great surprise if the number of colored juvenile offenders or criminals should be disproportionately large. We can no more civilize or elevate a people without good schools than we can make bricks without straw, and a just world will not condemn us too severely for falling below the best standards of civilized life, when we have not the means necessary to attain them.

Special Master's Sale.

In the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the Territory of New Mexico, sitting in and for the County of Lincoln.

Charles Hfeld, Plaintiff,

vs.

Jose Montano, Josefa de Montano
It. Michaelis and Timoteo Analla
Administrator of the Estate of
Jose Analla, deceased.

No.
1,215.

Defendants.

WHEREAS in the above entitled cause and Court, on the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1901, Judgment was rendered against the defendants, Jose Montano and Josefa de Montano in favor of Charles Hfeld in the sum of two thousand, four hundred and ninety-five and 22/100 dollars. (\$2,495.22) which amount bears interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the date of said judgment, and against said defendants in favor of the defendant R. Michaelis in the sum of two thousand, six hundred and twenty-eight and 13/100 dollars, (\$2,628.13) together with interest at the rate of twelve per cent per annum from the date of said judgment and the further sum of two hundred and fifty-six and 88/100 dollars (\$256.88) as attorney's fee in said action and whereas it was determined by said court that said defendants, Jose Montano and Josefa de Montano were justly indebted to the defendant Timoteo Analla, administrator of the estate of Jose Analla, deceased, in the sum of six hundred and sixty-seven and 21/100 dollars, (\$667.21) with interest thereon at the rate of twelve per cent per annum from the 6th day of August, A. D. 1900; and

WHEREAS each of said amounts was by said court found to be a lien upon certain real estate of said defendants, Jose Montano and Josefa de Montano, situated, lying and being in the County of Lincoln, Territory of New Mexico, and described as follows, to wit:

1st.—The south half of the southeast quarter; the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter; the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 30; the south half of the northwest quarter and the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 29 all in township 11, south of range 19 east, containing 320 acres.

2nd.—The south half of the northeast quarter of section 12 in township 11, south of range 14 east, containing 60 acres. And

WHEREAS it was ordered by said court that all and singular the right title and interests of the defendants, Jose Montano, and Josefa de Montano in and to said real estate be advertised and sold at public auction in two separate parcels as hereinbefore described, to satisfy the aforesaid liens and the undersigned was appointed Special Master to make said sale.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given, that on Saturday the 21st day of December, A. D. 1901 at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the Court house of Lincoln County, in the town of Lincoln, New Mexico, I shall offer for sale at public auction in two separate parcels as hereinbefore described, and sell to the highest bidder for cash all and singular the interests of said defendants, Jose Montano and Josefa de Montano, in and to the real estate and premises, hereinbefore described.

E. W. HULBERT, Special Master.
Lincoln, New Mexico, November 15, 1901.

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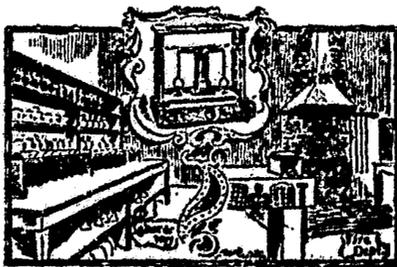
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