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COUNTY NEWS.

Where are you going the Fourth?
M. Gaylord was over from Nogal Friday.

Charley Bartlett is burning charcoal for the government.
J. H. Blazer, of South Fork, was in Lincoln Tuesday night.
The County Commissioners meet in regular session Monday.
Louis H. Eisenlohr, of Seven Rivers, came up in the rain Monday.
Lieut. Scott has gone to Carthage, to meet a number of new recruits and horses.

Arcadio Sais is having a porch and awning made for his residence on main street.
White Oaks, Bonito and Dowlin's Mill will celebrate the Fourth. Take your choice.
H. H. Hanning, of White Oaks, is still selling drugs very cheap at the old stand. Try him.

Mr. Jonn Skinner and family, of Bonito, were in Lincoln Tuesday getting some pictures taken.
J. H. Bingham and son stopped over night last week. Mr. Bingham commences school in San Patricio, next Monday.

A little case was decided, by compromise Monday, between J. A. Tomlinson and Antonio Torres over a piece of land adjoining the latter's ranch.
I. X. Peck wants us to announce that he is a candidate for pork inspector at Jerusalem. He probably thinks that it is just as easy to get a soft position as any.

Mr. Johnny Riley's beef contract at Ft. Stanton expired June 30th. Geo. Peppin, of this place, has it for the coming year. He issued his first meat Wednesday morning.
There will be a big hail at Geo. Kimbrell's residence the evening of July Fourth. A big time is expected and everybody in that neighborhood will take this as a special invitation.

This county is having excellent rains. All night Sunday night and during the whole day of Monday rain fell here. It came down slowly, giving the earth ample time to absorb it as it fell. Green grass, fat cattle and smiling stockmen are plentiful.
Bill Ellis says the next time it rains he intends to move everything out of his saloon into the street. As water was dripping down into the house, fully a day after the rain ceased, his remark, it will be seen, was timely.

Frank McCollum has sold his ranch south of town to the Lea Cattle Co., for the sum of \$2,750. Mr. McCollum will retain possession of the place until the crop now growing, if harvested. This company has, and is getting hold of, some of the best ranch property in the county.

A bunch of fine bulls Aberdeen Angus and Short-Horns-21 head-was sold at Pat Garrett's ranch last week to the following parties: Poe & Goodin secured six head, two of which were Aberdeen Angus, at \$300 each; Wm. Slane, one; Garrett & Gray-five, two of them being the black mooleys; Frank Lesnet, one; W. H. Saunders, three; A. E. Powers, five, one of which was a thoroughbred.

We learn that Prof. Glass the sole proprietor of the White Oaks stamp mill, intends to soon erect more new machinery to work the tailings of the ore run through this mill during the past year or two, of which quite a pile has accumulated. It is a fact that out of the money expended for milling machinery, in White Oaks-over \$75,000-the Glass stamp mill, although worn out when brought to that place, has been the only mill to help the town. The Professor is a practical man and we feel confident that his machinery will work the tailings to perfection.

Dr. Blazer's saw mill at South Fork is now running at its fullest capacity, and is turning out lots of good lumber.
Mr. August Cline sent up a sample bunch of oats grown on his ranch. The stocks measure six feet in length, and the heads twelve inches. This is good oats in any country.

Mr. Emor Rudisille, who went to Las Vegas to meet his wife and little niece who were coming from Bryan, Ohio, arrived at this place Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Ozanne brought them over from the railroad.
The prisoners that left for the pen. yesterday seemed to be perfectly contented with their lot, smiling and talking as if they were going to attend an old-fashioned basket picnic. One is not always as happy as outward appearances would indicate.

The dance in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Senna, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jose Carrillo, Thursday evening, was a success in all that the word implies. Eatibles and drinkables were served during the night, and a hundred couples danced to splendid music until five o'clock in the morning.

Maj Van Horn, of Ft. Stanton, received a telegram Monday informing him that he was promoted from Major to Lieutenant Colonel. He takes command of 25th inf. (colored), stationed at Ft. Snelling, Minn., just above St. Paul and one of the prettiest Posts in the United States. Maj. Biddell, of Ft. Wingate, will take command of the Post, at Ft. Stanton.

There is only one prisoner left in the county Jail, and he has decorated the cells and main corridor in a manner becoming one used to handling the brush. He letters very nicely and upon entering the jail, the words "Those who enter here leave all hopes behind," are in plain view. Over his cell the word "welcome" appears, while over the ones just vacated "to let," and "vacant."

Supt. Lane says 5,3605 at the rate per capita for 159 children is, as stated, in his June apportionment. What is that 5,3605, money, marbles or chalk? There is no dollar mark, a comma in place of a period and the whole thing is mixed up. From the Doctor's figures we made it \$5.36 1/2 for every scholar of school age. At that rate there is something due the town of Lincoln and every district in the county. His 5,3605 may mean 53,605 apples or that many prospect holes in Baxter mountain. It certainly doesn't mean dollars and cents.

Constable L. L. Denman and J. L. Riggs of Black River, in the extreme southern portion of the county, arrived in Lincoln, yesterday (Wednesday) evening, with one Wm. Phillips as a prisoner. Phillips and a man named Sprayburg stole three horses, on or about the 14th ult. One of Mr. Neatherlin, of Seven Rivers, and two of some emigrants, in camp near Black River. The officers caught Phillips at Pecos Station and the other thief escaped. Texas rangers are in pursuit, and suppose they have their man ere this. Phillips had a kind of an examination at Lookout and acknowledged taking the horses.

Sheriff Poe, Jim Brent, Geo. T. Beall and Yginio Salazar started for Santa Fe yesterday morning (Wednesday), having in charge three prisoners sentenced to the penitentiary at the last term of court whose names and crimes are as follows: J. C. Joy, cattle stealing, five years; L. S. Allen, murder, five years; James McCarthy, murder, seven years. While in Santa Fe, Poe, Brent and Beall will attend the trial of Nicolas Aragon, the murderer of two Lincoln county officials. Poe and Brent go as witnesses and Beall to aid the territory in prosecuting the wretch. Citizens of this county await the outcome of this trial with no little anxiety.

We met Mr. Chas. Fritz Wednesday and upon asking him "if he knew anything," he replied that apples had gained a pound since the last rain, and that grass had grown one foot. Astonishing!

In the case of Saturnino Baca, et al., against A. G. Lane Superintendent of Schools, argued on demurrer at last term of court here, Judge Wilson has overruled the demurrer and ruled defendant Lane to plead or answer.

Col. Scott, the big man of the Carrizozo range, who has been out in this county on a tour of inspection, has returned to his home in England. Col. Scott, is a retired army officer and came by the handle of his name honorably.

A HAIL OF A STORY.
Last Thursday afternoon this town was visited by one of the most severe hail storms ever known in the country. Fully ten minutes before the hail commenced to fall, a roaring noise was heard and the sky was as black as night. It started in by raining in torrents, the drops seeming as large as wooden buckets, but it soon turned into hail, stripping the trees of its leaves, ruining corn and otherwise playing havoc with growing crops. The storm lasted about half an hour, and when things cleared away everything was white from the falling ice.

Don Jose Montano's shepard dog, who is addicted to sucking eggs, was seen with a large hail stone in his mouth thinking it, undoubtedly, an egg. After holding it in his mouth for a few moments, the dog dropped it and stole away with his tail between his legs. He was probably ashamed that he had been caught.

Jimmy Dolan picked up a stone that weighed six pounds by the watch.
Two Mexicans were going down street when the storm first commenced. They were both a little tipsy. The one on the near side received a good sized hail in the right eye. Thinking that his companion had struck him, he pulled off and gave him a terrible blow in the face. They were both knocked down and after the storm cleared up they were taken under shelter, more dead than alive.

A bunch of 500 head of sheep were killed out-right just south of town during the storm. An item for Sligh's sheep paper.
There were many more things equally as astonishing happened during the storm, but we will let this suffice as our readers may think, we are stretching the story.

BUSINESS TACT AND OPPORTUNITY.
A streak of pure good luck in business or the sudden achievement of success and wealth by a happy hit is rare, but there are many lucky and prosperous folks who are, so because they watch their opportunities and make the best of them. Mr. Koehler of Rochester, N. Y., tried his hand at canvassing for "Plain Home Talk" and made four dollars in the first two hours. Mr. Sanford of Maine took 42 orders from 47 persons to whom he showed the book. Mr. Taylor, in Cleveland, took 19 orders in one day. Why do smart, capable men complain of hard times and "nothing to do" when equal opportunities are open to them? They have only to call for particulars, prospectus and terms of the Murray Hill Publishing Co., 129 East 28th St., New York City.

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NOTICE.
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W. H. GOSGROVE,
Roswell, N. M.

TERRITORIAL TOPICS.

Judge Wilson is rustivating in California.
Ex-Governor Sheldon was given a reception by the Socorro people last week.

Convicts and Indians wade into the luxury of three square meals a day at Santa Fe.
The New Mexico Stock Grower, will please give us credit for items taken from the Era.

Towns along the Rio Grande are being visited by those beatiful and enjoyable sand storms.
The penitentiary is nearly completed and will be turned over to the territory in a few days.

A Mr. Chapman had five horses stolen from his ranch in Grant county. Look out for 'em.
Since the Artisian Well Co., of Denning, failed to strike water, beer has went up \$2.75 on the barrel.

C. M. Shannon, of the Southwest Sentinel, has gone to Dallas, Texas, to get married. Here's prosperity.
Silver City has a new soda fountain and the children of that town nearly go crazy when they hear it sizz-z-z.

The whole amount asked for the construction of the Texas Santa Fe and Northern railroad has been subscribed.
Sheriff Martinez handed his commission to Gov. Ross, last Monday and was sworn in as U. S. Marshal the same day.

Ex-Chief Justice Axtel has been appointed general solicitor of the Southern Pacific railroad company for New Mexico and Arizona.
Mr. Pitt Ross, son of the Governor of our territory is sticking type on the Santa Fe Leader. It's a trade he has no reason to be ashamed of.

Santa Fe has another curiosity. It is a lady 100 years old and alive! Albuquerque claims two mummies, but they are not a year old yet. [Santa Fe Leader.

Low freight rates have been restored at El Paso, but that's no reason why you can't buy goods there cheaper than towns in the territory. Too much competition in railroads to keep freight up in El Paso.

Mr. Tom Bell, who has been connected some eight or ten years with Browne & Manzanares, Las Vegas, and who is well and formerly known in this county, has moved from the above named place to Socorro.

Loomis, of the Headlight, saw a woman pass his office the other day wearing a Mother Hubbard dress and hoops. He didn't know whether it was a circus with a side show attached or what it was. They are hairless.

John T. Dresser, was found hanging dead in his barn, about half-past one Sunday morning, in Las Vegas. He held a good position as shipping clerk in the employ of Browne & Manzanares, had a wife and child and was in good circumstances both financially and socially. No cause assigned.

Earley yesterday morning the dead body of a man named Kauffman was found hanging near Graham's slaughter house. He is from Cienega county, Ohio, and had been waiting here for some time for money from home. On Thursday night he took the rope from around his blankets and hung himself. His blankets and a copy of Burns were found near him. [Southwest Sentinel.

Sample of Western journalism from the Deming Headlight: Porter, the little weazen-faced, half-starved, chronic growler of the Lone Star, has his back up so high that it is impossible to reach it with a forty foot pole. He is a second edition of Giteau. His small Pica editorials in defense of the late Stephen F. would lead one to believe that he is really as crazy as a mad bug in high water. At this point I help the reader to understand the help.

The Golden Era.

M. S. Tallafiero, Editor and Manager
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STOCK NEWS.

The valuation of cattle alone in Colfax county is \$2,967,833

J. E. Sligh's new paper, to be started in White Oaks, will be called "The Interpreter," and will be an anti-cattle organ.

Mr. Mark Withers, of Montana, bought 700 head of ones and twos of Milne & Bush, of this county. They will be shipped to Montana.

The rains are commencing rather early, but stockmen think they will not retard the round-up. If anything they will be a help, as the atmosphere is cooler and the alkali dust is not so bad.

The following receipt was handed us by friend Clampitt, who vouches for its efficacy for the cure of colic in horses: One tablespoonful each of soda, salt, soap and camphor; one lump of asafoetida size of hickory nut, in a quart of warm water, well shaken up. Use as a drench.—[Ex.]

It has been demonstrated in Colorado during the spring that the scarcity of calves results from the death of bulls. Some say that they have helped to drive bunches containing 500 or 600 back to their ranges, and in no instance was there over 3 bulls to any bunch.—[Drover's Journal.]

The above is from the Mobeetie, (Texas) Panhandle, and they take the right view of the matter. Herds passing through this county, have hurt the ranges greatly, but the new inspector at Seven Rivers, Mr. Phillips will not allow any and every herd pass through just for the asking.

At a sale of Short-horns in Kansas lately four head of the noted Cruickshank strain sold at the high average of \$433.75. The Shorthorns are holding their own well. By the way, if Hereford cattle were as plentiful as are the Short-horns would there not be a fairer opportunity to test their relative merits in the fine stock markets?

Cooked food at any time is much easier to digest than it is in a raw state, and it is claimed by chemists that the nutritious value of some kinds of food is increased by cooking it. It has been experimented with in feeding swine and cattle over and over again, and with excellent results, for any method of softening grain, either by cooking it, or by fermentation, turns the starch into sugar, which is much easier digested.

A Maine farmer computes that of the 325,000 cattle in that state one-eighth consume annually 80,000 tons of hay, and come out thinner in the spring than when they went to the barn in the fall. Allowing \$6 per ton for hay, the net cash loss on the 80,000 tons \$480,000. But if he says, a small quantity of grain is judiciously fed, and better care given during the winter, and cattle will come out in the spring in enough better condition to more than pay for both hay and grain.

There is a scarcity of bulls on almost every range in the country and as to the necessity of this class of stock we are all agreed. Bulls are to-day fifteen per cent. cheaper than they were one year ago, and cheaper than they are likely to be again. Now is the time to buy. Breeders will make steers of their calves this year unless there is a reasonable prospect of sales at a price better than beef. Present prices for grades are but little above beef prices. Certainly, then, this is an opportune time to get what you need.—[Cheyenne Journal.]

The prospects for Northern New Mexico cattlemen for the coming season are not of the most encouraging nature. Overrun by Southern Texas cattle, their ranges will soon be eaten out and nothing but ruin stare them in the face. Had they acted as the Panhandle has and stopped trespassers at first, this might have been averted. As it is they will not only lose their grass, but in all probability a great number of their cattle will die from the effects of being over-caught from the in-

flux of Texas cattle amongst them. In view of the action taken by Kansas and Colorado in this matter of quarantine, the course of the Panhandle in following them was imperative, as otherwise our ranges would have been used as a quarantine and our stockmen ruined. Of course it is natural for the Southern Texas men to kick; we can afford to put up with that, but cannot afford to lose our herds by Texas fever and starvation for their accommodation, and don't propose to.

Mr. A. M. Richardson, manager of the El Capitan Land & Cattle Co., of Lincoln county, was in Las Vegas on Monday. He was in charge of 192 fine bulls, which were being taken to the company's range, and stopped them over here one day to feed and rest. Mr. Richardson reports the price of bulls in Missouri as being very low, and says that persons needing them should embrace the present opportunity to stock up, as high grades can go no lower without bringing less price than can be secured for them as beef.—[Stock Grower.]

An important Land case was before Receiver Fitch, of the Pueblo land office this week. It appears that twenty-five entries had been made of lands on Bear creek, Las Animas county, in which the law had not been complied with. The entries were what is styled transmitted pre-emptions, that is pre-emptions converted into homesteads. The ostensible homesteaders were Mexicans. Proofs had already been made of the necessary residence and improvements, but patents had not been issued. The fraudulent nature of these entries was discovered through the investigations of a special agent, reported to the interior department, by which an inquiry was ordered to be had at the Pueblo land office. At this inquiry the parties interested in the lands, or presumed to be occupying them, failed to appear, and the ruling of the receiver under the evidence brought in, is that the entries be cancelled. These lands have for several years been occupied by W. H. Muth, Dick Klett, Jas. Dobbins, Hopkins & Bingham, Jas. Harrelson, William Stone and others, and it was easily established that no improvements or settlements had been made as claimed in these entries.—[Colorado L. S. Review.]

EL CAPITAN LAND AND CATTLE CO.

P. O. Fort Stanton, N. M. Range, north of El Capitan mountains, Lincoln county.

MEL left shoulder, side and hip. Ear marks, slit and underbit in right.

COM left shoulder, side and hip; marked, underslope.

OWL on left side; marked crop right, underbit left.

On left side and hip; ear marks, split both ears.

Horses branded as this cat on hip. All cattle increase marked as in cut and tails clipped.

W. H. SAUNDERS. P. O. address, Nogal, range Rio Bonito. Horse brand same on left hip.

C. M. COGGIN. Range and post office address, Rio Bonito, N. M. All old stock branded on hip.

S. J. SLANE. Range and post office address, Rio Bonito, N. M. Cows branded same as cut.

L. W. NEATHERLIN. P. O. Lookout, Lincoln Co., N. M. Range, north of Black River. Ear mark, crop and underbit on both ears. I N on left side.

NON-ASSOCIATION BRANDS.

ALLEN MENLEY. P. O. address, Ft. Stanton, N. M. Range, Rio Bonito, Lincoln Co., N. M.

A. M. COE. Cows branded A on left side. Horses branded A left shoulder. Range and post office address, Upper Peasco, N. M.

W. W. PAUL. Cows branded 4 4 same as cut. Horses branded same as cut. Range and post office address, Lower Peasco, N. M.

JOHN FORSYTHE. Horse brand same on left shoulder. Range, White Oaks Springs, P. O. address, White Oaks, N. M.

PIERCE, LEA & CO. P. O., Roswell, range, Upper Peasco, N. M. Also cows branded with on left hip & on left shoulder. Also road brand some times T on the side, and L on left side. Ear marks, crop to the left.

SAMUEL WELLS Jr. On left side; post office, range and ear marks, same as that of Samuel Wells, White Oaks, N. M.

T. C. TILLOTSON. TOM left side and T left shoulder. L left side and M left hip. Swallow fork both ears. Horses branded T H. H. T. P. O. and range, Lower Peasco, N. M.

J. B. MATHEWS. U left shoulder, left side and U left thigh; a U in face of ear. U same side. Ear, swallow fork right, sharp left. Horses branded U on left shoulder. P. O. and range, Lower Peasco, N. M.

E. W. KEENE. Range and post office address, Upper Peasco, Lincoln county, New Mexico.

JOHN B. GARDISSER. P. O. address and range, Upper Peasco, N. M. N—(cross) right side.

ROBERT DICKSON. Range: Middle Peasco, P. O. Address, Peasco, N. M. Cattle branded X on left side and hip, also X bar right side and hip.

W. W. RAPER. Fine Bulls and Stallions for sale. Range: Pleasant Valley, nine miles due north of Peasco. Brands on either side. P. O. address, South Fork, Lincoln Co., New Mexico.

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WILLIAM ROBSON. RINCONADA RANCH. Horses branded bell on left shoulder. Wm. Robson, Manager, P. O. Box 72, White Oaks, N. M.

C. H. SLAUGHTER. P. O. Lookout, Lincoln Co., N. M. Range, head of Black River. H L left side.

JOHN G. WHITE & CO. Post Office address and range, Upper Peasco, N. M. Cross on left shoulder and bar on left side. Also same brand on left hip.

J. W. CURTIS. Post Office address and range, Upper Peasco, N. M. Cross on left shoulder and bar on left hip.

COYOTE AND RED LAKE CATTLE CO. Cattle brands on either side. Various Mexican brand on cattle and horses.

W. H. HUGHES, Ass't Manager, P. O. address, White Oaks, New Mexico.

ALF. HUNTER. P. O. address and range, Upper Peasco, N. M. All young stock in this brand and mark. Old stock in various marks and brands.

B. J. BACA. B B on either side. Horses same as cow brand. B. J. Baca, Lincoln, Lincoln Co., N. M.

Lincoln County Steek Association. \$500 REWARD. ARTICLE XIII. The association shall advertise to pay to any person who shall procure the arrest and conviction of any person or persons who shall violate the stock laws of the territory to the detriment of any member of the association the sum of FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500), provided that the association shall not be responsible for rewards for the arrest and conviction of persons for depredations committed against the stock of such persons who shall not have their marks and brands recorded on the books of the association, and that no one in the way of the society, nor any member thereof will be entitled to recover for such services. For further information concerning this reward, address W. E. Anderson, President Stock Association, Roswell, N. M., or John W. Poe, Vice-President Lincoln, N. M.

\$500 DE RECOMPENSA. ARTICULO VIII.—La Asociacion publicara y pagara a cualquier persona que procure el arresto y conviccion de cualquier persona o personas que violen las leyes de ganado del Territorio de Nuevo Mexico, al detrimento de cualquier miembro de la Asociacion, la suma quinientos pesos (\$500) proviendo que la Asociacion no sera responsable por el arresto y conviccion de personas por depredaciones cometidas en contra de tales personas que no hayan protocolado sus marcas y ferros en los libros de la Asociacion y que al mismo tiempo el pago de la Asociacion, ni algun miembro de la misma, sera entitulado de cobrar por sus servicios. Por mas informacion tocante a la recompensa dirijase a W. E. Anderson, Presidente de la Asociacion, Roswell, Nuevo Mexico, o John W. Poe, Vice-Presidente, Lincoln, N. M.

EDDY-BISSEL CATTLE CO. Eddy Bros., Managers, P. O. Seven Rivers, N. M. Range, on the Peasco near Seven Rivers. Brand W left shoulder.

S. W. LLOYD. Range and P. O. address, Three Rivers. Also cattle branded diamond on left side, ear mark, grab the right underbit left. Horses branded O S on left shoulder.

J. & J. S. RAYNOLDS. Horse brand J on left shoulder. Old cattle in various old marks and brands. A. B. Allen, Manager, P. O. address Fort Sumner, New Mexico.

T. B. POWELL. All over two years old have 999 on shoulder, side and hip. Horse brand same as cow brand.

Rio Peasco, Lincoln Co., N. M.

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A. C. McDONALD. P. O. Address, Upper Peasco, N. M. Range, Agua Chiquita. I have fine bulls for sale. Persons desiring to purchase will do well to examine my stock. Brands as follows: ALM right side; swallow fork right and left. E E in circle right side; swallow fork right; M O L right side; swallow fork right and left. M 6 right side; swallow fork right.

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JAMES RAINBOLT. P. O. Address, Ft. Stanton, Lincoln Co., N. M.

JOSE MONTANO. Horses branded same as cows. Address, Lincoln, Lincoln Co., N. M.

W. L. RYNERSON & CO. P. O. Address, Rio Felix, Lincoln Co., N. M.

SAMUEL WELLS. Horses brand X P. O. Address, White Oaks, Lincoln Co., N. M.

FLORENCIO GONZALES. P. O. Address, Lincoln, Lincoln Co., N. M.

Mescalero & Jicarilla Apaches. Address, W. H. U. Jewell, N. M. Branded U S on either side; all o bow and arrow or star and crescent.

W. W. BRAZEL. Cross on left jaw — U. P. O. Address, Ruidoso, Lincoln Co., N. M.

A. K. EAKERS. P. O. Address, Ft. Stanton, Lincoln Co., N. M.

EMIL FRITZ. P. O. Address, Lincoln, Lincoln Co., N. M.

PAT GARRETT. Also all cattle with bar — butt brand. P. O. Address, Ft. Stanton, Lincoln Co., N. M.

BRYAN & GUNTER. P. O. Address, Peasco, N. M. Left side, Horse brand same.

J. A. LARUE. Range, Rio Felix, Lincoln Co., N. M. P. O. Address, Las Vegas, N. M.

LEA CATTLE CO. Brand left side but sometimes on right side. Ear marks sometimes reversed. E side and also some on side and hip. W side. JB on hip or loin. LE A. Cross on side and hip. Cattle branded with various other ear marks and old brands. Horses branded sometimes without A on hip.

Address: J. C. Lea, Roswell, N. M.

STOCK BRANDS.

W. J. ROBERT. P. O. Address, South Spring River, Lincoln County, New Mexico.

HERNANDEZ BROS. P. O. Address, Ft. Sumner, San Miguel County, N. M.

ANDERSON CATTLE CO. P. O. Address, Roswell, Lincoln Co., New Mexico.

On left side and J H connected on left hip. Ear mark upper half crop and under bit in the left and crop in the right.

On left side and on left hip. Ear mark same as boot on left hip.

On left side and J H connected on left hip. Ear upper one-half crop in left, and under one-half crop in right.

On left side and hip. Ear mark crop and fit in left and under bit in right.

On left side. Various ear marks.

POE & GOODIN'S BRANDS.

Beside the brands as shown in above cuts we have cattle branded V on right hip. Marks on all increase as shown above. Old cattle are in various marks. Range, Salado, Rio Bonito, Little creek and Eagle creek. Post office address, Fort Stanton, Lincoln county, New Mexico.

CARIZOZO RANCH. LINCOLN COUNTY, N. M.

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Mules branded same as horses. Ranch 10 miles southwest of White Oaks. In addition to the \$500 reward offered by the Stock Ass'n. I will pay \$500 extra on the conviction of any person for stealing or killing any stock belonging to the undersigned from and after this date. JAMES A. ALCOCK, Carizozo Ranch, White Oaks, N. M.

The Golden Era.

THURSDAY, July 2nd, 1885.

LINCOLN COUNTY DIRECTORY.

Sheriff—J. W. Poe. Probate Clerk—James Taliaferro. Assessor—W. C. McDonald. Probate Judge—Jose M. de Aguayo. Superintendent of Schools—A. G. Lane. County Commissioners—E. T. Stone, J. A. Bryson, J. A. Brothens.

PRECINCT NO. 1—DIRECTOR. Justice of the Peace—Juan Lujana.

AROUND TULAROSA.

TULAROSA CANON, June 21st, '85. Editor Golden Era.

Jupiter Pluvius has at last aroused himself; seems disposed to shake off his lethargy and attend to the duties of his office. The old fellow appears to have been demoralized by the actions of many Republican officials during the past campaign, and to have concluded from their example that he, too, could go on junketing tour when ever it suited his lordly pleasure, and run a blazer on the complaining mortals who might be disposed to report his short comings at Head Quarters.

School opened on the 15th inst. with twenty pupils in attendance. Eight more will register in the morning. There are some forty pupils in the district, but the farmers are so much behind with their work that a full attendance at this time is an impossibility. It is gratifying to note the interest manifested by the Spanish-Americans in the school, and the teacher will ever be grateful to them for the many courtesies and good wishes for the school extended him. The language of the school room is entirely English.

Messrs. Walters, Wilson, Howe and Loomis returned from El Paso last evening, and report things about three shades hotter than "sheol" in the Gate City. Howe's new supply of liquid refreshments will arrive in a day or two, and those desiring a pleasure voyage into the realms of Bacchus will find at his "wharf" numerous "schooners" to convey them. They are neat little crafts, but your correspondent has tried them so often that he feels compelled to warn the boys that they are wholly unreliable, never carrying a fellow more than half seas over. However a half a voyage is sometimes preferable to no trip at all.

A petition is being circulated for the formation of a new justice precinct. It lacks but a few of the requisite fifty petitioners required by statute. Our present magistrate lives at the Mesalero and Jicarilla Agency, and is connected in some capacity with the Indian service. While there is no personal objection to the gentleman, why the people place their judicial apparatus in a region where no one but those connected with the Indian services are supposed to reside, is one of those mysteries, which, like the grace of God, "passeth all understanding."

Some little unpleasantness exists between the people of the Canon and those of the town of Tularosa in regard to water for irrigating purposes. A short time since a party from the town came to the ranch of Alvaro Carillo, below here, and forced him to cease work. From what can be learned the latter was running the water into a dry canon, and failed promptly to return the same into its proper channel, consequently the town folks are not greatly to be censured, although legal estoppel would have been preferable. They were all arrested and carried for examination before the magistrate at the Agency, who bound them over in the sum of three hundred dollars each to appear at the next term of court, held in Lincoln county. It is said the people in town claim exclusive right for irrigating purposes to all the water running down Tularosa creek; and are now, through their attorneys, taking measure to legally sustain their claims. Should they succeed in so doing this whole country, now in a high state of cultivation, will be a valuable stock ranch for somebody; and a lot of American capitalists will be picked from the parental nest.

GRANIZO.

PERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL.

From the New York Morning Journal. Mr. Gladstone's voice now has a sorrowful tone.

Secretary Bayard weighs 202 pounds. He is also a good man.

President Cleveland takes pleasure in paying his fare when he rides on railroads.

Sir Peter Lumsden is alluded to by a Western paper as "the Tom Hendricks of Europe."

Lilli N. Cushman, the sweet singer of the Nutmeg State, is fond of old-fashioned doughnuts.

Senator Bowen, of Colorado, can tell an excruciating funny story with a face as solemn as the Sphinx.

Senator Logan is at Washington for a short period. Four years hence he hopes to sleep in the White House.

Sam Jones the evangelist, says "that a German is nothing but hugging set to music." How does he know?

One Big Bear is giving the Canadians more trouble than a whole menagerie of wild animals would a circus manager.

When Ferdinand Ward pleads "not guilty" the recording Angel sighs and posts the denial on the debit side of the ledger.

Mrs. Mary Beneman, a sister of the famous Commodore Perry, is still enjoying good health at the age of 112. She is living in Iowa.

R. B. Hayes might contribute the money he received for his saloon at Omaha to the St. John campaign fund in 1888. But he won't.

Walker Blaine is said to feel worse than his father over Cleveland's election. It is almost time for Walker to let his grief run down.

That ladies easily learn to play the violin is not surprising when their experience in handling beaux is taken into consideration.

Senator Vest is generous enough to admit that there are some honorable men in the journalistic ranks. This is the honorable Senators way of hedging.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson, the philanthropist, is fond of old fashioned hymns that she proposes to organize bands of sacred minstrels to travel through the country.

Mile. Louis Michel is studying the Russian language in prison. When the words are excessively large it is said that she is allowed to wrestle with them in the corridors.

Secretary Manning is anxious to improve the paper currency. If he could suggest some scheme for preventing its disappearance he would benefit both benedictis and bachelors.

A Boston lady being asked by a Judge how old she was, replied that she had no personal knowledge of her age, and understood that hearsay testimony is not accepted in court.

Because little Lotta says she has just discovered that she has a talent for painting, a mean rival asserts she has arrived at an age when a discovery of that kind is exceedingly timely.

Mr. Packard, the retiring United States Consul at Liverpool, has been presented with a service of silver plate. That's the kind of silver service reform which is laid on the table.

Teresina Tua, the violinist, is only eighteen years old, but receives a salary of \$36,000 a year. If every young lady in the land should endeavor to emulate her example by learning to fiddle, the world would soon be in a howling wilderness.

Colonel Dan Lamont is said to be a musician of ability. It must be an interesting sight to see office-seekers standing out in the cold and wet listening to his rendition of the song "Some Day," says a fellow with a fat sinecure.

The daily papers are altogether mistaken in rashly stating that the Prince of Wales had an angry inflammation on the big toe of his left foot. Telegraphic advices from the best sources locate the inflammation on the little toe of the right foot.

An old lady in North Heaven Conn., who has just celebrated her one hundred birthday, remembers being fined 10s by a magistrate when a girl for whispering in church to a girl in front of her that there was a spot in her dress. It is safe to assert that the spot was not a polka dot of the period.

FRANK LESLIE'S POPULAR MONTHLY.

For July contains two articles which will attract considerable attention. The leading one, "England's last struggle with Russia," in which the Crimean War and the causes that led to it are described by T. F. Galwey; the other article is on "Victor Hugo." Both are profusely illustrated and intensely readable. Marc F. Vallette, contributes a careful study of the "Early Life of Mary Stuart," which is accompanied by ten illustrations. American subjects in this number are "The Grain Commerce of New York," by Oscar W. Riggs, with seven illustrations; "The Aztec Eagle, and when it was Found," and other Mexican Topics, by Mrs. Emily Pierce; and "Our Northern Lakes and Mountains," by James B. Townsend, with eleven illustrations. There are many shorter articles and poems, several interesting stories, including the new serial, "Of Two Evils," by Prof. Clarence M. Boutelle. Published by Mrs. Frank Leslie, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place New York, at 25 cents a number, or \$3.00 a year.

HAD A "DAISY."

"Come out through the back way and see my daisy!" he chuckled as he rubbed his hands together.

"What! gone into the funeral flowers business on your own account? Yet, after all, why not? An undertaker might as well furnish the flowers as the coffin."

"Come on. There—how does that strike you?"

"That's a hearse—a new one."

"But it's the daisy I was speaking of. Isn't she spic-span and shiny?"

"Very nice."

"I should smile. It lays over anything of the sort in this town, and don't you forget it. Get in and lie down and let me bob the spring to show you how easy it rides."

"No, thank you."

"You go on! There's points about a hearse the public ought to know. Get up on the driver's seat."

"Excuse me, but I prefer a family carriage."

"Oh, pshaw! but you are too thin-skinned. Just notice those springs. I tell you it will be a positive pleasure to ride above 'em. The dish of those wheels is absolutely perfect, and such a finish!"

"Yes, very nice hearse."

"You bet! Say, it will be a proud hour in my life when I hitch a span of white horses to that vehicle and prance around to the house of the late deceased. Lands! but won't the other undertakers look blue! Say, feel of these curtains—pure silk."

"I'll take your word for it."

"Go on, now! Hang it, but when an undertaker puts up his cash for a regular daisy like this you newspaper fellows ought to encourage him. Just remember that the old fashion way of carrying a body around in a lumber wagon and then gaze on this! Just notice how these rear doors open to admit the coffin."

"Very handy."

"Handy! Why, man, it's superb! Have you noticed the glass in the sides?"

"Seems to be very good?"

"Good! Why, it's the finest in the world—the very finest! I wanted something to show off the coffin, and here it is. I tell you, the late deceased ought to feel proud to ride in such a vehicle! You can say in your paper that it knocks 'em all out. Say, how are you on styles?"

"What styles?"

"Coffins and shrouds, of course. Come in a minute. I've got a new thing in shrouds—something you are bound to appreciate, and I'm after a patent on a coffin with an air receiver in it. Say! do me a favor. Let me inclose you in my new coffin and see how long the supply of air will last you. I'll bet a dol—"

But the reporter was gone.—[Detroit Free Press.

Ballou's Magazine for July has a timely article on China, accompanied by some capital illustrations. It is an important subject when France and China, have so recently been engaged in a bloody struggle, and should be read by all. Then follows that popular story called "Lewey and I; or, Sailor Boys Wanderings," by Wm. H. Thomas, author of "The Belle of Australia," and "On Land and Sea," which have had a very large sale all over the country. Following the principal story come short and pleasant tales, poetry, wit and humor, puzzle page, ladies' department engravings, and all that goes to make a magazine popular and readable. Ballou's is cheap and good. In it one can al-

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Jennie. Where are you going, Mamie?

Mamie. I'm going riding with George.

Jennie. Oh, never mind him. Stay here with me. It's not necessary you should go, is it?

Mamie. Yes, indeed it is. Pressing business, you know. And then she blushed.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an order issued out of the probate court of Lincoln County, N. M., the high and mighty the cattle belonging to the estate of R. T. Davis, deceased, at Agua Azul ranch (east side of the Capitan mountains), the sale to take place on the 15th day of the month of July, 1885, at the public sale of the general run of the above named cattle, which will be on or about the 15th day of July, 1885. Parties wishing to attend said sale should be at the above named place, on or before the 15th day of the month of July, 1885, at the above named place. J. W. Poe, Sheriff of Lincoln Co.

NOTICES FOR PUBLICATION

U. S. Land Office, Las Cruces, N. M., June 13, 1885. Notice is hereby given that the following named settlers have filed notice of their intention to make final proof in support of their respective claims, before the clerk of the probate court of Lincoln Co., N. M., on July 15, 1885, viz: Albert S. Frick, on declaratory statement No. 1133 for north half northeast quarter, southeast quarter, northeast quarter and northwest quarter, quarter section 22 township 12 north, range 25 east. Witnesses: Crescencio Ribera, W. H. Guise, Utimio Ulbarri and Ben Rogers, all of Lincoln county, N. M. Crescencio Ribera on declaratory statement No. 2230 for northeast quarter, northwest quarter and west half northeast quarter section 14 township 9 south, range 25 east. Witnesses: Utimio Ulbarri, A. S. Frick, W. H. Guise and Ben Rogers, all of Lincoln county, N. M. Utimio Ulbarri on declaratory statement No. 2240 for west half northeast quarter and south half northeast quarter section 34 township 9 south, range 25 east. Witnesses: Crescencio Ribera, A. S. Frick, W. H. Guise and Ben Rogers, all of Lincoln county, N. M. JOHN R. McFAR, Register.

NOTICES FOR PUBLICATION.

U. S. Land Office, Las Cruces, N. M., June 16th, 1885. Notice is hereby given that the following named settlers have filed notice of their intention to make final proof in support of their respective claims, before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. and Office at Las Cruces, N. M., on August 4th, 1885, viz: J. H. Nash on declaratory statement No. 567 for the north half southeast quarter and south half southeast quarter section 3 township 23 south, range 25 east. Witnesses: John S. McCallagh, Wm. R. Owens, John Calson and H. J. Ramer, all of Lincoln county, N. M. H. J. Ramer on declaratory statement No. 633 for northeast quarter, northwest quarter, north half northeast quarter and southeast quarter northeast quarter section 27 township 24 south, range 25 east. Witnesses: John S. McCallagh, Wm. R. Owens, John Calson and J. H. Nash, all of Lincoln Co., N. M. JOHN R. McFAR, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Las Cruces, N. M., June 8th, 1885. Notice is hereby given that the following named settlers have filed notice of their intention to make final proof in support of their claims, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Las Cruces, N. M., on July 15, 1885, viz: William Ostie on Homestead No. 1011 for the south half northeast quarter, section 25 township 15 south, range 11 east, lot 2 and southwest quarter northeast quarter, section 3 township 15 south, range 12 east. Witnesses: J. H. Shears, Perfecto Madrid, Eduardo Cadenas, Thomas Kinney, all of Dona Ana county, N. M. J. H. Shears on Homestead No. 1012 for the south half southeast quarter, northwest quarter, southeast quarter and northeast quarter, southwest quarter, section 32 township 15 south, range 11 east. Witnesses: William Ostie, Perfecto Madrid, Eduardo Cadenas, Thomas Kinney, all of Dona Ana county, N. M. JOHN R. McFAR, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U. S. Land Office Las Cruces N. M., May 23rd, 1885. Notice is hereby given that the following named settlers have filed notice of their intentions to make final proof in support of their respective claims, and that said proof will be made before George R. Bayman, clerk of the third judicial district of N. M., at the town of Lincoln, N. M., on July 6th, 1885, viz: Francisco Salazar on pre-emption declaratory statement No. 1069 for the south half northwest quarter, and north half southwest quarter section 35, township 11 south, range 10 east. Witnesses: Luciano Gonzalez, Philippe Chavez Dolotas, Lucero and Pemanio Lucero, all of Lincoln county, N. M. Luciano Gonzalez on pre-emption declaratory statement 1061 for the northwest quarter, section 35, township 7 south, range 10 east. Witnesses: Francisco Salazar, Philippe Chavez, Dolotas Lucero and Pemanio Lucero, all of Lincoln county, N. M. JOHN R. McFAR, Register.

U. S. Land Office Las Cruces, N. M., May 23, 1885.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settlers have filed notice of their intentions to make final proof in support of their respective claims, before Stephen F. Willson, Judge of the third judicial Dist. of N. M., or in his absence before the clerk of said district, at the town of Lincoln, N. M., on July 6th, 1885, viz: Philippe Chavez on Homestead No. 443 for the south half southwest quarter, section 23 and north half northwest quarter section 26 township 11 north, range 16 east. Witnesses: Luciano Gonzalez, Francisco Salazar, Dolotas Lucero and P. Lucero, all of Lincoln county, N. M. Quirino Maes on amended Homestead No. 60 for the south half southeast quarter, section 30 and north half northeast quarter section 31 township 7 south, range 18 east. Witnesses: Felipe Salazar, Manuel Gonzalez, Manuel Quintana and Jose Miranda all of Lincoln county, N. M. JOHN R. McFAR, Register.

NOTICE.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, Las Cruces, N. M., May 21, 1885. Complaint having entered at this office by William E. Anderson against Daniel Dow for abandoning Homestead No. 58, dated Oct. 1st, 1877 upon the northeast quarter northeast quarter, section 23 north half northwest quarter and northwest quarter northeast quarter, section 27 township 11 south, range 11 east, in Lincoln county, New Mexico, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear before S. E. Gardner at Lincoln, Lincoln county on the 15th day of July, 1885, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning such alleged abandonment. JOHN R. McFAR, Register.

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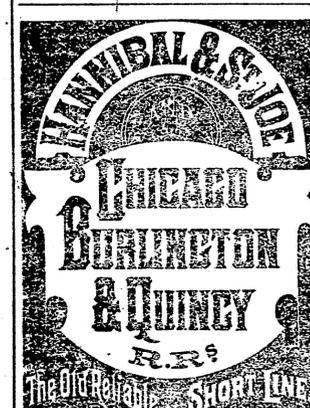
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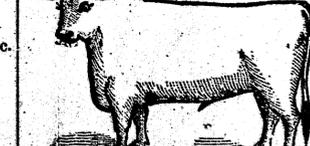
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THE Mexican editors are now being winned and dined in the eastern cities.

THE Liberty Bell is once more resting in the State house at Philadelphia. We suppose the Pennsylvania Dutch can now rest easy.

JAMES D. FISH, late president of the Marine bank, has been sentenced to ten years in the Auburn penitentiary. Fish is now sixty-five years old.

EX-GOV. L. A. SHELDON and I. S. Tiffany have formed a co-partnership for the practice of law. They have opened an office in Socorro and are ready to make things howl.

BECAUSE Secretary Whitney does not believe in going to sea in a tub, or permitting his jack-tars to sail in such an unsubstantial craft, the Republican papers are diligently and mercilessly ridiculing the Secretary. But their shafts make no impression on his reform armor.

SOME of the natives in the city of Socorro are trying to avoid paying city taxes. The natives of Lincoln county are as willing to pay taxes as the Americans, and in many cases more so. Must be something wrong with the people over in Socorro county.

MANY of the eastern papers are greatly worried over the supposition that Ward, the embezzler, has gotten away with \$1,000,000. They have no idea what he did with it. Some of the lawyers are also worried, for they think a man in trouble like Ward should have the aid of legal talent.

THE Las Vegas Daily Gazette has resumed publication. Its editor, Ralph Bayard, formerly of the Kansas City Journal, makes a fiery salutory, and says the Gazette "can never be the organ of any ring or faction while my name stands at the head of its editorial columns." We wish you a long and profitable life, Mr. Gazette.

COLONEL F. A. BLAKE, so well known in this county, and Sheriff Russell, of Socorro, went to Santa Fe Sunday to prevail on Governor Ross to organize a permanent company of rangers, and station them in the mountains on the border of New Mexico and Arizona. When this company is organized under the command of Col. Blake we expect to hear of no more Indian depredations.

IF GEX. BLACK, the new commissioner of pensions, keeps up the good work he has only commenced, through the term, honest claimants will get their pensions and dishonest ones their just deserts. It is a bit worth remembering that now for the first time in the history of the bureau, claims are being disposed of faster than they come in. The monthly average of certificates issued for 1884 was 4,838, while this year it is increased to 8,254. Not a bad showing for the new administration.

It is generally believed that when a man is held as a prisoner in the county jail before trial that the county stands the expense, and that as soon as he is sentenced to the penitentiary the territory is responsible for his keeping. But such is not the case. The prisoners taken away yesterday have been here a little over a month, since their sentences were passed upon them, at the expense of this county, and Sheriff Poe had a hard time to get the territory to receive them even now. When the judge sentenced them a month or so ago they were then territorial prisoners, for as soon as sentence was passed, they commenced to serve their time from that date. Just why the territory throws the burden on the shoulders of a single county is a mystery.

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It is rumored that the resident French Canadians and French-Canadians of the United States are going to petition the United States government in behalf of Riel, who caused the late unpleasantness in Canada, alleging he is a naturalized American citizen, and that being insane he is not responsible for his late actions.

THE Superintendent of the United States Mint at Philadelphia has just completed an invention by which is claimed counterfeiting is rendered impossible. It is an attachment to the coining press and consists of a twice bisected dollar, by means of which raised letters are made on the edges of all coins. An imitation of a piece thus marked is impossible to make in a mold, because of the raised letters, and the only other means of making a counterfeit is by use of hard engraving, which is very expensive. A satisfactory test has been made at the mint.

Now comes Bu Hlensiek, the mud-mortal tumble-down-house manslaughterer, who says he will become a "raving mania" if this thing of attempting to push him continues, and "it will kill his family," &c., &c. He probably didn't think of this when he was building rattle-traps to kill innocent women and children. He is like that fellow in Maryland who was "publically flogged" for wife beating. He held that flogging a white man was an intolerable indignity, although he was brute enough to whip a white woman (his wife) who was in delicate health. How sensitive some of these scoundrels become when they feel the lash of the law!

A COMICAL incident in the Illinois senatorial contest transpired at Watska, Ill., yesterday. Major Peters, editor of the Republican of that place, and Republican member of the Legislature from Iroquois county, when assured of Logan's election, telegraphed the boys from Springfield: "Logan is elected. Paint my old home red." He meant of course, for them to hold a jollification in Watska, but the boys took him at his word, and showing the message to Mrs. Peters, gained her consent, and forthwith the entire male population turned out, and procuring the brightest red paint imaginable painted the house, barn and outhouses scarlet—roof, chimney and all not sparing even the fences and tree trunks. When the Major heard of the affair this morning he was the maddest man in the Nation, notwithstanding Logan's election. [Lafayette Courier.]

The above has been going the rounds of the press from Maine to California, and shows how newspaper articles are spread as they travel. The facts in the case are these. Mr. L. F. Watson, clerk of the Illinois senate and formerly editor of the Watska Republican, when learning of Logan's election, telegraphed to some of his Republican friends the following: "Logan is elected. Paint my old home red." Several of the Democrats of that place, and not a few Republicans, seeing that a good joke could be played on Watson, took him at his word and gave his house, and outhouses a coat of the brightest vermilion. Maj. M. H. Peters, the one referred to as editor of the Republican, is editor of the Iroquois Times, a bright and newsy Democratic paper. Of course he made mention of the joke and then the story started, getting his name mixed up with that of Watson. Maj. Peters is reaping the benefit of the joke, as he has received letters of congratulation from Republicans from all over the country. The Major says he is as willing to take a joke as anybody, but when the press of the country call him a Republican, they are getting too personal.

MEX of business, so says an exchange, who resort to the habit of advertising by distributing circulars, pamphlets, etc., cannot be ignorant of the fact that the people whom they would reach have become nauseated with it. They must be aware that they themselves disregard all such appeals for patronage; and what reason have they to suppose

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Prescriptions Carefully Compounded at all Hours.

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WM. ELLIS,

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Fine Liquors,

Lincoln, N. M.

Lincoln Hotel,

(OPPOSITE THE COURT HOUSE.)

Mrs. Ben. H. Ellis, Proprietress.

Board, \$1.00 per day. | Horses, 75 cents per day.

Newly furnished: comfortable rooms; clean and comfortable beds; good stabling and careful and particular attention to stock; good table and prices moderate. The chief resort of stockmen, court officials, members of the bar, druggists, etc.

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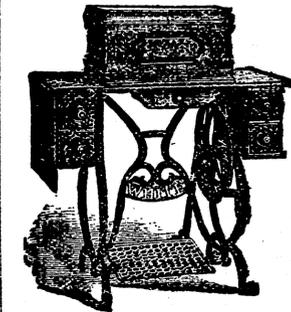
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that others will receive their applications with more patience. Sanguine advertisers are beginning to see this and are returning to the old method of public announcement. The newspaper is, in every sense, the best medium for advertising; and for a given result, it is by much the cheapest also. It reaches a far greater number of possible customers than any private announcement can, and it is more certain to receive attention. The private circular is thrown aside as a thing which people have come to regard as a bore, and which is neglected because its recipients have no time to attend to it. The newspaper is used in each day's hour of leisure, and readers find interest in reading its advertisements as well as its news, because of the variety they present and the information they convey respecting a wide diversity of interests. It may be safely estimated that an announcement made through the press is noticed by fifty readers where, made by a private way, it would reach but one. If, therefore, the same amount were expended in either case, the result would be fifty-fold better from the former method than from the latter. There are, undoubtedly, cases in which the circular is a better medium than the newspaper. Such, for instance, as where the matter is necessarily lengthy and the cost of newspaper space would therefore be very large. But such cases are quite exceptional, and the sooner advertisers learn the folly of their present large expenditures in seeking publicity through private means the better for their pockets and their success.

CONFEDERATE MONEY.

Confederate Treasury notes are rapidly passing out of existence; utterly valueless for any purpose of exchange, many thousands of them have been destroyed and those that are still in existence are becoming valuable as relics or objects of curiosity. We met a venerable lady yesterday, the relic of one of the most singular men we have ever known; singular for his patriotism and disinterestedness. We have known

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IT IS THE BEST MADE, LIGHTEST RUNNING, QUIETEST and SIMPLEST IN THE WORLD.

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her and her husband from our earliest childhood. At the time of the breaking out of the civil war they were wealthy, owning a sugar plantation and other large tracts of land, and over a hundred slaves. All this has, of course, passed away, the husband sleeps with the ashes of his children, but his venerable widow still survives. In the darkest days of Confederacy they sold their crops and all merchantable effects for Confederate money. When offered them even, in the last hours of the Confederacy, they refused United States Treasury notes, and in their sublime patriotism, would neither recognize nor receive any money but Confederate notes. The widow now has about two hundred thousand dollars of these notes, and that is about all she possesses in the world. [N. O. Daily States.

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The Leading Store in Lincoln.

JAMES J. DOLAN,

—DEALER IN—

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Has now on hand the most Complete and best assorted Stock of General Merchandise in Lincoln County.

—CONSISTING OF—

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, HATS, SADDLERY, LIQUORS, GROCERIES, BOOTS AND SHOES, HARDWARE, CROCKERY, CIGARS.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, &C.

Special attention paid to the requirements of CATTLE RANCHES. The only complete assortment of GARDEN SEEDS in the County.

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Special Inducements Offered MERCHANTS and RANGEMEN.

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A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE FIRM WILL VISIT THE COUNTY EVERY FOUR MONTHS. RESERVE YOUR ORDERS.

WHEN IN EL PASO, CALL ON US.

JOHN C. DELANY,

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FORT STANTON, NEW MEXICO.

HAS RECENTLY MADE A BUSINESS ALLIANCE WITH THE

El Capitan Land And Cattle Co.,

THUS LARGELY INCREASING HIS FACILITIES FOR BUSINESS, AND NOW OFFERS TO THE CITIZENS OF LINCOLN COUNTY THE BEST BARGAINS IN STAPLE GOODS TO BE FOUND IN THE COUNTY.

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