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San Antonio, White Oaks
—AND— **Ft. Stanton.**

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Arrive, SAN ANTONIO, 6:00 p. m.	Depart, 7:00 a. m.
Arrive from San Antonio, 4 a. m.	Depart for White Oaks, 9:00 p. m.
Arrive from Ft. Stanton, 9:00 p. m.	Depart for White Oaks, 4 a. m.
Arrive, PORT STANTON, 3 p. m.	Depart, 2 p. m.

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THURSDAY, April 23, 1885.

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Sheriff—J. W. Poe.
 Probate Clerk—James Taliaferro.
 Assessor—W. C. McDonald.
 Associate Judges—Jose M. de Aguayo.
 Superintendent of Schools—A. G. Lane.
 County Commissioners, E. T. Stone,
 J. A. Bryan,
 J. A. Broder.
 PRECINCT NO. 1—DIRECTOR.
 Justice of the Peace—Juan Lujan.

OUR EXPOSITION LETTER.

Special Correspondence.
 NEW ORLEANS, April 20th, 1885.
 Among the thousand and one features of this incomparable Exposition, it is pleasant to see those humane institutions which more mercifully relate to the wants of suffering man and beasts, are not without representation. Mr. Angell, the leader of the great national organization for the prevention of cruelty to animals, has a large space in the main building, in which he exhibits numerous devices both to cure and prevent animal suffering, and is spreading broad-cast, papers, tracts, and other printed matter, treating upon and protesting against the cruelty which so many "human beasts" mete out to defenseless creatures which are so unfortunate as to fall into the hands of brutal masters. Since his advent here he has organized and put to work among the children several "Bands of Mercy" has secured the repeated publication of the state law against cruel treatment and been active otherwise, in his noble mission.

In no city or country is such work more needed—nowhere else is such wanton, beastly cruelty practiced, the street car companies begin conspicuous examples of the most outrageous barbarism toward the poor mules, which is only exceeded by their utter disregard for the comfort of the people who are forced to patronize their lines. Every coach is large and heavy, holding, when packed, as they usually are from forty to fifty persons, and drawn by a single mule, forced to strain itself to the utmost to start a load fully heavy enough for two strong horses. It is a shame that the law is not rigidly enforced against the cruel corporations so lost to every feeling of mercy, and so utterly indifferent to the comfort of their patrons. But this is an unpleasant topic and we leave it to Mr. Angell and his Bands.

If they who go down to the sea in ships, deserve the prayers of good people, one who makes the round of the wonders of this Exposition, and studies them carefully, if not in like danger with the mariner of the deep, needs to keep a level head, not to become unsettled by the prodigious displays which everywhere meets his vision. California, under the auspices of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, makes an exhibit which in itself is an Exposition. One gentleman, Mr. Dohran, exhibits one of the finest private mineral cabinets in the world, containing eight cases of thousands of most beautiful specimens, worth in all \$10,000, while, from every section of the great state, come innumerable specimens of all the precious metals, beautiful gems, and samples in multiplied forms, dazzling the eye with their brilliancy, until one is ready to doubt whether he is in the vicinity of the Crescent City, or walking through the golden gates and along the golden streets of the New Jerusalem! The total yield of gold and silver in this enchanted state for the single year 1882, amounted to \$80,500,000, nearly four times the value of the wheat crop, showing that she has not ceased to be a profitable "mining camp," notwithstanding her fame as a great agricultural region. A great cube in her exhibit, 14 3-10 high, represents the dimensions of her gold product, since its first discovery in 1874-8, amounting to \$1,160,000,000; another cube 12 3-10 feet high, represents the total silver product—\$28,000,000.

Of her horticultural industries, one farm produced last year \$56,000 worth of olives, samples of the oil being shown; eggs of the Ostrich are shown, worth from \$100 to \$300 each; grapes and raisins in great variety, the finest in the world; samaras of the Sultan grape, which

yield 10 tons to the acre; 150 varieties of grapes, alone, native, and 175 varieties of imported are shown, also 90 varieties of almonds; one 25 pound bunch of grapes; apples and pears weighing from two to five pounds, with potatoes, beets, and thousands of other fruits, nuts oranges figs, etc., until the mind becomes bewildered in its attempts to comprehend the myriad richness and variety of production to which the State is adapted. To cap the climax of this unexampled exhibit, Prof. and Mrs. J. G. Lennox have on exhibition 1,400 species of the Flora, or plants of the Pacific Coast, embracing 100 varieties of ferns, 250 varieties of grasses and grains, etc., making the finest and most attractive Lertanum display ever made.

ANECDOTES OF PUBLIC PEOPLE.

Ex-Senator Green, of Missouri.

James Green of Missouri, was, before the war, one of the leading men in the United States Senate, and he saved the South in the debate on the Lecompton question. He was the only man who by common consent got the upper hand of Douglas in that memorable discussion, and but for him the Southerners would have made a poor showing just then. There seemed to be a bright future opening for him, but like too many others similarly situated, he thought no man could raise in the world of politics without passing a good deal of time in the bar-rooms of Washington. Six years later he was often to be seen on Pennsylvania avenue in a state of beastly intoxication; his clothes covered with mud, and with his once intelligent features swollen and disfigured.—[Boston Budget

Didn't Know a Good Sermon.

Jackson, though a hard case in early life, and to his death fond of cock fighting and horse racing, took the religion of his wife after she died and became a Presbyterian. He read a chapter in the bible every night before he went to bed while he was in the White House and had family worship in his bed-room with his adopted daughter at 10 p. m. He was very strict as to church matters, and would let no one ram down his pastor here. One night he noticed a nobby-looking young man sitting in a pew near him, paying very close attention to the sermon. Old Hickory liked this, and on going out he asked the man what he thought of the discourse. "It was the worst lot of stuff ever uttered in a pulpit," replied the young dude, who, by the way was a clerk in the State Department.

"I think you are mistaken, sir," returned Jackson, with an angry flush. A few days after this this same young man wanted to go abroad as Secretary of the Legation to one of the chief European courts, and the Minister—it was Van Buren who had been appointed Minister to England—wanted him to go with him. Old Hickory, however, would not consent to his appointment. "The man," he said, "is a fool. He can not appreciate a good sermon, and I will not appoint him." The result was that the young man remained at home.—[Carp] in Cleveland Herald.

One of Cox's Cute Tricks.

For a great many years a cordial friendship has existed between Senator Cullom and "Sunset" Cox of New York. It dates back to a time when Senator Cullom was a member of the lower house. A little incident that occurred in the Thirty-ninth Congress may account in part for the cordial feeling. It is told by Senator Cullom in these words: "I had introduced a Mormon bill which I was very ambitious of getting the House to pass. For some reason Gen. Schenck, of Ohio, wanted to defeat the measure, and with that object in view made a motion to refer it to the Judiciary Committee, where I knew it would sleep, until the end of the session. While I was speaking on the subject Sam Cox sent me word that if I would give him five minutes of time he would help me out. I did so. Cox made a furious speech against the bill. He said it was unconstitutional, and ought to be referred to the Judiciary Committee, and he hoped that every Democrat in the House would vote

to send it there. Cox's speech saved the bill. The very fact that the Democrats desired to defeat it was sufficient reason for the Republicans to support it, and as we were largely in the majority it went through in a jiffy. It was a graceful act of kindness on the part of Cox, and all the more appreciated in coming from a political opponent." —[Chicago News.

Bob Ingersoll Plays Pool.

A stout man, about whose fair, round face a smile of perfect contentment played continually, sauntered in a billiard-room on lower Broadway yesterday afternoon, and picking a cue from a rack as a weapon and a Staten Island lawyer for an opponent, stood up at a pool table and pocketed ball after ball with finished ease and skill. He talked while he played, and before long fifty men were grouped about the table. They had overheard excerpts of talk and identified the stout man as Bob Ingersoll in a twinkling. Word got out into the street that he was manipulating a cue and saying things and dozens of additional bankers and brokers hurried in to see what it looked and sounded like.

"You're a fine player," Bob said when he whipped two games off the table with scarcely an effort. "I'll tell you what I'll do. If you can beat me I'll pay everything."

The Staten Island lawyer at length won a single game after eleven successful defeats, amid great cheering. Somebody promptly presented Bob with two fresh bouquets of costly flowers, and he plunged his hands in his pockets, excavated a lot of silver from its depth and settled for everything with a smile that was nearly as big as the pool table pockets.—[New York Sun.

Why the Barber Talks.

"You hear a great deal of talk about being too talkative," said a Pittsburg barber to a Dispatch reporter, "let me tell you that the barber who doesn't talk isn't any good. He isn't popular with the trade and he doesn't make a good workman. You see a man comes in and gets into the chair and the barber commences shaving him without saying a word. The man who is being shaved has nothing to think about except himself and he immediately begins to kick about the razor. It pulls and hurts his face, and nothing suits him, and he goes away dissatisfied with the shop and the barber. Now, one of those good-natured, talkative barbers would take that same man, and commence talking politics and the weather, the police and the skating rink to him, and there would never be the slightest kick. No, sir; the barber could use his oldest, dullest and rustiest razor and the man would never think of complaining, and when the barber would finish combing his hair by telling him that he had hair just like Abe Lincoln or Charles Sumner, he'd get up and give him a cigar, and go off feeling good-natured, and swear that was the best shop in the city." —[Pittsburg Dispatch.

Never Joke Your Wife.

"Do straighten up, John, and have some style about you," said his wife. "You are growing uglier and uglier every day."

"Can't help it my dear," he replied, apologetically. "It is said that a man grows more like his wife!"

When the neighbors separated them they did not resemble each other a particle, for her bustle was riding the back of her neck, and he hadn't enough hair left on his head to build a bird's nest.—[Albany Argus.

Base-Ball and Music.

"This is my friend, Mr. Jones; he stands very high in our church; he's first base." "Indeed; I'm very glad to meet you." "And this is Mr. Smith." "Ah! I suppose the catcher or pitcher." "Catcher or pitcher! Why, no; he's the tenor." "O, I beg your pardon," she said, confusedly. "I thought the gentleman belonged to a base-ball club." —[Boston Courier.

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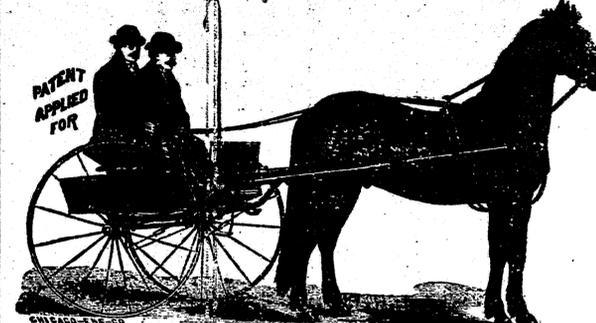
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Gen. Charles Adams, post office inspector, who visited this county several times, has been bounced.

Some of the eastern Journals are complaining that counterfeit one-cent coins are in circulation. The one-cent piece is seldom seen in the west.

From cable reports, the Prince and Princess of Wales are meeting with warm receptions in Ireland. On their arrival at Marlow Junction county Cork, a riot took place and several citizens were killed and wounded.

Gen. Grant is fast recovering and the attending physicians say they would not be surprised if he got entirely well. Monday afternoon the General took quite a drive.

John Roach, the ship-builder, says the navy of the United States resembles a yacht club. The government, in the last few years, has paid Mr. Roach millions of dollars to make the navy what it is.

Sullivan, the thumper and Ryan tambien, will fight in Butte City, Montana, May 16th, for several hundred dollars in money and the championship belt.

W. S. Stone, of Albuquerque, who was supposed to have the right of way for the vacant judgeship of the Second judicial district of New Mexico, was surprised, undoubtedly, when he received the news of the appointment of W. H. Brinker, of Missouri.

The Lone Star, in a lengthy article, says: "The manufacturers of the United States are now penetrating Mexico and selling staples at ten and five per cent. off the prices charged our jobbers, because they have to meet foreign competition in that Republic."

upper. Penasco. N. Mex March. 21th. 1885

to Editor of GOLDEN ERA Sir I noticed a word to the ranch jumper in your paper of the 19. You are invited to keep your mouth or go to work with your neckties from a ranch jumper.

If the ignorant scrub that wrote the above should ever jump any property belonging to us, we would make it so hot for him that he would think hades a summer resort. What we said in reference to ranch-jumpers, no law-abiding citizen, no honest man could take offense.

Our correspondent from the Penasco country, in a newsy letter in this issue, says that "ranch thieves should be held and equally esteemed in the community in which they live, with horse and cattle thieves."

It is beginning to dawn on the minds of the authorities of many of the large cities in this country, that it is both more human and more economical to make the penal institutions schools of reform rather than colleges of crime.

Eight five-story tenements in the City of New York, which were recently put under roof and were to be ready for use the first of June, fell with a terrible crash, the other afternoon, carrying all the workmen with it.

James D. Fish, the late president of the Marine Bank, of New York, in which the Grants were interested, was found guilty on twelve counts of the indictment on which he was tried.

They are making some pretty grave charges against Max Frost, late Register of the United States Land Office at Santa Fe.

It is reported that there have been less business failures during the past week than in any previous week of 1885. The ruin so sadly predicted by the press last November in case of Democratic success, has not then begun as yet to manifest itself.

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